

Basic Detail Report

David Brown Milne fonds

Date

1899-1975

Primary Maker

David Brown Milne

Description

Scope and content: Fonds consists of the personal and professional records of David Brown Milne, including correspondence with friends, patrons, family and his dealer; diaries and similar writing; documentation of Milne's military service; designs for Canadian flags; cancelled watercolours; sketches and sketchbooks. Contains series: 1. Correspondence sent by David Milne, including drafts of letters 2. Correspondence received by David Milne 3. Diaries and other writings by David Milne 4. World War I documents 5. Douglas Duncan and Picture Loan Society documents 6. Maps of potential painting locations 7. Publicity material 8. Documents relating to Vera Parsons and 1963 court case 9. Canadian flag drawings and designs for Studio Magazine cover 10. Cancelled watercolours 11. Baptiste Lake sketchbooks 12. Personal effects 13. Sketches Accompanying material: A number of works on paper by David Brown Milne were acquired by the Art Gallery of Ontario at the same time as the fonds, and are in the gallery's Permanent Collection. Please ask the archivist for assistance in identifying these works. Immediate source of acquisition: Acquired from David Milne, Jr. in 2009. Arrangement: The series arrangement is based on material, functional and thematic groupings of records. Location of originals: Originals of letters to David Milne from James ("René") Clarke are to be donated to Library and Archives Canada. Restrictions on access: Open. Access to Special Collections is by appointment only. Please contact the reference desk for more information. Terms governing use and reproduction /

publication: David Milne's copyright in this fonds is maintained by the David Milne estate. Copyright belonging to other parties, such as that in received correspondence or photographs, may still rest with the creator(s) of these items. It is the researcher's responsibility to obtain permission to publish any part of the fonds. Finding aids: A detailed finding aid is available. Associated material: Library and Archives Canada has an extensive David Brown Milne Fonds. Accruals: Further accruals are expected Related material: The David Silcox - David Milne Collection, also at this repository, contains the research records for the publication David B. Milne: Catalogue Raisonné of the Paintings (University of Toronto Press, 1998), including photocopies of much of Milne's correspondence.

Dimensions

781 sketches 100 watercolours 87 cm of textual records 34 photographs 5 sketchbooks 1 easel 1 paint box