## Kamloops Museum and Archives



# Fernie Family fonds 1994.009, 2000.036, 2001.001, 2001.008, 2007.004, 1964.109, 0.2818

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**Title:** Fernie family fonds

**Dates of creation:** [188-?] – [ca. 2004], predominant 1900 – 1950

**Physical description:** 1.59 m of textual records, cartographic records, and graphic material

Biographical sketch:

William Lewis Fernie was born on 1 April 1868 at Macklesfield, Cheshire, England. He was educated at the King Edward VI Grammar School in Macklesfield and at Owens College, Victoria University, in Manchester. In 1887 Fernie emigrated from England and settled in Minnedosa, Manitoba, where he was employed as a farmer. He worked in Manitoba for two years before deciding against a career in farming and instead moved further west to British Columbia. After arriving in B.C. he spent a short time working on the coast as a fisherman and in the Chilcoten district as a cowhand. Fernie eventually moved to the Kamloops area in 1890 and took out a preemption of 320 acres at Black Pines in the North Thompson Valley. From 1900 to 1901 he served in the Boer War with the Strathcona Horse. After the war Fernie returned to Kamloops and joined the B.C. provincial police, signing on as a local constable in April of 1901. Fernie was quickly promoted to chief constable of Kamloops five years later and then appointed inspector following WWI. His career stretched over three decades until his retirement in 1934. As a police officer, Fernie was a formidable tracker who played instrumental roles in numerous notable arrests, though he is likely remembered most for aiding in the capture of the notorious American train robber Bill Miner. On May 12th, 1906 Miner held up a Canadian Pacific Railway passenger train just east of Kamloops with "Shorty" Dunn and Lewis Colquhoun. Fernie and fellow police officer E.T.W. Pearse organized a posse to find Miner and after tracking the men for two days Fernie eventually located them near Douglas Lake. Fernie was responsible for notifying the North West Mounted Police of the location of Miner which led to the successful arrest of all three men. After the capture, Miner was brought to Kamloops where he stood trial in the city courthouse. The arrest and trial of Bill Miner garnered widespread attention in newspapers across North America, and for his part in Miner's capture Fernie received \$1350 in reward money. Other major cases Fernie was involved in include the pursuit and arrest of Louis Paquette (1902), C.H. Williams (1907), and Paul Spintlum and Moses Paul (1912). He was also instrumental in the capture of 10 German prisoners of war that escaped from the Vernon WWI internment camp (1915). In 1915 Fernie was sent overseas to serve in WWI as a cavalry officer with the 172<sup>nd</sup> Rocky Mountain Rangers. He was later an intelligence officer with

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the 5<sup>th</sup> Canadian Division in England after the breakup of the RMR and was later still transferred to the 7<sup>th</sup> Canadian Infantry Battalion to serve in France as a platoon commander. He was appointed a lieutenant in the army and also served briefly as an acting provost marshal supervising military police with the 3<sup>rd</sup> Canadian Division. After returning from WWI, Fernie returned to the provincial police force and continued to be active in the military, serving in the B.C. Lighthorse regiment (later B.C. Hussars). He was eventually appointed commanding officer and then during the 1930s he was promoted to lieutenant colonel. Throughout his life Fernie was an accomplished sportsman. He excelled at polo, tennis, and badminton and competed in matches across B.C. while also serving as the president of both the polo and badminton clubs in Kamloops for a period. His love of the outdoors also led him to assist in the establishment of the Bowron Lake game reserve (later provincial park) in the mid-1920s. Fernie married Mary Isobel Lyle of London, England, on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 1905, and raised three children: William Vacy (1906-1930), Mary (1907-2005), and Eva Daphne (1909-2005). He died in Kamloops on July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1943.

Mary (May) Isabel Fernie (neé Lyle) was born 1878 at London, England. She was educated in Germany at a predatory school. After immigrating to Canada she married William Lewis Fernie on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 1905, in Vancouver. She and her husband W.L. Fernie raised three children – William Vacy, Mary, and Daphne – in Kamloops. May Fernie excelled at tennis and served as the president of the Kamloops Tennis Club in 1936. In 1933 she traveled Europe and wrote a series of articles for the *Kamloops Sentinel* under the title "By a Kamloops lady travelling in Europe". In 1945 she moved to the Metchosin area of Victoria where together with her two daughters she ran a farm breeding polo ponies and raising goats. She died in 1968.

