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ALASKA HIGHWAY

HISTORY

Since the turn of the century various schemes have been considered for the construction of roads, trails or railways to link the Yukon, northern British Columbia and Alaska to the "outside". These schemes were motivated more by economic interests--mining, lumbering and tourism--than by a concern for the social, cultural or economic structure of the native & non-native populations of the three areas.

During the twenties and thirties a small but vocal group of "builders" began to campaign for a highway, either a coastal or inland route, to improve the economic base of all three areas. With the impending threat of war in the late thirties, there was an increasing awareness by the American and Canadian governments of the vulnerability of the Pacific Coast to both air and sea attacks by "unfriendly" nations. In 1939, the North-West Staging Route (NWSR) was surveyed by the Canadian Civil Aviation Branch with a view towards improving the existing aircraft facilities for year round use. This NWSR route was expanded to give greater access to Edmonton and Fairbanks by air. In 1940, the Permanent Joint Board on Defence (PJBD) also recommended more upgrading of the NWSR facilities to meet increasing military needs but still refused to consider the construction of a highway since it was not justified from a military standpoint and there was no agreement on a route.

The unexpected bombing of Pearl Harbour in December 1941 stimulated interest in the construction of the Highway by the American government. The U.S. Corps of Engineers selected a route based on the location of the NWSR airfields and the military needs for an alternative land route to Alaska for defence purposes. The military was not interested in developing or planning a highway for the "peacetime" civilian needs of the future.

The chosen route ran from Edmonton to Whitehorse then on to Fairbanks. The Corps of Engineers roughed out a "pioneer" road in eight months and then handed over the completion of the highway to civilian contractors who finished it in 1943.

During this time the Americans grew increasingly concerned over the lack of petroleum available in the north. Thus the Canol project was developed to ensure a continuing supply of petroleum to meet military needs. The end result of the Canol project was "Camp Canol" and 4 pipelines -- No. 1, main Canol pipeline, No. 2: Skagway to Whitehorse, No. 3: Carcross to Watson Lake, No. 4: Whitehorse to Fairbanks.

By late 1943, both projects were completed by the U.S. Corps of Engineers and Canada officially accepted responsibility for maintaining and developing the Yukon portion of the Alaska Highway. The impact of the Highway was realized by the local populations--both native and non-native--in a very short time. The impact ranged from social problems to severe culture shock as well as an increased awareness of the world outside of the Yukon among the local population. The mixed blessings included improved health care, transportation, communication and development of tourist related industries.

INTRODUCTION

Over the last fifty years the Yukon Archives and MacBride Museum have collected a wealth of original documentation on the construction, planning and socio-economic impacts of the Highway on the Territory. This bibliography presents an overview of both collections.

All material held by the Yukon Archives and MacBride Museum has been arranged in general subject areas. The Archives collection has 6 divisions--historical background, personal narratives, photographs & pictorial works, military & civilian governance, socio-economic impacts, and special events. The MacBride collection consists of 3 divisions--books, newspapers and photographs. Both collections have been broken down further by type of material within each subject and each item has been given a full bibliographical description.

The illustrations on the cover page of each division were chosen from material in the Yukon Archives collection to further highlight the atmosphere of the Alaska Highway construction period.

The MacBride Museum section consists of 2 types of material--publications and photographs.

The Yukon Archives section consists of 9 distinct categories:

1. Corporate Records (COR): Records of various businesses, organizations and associations which provide details of their activities in the construction period or during the last forty years.
2. Government Records (GOV): Yukon Territorial & Federal (U. S. & Canadian) records outlining the planning, construction, and political aspects of the Highway from the early twenties to the present day.

3. Manuscripts (MSS): Private papers of individuals or families ranging from diaries, correspondence, and scrapbooks reflecting personal viewpoints and memories of the construction, maintenance and impact of the Highway.
4. Maps and plans: Original diagrams, maps and sketches showing the development of the territory as the Highway was incorporated into the local lifestyle.
5. Books: Published material ranging from planning documents, personal narratives to socio-economic studies on the planning, construction and development of the Highway.
6. Pamphlets (PAM): Excerpts from journals & magazines, published promotional literature, poetry, and special events souvenirs (menus, invitations & opening ceremony programs).
7. Photographs and pictorial works (PHO): Photographs taken by private individuals and professionals showing highway construction & maintenance activities by the U.S. and Canadian Armies.
8. Sound recordings (SR): Oral history recordings describing the construction, social and cultural impacts of the Highway on the territory.
9. Films & videos: Home movies, professional documentary films and videotapes of the construction, opening ceremonies and everyday usage of the Highway.

A Merry
Christmas
and
A Happy
New Year



from The Alaska-Canada Highway
Whitehorse-Yukon Territory-Christmas-1942

• U.S. Public Roads •
• Administration •

GENERAL

The building of the Alaska Highway, or Alcan, in 1942-1943 was a huge project with wide-ranging effects on the North. The scope was so large that only a few sources discuss all aspects of "The Road". The following provide an overview of the entire project:

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Book 388.11 EAP
Canada. Environmental Assessment Panel. Shakwak Highway Project: Proceedings. Vancouver: Allwest Reporting Limited, 1978.

Book 388.12 DIAND
Canada. Northern Roads Fact Finding Committee. Report of the Northern Roads Fact Finding Committee, May 1-20, 1967. Ottawa: The Committee, 1967.

Book 971.91 Coe
Coe, Douglas. Road to Alaska: the Story of the Alaska Highway. New York: Julian Messner, 1943 (c).

Also found at: Coutts 388.1 Coe

Book 917.980 45 Dal
Dalby, Ron. The Alaska Highway: an Insider's Guide. Golden: Fulcrum Publishing, 1990 (c).

Book 330.971 Da
Davies, Raymond Arthur. Arctic Eldorado: a Dramatic Report on Canada's Northland, the Greatest Unexploited Region in the World, With a Workable Four Year Plan. Toronto: Ryerson Press, 1944 (c).

Also found at: Coutts 338.971 Dav

Book 388.1 Alaska 1982 No. 5
Diubaldo, Richard J. "Canada Reassorts Herself in the North." Paper presented at the Alaska Highway 40th Anniversary Symposium, June 18-20, 1982, at Fort St. John, B. C.

Book 388.1 Ala

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Book 388.1 Ala

Fisher, Robin. "T. D. Pattullo and the British Columbia to Alaska Highway." In The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, edited by Kenneth Coates, 9-25. Vancouver, B. C.: University of British Columbia Press, 1985 (c).

Also found at: 388.1 Alaska 1987 No. 7

Book 971.21 Go

Godsell, Philip Henry. Alaska Highway. London: Sampson Low, Marston, and Company, 1940?

Also found at: Coutts 388.2 God

Book Coutts 388.1 God 1944

Godsell, Philip Henry. The Romance of the Alaska Highway. Toronto: Ryerson Press, 1944 (c).

Also found at: Coutts 388.1 God 1945, 2nd edition

Book Coutts 917.191 Gr:

Griffin, Harold. Alaska and the Canadian Northwest: Our New Frontier. New York: W. W. Norton, 1944 (c).

Book 971.21 Ha

Hamilton, W. R. "The Alaska Highway." In The Yukon Story, 172-176. Vancouver: Mitchell Press Limited, 1964.

Book 971.121 Ha

Harris, Mae Evans. You Can Alcan. Middleburg: Deulinger's, 1959 ca.

Book F He

Hewes, Agnes Danforth. A Hundred Bridges to Go. Dodd: Mead, 1950.

Book 971.21 Hi (1954)

Houston, Arthur Cherry, and Philip Henry Godsell. "Along the Alaska Highway." In The Yukon, Philadelphia: MacRae Smith, 1955.

