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Papers of Lewis Herbert Thomas (1917-1983)  
1931-1982

Box 1

Personal

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| -1 | Correspondence, general. Includes a copy of the annotated bibliography of local histories of Alberta.   | December 5, 1979-<br>June 19, 1980.      |
| -2 | Correspondence, general. Includes Dr. Thomas' comments on proposed Bill of Rights and ownership of provincial natural resources (September 1981) and minutes of the United Church Archives Committee (Alberta). | February 20, 1981-<br>December 24, 1981. |
| -3 | Correspondence, general. Includes "Career of Lewis H. Thomas" by L.H. Thomas (1982) and correspondence with Eugene Forsey.  | January 4, 1982-<br>May 18, 1982.        |
| -4 | Correspondence with Longmans, Green and Company. Includes an agreement between L.H. Thomas, Allan Turner, Regina College and Longmans, Green and Company. (1960).   | December 3, 1958-<br>December 15, 1965.  |
| -5 | Correspondence with Eugene Forsey and related newsclippings.  | September 3, 1964-<br>March 5, 1980.     |
| -6 | Correspondence with the Archives of Saskatchewan.   | November 17, 1964-<br>March 23, 1981.    |

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- 7 Correspondence with the City of Edmonton Archives. Includes minutes of the Public Documents Committee Meetings and related correspondence (February 27, 1974-November 8, 1978). April 5, 1971-  
November 8, 1978.
- 8 Correspondence with the *Edmonton Journal* and others on the 1972 Federal election and on bilingualism in particular. November 9, 1972-  
December 5, 1972.
- 9 Form and photocopied letters from Heritage Canada, brochures and clippings. October, 1973-  
September, 1979.
- 10 Correspondence with the University of Alberta Press regarding *Essays on Western History* and other publications. A memorandum of agreement and book critiques are included. February 3, 1975-  
October 15, 1981.
- 11 Correspondence and Newsletters from the Western Canadiana Publishing Project. March 25, 1976-  
March 13, 1982.
- 12 Dr. Thomas' letter and review of *The Regional Decline of the National Party: Liberals on the Prairies* for the Canadian Plains Research Centre, Regina. August 15, 1981,  
January 28, 1982.

Box 2

Academic

- 13 Correspondence: recommendations A-H. November 27, 1958-  
January 25, 1982.
- 14 Correspondence: recommendations I-R. August 13, 1958-  
November 13, 1981.

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| -15   | Correspondence: recommendations S-Z.   | February 17, 1959-<br>September 14, 1981. |
| -16   | Correspondence with the University of Alberta President, Registrar and History Department. Includes Dr. Thomas' CV and list of publications. | March 12, 1965-<br>November 13, 1976.     |
| -17   | Copies of L.H. Thomas' annual reports as a faculty member.   | July 1, 1964-<br>July 31, 1980.           |
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| -18   | Minutes of Department of History meetings.   | September 16, 1977-<br>April 22, 1982.    |
| -19   | Course outlines for History 470, including essay topics, bibliography, exams and handwritten notes.  | 1964-<br>December, 1979.                  |
| -20   | Source material for History 470, including papers prepared for the Centennial Conference on the History of the Canadian West (1967).         | May, 1967-<br>February, 1981.             |

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| -21 | Course outlines for History 471 and bibliographies.   | 1973-1977. |
| -22 | Course outline for second term for History 471 and notes.   | 1982.      |
| -23 | Source material for History 471.  | 1940-1979. |
| -24 | Source material for [History 471]. Includes a letter from the Department of History, Dalhousie University (1976). | 1958-1981. |

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| -25 | Course outlines for History 570.   | n.d.                            |
| -26 | Source material for History 570 including bibliography and publications.   | n.d.                            |
| -27 | Source material for History 670.   | 1957-1981.                      |
| -28 | Course outlines for History 672.   | 1968-1980.                      |
| -29 | Exam papers for History S-27, 207, and 208 at the University of Saskatchewan.  | 1952-1964.                      |
| -30 | Exam papers chiefly for History 370, but also including History 352, 279 and 75.                                       | 1958-1974.                      |
| -31 | Exam papers for History 372, B1 and B2.  | 1973-1975.                      |
| -32 | Exam papers for History 470 and 471.   | 1965-1980.                      |
| -33 | Exam papers for History 513.   | 1963-1980.                      |
| -34 | Candidacy exams for Ph.D. students.  | 1963-1980.                      |
| -35 | Graduate students, general: correspondence, guidelines, report.  | August, 1975-<br>January, 1980. |
| -36 | "Department of History Canadianists": includes list of students and course offerings and a Canadian History Timetable. | 1980-1982.                      |