William Vacy Fernie was born 21 September 1906 at Kamloops, the eldest son of William and Mary Fernie. He studied at the University of British Columbia. While working in the Cariboo district of B.C. for the summer he contracted meningitis and died on June 24<sup>th</sup>, 1930, at the Royal Inland Hospital in Kamloops.

Mary Fernie was born 5 October 1907 in Kamloops. She was raised in Kamloops and educated at St. Ann's Academy in Kamloops and Victoria. She studied at the Royal Inland Hospital Training School for Nurses, graduating in 1930. She worked as a nurse in Kamloops, Lytton, Williams Lake, New Westminster, and Victoria. Mary was an accomplished athlete who was active in polo, tennis, badminton, and horse riding. In 1945 she moved to the Metchosin area of Victoria where together with her mother and sister they operated a farm breeding polo ponies and raising goats. The Fernie Farm later expanded to include a tea room which Mary ran with her sister Daphne until 1990 selling their well known Fernie Farm Teas. She died on September 15, 2005, in Victoria.

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**Eva Daphne Fernie** was born June 11, 1909 in Kamloops. She was a provincially ranked badminton player and an accomplished polo player. She worked for BC Forest Products at New Westminster. In 1946 she moved to the Metchosin area of Victoria and with her mother and sister ran a farm breeding polo ponies and raising goats. She also ran the Fernie Farm Tea Room with her sister Mary until it closed in 1990. She died in Victoria on 24 June 2005.

### Scope and content:

Fonds consists of correspondence, sketchbooks, notebooks, journals, photographs, albums, publications, and artwork that document two generations of the Fernie family of Kamloops. Most records relate to W.L. Fernie's careers in the military and the B.C. provincial police. Included are his World War I sketchbooks, police notebooks, daily journals, a police record book, as well as publications and photographs. There are also records related to the nursing training and career of his daughter Mary Fernie; a diary, correspondence, and travel journal of his wife May Fernie; and a small amount of material related to his son Vacy and his daughter Daphne Fernie. Also included are 23 personal photograph albums that belonged to W.L. Fernie, his wife, and two daughters. The albums contain family photographs from approximately 1900 to 1940.

#### **Custodial history:**

Most of the records of W.L. Fernie and May Fernie in this fonds were in the custody of their two daughters Daphne and Mary Fernie at the Fernie farm in Victoria before they were donated to the Kamloops Museum and Archives (KMA) in four accessions. The records in accession 1994.009 were donated to the KMA by Daphne and Mary Fernie on August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1994. Douglas S. Ruth, the sisters' neighbor in Victoria, transported the records to the KMA on their behalf. Records in accession 2000.036 were donated by Daphne and Mary Fernie on May 9, 2000, and were also transported to the KMA by their neighbor Douglas S. Ruth. Daphne and Mary Fernie donated the records that comprise accession 2001.001 directly to the KMA on 6 June 2001. The records in accession 2007.004 were acquired from Terrance Cue, Executor of the Estate of Daphne and Mary Fernie, on 14 April 2007. Many records in these accessions were received with accompanying post-it notes attached to them. The notes provide information on the contents of the records and were likely created by Daphne and Mary Fernie. The notes have largely been retained wherever warranted and attached to bond paper within the files for preservation purposes.

Additional records related to the Fernie family were initially placed in the Vertical Files collection, and were accrued to this fonds during reprocessing in 2019. Accession 1964.109 was donated on

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September 22, 1964 by G.N. Stacey. It is unknown how Stacey acquired these materials, but the letter from W.L. Fernie indicates that he gave the colt pistol he had acquired from Bill Miner to an unnamed "Captain." Accession 2001.008 was donated on January 10, 2001 by mail by Daphne Parr, on behalf of Mary and Daphne Fernie. Accession 0.2818 was donated in April 1960 by L.E. Cook.

