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Summary information

Repository:	Dalhousie University Archives
Title:	George Douglas Elphinstone Anderson fonds
Reference code:	MS-2-768
Date:	1945-1947 (date of creation)
Language:	English
Physical description:	5 cm of textual records
Note [generalNote]:	Preferred citation: [Identification of item], George Douglas Elphinstone Anderson fonds , MS-2-768 Box [box number], Folder [folder number], Dalhousie University Archives, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada.

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

George Douglas Elphinstone Anderson was born in Lunenburg in 1902, the son of Albert and Effie Anderson. His father practiced law in Lunenburg until joining the Royal Canadian Ordinance Corps which posted him to Halifax, Saint John and Ottawa. George graduated from Acadia University with a B.Sc. in 1926 and then pursued a engineering degree from the Nova Scotia Technical University. He worked at Westington Co. as a student engineer before joining Nova Scotia Power and Light in September 1928 as an Electrical Engineer. During World War II, Anderson head a special division of NSPL that was set up to deguass merchant and naval ships for which he was awarded the Order of the British Empire in the King's Honour List in 1945. Anderson continued to work at NSPL after the war filling a variety of engineering and administrative positions. In 1969, he retired from the Company as Executive Vice-President.

Custodial history

The fonds was donated by David Anderson in 2011.

Scope and content

Fonds contains radio scripts, correspondence and published materials related to the radio program, "Now It Can Be Told". Anderson wrote the radio scripts and most of the correspondence, while working as a Staff Engineer for Nova Scotia Light and Power.

Notes

Title notes

Restrictions on access

All files are open to researchers.

Conditions governing use

Materials do not circulate and must be used in the Archives and Special Collections Reading Room. Materials may be under copyright. Contact departmental staff for guidance on reproduction.

Accruals

No further accruals are expected.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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Access points

- Technical University of Nova Scotia.
- Textual record (documentary form)
- Correspondence (subject)
- Personal archives (subject)
- Radio plays, Canadian (subject)
- Scripts (subject)
- World War, 1939-1945 (subject)
- Lunenburg (N.S.) (place)

Collection holdings

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 1 - Correspondence regarding the "Now it Can Be Told" radio show

Title: Correspondence regarding the "Now it Can Be Told" radio show

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 1

Date: 1945-1947 (date of creation)

Physical description: 23 pages

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 2 - Radio Scripts, Nos. 1-10

Title: Radio Scripts, Nos. 1-10

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 2

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 3 - Radio Scripts, Nos. 11-20

Title: Radio Scripts, Nos. 11-20

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 3

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 4 - Radio Scripts, Nos. 21-30

Title: Radio Scripts, Nos. 21-30

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 4

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 5 - Radio Scripts, Nos. 31-40

Title: Radio Scripts, Nos. 31-40

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 5

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 6 - Radio Scripts, Nos. 41-50

Title: Radio Scripts, Nos. 41-50

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 6

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 7 - Radio Scripts, Nos. 51-60

Title: Radio Scripts, Nos. 51-60

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 7

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 8 - Radio Scripts, Nos. 61-70

Title: Radio Scripts, Nos. 61-70

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 8

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 9 - Radio Scripts, Nos. 71-80

Title: Radio Scripts, Nos. 71-80

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 9

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 10 - Hi-Tension News / Canadian Ohio Brass Company Limited, Niagara Falls, Ontario. -

Title: Hi-Tension News / Canadian Ohio Brass Company Limited, Niagara Falls, Ontario. -

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 10

Date: September, 1946 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File includes two 35 x 28 cm mockups of illustrations from the publication.

Physical description: 7 pages

File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 11 - Poster - "Sealed Lips Will Save Our Ships," National War Services, Ottawa. -

Title: Poster - "Sealed Lips Will Save Our Ships," National War Services, Ottawa. -

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 11

Date: c. 1939-1945 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 : 30 x 22.5 cm

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File: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 12 - Now It Can Be Told / Nova Scotia Light and Power.

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Title: Now It Can Be Told / Nova Scotia Light and Power. -

Reference code: MS-2-768, Box 1, Folder 12

Date: May, 1946. (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a publication with excerpts from the 'Now it Can Be Told" radio broadcasts.

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