Also found at: Coutts 971.910 2 Hin 1955 & Coutts 971.910 2 Hin 1958*

Note: * Original edition

Book 971.21 I1

Hillingworth, Frank. Highway to the North. London: Ernest Benn Limited, 1955.

Also found at: Coutts 917.191 I11 1955A and Coutts 917.191 I11 1958*

Note: * New York: Philosophical Library, 1955

Book 971.21 Ia

Lanks, Herbert Charles. Highway to Alaska. New York: D. Appleton-Century, Incorporated, 1944 (c).

Also found at: Coutts 917.191 Lan

Book 557 P44-25

Lord, C. S. Geological Reconnaissance Along the Alaska Highway Between Watson Lake and Teslin River, Yukon and British Columbia. Ottawa: Geological Survey of Canada, 1944.

Also found at: Coutts 557.191 Lor

Book 388.1 Ala

Mordman, Curtis R. "The Army of Occupation: Malcolm MacDonald and U. S. Military Involvement in the Canadian Northwest." In The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, edited by Kenneth Coates, 83-101. Vancouver: University of British Columbia, 1985.

Also found at: 388.1 Alaska 1982 No. 11

Book 388.1 Ala

Oland, Dwight D. "The Army Medical Department and the Construction of the Alaska Highway." In The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, edited by Kenneth Coates, 65-74. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, 1985.

Also found at: 388.1 Alaska 1982 No. 12

Book 388.1 Alaska 1982 No. 13

Page, Bob. "The Alaska Highway Pipeline: the Agony of a Northern Megaproject". Paper presented at the Alaska Highway 40th Anniversary Symposium, June 18-20, 1982, at Fort St. John, B. C.

Book 330.971 ESCNP 74-32

Pufahl, D. E., N. R. Morgenstern, and W. D. Roggensack. Observations on Recent Highway Cuts in Permafrost. Ottawa: Environmental- Social Program Northern Pipelines, 1974.

Book 388.1 Ala

Remley, David. "The Latent Fear: Canadian-American Relations and Early Proposals for a Highway to Alaska." In The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, edited by Kenneth Coates, 1-8. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, 1985 (c).

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Stewart, George R. Looking North, Looking South, N.A. 1, the North and South Continental Highway. Cambridge: Riverdale Press, 1957.

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Note: * Boston: Houghton, Mifflin

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U. S. Army. Information Office. "The Alcan Highway." In Building Alaska with the U. S. Army, 1867-1965, 79-83. Seattle: U. S. Army, 1965.

Book Coutts 625.739 7 Com

U. S. Congress. Commission to Study the Proposed Highway to Alaska. Report of the Commission to Study the Proposed Highway to Alaska, 1933. Washington, D. C.: U. S. Government Printing Office, 1933.

Book 388.1 USA

U. S. Congress. House of Representatives, Committee on Roads. The Alaska Highway: an Interim Report from the Committee on Roads. Washington, D.C.: U. S. Government Printing Office, 1946.

Book 388.109 711 UBC

University of British Columbia. Centre for Transportation Studies. Highway Development in Northern British Columbia - Priorities, Timing and Beneficiaries. Vancouver: Centre for Transportation Studies, 1974.

Book 557 P44-28

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Alaska Highway (YRG 1, Series 1, Volume 6), 1929-1942.

GOV 1614, f. 466 pt. 3A, 3B, 3C.
Alaska Highway, General Correspondence (YRG 1, Series 1, Volume 8),
1945-1949.

GOV 1679, f. 21 pt. 1, 2.
Alaska Highway (YRG 1, Series 1, Volume 69), 1929-1943.

GOV 1680, f. 21 pt. 3, 4.
Alaska Highway (YRG 1, Series 1, Volume 70), 1944-1946.

MANUSCRIPTS

MSS 066, f. 8
Jones, E. H. collection, #78/16-1, 1901-1948.

MSS 002, f. 4
Lotz, Jim collection, #82/37, 1968.

MSS 061
MacBride Family collection, #82/342-2, 1914-1961.

MAPS

Map H-638 (A-J)
[Blue line prints of Alaska Highway mile 897 to 946.9. Series of ten
maps.], 1972-1973.

Note: Map sheet missing for mile 909-913.

Map H-489
2 maps showing land lot 337 and 338, Group 804 located on the Alaska
Highway - Mayo Turnoff, 1963.

Note: Maps are annotated.

Map F-124
2 sided map
Side 1 - The Klondike Trail: Alaska Highway, full length
Side 2 - The Klondike Trail: Alaska Highway, Whitehorse Section,
1962.

Map F-123 (A-D)
4 maps included in an Alaska Highway Packet.
Map A - Index
Map B - The Great Land of Alaska
Map C - Access Routes to Alaska Highway
Map D - Along the Alaska Highway, 1970 ca.

Map H-715
Alaska, 1943 ca.

Map F-116, F-117
Alaska Highway Map, 1972.

Note: Folder 24 panels

Map H-665
Alaska Highway mile 909-913, 1973.

Map F-119
Alaska Highway Texaco Road/Service Station Map, 1973 ca.

Note: Folder 4 panels

Map H-519
Map of the Alaska Highway. Mundy's Pocket Map of Northwest Canada
and Part of Alaska, 1943.

Map F-121
Maps of Alaska Highway and Peace River Highway, 1954.

Note: Folder 12 panels

Map F-122 (A-C)
Series of Gulf Oil Maps of the Alaska Highway and Highway 16
Map A - 1967
Map B - 1968 2 copies
Map C - 1975, 1967-1975.

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Sturdevant, Clarence L. "U. S. Army's First Official Story of the Alaska Highway." Roads and Bridges, March 1943: 27-32, 62-68.

Pam 1991-70

Yukon News. "Alaska Highway 50 Years Old Next Year." In Yukon News Visitor's Guide 1991, 9.

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McCandless, Robert G. collection, #86/12, 1978-1979.

Note: Discussion on the Alaska Highway

SR Series #72, Tapes #1-3

Ward, Rev. Robert C. W. collection, #82/528, 1941-1958.

Restriction: No commercial use without Robert Ward's permission

Note: Soundtrack for home movies showing Alaska Highway and Canal scenes

SR Series #17, Tape #1, side A

Yukon Potpourri collection, #88/64R, 1975.

Note: Al Wright gives a chronological account of the construction, etc. of Yukon roads from 1899 to present, especially the Alaska Highway, Mayo Road, Haines Road, Robert Campbell Highway, Skagway Road and Dempster Highway.

DESCRIPTION AND TRAVEL

Although the highway's utility for military defense was highly questionable, it was well travelled. In 1943 alone, approximately 17,000 government, civilian and commercial vehicles travelled the highway. This number appears large but cannot begin to equal the vast amount of civilian traffic which would begin even before the war ended. In the early years, travel permits were necessary from the Army and the Canadian Government. Personal accounts of the "adventure road" were published as early as 1944. A few of the earlier descriptive accounts of travelling the highway are listed below:

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"Alaska Highway 'Truck Tracks'", vol. 2, no. 8, February 16, 1944

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Note: Special Souvenir Edition

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Harris, Mae Evans. You Can Alcan. Middleburg: Denlinger's, 1959 ca.

Book 979.805 Na
National Geographic Society (U. S.). Special Publications Division.
Alaska: High Roads to Adventure. Washington: The Society, 1976 (c).

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Northwest Travel Guide: Alaska, Yukon, Alaska Highway. Vancouver:
Travelina, 1972-1983.

Note: Archives has: 1971/72, 1974/75, 1982/83

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Nulsen, David R. Trailering to Alaska. Beverly Hills: Trail-R-Club
of America, 1969 (c).

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Stewart, George R. Looking North, Looking South, N.A. 1, the North
and South Continental Highway. Cambridge: Riverdale Press, 1957.