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Notes:

**Source of supplied title:** Title based on contents of fonds.

**Arrangement:** Fonds has been arranged into five sous-fonds, based on the individual members of the Fernie Family: William Lewis Fernie, Mary "May" Isabel Fernie, William Vacy Fernie, Mary Fernie, and Daphne Fernie. The William Lewis Fernie sous-fonds has been further divided into three series based on his two predominant careers (Military and Police) and his personal records. Within respective sous-fonds and series records have been grouped by format (textual, photographic). Original order of records is retained in file numbering, and records are generally arranged based on chronological date of donation with formerly Vertical Files collection items falling last.

**Access restrictions:** No restrictions on access. The archivist reserves the right to restrict access to any fragile material for preservation purposes.

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**Finding aids:** Sous-fond listing and file lists are available for this collection.

**Accruals:** No further accruals are expected.

**Related material:** See Artifact Collection for Fernie Family artifacts donated with accessions 1964.109, 2000.036, and 2001.001.

**Treatment note:** Military qualification certificate item #2000.036/001(01) and W.L. Fernie's B.C. Justice of the Peace certificate item #2000.036/001(02) were removed from frames during processing in 2012.

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#### Sous-fonds 1: William Lewis Fernie

[188-?]-1950. — ca. 35 cm of graphic material, 26 cm of textual records, and 1 map

Scope and content: This sous-fonds consists of correspondence, notebooks, journals, drawings, sketchbooks, photographs, and publications that document the personal and professional lives of W.L. Fernie. Many of the records included in the sous-fonds relate to his careers in the military and the B.C. provincial police. There are also 9 of Fernie's personal photograph albums that relate largely to his family life, sports activities, and the Kamloops area, but also to a lesser extent, his professional life as a police inspector. The sous-fonds has been divided into 3 series: military career, police career, and personal records.

#### Series 1: Military Career

[ca. 1901]-[ca. 1935]. — 6 cm of textual and graphic records, 32 b&w photographs, and 1 map

Scope and content: This series documents the military career of W.L. Fernie, primarily relating to his service during World War I. Records in the series consist of correspondence, a journal, drawings, sketchbooks, a discharge certificate, a map of France, and photographs. Also included is a small amount of records related to Fernie's military career pre and post-World War I, including 1 photograph of Fernie taken during the Boer War and various photographs that document Fernie's career as a commanding officer with the B.C. Lighthorse and B.C. Hussars from approximately 1920 to 1935.

Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
1994.009/001(01)	Drawings, France and B.C. – File contains W.L. Fernie's sketches of France and B.C., some double sided. – 10 graphic records	1918-1919	1/1
1994.009/001(02)	W.L. Fernie Journal 1918-1919 – File contains W.L. Fernie's journal during his time in England and France during World War II, and on his return to Kamloops. – 1.5 cm of textual records	1918-1919	1/2
2001.001/001(01)	Correspondence 1917-1919 – File contains W.L. Fernie's correspondence with a French family. – 5 textual records and 5 b&w photograph postcards	1917-1919	2/1
2001.001/001(02)	Drawings, France – File contains W.L. Fernie's drawings of France. – 2 graphic records	1918	2/2

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2001.001/001(03)- (05)	Sketchbooks, France and B.C. – Files contain four of W.L. Fernie's sketchbooks, depicting France and B.C. – 4 cm of graphic records	1917-1919	2/3-5
2001.001/001(06)	Military discharge certificate – File contains W.L. Fernie's military discharge certificate. – 1 textual record	1919	2/6
2001.001/001(07)	Military map of France – File contains a military map of France. – 1 map	1916	2/7
2001.001/001(08)	Still More Bystander Fragments from France – File contains a book entitled <i>Still More Bystander Fragments from France</i> by Captain Bruce Bainsfather, Vol. III. – 0.5 cm of textual records	1917	2/8
2000.036/001(01)	Military qualification certificate – File contains W.L. Fernie's Field Officer qualification certificate. – 1 textual record	1923	15/1
2001.001/001(09)	W.L. Fernie in Boer War uniform – File contains a photograph of W.L. Fernie and an unidentified man in Boer War uniforms. – 1 b&w photograph	[ca. 1901]	2/9
2001.001/001(10)- (14)	WWI photographs – Files contain photographs of W.L. Fernie on a horse, a battalion parade, soldiers in lifejackets, the 172 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion leaving Kamloops, battalion group portraits, and W.L. Fernie in a military uniform. – 12 b&w photographs	1914-1919	2/10-14
2001.001/001(15)- (17)	BC Lighthorse photographs – Files contain photographs of the 5 <sup>th</sup> Battalion B.C. Lighthourse on parade, in a formal group portrait, and W.L. Fernie single. – 11 b&w photographs	1921-[ca. 1935]	2/15-17
2001.001/005(01)- (03)	BC Lighthorse oversize photographs – Files contain oversize photographs of the 5 <sup>th</sup> Battation B.C. Lighthorse on parade and in a formal group. – 3 b&w photographs	1921-[ca. 1935]	15/3-5

