

**Fonds 2016 – 02****Clanwilliam Funeral Cards****Title and statement of responsibility area**

Title proper	Clanwilliam Funeral Cards Fonds
Level of description	Fonds
Repository	Minnedosa Regional Archives

**Dates of creation area**

Date(s)	1950 - 1970
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**Physical description area**

Physical description	.5 cm of textual
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**Archival description area**

Administrative history	It is the custom for small rural communities to display funeral cards in public buildings. Early in the history of Clanwilliam, R. A. McQuarrie established a General Merchant store. Decades later, in 2002, Dorothy and Larry Syslak purchased the Clanwilliam Store. A number of years later Sherri Pollon and Sandra Syslak purchased and became owners of the Clanwilliam store. It was at this time that Brion Pollon retrieved the collection of funeral cards from the store and donated them to the Minnedosa Regional Archives.
Scope & content	The collection consists of 27 funeral cards for past residents of the area of Clanwilliam.
Custodial history	The cards were kept with the store until February 4, 2015 when they were donated to the Archives.
Source of title	Title based on the contents of the fonds.

**Notes area**

Restrictions on access	There are no restrictions on access.
Accruals	Further accruals are possible.
Language of material	English