Also found at: Coutts 917.1 Ste*

Note: * Boston: Houghton, Mifflin

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Whishaw, Lorna. As Far as You'll Take Me. New York: Dodd, Mead,
1958.

Also found at: Coutts 917.19 Whi 1958, Hammond & Co., London

Book 917.191 Wil
Williams, Frances. I Asked For It. Philadelphia: Dorrance and
Company, 1954 (c).

Book 917.191 043 05 Yuk 1983/84
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Travel Guides, 1984.

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Coutts, Robert C. collection, #78/69-1, 1847-1978.

Note: refer to finding aid for file descriptions

MSS 017
Lutz, Jim collection, #82/189-2, 1962-1966 ca.

MSS 199, f. 1
MacKenzie, Jack collection, #87/87-1, 1945-1948.

MSS 122
Simmons, J. Aubrey collection, #82/192-1, 1942-1980.

MSS 144
Warner, Iris collection, #80-98, 1979-1980.

MSS 51-60, MSS 0/5 3
Warner, Iris collection, #82/245-1

Note: Refer to finding aid for file numbers

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Map F-118
Alaska Highway mileage chart, 1969 ca.

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Pam 1947-26C
Alaska Highway Directory Maps. : National Advertising System Ltd.,
1947 ca.

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Alberta Motor Association. Alaska Highway. Edmonton: Metropolitan
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1964: 36-38, 47-50.

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National Resources, 1957-1958

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Adventure. Ottawa: The Canadian Government Travel Bureau, 1959-.

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1966-54C, 1967-06, 1969-28

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Highway. Victoria, B. C.: Morriss Printing Co., 1988 (c).

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Inquirer, March 20 1949: 2.

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1966: 5-6.

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International North American Highway Association. North American
Holiday Highway 93, scenic direct. Ely, Nevada: The Association,
1962 ca.

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vol. 26, no. 6, 1970: 12-21.

Pam 1946-08C
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Porter, Cy. R. "Seven North: the 'Call of the Wild' Lures More People to Make This Yearly Jaunt." Tourism Journal of the Visitor Industry, vol. 1, no. 5, October-November 1966

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Traveller's Digest. Travel Guide: the Traveller's Digest. British Columbia: Traveller's Digest, 196- ca.

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Pam 1963-09
White Pass and Yukon Route. A Yukon Alaska Adventure by Train= A Yukon Alaska Adventure by Bus. [Seattle: White Pass and Yukon Route, 1963].

Pam 1951-06
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Pam ND-386
Your Trip Along the Alaska Highway. 1950-1960 ca.

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Yukon Territory. Department of Tourism. Yukon Highway Touring Guide. [Whitehorse]: Yukon Tourism, 1988.

VIDEOS

Video V-4-5, V-5-1
Film #8 & #9. Black, George collection, #81/15, late 1940's ca.

Note: Home movie showing Alaska Highway scenes, bridges, Muncho Lake, Johnson's Crossing Bridge, Upper Liard Bridge, Peace River Bridge, U. S. Army trucks, etc.

Video V-119
Film #5, #9. Greenslade, Ronald L. collection, #85/50-5, 1949-1951 ca.

Note: Home movie showing activities, people and communities along the Highway and the official opening of the Alaska Highway

Video V-7
Alaska on Bust. Kits Camera collection, #84/90, 1984.

Note: Travelogue along the Highway showing scenes of Soldier's Summit and footage of highway construction

EPHEMERA

There are always materials which defy classification by subject or type; these are often grouped into "ephemera" sections such as this one. As the highway became part of the Territory its presence was celebrated in humorous cartoons, menus, poetry, posters, etc. which are outlined below:

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Book Count: 011.54 Ros
Roston, Norman. The Big Road: a Narrative Poem. [New York]: Reinhart and Co., 1946.

CORPORATE RECORDS

COR 001, file #1, 2
MacBride Museum collection, #82/251, 1930-1963.

Note: Clippings on the Alaska Highway

MANUSCRIPTS

MSS 143, f. 31
Faulkner, Victoria Anna Belle collection, #83/50-1, 1896-1979.

MSS 001
Harvey, B. G. Papers collection, #82/33-2, 1940-1946.

Note: Agenda of the ceremony transferring the Alaska Highway to the Canadian Government.

MSS 169
Lorence, Charles M. collection, #84/73-1, 1943-1944.

Note: Collection of poems written by Alaska Highway workers

MSS 122
MacBride Museum collection, #82/29-2, 1942.

Note: Letter describing the opening of the Highway

MSS 8

Seaton, Robert collection, #82/146, 1942-1965.

Note: Newspaper and periodical articles dealing with the construction of the Alaska Highway

MSS 122

Sparling, Gudrun collection, #82/48-2, 1923-1948.

Note: Poem on the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers building the Highway

MSS 146

Sparling, Gudrun collection, #83/88-2, 1947.

Note: Historical narrative on the highway

MSS 122

Surprise, Delphus Arthur collection, #82/458-4, 1942-1944.

Note: A poem and an Alaska Highway Travel Control Permit

MSS 199

Tanquay, Father J. P. collection, #86/96, 1942-1943.

Note: Stationery featuring a small map of the highway

MSS 191, f. 29

Whyard, Florence collection, #85/68-1, 1967-1984.

MSS 128

Wilson, J. Donald collection, #82/526, 1981.

PAMPHLETS

Pam 1942-22

Alaska-Canada Highway, Dedication Kluane Lake, Yukon, November 20th, 1942. 1942.

Note: Original menu and piece of the dedication ribbon

Pam 1982-11

Alaska Highway 40th Anniversary: 1942-1982. (Whitehorse: Chamber of Commerce), 1981.

Pam 1976-106C
Alaska Highway estimated mileage chart. : Red's Pilot Car, 1976.

Pam 1974-189C
Alaska Highway mileage chart. [Dawson Creek: Loisel Transport Limited, 1974].

Pam 1943-35
Alaska Highway send "notes" of joy at Easter. 1943.

Note: A greeting card

Pam 1943-29
Alaskan Highway. 1943 ca.

Note: A map of the highway route

Pam ND-78
Bell, Clark G. "Mac's Trip on the Alaska Highway".

Note: A postcard

Pam 1964-60
Ceremony marking the handover of the Northwest Highway System from the Canadian Army to the Department of Public Works. Whitehorse, 1964.

Pam 1943-24C
Hobo Ben. Down North: Souvenir of the Alaska Highway Workers. 2nd ed. ed. Calgary: J. W. Dick, 1943 (c).

Note: Poetry about the Alaska Highway

Pam 1963-42
International Conference on Paving the Alaska Highway: September 11-17, 1963. Whitehorse: N.p., 1963 ca.

Note: A conference program

Pam 1944-27
Lee, Frank C. Alaska Highway Poems. Mason City: Klipto Print Co., 1944.

Note: Poetry on the Alaska Highway

Pam ND-620

Mail Poste. Canada Post Corporation. Alaska-Canada Highway - 50 Years, 1942-1992.

Note: An invitational postcard to the Alaska Highway celebrations

Pam ND-537

McLeod, Murdoch. Verse on the Alaska Highway. [Richmond, British Columbia: M. McLeod, n. d.].

Pam 1977-135

Parks Canada. Alaska Highway Commemoration [program]. Contact Creek: Parks Canada, 1977.

Pam 1967-1030

Raedeke, Walter E. Passport to Adventure [Alaska Highway Directory]. 1967.

Note: A decal and souvenir booklet for 25th (1967) anniversary

Pam 1942-26

U. S. Public Roads. A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from the Alaska-Canada Highway. 1942.

Note: Christmas card

Pam ND-1

Uncle Albert. Poems Commemorating Construction of the Alaska Highway. 1942 ca.