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#### Series 2: Police Career

1903-1982. — 19 cm of textual records and 10 b&w photographs

Scope and content: This series consists of records that document W.L. Fernie's activities in Kamloops as police chief and an inspector with the B.C. provincial police from approximately 1903 until his retirement in 1933. Records include his police notebooks, a diary (1903), a journal (1908), a police record book (1912-1916), letters, photographs, and publications, as well as a copy of Fernie's poem "Record of a typical escort by the Provincial Police" (1922) and his article "Deaths of Williams and Williams" (1937). There is also a small amount of material relating to his role in the capture of Bill Miner in 1906. These records include 2 photographs of Miner, a letter, newspaper clippings, and publications.

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1994.009/001(03)	Note – File contains a letter and envelope to Bill Haney. – 2 textual records	[190-?]	1/3
1994.009/001(04)	W.L. Fernie Journal, 1908 – File contains W.L. Fernie's journal, loose correspondence, a City of Kamloops Water and Lights Department receipt, and notes re: exhibits to go to Vernon. – 1.5 cm of textual records	1908	1/4
1994.009/002	Police Record Book – File contains a bound Police Record Book for the Chief Constable's Office, Kamloops. – 4 cm of textual records	1912-1916	14
2001.001/001(18)	Pocket Diary – File contains W.L. Fernie's pocket diary. – 1 cm of textual records	1903	2/18
2001.001/001(19)- (22)	Notebooks – Files contain six of W.L. Fernie's notebooks, containing notes, poems, and sketches. – 5 cm of textual records and graphic material	1909-1932	2/19-22
2001.001/001(23)	Poem, "Record of a typical escort by the Provincial Police" – File contains a copy of a poem written by W.L. Fernie entitled "Record of the Typical Escort by the Provincial Police." – 5 textual records	1922	2/23
2001.001/001(24)	Letter from Joseph W. Burr to E.T.W. Pearse  – File contains a letter by Joseph W. Burr to E.T.W. Pearse re: an escaped prisoner. – 1 textual record	1907	2/24

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2001.001/001(25)	Letter to W.L. Fernie – File contains a letter and envelope to W.L. Fernie from Police Commissioner John Hugh McMullin. – 3 textual records	1931	2/25
2001.001/001(26)	Christmas Card from "Pat" – File contains a Christmas card from "Pat" of the B.C. Provincial Police. – 1 textual record	1937	2/26
2001.001/001(27)	The Vancouver Daily Province, 17 May 1906 – File contains a copy of the Vancouver Daily Province telling of the capture of Bill Miner. – 0.5 cm of textual records	1906	2/27
2001.001/002(01)	The Standard, Montreal – File contains newspaper clippings relating to the Bill Miner capture. – 0.5 cm of textual records	[1906?]- 1982	3/1
2001.001/002(02)	W.L. Fernie "Deaths of Williams and Williams" – File contains an article from the British Columbia Provincial Police Annual, 1931. – 0.5 cm of textual records	1931	3/2
2001.001/002(03)	W.L. Fernie retirement notice – File contains W.L. Fernie's retirement notice from the <i>Canadian Police Gazette.</i> – 0.25 cm of textual records	1933	3/3
2001.001/002(04)	W.L. Fernie obituary – File contains W.L. Fernie's obituary and an article about Bill Miner from <i>The Shoulder Strap.</i> – 1 cm of textual records	1943	3/4
2001.001/002(05)- (09)	The Shoulder Strap – Files contain issues 1, 7, 16, 19, and 21 of The Shoulder Strap. – 4 cm of textual records	1938-1950	3/5-9
2000.036/001(02)	W.L. Fernies B.C. Justice of the Peace certificate – File contains W.L. Fernie's B.C. Justice of the Peace certificate. – 1 textual record	1924	15/2
2001.001/002(10)- (11)	Bill Miner portraits by Mary Spencer – File contains two portraits of Bill Miner. – 2 b&w photographs	[1906?]	3/10-11
2001.001/002(12)-	"Shorty" Dunn and Lewis Colquhoun portraits	[1906?]	3/12-13

