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# Mary F. Bishop fonds

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## Summary information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University of British Columbia Library Rare Books and Special Collections
<b>Title:</b>	Mary F. Bishop fonds
<b>Reference code:</b>	RBSC-ARC-1034
<b>Date:</b>	[1920s?]-1990, predominant 1965-1985 (date of creation)
<b>Physical description:</b>	7.85 m of textual records 41 photographs 3 cassette tapes
<b>Dates of creation, revision and deletion:</b>	The fonds was arranged and described by Elizabeth Robertson in spring 2024.
<b>Note [sourcesDescription]:</b>	Information derived from the following sources: Records from the fonds. Mary Bishop obituary. (1997, November 8). The Vancouver Sun, A19.
<b>Note [generalNote]:</b>	Content Warning: Mary Bishop collected information on a broad range of topics connecting to human sexuality, reproduction, birth control, and abortion. The records contain information about sensitive topics that researchers may find upsetting or triggering, including: forced sterilization; eugenics; images of fetuses in the context of pro-life campaigns; newspaper and magazine articles on the topics of child incest and pornography; and outdated and disparaging language referring to people with intellectual disabilities, racialized people, and queer people. Please be aware of these materials and consider creating a plan for self-care in advance of your research visit.
<b>Note [generalNote]:</b>	Includes the following photographs: RBSC-ARC-1034-PH-01 to PH-61

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## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

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### Note

Mary F. Bishop (née Fraser) was born in Cobourg, Ontario on July 29, 1913, the only child of James Kenneth Fraser and Anna Beeman. In 1935 she received a Bachelor's Degree in History and Literature from Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario. She married Joseph (Joe) Bishop in 1937 and had three

children: Charles Walter Fraser (Chuck) Bishop, Ann Josephine Louise Bishop, and James Kenneth Branson Bishop.

Over the following decades, the Bishop family relocated several times, corresponding to Joe's duties within the Canadian Military. They lived in Washington, D.C. (1952–1962), where he served as Commander Canadian Army Staff and Canadian Military Attache, then in Vancouver (1956–1962) where he was Commander of the Canadian Army's B.C. Area. Between 1962 and 1964, they lived in Colombo, Sri Lanka, where Joe served as a consulting engineer. While in Sri Lanka, Mary began what would become a long-term dedication to voluntary service in family planning movements: she worked as a clinic volunteer, and served on the national executive committee for the Family Planning Association of Sri Lanka.

After her return to Canada, Mary dedicated her efforts to groups concerned with reproductive rights, family planning, and population planning. She served on the board of the Planned Parenthood association of B.C. (PPABC) from the mid-1960s, and was its president between 1971–1973. She also served on the board of the Planned Parenthood Federation of Canada (PPFC), was involved in the International Planned Parenthood Federation (IPPF), and served on the IPPF Panel on Population Laws and Policies (Western Hemisphere Region). Her other volunteer involvements include the Canadian Institute of International Affairs; the University Women's Club of Vancouver's human rights committee; the University of British Columbia (UBC) Alumni Association heritage committee; Girl Guides of Canada (where she served as National Director from 1939–1949); and the Norman MacKenzie Scholarship Award jury at UBC. In 1984, Mary's longstanding volunteer service was recognized when she received the Lifestyle Award from Hon. Monique Begin, Minister of National Health and Welfare in Ottawa.

Mary completed a Masters degree at UBC in 1971, her thesis titled "From 'Left' to 'Right': A perspective on the role of family planning in the West and in South Asia." She subsequently worked as a research associate with the Department of Health Care and Epidemiology in the Faculty of Medicine, where she was later appointed an honorary lecturer. Throughout the 1970s and 80s, Mary pursued a project of writing a history of the birth control movement in Canada, which she aimed to publish as a book. While her book project never came to fruition, she did publish several articles, including "The Early Birth Controllers of B.C." (BC Studies, 1984), "The Politics of Abortion: Trends in Canadian Fertility by Larry Collins—Revisited" (Atlantis, Fall 1983), and an entry on "Birth Control" in the first and second editions of the Canadian Encyclopedia. She also contributed a chapter to *Not Just Pin Money: Selected Essays on the History of Women's Work in British Columbia on the life of B.C.-based birth control activist Vivian Dowding*.