Pam 1976-1190

Urquhart, D. R. A Hum'or'ous Guide to Travel on the Alaska Highway. Whitehorse: TORC Publishers, 1976.

Note: Cartoons on travelling the Alaska Highway

POSTERS

Poster M-50
Alaska Hi-way, n. d.

Note: A poem written on cloth

Poster P-359
Alaska Highway Rendezvous '92 - Alaska Highway 50th Anniversary of Construction, 1942-1992. Yukon Anniversaries Commission collection, #91/10, 1990.

Poster P-358
Rendezvous '92 - Alaska Highway 50th Anniversary. Yukon Anniversaries Commission collection, #91/13, 1990.

VIDEOS

Video V-225-2
Film #10. Harbottle, Bud collection, #91/20, 1940.

Note: Home movie of the official ceremony handing the maintenance of the Alaska Highway over to the Canadian Government

Video V-211
Film #6. Taylor, Charlie collection, #89/43, 1946 ca.

Note: Home movie showing first buses over the Alaska Highway and the official ceremony handing it over to the Canadian Army

Video V-209
Film #5. Taylor, Issac collection, #89/43, 1946-1947.

Note: Home movie showing the official ceremony to hand over the highway to the Canadian Army

Video V-214
50th Anniversary - Rendezvous '92. Yukon Anniversaries Commission collection, #91/10, 1990.

Note: Video designed to promote the 50th Anniversary of the Alaska Highway

Video V-213

Rendezvous Road. Yukon Anniversaries Commission collection, #91/10, 1990.

Note: Video designed to promote the 50th Anniversary of the Alaska Highway

INFORMATION SERVICES

As the highway became better known throughout North America tourism began to play a important part in its existence. Both governmental and private agencies began to promote the highway and develop the route along it to encourage tourism.

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Pearl, Bob. Alaska Highway Interpretation Centre: program concept. Victoria: L. L. E. Consulting, 1981.

Book 351.859 Sta
Stanley Associates Engineering Limited. Alaska Highway Interpretive Centre, Watson Lake: feasibility study, final report. Edmonton: Stanley Associates, 1980.

PAMPHLETS

Pam 1947-26C
Alaska Highway Directory Maps. : National Advertising System Ltd., 1947 ca.

Pam 1954-32
Alberta Motor Association. Alaska Highway. Edmonton: Metropolitan Printing Company Limited, 1954.

Also found at: Pam 1954-37 (slightly different version)

Pam 1954-36
Alberta Motor Association. Facts About the Alaskan Highway. Edmonton: Metropolitan Printing Company Limited, 1954.

Pam 1950-01
American Automobile Association. Alaska and the Alaska Highway. Washington: The Association, 1950- 1961.

Also found at: Pam 1954-34, 1959-37, 1961-28C

Pam 1950-42
Canada. Development Services Branch. Northern Administrations. General Information Concerning the Alaska Highway--Canadian Section (Northwest Highway System). Ottawa: The Department of Resources and Development, 1950.

Pam 1952-01
Canadian Government Travel Bureau. Alaska Highway, Canadian Section.
Ottawa: The Canadian Government Travel Bureau, 1952-1958.

Also found at: Pam 1953-8C, 1957-35, 1958-05*

Note: * Published by the Department of Northern Affairs and
National Resources, 1957-1958

Pam 1959-20
Canadian Government Travel Bureau. Alaska Highway: Road to Yukon
Adventure. Ottawa: The Canadian Government Travel Bureau, 1959-.

Also found at: Pam 1960-19, 1961-11, 1962-22, 1964-23,
1966-84C, 1967-06, 1969-28

Pam 1964-12
Canadian Government Travel Bureau. Alaska Highway, Road to Yukon
Adventure: Accommodation and Roadside Facilities. Revised 1964.
Ottawa: Queen's Printer, 1964.

Pam 1967-103C
Raedeke, Walter E. Passport to Adventure [Alaska Highway Directory].
1967.

Note: A decal and souvenir booklet for 25th (1967) anniversary

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The following section includes a selection of various legal documents and legislation concerning the building and development of the highway.

GOVERNMENT RECORDS

GOV 1966, p. 1232

Kirk, H. W. Land P.T.P. - 20 acres Mile post 710. Alaska Highway (SRG 1, Series 5, Volume 20), 1945.

PAMPHLETS

Pam 1976-120

Canada. Parliament. House of Commons. [Canada-Alaska and Canada-Maine Corridors Authority Act] Bill C-297, an act for the establishment of a Canada-Alaska and Canada-Maine Corridors Authority. Ottawa: Queen's Printer, 1976.

Pam 1934-14

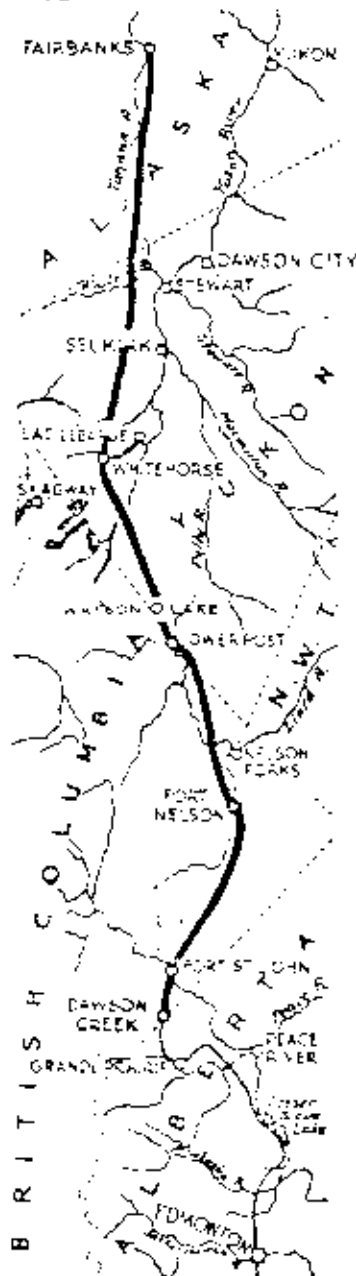
U. S. Congress. House of Representatives. H. R. 6538, a bill authorizing the survey, location and construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of continental United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and the Territory of Alaska. Washington: Congress, 1934.

Pam 1929-12

U. S. Congress. Senate. S. 1811, a bill providing for a study regarding the construction of a highway to connect the northwestern part of the United States with British Columbia, Yukon Territory and Alaska in cooperation with the Dominion of Canada. Washington: Congress, 1929.

PERSONAL NARRATIVES

Alaskan Highway



We needed a road
and needed it quick
So we pushed it
through from Dawson Creek,
By toil and sweat
through flies and grime,
To Fairbanks, Alaska,
ahead of time.
We'll do our part
though the job is hard
And lick the Japs
in their own backyard.

(PAM 1943-29)

PERSONAL NARRATIVES

Of the thousands of people who have either lived or travelled the highway some have written accounts of the their adventures or daily lives. Some are humorous, some sad, all are rife with fascinating detail and information. References to some of these works follow:

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Book Coutts 971.231 Bow
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Book 388.1 Bre
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Book 971.90 Dav
Davignon, Ellen. The Cinnamon Mine: Memories of an Alaska Highway Childhood. Whitehorse: Studio North, 1988 (c).

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Gingrich, Earl. Eastern Passage to the Alaska Highway: Illustrated Biography. Winterburn: Earl Gingrich, 1986 (c).

Book Coutts 917.191 Gow
Gowland, John Stafford. "The Alaska Highway." In Return to Canada, 86. London: T. Werner Laurie, 1957 (c).

Book 921 Mor
Morritt, Hope. Land of the Fireweed: a Young Woman's Story of Alaska Highway Construction Days. Edmonds: Alaska Northwest Publishing Company, 1985 (c).