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(13)	by Mary Spencer – File contains a portrait each of "Shorty" Dunn and Lewis Colquhoun. – 2 b&w photographs		
2001.001/002(14)	B.C. Provincial Police photographs – File contains photographs of the B.C. Provincial Police on parade, W.L. Fernie on a horse, and formal group portraits. – 5 b&w photographs	[192-]-[193-	3/14
2001.001/005(04)	B.C. Provincial Police, Kamloops – File contains an oversize photograph of the B.C. Provincial Police at Kamloops. – 1 b&w photograph	[192-?]	15/6
1964.109a-b	Letter from William Fernie and Obituary – File contains a letter from William Fernie to "Captain" regarding the colt pistol he acquired from Bill Miner, and a newspaper clipping of W.L. Fernie's obituary from the Daily Province. – 2 textual records	1928-1943	13/26
0.2818	Goodbye to Cariboo – File contains a typescript of a poem written by W.L. Fernie called "Goodbye to Cariboo." – 1 textual record	[193-?]	13/27

#### Series 3: Personal records

[188-?]-[1942?]. — 31 cm of b&w photographs, 31 b&w negatives, and 1 cm of textual records

Scope and content: This series primarily consists of 9 albums containing the personal photographs of W.L. Fernie which were taken between approximately 1900 and 1930. The photographs cover his family life, sports activities, travel, Kamloops and surrounding area, as well as some of his professional life as a police inspector. Also included is an insurance receipt for Fernie's Kamloops home, a clipping of his wedding notice, a draft of his story "Snyee," and various photographs of Fernie from between approximately 1880 and 1942.

2001.001/002(15) Kamloops house insurance receipt – File 1902 3/15 contains an insurance receipt from the London	Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada. – 1 textual record	2001.001/002(15)	contains an insurance receipt from the London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada. –	1902	3/15

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2001.001/002(16)	Fernie marriage notice – File contains a newspaper clipping from the <i>Kamloops Standard</i> announcing W.L. Fernie's marriage to Mary Lyle. – 1 textual record	1905	3/16
2001.001/002(17)	Notebook story "Snyee" – File contains a notebook with a draft of a short story entitled "Snyee," including sketches. – 1 cm of textual records	1926-1932	3/17
2001.001/002(18)	Remembrance Day program – File contains a program from the Remembrance Day Service. – 1 textual record	1934	3/18
2001.001/002(19)	Certficates of registration of rifles and small arms – File contains two certificates of registration for W.L. Fernie's firearms. – 2 textual records	1939-1940	3/19
2001.001/002(20)	Caricature drawing of W.L. Fernie by Massey [?] – File contains a drawing of W.L. Fernie. – 1 graphic record	[193-?]	
2001.001/002(21)	Photographs of W.L. Fernie – File contains photographs of W.L. Fernie. – 6 b&w photographs	[188-?]- [1942?]	3/21
2001.001/002(22)	W.L. Fernie photograph album v. 1 – File contains a photograph album. – 1 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1901]- [191-?]	3/22
2001.001/002(23)- (31)	W.L. Fernie photograph album v. 2 – Files contain a photograph album. – 2.5 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1901]- [191-?]	3/23-31
2001.001/003(01)- (09)	W.L. Fernie photograph album v. 3 – Files contain a photograph album. – 1.5 cm of b&w photographs	[190-?]- [191-?]	4/1-9
2001.001/003(10)- (36)	W.L. Fernie photograph album v. 4 – Files contain a photograph album. – 10.5 cm of b&w photographs	[190-?]- [191-?]	4/10-36
2007.004/001(01)	W.L. Fernie photograph albums v. 5 and 6 – File contains two photograph albums. – 2 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1901]- [ca. 1929]	6/1