Mary died on November 1, 1997 in Vancouver at the age of 84.

## **Custodial history**

At some point prior to their donation to Rare Books and Special Collections at the University of British Columbia, the records came into the custody of Mary Bishop's daughter, Ann Bishop. In 1999 Ann contacted UBC RBSC with an offer of donation, and the records were transferred in 19 bankers boxes in January 2000. The materials remained relatively unaltered in storage at UBC RBSC until spring 2024, when an arrangement and description project was undertaken to produce a finding aid and increase the records' accessibility to researchers.

## Scope and content

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The fonds reflects Mary Bishop's interests in the social and political issues surrounding family planning, access to birth control, and population planning, primarily in Canada, as well as in south Asia and globally. She accumulated a large number of subject files to support her research in these areas on topics including human sexuality; abortion; fertility; welfare of children and families; and the influence of organized religion and Eugenics movements on birth control access. The fonds also reflects Bishop's dedication to voluntary service with local, national, and international organizations focused on family and population planning. A small number of personal records are also included.

Bishop's records are arranged into three series: population and family planning research; volunteer involvement; and personal files. The fonds consists primarily of newspaper clippings and research notes on topics of interest to Bishop; government and NGO reports and publications on population policy and family planning issues; pamphlets and flyers; and drafts of articles and speeches authored by Bishop. The fonds also includes recordings and transcripts of a series of interviews conducted by Bishop in the late 1970s with individuals relevant to the history of the birth control movement in Canada, including physicians, activists, religious leaders, couples, and individual women. Some organizational records for the various groups Bishop was part of (e.g., agendas, meeting minutes, annual reports, committee reports, correspondence, financial records) are also present in the fonds.

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## Notes

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### Title notes

- **Source of title proper:** Title based on contents of fonds.

### Physical condition

The fonds contains a large amount of newspaper clippings from the 1960s, 70s, and 80s, some of which are deteriorating and should be handled with care. Blank sheets of paper have been inserted in some areas to assist in buffering further acidification of the records. Rusting attachments are present in the textual records; efforts have been made to remove the most damaging of these.

### Immediate source of acquisition

Transferred to UBC Special Collections & Archives Division from Ann Bishop on January 14, 2000.

### Arrangement

Series have been assigned by the archivist with the assistance of an Index supplied by the creator (see file 30-09 in the records). The archivist assigned series based on her understanding of Mary Bishop's activities and organizational affiliations which gave rise to the records contained therein. Within each series, the creator's order of files within boxes (which mostly corresponds to the order of records in the creator's supplied Index) has been maintained.

Some of the original containers bore file titles that were clearly handwritten by multiple hands; where this was the case, the archivist transcribed what she determined to be the principal title into the Title field, and additional notes have been transcribed as Alternate Titles, to preserve this distinction. During the process of arrangement, the archivist removed some damaging attachments (such as rusting paperclips), and in some places inserted blank sheets of paper to protect materials from acidity of adjacent records.

## Related material

- Library and Archives Canada. Canadian Institute of International Affairs fonds. R2849-0-1-E, MG28-I250.
- Library and Archives Canada. Planned Parenthood Federation of Canada fonds, R3031-0-2-E, MG28-I463.
- University of Waterloo Special Collections and Archives. Parents' Information Bureau fonds, SCA88.

## Accruals

No further accruals are expected.