Book 921 Pat
Patterson, Raymond M. "Alaska Road." In Far Pastures, 223-233. Sidney: Gray's Publishing, 1963 (c).

Also found at: Coutts 917.12 042 Pat

GOVERNMENT RECORDS

GOV 1886, f. 36314

Alaska Highway - General Correspondence re: Travelling the Alaska Highway (YRG 1, Series 2, Volume 44), 1947-1950.

MANUSCRIPTS

MSS 080, 083-086

Coutts, Robert C. collection, #78/69-1, 1847-1978.

Note: refer to finding aid for file descriptions

MSS 130

Finnie, Richard Sterling collection, #82/561, 1980.

MSS 146

Grafe, Willis R. collection, #83/87-2, 1942-1982 ca.

MSS 199

Graham, George A. collection, #86/77, 1986.

MSS 227

Hamel, Father collection, #91/14, 1942.

MSS 048

Hays, Robert E. collection, #82/305-2, 1976.

MSS 227

Hendrickson, Freda collection, #91/13-1, 1948.

MSS 104

Letcher, Mary collection, #80/48, 1980.

MSS 109

Nieman, Paul collection, #80/79, 1980.

MSS 227

Ombrek, Bob collection, #91/24-1, 1942-1991.

Note: Photographs were taken from 1942-1944.

Robert collection, #82/146, 1942-1965.

Note: Newspaper and periodical articles dealing with the construction of the Alaska Highway

MSS 040

Seaton, Robert L. collection, #82/225, 1942-1976.

MSS 146

Sparling, Gudrun collection, #83/88-7, 1947.

Note: Historical narrative on the highway

PAMPHLETS

Pam 1961-42

Bowes, Jim. "Mail Run from Mile Zero." British Columbia Digest, April 1961: 8-27.

Pam 1947-02

Boyd, Betty. "An Auto Trip Along the Alaska Highway." The Alaska Sportsman, July 1947: 8-11, 37-40.

Pam 1943-33

Highway Magazine, vol. 34, November-December 1943: 121-144.

Note: Special issue on the Alaska Military Highway

Pam 1966-03

Howey, G. T. "1942 and the Alaska Highway." The Dot, vol. 17, no. 1, 1966: 5-6.

Pam 1970-35

Knox, Bob, and Wilma Knox. "The Alaska Highway." B. C. Outdoors, vol. 26, no. 6, 1970: 12-21.

Pam 1947-06

Kurimai, Edna. "Highway to Haines." The Alaska Sportsman, November 1947: 13-11, 34.

Pam 1943-31
McCusker, Knox F. "The Alaska Highway." The Canadian Surveyor, vol. 8, July 1943: 8-11.

Pam 1942-03
Neuberger, Richard L., and Sigrid Arne. "Our Battlefront in the Wilderness." Reader's Digest, vol. 41, no. 244, 1942: 47-50.

Pam 1945-14
Taylor, Griffith. "Arctic Survey, IV, a Yukon Domesday: 1944." Canadian Journal of Economics and Political Science, vol. 11, no. 3, 1945: 432-449.

SOUND RECORDINGS

SR Series #64 Tape #1
Grafe, Willis R. collection, #83/87, 1942-1982 ca.

Note: Personal reminiscences about the construction of the Alaska Highway

VIDEOS

Video V-139
NEDAA-The Gravel Magnet. KTOO-T. V. Video Productions collection, #89/28, 1988.

Note: A documentary featuring testimony from Yukoners on the impact of the Highway

PHOTOGRAPHS AND PICTORIAL WORKS



Donjek River Bridges (1942)
VA/R. A. Carter Coll., #1477

PHOTOGRAPHS AND PICTORIAL WORKS

Pictures, of course, are one of the most striking sources of history and photographs of the "The Road" are no exception. Thousands of these pictures exist and more surface every day.

Catalogued photos may be viewed in the "Photograph Visual Finding Aid" available at the Yukon Archives and and thru interlibrary loan via the Whithorse Public Library. Many collections, however, are uncatalogued and are accessible thru the 'Index to Uncatalogued Photograph Collections' which can obtained from the Yukon Archives.

The following is a list of both the catalogued and uncatalogued photograph collections:

CATALOGUED PHOTOS

1463-1654
Carter, R. A. collection

1920-1976
Haines, C. collection

5669-5716
Hays, Robert collection

3547-4142
MacBride Museum collection

UNCATALOGUED PHOTOS

PHO 328-337
Anglican Church, Diocese of Yukon collection, #86/61-2,
1896-1970.
Subject: Ceremony (1942).

PHO 139
Baggaley, Keith collection, #81/123, 1950 ca.
Subject: Alaska Highway map

PHO 306
Cust, Florence collection, #84/64, 1942-1946.
Subject: Ceremony (1942).

PHO 167
Duffy, Donald collection, #82/474-1, 1942-1943.
Subject: construction.

PHO 142-144
Finnie, Richard Sterling collection, #81/21, 1898-1944.
Subjects: construction, crew, road sign, camp, and
equipment.

PHO 235
Crafe, Willis R. collection, #83/87-4, 1942-1982.
Subjects: construction, crew, Donjek River, Donjek
River bridge, Duke River bridge, equipment, Kluane Lake,
Pickhandle Lake, Slims River area, Slims River bridge,
Soldier's Summit, White River, camps: Elliot, Hardluck
Creek, Silver City.

PHO 424, f. 21, 22
Hamel, Father collection, #91/14-2, 1942.
Subject: Soldier's Summit.

PHO 264
Hamilton, Frank collection, #81/151, 1946.
Subject: armouries.

PHO 102
Harrington, Richard collection, #79/27, 1949-1974.

PHO 275
Harrington, Richard collection, #85/25, 1949-1974.

PHO 138
Horback, Helen collection, #81/6-1, 1933-1980.
Subject: Stockton bridge.

PHO 128
Kamloops Museum and Archives collection, #80/44,
1901-1945.
Subjects: construction and crew.

PHO 120
Knox, Robert E. collection, #80/27, 1950.
Subject: road sign.

PHO 216
Learning Resources Corp. Ltd. collection, #81/75, 1970.
Subject: Whitehorse area

PHO 286
Lorence, Charles M. collection, #84/73-2, 1942-1944.
Subject: construction - Champagne area.

PHO 121
Lorence, Charles M. collection, #87/71, 1942-1944.
Subjects: construction, equipment, truck convoy, and
camp.

PHO 152
MacBride Museum collection, #82/29-1, 1941-1942.
Subject: construction.

PHO 377
MacDougall, Rod collection, #89/57, 1957-1962 ca.
Subject: scenic view.

PHO 028
Manceau, Fernando collection, #82/324, 1942-1944.
Subjects: construction, crew, equipment, and camp.

PHO 374, 375
McCombe, Molly collection, #88/127, 1934-1960.
Subject: equipment.

PHO 050, f. #2
Miscellaneous II collection, #82/403, 1898-1960.

PHO 369 file #3, 4, 5
National Archives of Canada collection, #88/138,
1887-1943.

Subjects: construction and crew.

Restriction: Local orders only (Yukon). Requests
from outside Yukon must be referred to National Archives
of Canada

PHO 420
Ormbrek, Bob collection, #91/24-2, 1942-1991.

Subject: construction.

Note: Photographs were taken from 1942-1944.

PHO 387
Paris, Eileen collection, #89/69, 1955-1958.

Subject: scenic view.

PHO 045
Pedee, Lawrence A. collection, #82/377, 1942-1943.

Subjects: construction, equipment, Canyon Camp.

PHO 58
Postcards collection, #82/427, 1960-1978.

PHO 312, 313
Preston, William J. collection, #85/78, 1942-1943.

Subjects: construction, and equipment.

PHO 282
Provincial Archives of Alberta collection, #85/62R, 1942.

