

Alfred Parminter fonds

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Fonds Description

Alfred Parminter fonds. – 1817, 1966, 1971.

13 cm of textual materials.

Biographical Sketch

Alfred Vye Parminter received an M.A. from UBC and a Ph.D. from Stanford University. He joined the faculty of UBC as an assistant professor of education in 1966, specializing in educational foundations. In 1982 he retired from the University - at that time he was honoured with the title of Assistant Professor Emeritus.

Scope and Content

Fonds consists of three items that document some of Alfred Parminter's family history. One is a copy of a school exercise book, with exercises completed by hand, entitled "Practical Arithmetick" (1817), written by Samuel Bateson (Parminter's great-grandfather). The second item is an essay written by Sheila Young at James Graham College, Leeds, England (1966), chronicling the history of Farnley School in Yorkshire, where John Vye Parminter served as headmaster from 1875 to 1909. The third item is a copy of Alfred Parminter's Ph.D. thesis from Stanford University, "Effects of holistic vs. particularistic cognitive curricular content on the selection of instrumental activities of a sociocultural minority" (1971).

Notes

Donated to the University Archives by Alfred Parminter in 1985.