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2007.004/001(02)	W.L. Fernie photograph album v. 7 – File contains a photograph album. – 1 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1901]- [ca. 1929]	6/2
2007.004/001(03)- (14)	W.L. Fernie photograph album v. 8 – Files contain a photograph album. – 3 cm of b&w photographs and 1 textual record	[ca. 1901]- [ca. 1929]	6/3-14
2007.004/001(15)- (19)	W.L. Fernie photograph album v. 9 – Files contain a photograph album. – 3 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1901]- [ca. 1929]	6/15-19
2007.004/001(20)- (21)	Negatives – File contains photographs, negatives, and film envelopes. – 31 b&w negatives, 7 b&w photographs, and 2 textual records	[191-?]- [192-?]	6/20-21

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## Sous-fonds 2: Mary "May" Isabel Fernie

[189-?]-[1963?]. — 7 cm of b&w photographs, 3 cm of textual records, and 87 b&w negatives

Scope and content: This sous-fonds consists of records that document the personal life of Mary (May) Fernie (neé Lyle). Records include May Fernie's diary from her school days in Germany; personal correspondence; material relating to her travels in Europe, including a journal, notebook, newspaper clippings, and copies of articles she wrote for the Kamloops Sentinel under the byline "By a Kamloops lady travelling in Europe" (1933); and genealogical records of the Fernie family. Also included are 3 of May Fernie's photograph albums.

Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
2007.004/002(01)	Mary Fernie's Diary – File contains Mary Fernie's diary from her school days in Germany. – 3 cm of textual records	1896-1905	7/1
2007.004/002(02)	Poetry notebook – File contains Mary Fernie's notebook of poetry. – 0.25 cm of textual records	[193-?]	7/2
2007.004/002(03)	Journal of European Travels – File contains a notebook with details of the family's trip to Europe. – 0.5 cm of textual records	1933	7/3
2007.004/002(04)- (06)	Travel articles by May Fernie – Files contain drafts, typescripts, and newspaper clippings of articles written by May Fernie for the <i>Kamloops Sentinel</i> under the heading "By a Kamloops lady travelling in Europe." – 1 cm of textual records	1933	7/4-6
2007.004/002(07)	Correspondence – File contains Mary Fernie's correspondence with her sister Pussie Lyle, and sisters-in-law Edith and Nellie Fernie. – 0.5 cm of textual records	1945-1946	7/7
2007.004/002(08)	Genealogical records – File contains the Fernie family's genealogical records and includes two photographs of W.L. Fernie taken at Fife, Scotland. – 0.25 cm of textual records and 2 b&w photographs	[191-?]- [1963?]	7/8
2007.004/002(09)	Fernie coat of arms painting – File contains a painting of the Fernie coat of arms with notes on verso. – 1 graphic record	[193-?]	7/9

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2007.004/002(10)	Miscellaneous – File contains Christmas cards, a watercolour painting of a boat, and a postcard. – 4 textual records	1927-1934	7/10
2007.004/002(11)- (16)	May Fernie photographs – Files contain photographs of Mary Fernie. – 10 b&w photographs	[189-?]- [193-?]	7/11-16
2007.004/002(17)	Photographs of May Fernie's sister – File contains photographs of Pussie Lyle[?]. – 2 b&w photographs	[190-?]- [191-?]	7/17
2007.004/002(18)	Family photographs of Fernie children – File contains photographs of the Fernie children. – 6 b&w photographs	[ca. 1910]- [ca. 1930]	7/18
2007.004/002(19)- (20)	Miscellaneous photographs – File contains family photographs. – 14 b&w photographs	[190-?]-[ca. 1950]	7/19-20
2007.004/002(21)- (40)	May Fernie photograph album v. 1 – Files contain a photograph album. – 3 cm of b&w photographs	[191-?]- [194-?]	7/21-40
2007.004/002(41)	May Fernie photograph album v. 2 – File contains a photograph album. – 1 cm of b&w photographs	[191-?]- [194-?]	7/41
2007.004/003(01)	May Fernie photograph album v. 3 – File contains a photograph album. – 2 cm of b&w photographs	[191-?]-[ca. 1929]	8/1
2007.004/003(02)- (12)	May Fernie photographs and negatives – File contains photographs, negatives, and film envelopes. – 87 b&w negatives, 11 b&w photographs, and 13 textual records	[191-?]- [1941-?]	8/2-12