Subjects: aerial view, bridge, construction, and
equipment.

PHO 266, 267
Shulist, Brownie collection, #84/33, 1942-1976.

Subjects: accident, ceremony (1946), crew,
equipment, truck convoy, camp, and camp-fire.

Restriction: No commercial use without permission of
donor, Mrs. Inez Shulist

PHO 287

Simmons, Edward James collection, #84/91, 1947 ca.

Subjects: construction - Peace River Bridge, crew, and equipment.

PHO 152

Simmons, J. Aubrey collection, #82/192-2, 1942-1980.

Subject: ceremony (1942).

PHO 132, 163, 164

Suprise, Delphus Arthur collection, #82/458-1, 1942-1944.

Subjects: accident, bridge, construction, construction - bridge, crew, equipment, road sign, truck convoy, and camp.

PHO 047

Thompson, Jo collection, #82/388, 1942-1945.

Subjects: bridge, construction, road sign, scenic view, and Kluane Lake camp.

PHO 363

Turner, W. Al collection, #87/102, 1943-1963.

Subjects: ceremony (1946), and ceremony (1963-1965).

PHO 047

Turnquist, Emil collection, #82/399, 1957-1958.

Subject: scenic view.

PHO 77

U. S. Army Corps of Engineers collection, #77/10, 1942.

Subjects: construction - Liard River Bridge, ceremony (1942), construction, crew, equipment, and camp.

Restriction: Photo credit line must read "U. S. Army Photo".

PHO 325

U. S. National Archives and Records Administration collection, #87/28, 1940 ca.

Subjects: construction - Nisutlin River bridge, construction - Teslin River bridge, construction, crew, equipment, and camp.

Note: Photo must credit U. S. National Archives and Records Administration

PHO 032
Waddington, Maggie collection, #82/331-1, 1902-1963.
Subject: ceremony (1942).

PHO 246
Whyard, Florence collection, #84/43-2, 1940-1973.
Subjects: scenic view, and truck convoy.

Restriction: No reproductions must be made without the permission of Florence Whyard until June 1994. All reprints of Mile Post photographs are to be credited "courtesy of Mile Post"

PHO 247-249
Wright, Allen A. collection, #84/49, 1970.
Subject: scenic view.

PHO 339
Yukon Territory. Economic Development: Mines and Small Business collection, #87/93, 1942.
Subjects: construction - bridge, Donjek River bridge, equipment, and vehicle.

PHO 366
Yukon Territory. Protective Services collection, #89/8, July 16, 1988.
Subject: aerial view.

BOOKS

Book Ref 358.22 Ala
"Alaska Highway Truck Tracks." vol. 2, no. 6, February 16, 1944

Also found at: Coutts 358.22 Ala and Pam 1944-26

Note: Special Souvenir Edition

Book 940.531 Coh
Cohen, Stan. The Forgotten War: a Pictorial History of World War II in Alaska and Northwestern Canada. 2 vols. Missoula: Pictorial Histories Publishing, 1981-1988 (c).

Book Ref 388.1 Coh
Cohen, Stan. The Trail of '42: a Pictorial History of the Alaska Highway. Missoula: Pictorial Histories Publishing, 1988 (c) 1st rev. printing.

Also found at: 1st printing, 1979 (c) at 971.91 Coh

Book Coutts 917.98 Puh Ovs
Puhr, Conrad. Modern Alaska and the Alcan. [s.l.]: Puhr, 1950 (c).

Book 917.04 Sil
Silver, Connie. Alaska Highway Sketches. Anchorage: Connie Silver, 1961-1963.

Also found at: Pam 1961-21C

MICROFILM

MF #43
MacBride, William D. collection, #87/9R, 1900-1955.

MANUSCRIPTS

MSS 104
Letcher, Mary collection, #80/48, 1980.

PAMPHLETS

Pam ND-352
Alberta Book and Novelty Company. The Alaska Highway: Pictorial Souvenirs. Calgary: Alberta Book and Novelty Company, 1943.

Pam 1943-32
"Alcan Highway in the Winter." Star Weekly, January 23, 1943.

Pam 1942-16
Capes, C. F. Report of Reconnaissance Inspection Trip of Proposed International Highway to Alaska. [s.l. : U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, 1943].

Pam 1942-17

Curwen, W. H., and W. H. Willeson. Reports of Reconnaissance Trips, Alaska Highway: Fort Nelson to Watson Lake and Sikanni to Fort Nelson. [s.l.: U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, 1942].

Pam 1951-04

Harrington, Lyn. "The Alaska Highway." Canadian Geographical Journal, vol. 42, no. 6, 1951: 238-359.

Pam 1944-11

Richardson, Harold W. "Finishing the Alaska Highway." Engineering News-Record, January 27, 1944: 94-103.

Pam 1943-41

View Book of the Alaska Highway: a Series of Views Done in Genuine Photogravure. 2nd ed. Toronto: Intaglio Gravure Ltd., 1943.

MILITARY AND CIVILIAN GOVERNANCE

Alcan's Black Engineers
(U. S. Army Corp. of Eng.)
Alaska 1942-1943

When America needed a highway through
The lads of Black all dresses in brown
Carved out a road from frozen ground
From Dawson Creek to Delta Junction
They hacked and chopped and froze their toes
To save America from its foes.

Many a night they went to bed
With bodies black and blue and red
Mosquitoes, Black flies. No see'ums too
Had bitten their clothes and gotten through.
In muck and mire, brimstone and fire
They bulldozed their way and didn't tire.

Without shellfire or any belle
They came through many swamps of hell.
Missing grits and American fries
They made the mighty lifeline
Of the Alcan Highway rise.

Then tanks, guns and airplane crews
Could roll this highway to pay their dues.
In spring, summer, winter and fall
Sometimes with no day or sun at all
These Black guys answered their countries call.

Kept the Alcan open, made it work
A monster challenge they did not skirk.
The Black soldier and his crew
Saw this great endeavor through.

The Alcan Highway is now history
And will remain into eternity.
North to the future in this state
That's a-cut above the forty eight.

J. Roscoe Hurst
(1925-
(Pam 1992-116)

PLANNING THE HIGHWAY

Planning for the highway linking Alaska to the "lower 48" began in the 1930's. The project was initially considered by the Permanent Joint Board on Defense which unanimously agreed that its military value was "negligible". The bombing of Pearl Harbour in February 1942, however, brought the United States into the war and the need for a highway gained importance in Washington's eyes.

By the mid-March signing of the formal international agreement between Canada and the United States, the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers had already surveyed routes and the engineers were already entering the country. Three routes were considered; none of which were followed exactly.

Some of the items which are relevant to the planning and surveying period are:

BOOKS

Book 388.1 Ala

Bezeau, M. V. "The Realities of Strategic Planning: the Decision to Build the Alaska Highway." In The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, edited by Kenneth Coates, 25-38. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, 1985.

Also found at: 388.1 Alaska 1982 No. 1

Book 971.21 Bu

Buckley, Arthur E. The Alaska Highway. [Mobile]: Alabama University Press, 1956.

Book 388.1 Ala

Fisher, Robin. "T. D. Pattullo and the British Columbia to Alaska Highway." In The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, edited by Kenneth Coates, 9-24. Vancouver, B. C.: University of British Columbia Press, 1985 (c).

Also found at: 388.1 Alaska 1982 No. 7

Book 388.1 Alaska No. 14

Remley, David. "'Energy and Enterprise': Aspects of Canadian-American Relations Over the Alaska Highway in the 1930's". Paper presented at the Alaska Highway 40th Anniversary Symposium, June 18-20, 1982, at Fort St. John, B. C.

Book 388.1 Ala

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Book 526 Tho v. 3

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Book 388.1 Ala

Thomson, Don W. "Surveying the Line: the Canadian Participation." In The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, edited by Kenneth Coates, 75-82. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, 1985.