## Other notes

- **Publication status:** published

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## Access points

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- Canadian Federation of Societies for Population Planning (subject)
- Family Planning Federation of Canada (subject)
- Children and youth (subject)
- Family and personal life (subject)
- Health and social services (subject)
- Organizations (subject)
- Women (subject)
- Sri Lanka (place)
- Vancouver (B.C.) (place)

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## Series descriptions

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### Population and family planning research

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: [1920s?]-1990, predominant 1963-1990 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series documents Mary Bishop's interest in and research about social and political issues surrounding family planning, access to birth control, abortion, and population planning. Bishop maintained a series of subject files on these and related topics, with a particular focus on the history of the birth control movement in Canada. As part of her research, she also conducted interviews with individuals connected to this history, including physicians, religious leaders, and women and couples. Series contains 6 sub-series, which are based on the organization of the records and the creator-supplied index (see file 30-09 in the records): Subject files, Abortion, Population – Canada, Writing and publication, Population, and Interviews.

The records contained within the series include a large quantity of newspaper clippings and magazine articles, as well as reproductions of archival materials held in other repositories; government publications; reports; correspondence; interview transcripts; research notes; and draft (and unpublished) articles and speeches written by Bishop.

Physical description: 5.22 m of textual records

9 photographs

3 cassette tapes

Note:

Includes the following photographs: RBSC-ARC-1034-PH-01 to PH-09

Publication status:

published

### File / item list

### Subject files

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1948-1990, predominant 1960-1990 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects a set of subject files maintained by Mary Bishop on a wide range of topics related to the social, political, and economic dimensions of family planning, birth control, and population growth. The files cover a broad spectrum of these subjects, including families and family planning (adoption, artificial insemination, birth control methods, sex education); population growth and planning (Zero Population Growth, non-governmental organizations); and social issues (child and spousal abuse, aging, unemployment, poverty). A small number of subject files on other topics is also present.

Records contained within the sub-series are mostly newspaper and clippings, and reproductions of articles; also contained within are government publications, pamphlets; and some correspondence.

Physical description: 1.34 m of textual records

Publication status:

published				
File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-01	File - Abuse - child, wife	1968-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-02	File - Adoption	1976-1986		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-03	File - Adverts	1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-04	File - Aging	1973-1985		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-05	File - Aid. CIDA. CUSD. IDRC.	1968-1986		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-06	File - Aid. CUSO. CESO. IDRC. CIDA.Devel't, incl. IDRC & CUSO	1976-1979		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-07	File - Alliance for Life (see Opposition)	1977-1980		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-08	File - Anthropology	1977-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-09	File - A.C.W.W. June 1983 Associated Country Women of the World	1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-10	File - Articles ideas	1975-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-11	File - Bibliography - sources	1980-1985		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-12	File - Artificial insemination	1978-1984		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-13	File - Austman Questionnaire	1977-1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-14	File - Book search orgs - old books	1980-1981		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-15	File - CCIC - 1979 83	1978-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-16	File - Canadian values	1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-01-17	File - CARAL CCCA	1980-1988		
RBSC-ARC-1034-02-01	File - Charitable status	1975-1984		
RBSC-ARC-1034-02-02	File - Children - costs	1974-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-02-03	File - Children - rights, circumcision	1977-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-02-04	File - Children - unwanted	1970-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-02-05	File - Children - value of	1966-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-02-06	File - Club of Rome	1978-1984		
RBSC-ARC-1034-02-07	File - CompulsionPolicy Coercion	[ca. 1967]		



RBSC-ARC-1034-02-08	File - Constitution	1980-1987
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-01	File - Copyright	1976-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-02	File - Correspondence - misc. Dead ends. Sources closed. Sourced unexplored. Etc.	1978-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-03	File - Cost benefits - program	1974-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-04	File - Counselling	1971-1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-05	File - Crime - Vancouver	1971
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-06	File - Day care	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-07	File - Development education	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-08	File - Economics	1976-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-09	File - Education - Canada - general	1977-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-10	File - Environment - UNEP	1971-1985
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-11	File - Exhibits - how to. Conference.	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-12	File - Failure to use	1972
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-13	File - Fed. Govt. policy decision process - Sept. 1981	1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-14	File - Family size	1977-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-15	File - Family law	1974-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-16	File - Family life education ass'n	1963-1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-17	File - Family allowances	1980-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-03-18	File - [Newspaper clippings - 1988 Canadian federal election]	November 1988
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-13	File - Flags	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-14	File - Food	1969-1986
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-15	File - Canada: foreign policy	1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-16	File - Foster care	1972-1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-17	File - Genetics	1966-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-30-01	File - Futurism	1971-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-30-02	File - Health care - discussion - Canada, int.	1977-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-30-03	File - Home visiting	1971-1979