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## Sous-fonds 3: William Vacy Fernie

[191-?]-[193-?]. — 9 b&w photographs

*Scope and content:* This sous-fonds consists of 9 photographs of W.L. and May Fernie's son, William Vacy Fernie. Included are photographs of Vacy Fernie during his school days at Vernon Preparatory School and at U.B.C.

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2007.004/004(01)- (02)	Photographs of Vacy Fernie – Files contain 9 photographs of Vacy Fernie. – 9 b&w	[ca. 1908]- [ca. 1929]	9/1-2
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### Sous-fonds 4: Mary Fernie

[ca. 1910]-[ca. 2004]. — 6 cm of textual records, 8 cm of b&w photographs, 1 cm of b&w negatives, 6 colour photographs, and 1 painting

Scope and content: This sous-fonds consists of notebooks, correspondence, exams, certificates, photographs, and a scrapbook that document Mary Fernie's family life and nursing career. The records are mainly related to her studies at the Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses, including 4 of her nursing school notebooks, her diploma, and a 1930 School for Nurses graduating class photograph. Also included are 4 of her photograph albums from approximately 1920 to 1940 which contain shots of her nursing school days as well as her sports activities and family life.

Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
2001.001/004(01)- (04)	Nursing school notebooks – File contains four notebooks from Mary Fernie's nursing school training. Topics include doctor's lectures, dietetics, and classwork. – 4 cm of textual records	1928-1930	5/1-4
2001.001/004(05)	Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses exams – File contains exams from the Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses. – 2 textual records	[ca. 1929]	5/5
2001.001/004(06)	Royal Inland Hospital rules and regulations for the Training School for Nurses – File contains a booklet entitled "Royal Inland Hospital Rules and Regulations for the Training School for Nurses" with Mary Fernie's notes. – 1 textual record	[ca. 1928]	5/6
2001.001/004(07)	Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses convocation – File contains a programme and menu, notes, speech, school songs, table card, award, and exam related to Mary Fernie's convocation from the Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses. – 10 textual records	1930	5/7
2001.001/004(08)	Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses diploma – File contains a diploma, graduating exercises, certificate of registration, and award for Mary Fernie from the Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses. – 4 textual records	1930	5/8
2001.001/004(09)	First aid certificates – File contains Mary Fernie's First Aid certificates. – 2 textual	1939-1941	5/9

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	records		
2001.001/005(05)	Painting of Mary Fernie by Stella Lewis – File contains a watercolour painting of Mary Fernie by Stella Lewis. – 1 painting	1936	15/7
2007.004/004(03)	Mary Fernie postcards from her father – File contains postcards received by Mary Fernie from her father. – 7 b&w photographs	[ca. 1925]	9/3
2007.004/004(04)-(05)	Mary Fernie's scrapbook – Files contain Mary Fernie's scrapbook, which includes clippings, notes, pamphlets, and 1 photograph. – 1 cm of textual records and 1 photograph	1930-1940, 1992	9/4-5
2001.001/004(10)	Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses Class of 1930 – File contains a composite photograph of the Royal Inland Hospital School for Nurses class of 1930. – 1 b&w photograph	1930	5/10
2001.001/004(11)	Photographs of Mary Fernie in her nursing uniform – File contains photographs of Mary Fernie in her nursing uniform. – 5 b&w photographs	[ca. 1930]	5/11
2007.004/009(01)	Photograph of Mary and Daphne Fernie with Kelowna Tennis Club – File contains a photograph of Mary and Daphne Fernie with the Kelowna Tennis Club. – 1 b&w photograph	1935	15/8
2007.004/004(06)-(12)	Photographs of Mary Fernie – File contains photographs of Mary Fernie and a receipt from the Film Shop. – 31 b&w photographs, 6 colour photographs, and 1 textual record	[ca. 1910]- [ca. 2004]	9/6-12
2007.004/004(13)- (14)	Mary Fernie photograph album v. 1 – Files contain a photograph album. – 2 cm of b&w photographs and 1 cm of b&w negatives	1920-1933	9/13-14
2007.004/004(15)- (25)	Mary Fernie photograph album v. 2 – File contains a photograph album. – 1.5 cm of b&w photographs	1920-1933	9/15-25
2007.004/005(01)- (19)	Mary Fernie photograph album v. 3 – Files contain a photograph album. – 3 cm of b&w	[ca. 1935]- 1940	10/1-19