Also found at: 388.1 Alaska 1982 No. 16

Book 388.1 Ala

Twichell Jr., Heath. "Cut, Fill and Straighten: the Role of the Public Roads Administration in the Building of the Alaska Highway." In The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, edited by Kenneth Coates, 54-64. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, 1985.

Also found at: 388.1 Alaska 1982 No. 18

Book 971.2 Ala

U. S. Congress. Alaska International Rail and Highway Commission. "Transport Requirements for the Growth of Northwest North America". 3 vols. Washington, D. C.: U. S. Government Printing Office, 1961-.

GOVERNMENT RECORDS

GOV 2078, pt. 13

Correspondence from Vincent Massey to Secretary of State,
RE: [construction of a highway connecting Northwestern
United States with ... the Y. T.] (YRG 1, Series 8,
Volume 8A), 1929.

GOV 2078, pt. 14

Letter to G. A. Jeckell, Commissioner, RE: proposed
routes of the H. C. - Yukon - Alaska Highway. Map of the
proposed route enclosed (YRG 1, Series 8, Volume 8A),
1939.

MAPS

Map H-1599 (A-D)

Alaska Highway - plan of right of way, 1958.

Map H-2323

Alaska Canada Highway, projected location - Whitehorse Airport, 1942.

Map H-1179

Alaska Highway Route Map supplied by U. S. Public Roads
Administration, 1943.

Note: Shows military highways and roads previously
built, Fairbanks to Dawson Creek

Map R-22

[Atlin Lake - Jake's Corner survey, route map and
profile, mile 0 - mile 58], 1946.

Map R-370

Plan of right of way to Alaska Highway from monument No.
1928 to monument No. 1977, sheet No. 56, 1950.

Map H-1469

"Plan of survey of lot 6, group 803, lat. 60 49'[N],
long. 137 41'[E] approx., Yukon Territory." Approximate
area of mile 1022 Alaska Highway, 1951.

Map H-714

Proposed highway to Alaska, 1941.

Map H-1209
[Route for the proposed Alaska Highway], 1931.

Map H-1305 (A-r)
Series of maps showing a survey of the Alaska Highway
(B.C. section), 1975 ca.

Map R-118
[Sheet No. 31, plan right of way of Alaska Highway from
monument No. 1005 to monument No. 1046 Yukon Territory],
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Map H-1443
Sketch of lands staked near mile 909 Alaska Highway.
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lot 287, group 804, British Yukon Railway right of way,
and Ryan, McArthur and Cox applications, 1955 ca.

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Inevitably, Dawson's role as the centre of Yukon activity and administration was diminished.

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Ward, Rev. Robert collection, #88/50, 1977.

Note: Discussion on the Alaska Highway's social and economic impact in the Teslin area

VIDEOS

Video V-139
NEDAA - The Gravel Magnet. KTOO - T. V. Video Productions collection, #89/28, 1988.

Note: A documentary featuring testimony from Yukoners on the impact of the Highway

SPECIAL EVENTS



(Pam 1982-272)

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With the completion of each successive stage of the highway came celebration, and of course formal ceremony. Documentation of these and other events follow:

MANUSCRIPTS

MSS 064
Horback, Helen collection, #79/36-2, 1942-1974.

PAMPHLETS

Pam 1982-11
Alaska Highway 40th Anniversary: 1942-1982. [Whitehorse: Chamber of Commerce], 1981.

Pam 1990-140
Alaska Highway Rendezvous '92. Alaska Highway, 1942-1992. There's a Party Going Along the Rendezvous Road. Come On Up! [s.l.: s.n., n.d.].

Pam 1990-79
Canada. Department of Public Works. 1990- Driving the Alaska Highway.

Pam 1964-60
Ceremony marking the handover of the Northwest Highway System from the Canadian Army to the Department of Public Works. Whitehorse, 1964.

Pam 1990-81
Get Involved!! Alaska Highway Anniversary, 1942-1992 Anniversary. Whitehorse: Whitehorse 50th Anniversary Society, 1990.

Pam 1977-135
Parks Canada. Alaska Highway Commemoration [program]. Contact Creek: Parks Canada, 1977.

Pam 1989-110
Project '92. Alaska Highway Rendezvous '92. Fort St. John: Project '92, 1989-1990.

Pan 1967-1030

Randoke, Walter F. Passport to Adventure [Alaska Highway Directory]. 1967.

Note: A decal and souvenir booklet for 25th (1967) anniversary

Pan 1991-3

The Road to '92: A Newsletter from the Whitehorse 50th Anniversary Society, Vol. 2, January 1991.

POSTERS

Poster P-245

Alaska Highway 50th Anniversary Symposium, 1942-1992.

Poster P-359

Alaska Highway Rendezvous '92--Alaska Highway 50th Anniversary of Construction, 1942-1992. Yukon Anniversaries Commission collection, #91/10, 1990.

Poster P-358

Rendezvous '92--Alaska Highway 50th Anniversary. Yukon Anniversaries Commission collection, #91/10, 1990.

UNCATALOGUED PHOTO COLLECTIONS

PHO 328-337

Anglican Church, Diocese of Yukon collection, #86/61-2, 1896-1970.
Subject: Ceremony (1942).

PHO 306

Cust, Florence collection, #84/64, 1942-1946.
Subject: Ceremony (1942).

PHO 424, f. 21, 22

Hamel, Father collection, #91/14-2, 1942.
Subject: Soldier's Summit.

PHO 266, 267

Shulist, Brownie collection, #84/33, 1942-1976.

Subjects: accident, ceremony (1946), crew, equipment, truck
convoy, camp, and camp - fire.

Restriction: No commercial use without permission of donor,
Mrs. Inez Shulist

PHO 152

Simmons, J. Aubrey collection, #82/192-2, 1942-1980.

Subject: ceremony (1942).

PHO 363

Turner, W. Al collection, #87/102, 1943-1963.

Subjects: ceremony (1946), and ceremony (1963-1965).

PHO 77

U. S. Army Corps of Engineers collection, #77/10, 1942.

Subjects: construction - Liard River Bridge, ceremony (1942),
construction, crew, equipment, and camp.

Restriction: Photo credit line must read "U. S. Army Photo".

PHO 032

Waddington, Maggie collection, #82/331-1, 1902-1963.

Subject: ceremony (1942).

VIDEOS

Video V-119

Film #5, #9. Greenslade, Ronald L. collection, #85/50-5, 1949-1951
ca.

Note: Home movie showing activities, people and communities
along the Highway and the official opening of the Alaska Highway

Video V-225-2

Film #10. Harbottle, Bud collection, #91/20, 1940.

Note: Home movie of the official ceremony handing the
maintenance of the Alaska Highway over to the Canadian Government

Video V-211

Film #6. Taylor, Charlie collection. #89/43, 1946 ca.

Note: Home movie showing first buses over the Alaska Highway and the official ceremony handing it over to the Canadian Army

Video V-209

Film #5. Taylor, Isaac collection, #89/43, 1946-1947.

Note: Home movie showing the official ceremony to hand over the highway to the Canadian Army

Video V-214

50th Anniversary - Rendezvous '92. Yukon Anniversaries Commission collection, #91/10, 1990.

Note: Video designed to promote the 50th Anniversary of the Alaska Highway

Video V-213

Rendezvous Road. Yukon Anniversaries Commission collection, #91/10, 1990.