Source Material

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| -37 | Athabasca River and Pass: correspondence, notes, photocopies. | 1967-1972. |
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| Map Chest        | -38 | Map of the Amethyst Lakes, Alberta-British Columbia from Item 37.   | 1970. |
| Map Chest        | -39 | Map of Athabasca Pass, British Columbia-Alberta, from Item 37.  | 1970. |
| Map Chest        | -40 | Portion of a map with passes in the Rocky Mountains marked, from Item 37.   | n.d.  |
| <br><u>Box 3</u> |     |   |       |
|                  | -41 | Bulter, W.F., notes from <i>The Wild North Land</i> .   | n.d.  |
|                  | -42 | Cocking, Matthew, "An Adventurer from Hudson Bay, Matthew Cocking's Journal" from the <i>Transactions of the Royal Society of Canada, Third Series - Vol. II (1908)</i> . | n.d.  |
|                  | -43 | Coleman, A.P., photocopy of a chapter from <i>The Canadian Rockies: New and Old Trails (1911)</i> .   | n.d.  |
|                  | -44 | Cox, Ross, photocopy of Chapter 24, of <i>The Columbia River</i> .  | n.d.  |
| Map Chest        | -45 | Portion of road map of Alberta with route marked between Grand Rapids, Saskatchewan and Kettle Falls, Washington, from Item 44.   | 1966. |
| Map Chest        | -46 | Portion of road map of Manitoba and Saskatchewan marking route from Ontario to Alberta, from Item 44.   | 1966. |

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|  | -47 | De Smet, Father P.J., photocopies of articles, small maps. | n.d. |
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- 48 Douglas, David, photocopy of portions of his journal. n.d.
- 49 Drummond, Thomas, photocopy of excerpts of John Franklin's book on his second journey and of a letter from Anne Bronson to Dick Pharis re the Willmore Wilderness Park. n.d.
- 50 Ermatinger, Edward, photocopies of his *York Factory Express Journal* from the *Transactions of the Royal Society of Canada*, and a handwritten list of dates of his journey from Vancouver to Hudson Bay; small map included. 1912.
- 51 Fertile Belt: photocopies of parts of books or magazines and handwritten notes. n.d.
- 52 Fleming, Sanford: photocopies from journals and handwritten notes regarding the Canadian Pacific Railway Royal Commission. n.d.

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- 53 Fraser, Simon: handwritten notes. n.d.
  - Map Chest -54 Road map of British Columbia marked with Simon Fraser's route from Vancouver to Fort Fraser, Fort St. James and down the Peace River from Finlay Forks; found in Item 53. n.d.

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- 55 Franchere, Gabriel: notes and photocopy. n.d.

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|           | -56 | Grant, G.M. (and Fleming): notes and photocopy.   | n.d. |
| Map Chest | -57 | Road map of northern Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia marked with G.M. Grant's route from Port Arthur to Victoria; found in Item 56. | n.d. |

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|  | -58 | Henry, Alexander and David Thompson: notes recording dates of arrival and departure at various points on the journey of 1808-1811.  | n.d. |
|  | -59 | Horetzky, Charles: notes and small map.   | n.d. |
|  | -60 | Kane, Paul: photocopy and notes.  | n.d. |
|  | -61 | Mackenzie, Alexander: magazine article, photocopy, notes.   | n.d. |
|  | -62 | McLean, John: notes.  | n.d. |
|  | -63 | Macoun, J: photocopy and notes on the areas in the vicinity of the Smoky and Peace rivers.  | n.d. |
|  | -64 | Milton, Viscount and W.B. Cheadle: correspondence, Dr. Thomas' "Introduction to the New Edition of Cheadle's <i>Journal of Trip Across Canada 1862-63</i> ", notes and a photocopy of Tommy Tweed's address on Mr. O'Byrne. | n.d. |