RBSC- ARC-1034-30-04	File - Homosexuality	1971-1987
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-05	File - Humanism	1988
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-06	File - Human [rights]	1968-1983
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-07	File - Impotence	1972-1978
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-08	File - Incest	1978-1982
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-09	File - Index	[198-?]
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-10	File - Infant mortality	1967-1979
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-11	File - Infertility	1971-1982
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-12	File - Labor	1976-1985
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-13	File - Literacy + world [population]Laugages - Literacy + world population & Canada	1975-1986
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-14	File - Leadership	1975
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-15	File - Lebanon	[after 1982]
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-16	File - Lifestyles - family [education]	1970s
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-17	File - Mailing list	1970s
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-18	File - Male chauvinism - macho	1972-1980
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-19	File - Marriage problems	[after 1961]-1981
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-20	File - Media + information - govt	1976-1985
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-21	File - Medical indications for [family planning]	1968-1971
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-22	File - Mental health	1977-1979
RBSC- ARC-1034-30-23	File - Mental retardation	1971-1983
RBSC- ARC-1034-31-01	File - Methods	1963-1987
RBSC- ARC-1034-31-02	File - Minorities	1965-1978
RBSC- ARC-1034-31-03	File - Misc orgs	1984
RBSC- ARC-1034-31-04	File - Moral standards	1965-1979
RBSC- ARC-1034-31-05	File - Myths	1970-1981
RBSC- ARC-1034-31-06	File - New international economic orderCan capitalism survive?	1974-1978

RBSC-ARC-1034-31-07	File - Parenting and mandatory birth control?	1973-1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-31-08	File - Paternity	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-31-09	File - Periodical Writers Association of Canada	[1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-31-10	File - Pharmacists	1975-1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-31-11	File - Philosophy	1972-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-31-12	File - Political action	1976-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-31-13	File - Politics	1977-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-31-14	File - Pope - Vatican - etc.	1965-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-31-15	File - Population Council (N.Y.)PRB	1980s?
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-01	File - Pornography	1977-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-02	File - Poverty	1969-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-03	File - Problem solving - decision making	[1980s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-04	File - Program planning	1967-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-05	File - Prostitution	1974-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-06	File - P.R. ideas - see also ADVOCACY	1974-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-07	File - Publishing	1973-1985
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-08	File - Abortion - non-Can. 1971-1978-831959-1960. News. Reports, Articles, Biblios (short)	1959-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-09	File - Racism	1978-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-10	File - Rape	1975-1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-11	File - Real women	1986-1987
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-12	File - Records - evaluation	[1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-13	File - ReligionsSee also Churches	1978-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-14	File - Resources - natural	[1970s]
RBSC-ARC-1034-32-15	File - [Roman Catholic] attitudes to [birth control] - antiAnd other topics - Pope in Canada	1965-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-33-01	File - [Roman Catholic] attitudes - pro [birth control]	1965-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-33-02	File - SERENA	1975-1982