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	photographs		
2007.004/005(20)	Mary Fernie photograph album v. 4 – File contains a photograph album. – 1 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1935]- 1940	10/20
2001.008	The Kayaitchess – File contains two Kamloops High School yearbooks for 1924 and 1925. – 0.25 cm of textual records	1924-1925	13/28

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## Sous-fonds 5: Eva Daphne Fernie

[ca. 1910]-[ca. 2004]. — 21 cm of b&w photographs, 16 cm of textual records, 5 cm of b&w negatives, and 4 colour photographs

*Scope and content:* This sous-fonds consists of correspondence, diaries, an autograph book, and photographs that document the personal life of Daphne Fernie. Also included are 7 photograph albums that contain shots taken of her family and friends, travel, sports activities, and Kamloops and the surrounding area from approximately 1920 to 1950.

Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
2007.004/005(21)	Vernon Prepartory School – File contains publications from the Vernon Preparatory School. – 0.75 cm of textual records	1918-1935	10/21
2007.004/005(22)	Daphne Fernie postcards from her father – File contains postcards received by Daphne Fernie from her father. – 5 b&w photographs	1924-1925	10/22
2007.004/005(23)	Daphne Fernie correspondence from her aunts  – File contains correspondence received by Daphne Fernie from her aunts. – 8 textual records	[194-?]	10/23
2007.004/005(24)	Daphne Fernie autograph book – File contains Daphne Fernie's autograph book. – 1 cm of textual records	1925-1943	10/24
2007.004/005(25)- (27)	Diaries – Files contain Daphne Fernie's diaries. – 8 cm of textual records	1928-1935	10/25-27
2007.004/006(01)- (02)	Diaries – Files contain Daphne Fernie's diaries. – 6 cm of textual records	1936-1952	11/1-2
2007.004/006(03)- (05)	Photographs of Daphne Fernie – File contains photographs of Daphne Fernie. – 12 b&w photographs and 4 colour photographs	[ca. 1910]- [ca. 2004]	11/3-5
2007.004/006(06)	Daphne Fernie photograph album v. 1 – File contains a photograph album. – 1.5 cm of b&w photographs	1922-1930	11/6
2007.004/006(07)- (25) and 2007.004/007(01)- (22)	Daphne Fernie photograph album v. 2 – Files contain a photograph album. – 8 cm of b&w photographs	1922-1930	11/7-25, 12/1-22

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2007.004/007(23)	Daphne Fernie photograph album v. 3 – File contains a photograph album. – 1 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1930]- 1950	12/23
2007.004/007(24)- (41)	Daphne Fernie photograph album v. 4 – Files contain a photograph album. – 2 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1930]- 1950	12/24-41
2007.004/007(42)	Daphne Fernie photograph album v. 5 – File contains a photograph album. – 1 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1930]- 1950	12/42
2007.004/007(43)	Daphne Fernie photograph album v. 6 – File contains a photograph album. – 1 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1930]- 1950	12/43
2007.004/008(01)- (10)	Daphne Fernie photograph album v. 7 – Files contain a photograph album. – 5 cm of b&w photographs	1933-1940	13/1-10
2007.004/008(11)- (25)	Daphne Fernie photographs and negatives – Files contain loose photographs and negatives, some of which have been removed from albums v. 5-7. – 1 cm of b&w photographs and 5 cm of b&w negatives	[192-?]- [195-?]	13/11-25