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ALBERTA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

AN INVENTORY OF ITS ARCHIVAL RECORDS HELD BY THE MILLET & DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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Title: Alberta Women's Institute fonds

Dates: 1949-2014

Phys. desc.: 25 cm of textual records.

Bio / Admin History: The Alberta Women's Institutes (AWI) is one of the oldest

voluntary associations for women in the Province of Alberta. The objectives of the Women's Institutes are to help rural women acquire home management and leadership skills; strengthen communities through active involvement; and build mutually beneficial social networks. The first individual WI branch was organized at Lea Park in 1909. By the 1920s, there were over 250 branches representing 15,000 members across the province.

Custodial History: The records were received by donation from Mae Deans in 2020,

and are duplicates of Provincial Archives of Alberta holdings.

Scope / Content: The fonds consists of National Convention Reports, Report Books

from conventions and board meetings, Federated News, Home & Country flyers, and a booklet outlining the Story of the Alberta

Women's Institute

Title Source: Title based on content of fonds. Language: The material is in English.

Restrictions: There are no restrictions on access. Finding Aids: File list available at the Archives.

Associated/ Related:

Accruals: No further accruals are expected.

Record No.: A86

Repository: Millet and District Museum and Archives

Names: Alberta Women's Institute

Topics: Women—Societies and clubs

Women—Education

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File		
1	National Convention Reports	1991-1998, 2003
2	Report Books	1987-1991
3	Federated News	1999-2013
4	Federated News	1992-1998
5	Home & Country	1975-1995
6	Home & Country	1995-1999
7	Home & Country	2012-2014
8	Report of the Biennial Conventions	1959-1970
9	Report of the Biennial Convention	1949-1957
10	Report of the Alberta Women's Institute	1967-1971
11	Report of the Alberta Women's Institute	1959-1967
12	Report of the Alberta Women's Institute	1955-1959
13	The Story of the Alberta Women's Institute 1909-1975	1975
14	Conference Booklet	1994
15	Annual Board Meeting Reports	1998-2000
16	Annual Board Meeting Reports	1995-1998
17	Annual Board Meeting Reports	1992-1994