RBSC-ARC-1034-33-03	File - Sexuality - attitudes, counselling	1948-1982, predominant 1970s-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-33-04	File - Sex selection and preferences	1968-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-33-05	File - Sexually transmitted diseases	1961-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-33-06	File - Sex Information & Education Council of Canada (SIECCAN)	1986-1990
RBSC-ARC-1034-33-07	File - Social Planning and Review Council (SPARC)	1976-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-33-08	File - Speeches etc.	[1980s]
RBSC-ARC-1034-33-09	File - Sri Lanka - info - my articles	1964-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-01	File - Sterilization (see also ETHICS and EUGENICS)	[1930s?]-1983, predominant 1961-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-02	File - Survival, Elements of - CBC Sept. 1974, etc.	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-03	File - Teen Pregnancy See also shelf	1966-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-04	File - Translation	[1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-05	File - Unemployment	1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-06	File - U.N. Association	1976-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-07	File - United Way - SPAR [Social Policy and Research]	[1970s]
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-08	File - Unmet needs	[1960s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-09	File - Vancouver General Hospital - Vancouver Foundation - 1975 >	1983-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-10	File - Vanier Institute	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-11	File - Voluntary organizations, family planning and general - roles, NVO tax credit	1970-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-17	File - Volunteerism - [University Women's Club] seminar, women's organizations, notes for speeches MFB	1974-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-18	File - Weather	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-19	File - World federalists	1970-1973
RBSC-ARC-1034-37-01	File - W.H.O. [World Health Organization]	1965-[1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-37-02	File - Women - power CRIAW [Canadian Research Institute for the Advancement of Women] Conference	1981-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-37-03	File - Appendix "O" Royal Commission on the Status of Women in Canada Fourteenth Meeting of the	[after 1968]

	Commissioners October 30 and 31, 1968 - Birth Control and Abortion	
RBSC- ARC-1034-37-04	File - Youth attitudes	[1970s?]
RBSC- ARC-1034-37-05	File - Z.P.G. [zero population growth]	1966-1979

## Abortion

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1963-1988 (date of creation)

### Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects Mary Bishop's interest in and writing about the topic of abortion, both historical and contemporary. The sub-series mostly comprises Bishop's accumulation of newspaper articles reflecting perspectives on abortion access covered in news media from the 1960s to the 1980s. It also reflects Bishop's research and published writing on the subject of abortion; perspectives within the Roman Catholic Church for and against abortion; abortion statistics in Canada; and medical information on abortion.

Records include newspaper clippings and magazine articles; reports on the subject of abortion; communication on abortion by pro-life movements (e.g., pamphlets, newsletters, articles); draft articles authored by Bishop on abortion; as well as some briefings, memorandums, press releases, and correspondence between Canada members of parliament.

Physical description: 40 cm of textual records  
2 cassette tapes

### Publication status:

published

### File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC- ARC-1034-15-01	File - Induced Abortion: A World Review, 1983	1983		
RBSC- ARC-1034-15-02	File - Induced Abortion: A World Review, 1981	1981		
RBSC- ARC-1034-15-03	File - The Human Problem of Abortion: Medical and Legal Dimensions	1979		
RBSC- ARC-1034-15-04	File - [Reports and articles on the subject of abortion]	1971-1985		
RBSC- ARC-1034-15-05	File - Abortion. Facts books. WHO. PRB. Pop. Reports. IPPF. / Survey Policy. 1971-1977	[ca. 1988]		
RBSC- ARC-1034-15-06	File - Pro-life publicity + structure. 1971-1978	1971-1978		
RBSC- ARC-1034-15-07	File - [Statistics Canada reports on therapeutic abortions]	1981		
RBSC- ARC-1034-15-08	File - Abortion statistics. 1972-1980	1972-1980		

RBSC-ARC-1034-15-09	File - Abortion argument	1978-1987
RBSC-ARC-1034-15-10	File - Abortion - M.F.B. articles	1972-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-15-11	File - Abortion 1986	1986
RBSC-ARC-1034-15-12	File - 1985	1985
RBSC-ARC-1034-15-12-SPC-01	Item - Frank Richter - FDBD. Frank Ogden Ideas / Abortion Jan 28-30 /85 Side A bears title "Frank Richter - FDBD. Frank Ogden." Side B titled "Ideas / Abortion Jan 28-30 /85".	January 1985
RBSC-ARC-1034-16-01	File - Abortion - 1984	1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-16-02	File - Abortion 1983	1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-16-03	File - Abortion news - 1982	1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-16-04	File - Abortion news - 1981	1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-16-05	File - Abortion news - 1980	1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-16-05-SPC-02	Item - Babies Ransom Fund 10x60 1980	1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-16-06	File - Abortion news - 1979	1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-16-07	File - 1978	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-01	File - 1977	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-02	File - 1976	1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-03	File - 1975	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-04	File - 1974	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-05	File - Abortion - 1973	1973
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-06	File - Abortion - news. arts. 1972	1972
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-07	File - Abortion. 1966-71	1966-1971
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-08	File - Abortion before 1966	[after 1963]