Note: Video designed to promote the 50th Anniversary of the Alaska Highway



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III. PHOTOGRAPHS

Identified Personalities Collection

- X89-1-1A-203PH Major General G. Walsh, C.B.E., D.A.O., C.D., Commander N.W.H.S., April 1946-Dec. 1947.
- X89-1-1A-204PH Brig. H.L. Meuser, O.B.S., C.D., Commander N.W.H.S., April 1946-Dec. 1947.
- X89-1-1A-205PH Brig. S.C. Brown, O/B.E., C.D., Commander N.W.H.S., Dec. 1950-April 1951.
- X89-1-1A-206PH Brig. S.H. Webb, D.S.O., C.D., Commander N.W.H.S., Aug 1962-Aug 1963.
- X89-1-1A-207PH Brig. A.B. Connelly, C.B.E., C.D., Commander N.W.H.S., Feb. 1948-Aug 1950.
- X89-1-1A-235PH Bob Seaton of "18th Engineers" at Kluane Lake, Oct. 1942.
- X89-1-1A-277PH Kerr, Rusty Martin, Jimmy Rogers at Opening Ceremonies, when Army opened the Highway.

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Unidentified Personalities Collection

X89-2-1A-195PH Men during combat training session on Alaska Highway
Credit: U.S. Army.

X89-2-1A-196PH Three soldiers beside truck, first convoy from Whitehorse to Fairbanks Credit: U.S. Army.

X89-2-1A-197PH Soldiers surveying.

X89-2-1A-198PH Couple posing at Alaska/Yukon order on Alaska Highway.

X89-2-1A-199PH Soldiers with movie camera by river.

X89-2-1A-216PH 18th Engineers Regiment Concert Band outdoor concert at Silver City, 1942.

X89-2-1A-250PH Group of Army personnel during ceremony on bridge.

X89-2-1A-265PH An American Corp. of Engineers soldiers employed on Alaska Highway.

X89-2-1A-266PH Men at "The Official Canadian-American opening of the Alaska Highway".

Transportation Collection

X89-3-1A-162PH U.S. Army construction equipment on flat cars at Whitehorse rail yard.
Credit: YA/Paul Vergon Coll.

X89-3-1A-440PH Cat pulling crew and gear in a stone boat through the mud-Alaska Highway, 1942.

X89-3-1A-441PH Construction equipment moved by sternwheeler Credit: U.S. Army.

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X89-3-1A-442PH Truck and bulldozers working
on construction.
Credit: U.S. Army.

X89-3-1A-443PH Building log bridge.
Credit: U.S. Army.

X89-3-1A-444PH Army convoy during
construction.
Credit: U.S. Army.

X89-3-1A-445PH Construction equipment on
train flat car.
Credit: YA/Paul Vergon Coll.

X89-3-1A-446PH Construction equipment for the
Highway.
Credit: YA/Paul Vergon Coll.

X89-3-1A-447PH Construction equipment for the
Highway, 1942.
Credit: YA/Paul Vergon Coll.

X89-3-1A-448PH Bulldozer pulling skid sled
full of men and supplies in
winter, Alaska Highway, 1942.
Credit: YA/MacBride Museum.

X89-3-1A-449PH-
X89-3-1A-457PH Highway construction 8 photos.

X89-3-1A-463PH Tractor trailer on Alaska
Highway, c. 1940's.

X89-3-1A-466PH-
X89-3-1A-470PH Survey 1942 of Alaska Highway.

X89-3-1A-478PH One of 8000 temporary
culverts, log culverts on the
Alaska Highway, c. 1942
Credit: U.S. Army.

X89-3-1A-479PH Crew drilling dynamite holes
Credit: U.S. Army.

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Site Specific Collection

X89-4-1A-359PH	Whitehorse, c. 1940's.
X89-4-1A-408PH	Overview of Takhini area of Whitehorse. Credit: YA/Paul Vergon Coll.
X89-4-1A-409PH	Line up at Camp Takhini Mess Hall, c. 1940's. Credit: YA/Paul Vergon Coll.
X89-4-1A-437PH	Alaska Highway, Donjek River Bridge with flags and banners Credit: National Defense.
X89-4-1A-438PH- X89-4-1A-439PH	Alaska Highway in winter.
X89-4-1A-495PH	Alaska Highway in winter.
X89-4-1A-553PH	Alaska Highway showing Canadian Customs building at Mile 2204.
X89-4-1A-554PH	Army radio vehicle crossing river bridge at Mile 132, July 29, 1943. Credit: U.S. Army.
X89-4-1A-555PH	Alaska Highway showing Tanana River bridge during snow storm, Sept. 2, 1942. Credit: U.S. Army.
X89-4-1A-565PH	Koidern Maintenance camp, Alaska Highway White River area, Mile 1156.
X89-4-1A-566PH	Alaska Highway Mile 104, Beaton Bridge in B.C. Credit: U.S. Army.
X89-4-1A-567PH	Alaska Highway at Haines Junction, Mile 1016, Maintenance camp.
X89-4-1A-569PH	Canadian border marker, Alaska Highway.

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X89-4-1A-570PH	Alaska Highway in winter, showing Alaska border monument.
X89-4-1A-571PH	Alaska Highway, wood and steel bridge.
X89-4-1A-572PH	Alaska Highway showing "Entering Alaska, leaving Yukon" sign.
X89-4-1A-574PH	Alaska Highway showing pontoon bridge and Army truck, 1942 Credit: U.S. Army.
X89-4-1A-575PH	Building Alaska Highway wooden bridge, 1942.
X89-4-1A-576PH	Military "tent city" along Alaska Highway.
X89-4-1A-577PH	Alaska Highway monument officially handing over the Highway to Canadian Army.
X89-4-1A-578PH	Alsek gap on the Alaska Highway, Mountain Archibald.
X89-4-1A-580PH- X89-4-1A-592PH	Scenic Alaska Highway photos.
X89-4-1A-588PH	Military living facilities, 1945.
X89-4-1A-595PH- X89-4-1A-641PH	Scenic Alaska Highway.
X89-4-1A-705PH- X89-4-1A-724PH	Scenic Alaska Highway
X89-4-1A-781PH	Soldiers Summit, Nov. 20, 1942 Credit: U.S. Army.
X89-4-1A-403PH	Bird's eye view of Whitehorse c. 1940's.
X89-4-1A-369PH	Whitehorse Army compound.
X89-4-1A-581PH	Bridge on Alaska Highway.

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Personal Photograph Collections

Vernon Haik Collection

X88-2-1A-1PH-
X88-2-1A-101PH

Photos relating to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the R.R. Survey of 1942. Included is a contemporary map that Mr. Haik marked the sites of the many camps they had while under going the survey.

Dick Thomas Collection

X90-28-1A-1PH

1943 outside of Army barracks, rock garden printed in rocks, "The Alcan Hell Drivers" 519 Trucking Battalion.

Anita Ronayne McWilliams Collection

X91-9-1A-1PH-
X91-9-1A-7PH

Photos of Governor General Lord Alexander visit 1947 and decorating officers.

Gilbert Patton Collection

X89-36-1A-1PH-
X89-36-1A-10PH

Photos of Whitehorse area in 1945.

Vivian Urban Collection

X89-52-1A-1PH-
X89-52-1A-10PH

Photos of the U.S.A.F., 1942-45, mainly of inside of Army Hospital.

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Dangel Collection

X89-62-1A-3PH	Muskwa River, Alaska Highway, B.C.
X89-62-1A-4PH	Trappers cabin, Alaska Highway, B.C.
X89-62-1A-5PH	Scenic Alaska Highway.
X89-62-1A-6PH	Postcard, clearing for new Highway.
X89-62-1A-7PH- X89-62-1A-9PH	Scenic Alaska Highway.

W. D. MacBride Collection

X89-6-1A-61PH	1947 Winter Carnival Queen (Mary MacBride).
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Glen Tunink Collection

X89-53-1A-1PH- X89-53-1A-92PH	Camp and Crew pictures of personalities that were working on construction of Alaska Highway. Personal photos of people on the Highway crews.
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