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|           | -65 | Moberly, Walter: photocopies, notes regarding surveys in the Rocky Mountains.  | n.d.            |
|           | -66 | Mountain Exploration: photocopies and notes.   | n.d.            |
|           | -67 | Mountain Passes: notes, photocopies, publications (1963-1979), typed article on "The Yellowhead and Athabasca Passes", possibly prepared by L.H. Thomas, small maps.     | n.d.            |
| Map Chest | -68 | Geological Map, Index Sheet 83, of Alberta and British Columbia, published by the Geology Survey of Canada; from Item 67.  | July 31, 1971.  |
| Map Chest | -69 | Map of Glacier Park, British Columbia, Department of Mines and Technical Surveys, Canada; from Item 67.  | 1955.           |
| Map Chest | -70 | Portion of map showing Rocky Mountain Passes south of the Yellowhead Pass; from Item 67.   | n.d.            |
| Map Chest | -71 | Map of Yoho Park, Alberta - British Columbia west of the Fifth Meridian; from Item 67.   | 1961.           |
| Map Chest | -72 | Map of Alberta - British Columbia west of the Fifth Meridian and south of the North Saskatchewan River, issued by Alberta Department of Lands and Forests; from Item 67. | February, 1969. |



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|           | -73 | Overlanders: notes and photocopy.  | n.d.  |
|           | -74 | Palliser, John and Dr. James Hector: photocopies of articles and small maps, newsclippings and an offprint of a paper by Mrs. Graham [Irene] Spry on the Palliser Expedition (1965). | n.d.  |
|           | -75 | The Peace River: notes, photocopies of maps, brochure.   | n.d.  |
| Map Chest | -76 | Map of the Prairie Provinces issued by Department of Mines and Technical Surveys, Canada; found in Item 75.  | 1962. |

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|           | -77 | Pond, Peter: photocopies of 3 small maps.  | n.d.  |
|           | -78 | Ross, Alexander: photocopy of portions of his book, <i>The Fur Hunters of the Far West</i> .   | n.d.  |
|           | -79 | Simpson, George: notes on and photocopies of his journeys.   | n.d.  |
| Map Chest | -80 | Road map of Alberta and British Columbia showing route of Simpson's 1828 journey from York Factory to Fort Vancouver; from Item 79.                          | 1965. |
| Map Chest | -81 | Road map of the Trans-Canada Highway showing Simpson's route on his 1829 journey from Fort Vancouver on the Columbia River to Lachine, Quebec; from Item 79. | 1962. |

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|              | -82 | Sinclair, James: notes.   | n.d.                 |
|              | -83 | Thompson, David: photocopies and notes.   | n.d.                 |
| Map Chest    | -84 | Road map of Northwestern States with map of Central Canada attached, showing routes taken by David Thompson; from Item 83.        | 1966.                |
| <u>Box 3</u> | -85 | Thorington, J.M.: photocopies of excerpts from <i>The Glittering Mountains of Canada</i> (1914-1924).                             | n.d.                 |
|              | -86 | Yellowhead Pass: notes, magazine clippings, photocopies of early journals, typed articles.  | n.d.                 |
| Map Chest    | -87 | Map of Canoe River, British Columbia - Alberta issued by the Department of Mines and Technical Surveys, Canada; found in Item 86. | 1963.                |
| <u>Box 3</u> | -88 | Canadian - American relations: photocopies referring to the Riel Rebellion, the C.P.R. and American reaction to these events.     | n.d.                 |
|              | -89 | Hudson's Bay Company: photocopies of 3 articles from the <i>Canadian Historical Review</i> .                                      | 1945, 1953,<br>1960. |
|              | -90 | Photocopy of "The North West Mounted Policeman at Play and on Duty" (pages 38-62) and typed copy of pages 1 to 42.                | n.d.                 |
|              | -91 | Public Land Legislation, U.S.A.: photocopies of published articles.   | 1963, 1968.          |

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- 92 Canadian politics: clippings and typed copy of "Alberta Statement Respecting the Agreement Between the Government of Canada and the Government of Alberta Relating to Energy Pricing and Taxation" (September 1, 1981). 1978-1981.
  
- 93 Western history before 1870: clippings and photocopies about H.B. Company and explorers. 1931-1974.