### **Population – Canada**

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1958-1985 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects Mary Bishop's interest in and research about population growth and change, with a particular focus on the Canadian context.

Records contained in this sub-series include published grey literature on topics related to Canadian population, including immigration; population policy; and population statistics and projections.

Physical description: 54 cm of textual records

Publication status:

published

### File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034-19-04	File - Pop. F.P. - notes for speeches	1970s?		
RBSC-ARC-1034-19-05	File - Canada pop. Stats	1966-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-01	File - [Population policy in Canada files]	1973-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-02	File - Population policy Canada general - see also immigration	1966-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-03	File - Population ethics + policies, general. Arguments. Definition	1966-1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-04	File - A Population Policy for Canada?	1974		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-05	File - Population Problems and Policies in Economically Advanced Countries	1973		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-06	File - Canada's Population: Growth and Dualism	1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-07	File - Population and Canada	1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-08	File - Population Probe: Canada	1972		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-09	File - Population Policy and National Development	1972		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-10	File - Canadian Population Concerns	1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-11	File - Population policy Canada - Immigration	1975-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-12	File - Implications of the Changing Age Structure of the Canadian Population	1976		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-13	File - Population Growth and Urban Problems	1975		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-14	File - Technical report on population projections for Canada and the provinces, 1972-2001	1975		
RBSC-ARC-1034-20-15	File - Immigrants	1976-1980		
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-01	File - Report to Parliament by the Special Joint Committee on Immigration Policy	1975		

RBSC-ARC-1034-21-02	File - Immigration and population statistics	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-03	File - [Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence of the Special Joint Committee of the Senate and of the House of Commons on Immigration Policy, Issues No. 25 and 26, May 26-27, 1975]	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-04	File - Immigration and language imbalance	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-05	File - Immigration 1971-1977 - Canada	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-06	File - Population - Hunger - Can/Am. Assembly - Toronto - 1969	1969
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-07	File - Population - Canada - Articles	1958-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-08	File - B.C. population policy	1969-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-09	File - StatisticsStatistics - B.C. Pop., F.P., etc.	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-10	File - Statistical sources	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-11	File - [Science Council of Canada Annual Reports: 1969-70 and 1970-71]	1970-1971
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-12	File - Bibliography - Pop / F.P.	1974-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-07	File - Human Settlement in Canada	1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-08	File - Canada's Population: Demographic Perspectives	September 1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-09	File - Patterns of Fertility in Canada, 1971	December 1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-01	File - Perspectives Canada III	April 1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-02	File - The Population Reference Bureau's Population Handbook	1985
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-03	File - Canadian Population Trends and Public Policy Through the 1980s	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-04	File - Population - PFFC	[1970s]
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-05	File - Canada's Immigrants	August 1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-06	File - Illustrative Projections for the Population of Canada 1971-1991: Compilation and Adjustment of Existing Data	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-07	File - Canadian government - Coop Can., Canadian position, Canadian delegation	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-08	File - Population conference - May - 1974 - Ottawa	[ca. 1974]
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-09	File - Population hearings CIIA [Canadian Institute of International Affairs] 1974	[ca. 1974]
RBSC-ARC-1034-46-10	File - Canadian Institute of International Affairs - population hearings - Vancouver - 1974	1977-1978



## Writing and publication

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1937-1989 [predominant 1970-1989] (date of creation)

### Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects Mary Bishop's writing (published and unpublished) on family planning and birth control, particularly on its history in Canada. Bishop's writing projects which are documented in this sub-series include: "The Politics of Abortion: Trends in Canadian Fertility by Larry Collins, Revisited" (Atlantis, 1982); "The Early Birth Controllers of BC" (BC Studies, 1984); "Vivian Dowding: Birth Control Activist 1892-" (Not Just Pin Money, 1984); a contribution to the first Canadian Encyclopedia on the history of birth control in Canada; and an article on the Roman Catholic Church and the birth control movement.

