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Japanese Canadian Collections
KABAYAMA (Abe) papers
[1969-2001]

Gift of Abe Kabayama, 2014.

Dates: 1969-2001.

Extent: .25 metres of textual records (1 box)

Scope and Content: Contains printed material related to the National Association of Japanese Canadians (NAJC) task force of First Nations Canadians, including meeting announcements and agendas; a small amount of material related to the Earth Spirit Festival held in Toronto in 1991; plus related correspondence. Also includes biographical and genealogical booklets on the Kabayama family, with photographs.

Arrangement:

Series 1: NAJC task force on First Nations People

Series 2: Earth Spirit Festival material

Series 3: Correspondence

Series 4: Kabayama family material

Series 5: Miscellaneous material

Notes: Titles, unless supplied in square brackets, have been taken from the original containers.

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Series 1: National Association of Japanese Canadians (NAJC) Task Force on First Nations Peoples material				
Box	Fold.	Title	Contents	Date(s)
1	1	"...And the Last Shall Be First": Native Policy in an Era of Cutbacks	Document by Coalition for Aboriginal Rights, Murray Angus; 1 typescript page.	1989
1	2	NAJC Task Force on First Nations People	Notices of meetings, meeting agendas and other printed matter.	1989-1990
1	3	A JC Lincoln Brigade	1 typescript page.	1990 Feb. 14
Series 2 : Earth Spirit Festival material				
1	4	Earth Spirit Festival Board of Directors – Roster / who are we?	List of names and contacts and "Who are we?" document, 2 typescript pages.	1990 July
1	5	Environment Committee – The Earth Spirit Festival – Report of Meeting	2 typescript pages.	1990 Oct 23
1	6	Earth Spirit Festival mission statement.	1 typescript page.	[1990?]
1	7	Earth Spirit Festival visit by Ainu Elder	14 photographs of people having dinner.	1991 July 8
1	8	The Hakata Doll	1 typescript page regarding the history and production of Japanese hakata dolls, from The Hakata Doll Company.	[19--?]

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Series 3 : Correspondence				
1	9	Marilyn Brewer (Harbourfront Centre) to Abe Kabayama	TLS (fax).	1990 Sept. 6
1	10	NAJC to Abe Kabayama	TL.	1990 July 9
1	11	NAJC to M. A. Kabayama re: committee on First Nations peoples	TL.	1990 Aug 20
1	12	M. A. Kabayama to Brian Mulroney	TL.	1990 Aug 31
1	13	Kaye Kishibe to Abe Kabayama	ALS.	1990 Oct 15
1	14	Walter Sunahara to Abe Kabayama	Fax.	1990 Feb 22
1	15	Ann Sunahara to Abe Kabayama	TLS.	[199-?]
Series 4: Kabayama family material				
1	16	M. A. Kabayama – Bell Northern Research Ltd 1960s	1 black and white photograph.	1960?

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1	17	I Hope So: Maki's Last Words by Jun Kabayama	Spiral bound booklet, by Jun Kabayama about his wife, Maki Kabayama (nee Tomegawa). Includes a memorial essay about Maki's death, anecdotes and biographical information about the Kabayama and Tomegawas families.	[197-?]
1	18	[Kabayama clan genealogical map]	Spiral bound booklet with biographical and genealogical information on Kabayama family (Japanese and English).	[199-?]
1	19	Family reunion booklet	Spiral bound booklet with biographical and genealogical information about the Kabayama and Tomegawa families. Includes genealogical tables, lists of family members and photographs.	2001
1		[Japanese music books]	2 books with music and lyrics (hymns?) (Japanese).	[19--?]
Series 5: Miscellaneous material				
1	20	Underdogs vs. Upperdogs by James Peck	Spiral bound photocopied booklet, with manuscript note on cover: "Especially for Abe Kabayama – George Yamada in remembrance of 15 April 1992 'On the Way' to Japan."	1969
1		Within the barbed wire fence: a Japanese man's account of his internment in Canada by Takeo Ujo Nakano	1 book.	1980
1		The story of the Ocean Falls rain people by Bruce Ramsey	1 book.	1997

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1	21	Canadian Plastics Pioneer Club membership roster	1 booklet with names and contact information.	2002
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