# Class of 1916 (Arts) fonds

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## **Fonds Description**

Class of 1916 (Arts) fonds. – 1917, 1972.

2 bound scrapbooks.

1 file folder.

### **Administrative History**

The Class of 1916 (Arts) actually consisted of all members of the University of British Columbia first graduating class of 1916. However, as all graduates that year were from the Faculty of Arts, the whole class is often referred to as "Arts 1916".

#### **Scope and Content**

The fonds consists of handwritten minutes from a special meeting (March 1917) of the Class of 1916 at which members discussed the possibility of establishing an Alumni Association. Also included are two scrapbooks. The first, assembled by A. Irene (Vermilyea) Menzies in 1972, provides information about members of the class after graduation, university faculty, and the early history of the University – handwritten with newspaper clippings. The second scrapbook includes biographical information about early UBC graduates from 1916 to 1922 – handwritten, with clippings from *Annual* yearbooks.