Records contained within this sub-series include draft manuscripts; research notes; correspondence with publishers; and published editions of these various writing projects.

Physical description: 39 cm of textual records

### Publication status:

published

### File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-10	File - Atlantis Article	1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-11	File - Birth Controllers of B.C. (BC Studies article)	1983-1984		
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-12	File - Not Just Pin Money - see also Dowding interview	1984-1987		
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-13	File - Pacific Affairs	1982-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-01	File - R.C. Church - final art.	1980		
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-02	File - R.C. articles for People & N.Y. TimesUnpublished	1980-1981		
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-03	File - De Roo	1979-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-04	File - De Roo, Bishop R.J. - Ap. 1979	1979		
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-05	File - Consultants re R.C. article	1978-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-06	File - Encyclopaedia	1984-1989		
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-07	File - 100 yrs. Of Advocacy & Opposition in PerspectivePapers & Speeches MFB, Sex ed., Abortion, etc.	1982-1987		
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-08	File - PPF Chronology	[1980s]		

RBSC-ARC-1034-18-09	File - Canada	[1980s]
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-10	File - RCs re birth control & attacks - 1973-8 my responses	[1970s]
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-11	File - ICPOP 73-74	1973-1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-12	File - R.C. population pubs 73/74	1973-1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-18-13	File - Kaufman	1953-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-19-01	File - Kaufman material	[1938?]-1979, predominant 1968-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-19-02	File - Kaufman publications	[1937?]-1983, predominant 1950-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-19-03	File - Tyrer material	1943-1986

## Population

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1962-1990 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects Mary Bishop's interest in and research about global population trends in the 1960s, 70s, and 80s. This sub-series is mostly comprised of published grey literature on topics related to population, including population statistics, population policy, laws, education, and world fertility surveys.

Physical description: 21 cm of textual records

Publication status:

published

### File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034-37-06	File - World population - publications - 1962 >	1963-1985		
RBSC-ARC-1034-37-07	File - World fertility surveys	1979-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-37-08	File - World population clippings 1962 >	1962-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-37-09	File - U.N. statistics and informationGeneral	1977-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-38-01	File - World population conference 1984	1984		
RBSC-ARC-1034-38-02	File - Population theory	1967-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-38-03	File - Population statistics - various countries	1968-1983		

RBSC-ARC-1034-38-04	File - Population policy	1974-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-38-05	File - Population charts - children, policies, statistics, women	1974-1990
RBSC-ARC-1034-38-06	File - Population laws	1975-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-38-07	File - Population education	1968-1980

## Interviews

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1930-1989 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects a set of interviews conducted by Mary Bishop in the late 1970s relating to her long-term project of documenting the history of the birth control movement in Canada between 1920 and 1980. Bishop interviewed several individuals with lived experience connected to this history, including physicians; religious leaders; and women and couples who spoke about their experiences seeking reproductive healthcare. The interviews were funded by a grant from the Explorations Programme supplied by the Canada Council.

Records in this sub-series include interview transcripts; typed and handwritten notes; interview releases; accompanying documentation on the history of birth control and dissemination of information about family planning; and one photograph.

Physical description: 24 cm of textual records

1 photograph

1 cassette tape

Publication status:

published

### File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034- RBSC-ARC-1034- SPC-03	Item - W. Diamond (Sask.)	1979		
RBSC-ARC-1034-04-03	File - Dr. P. M. Alderman	1969-1985		
RBSC-ARC-1034-04-04	File - Dr. Elizabeth Bagshaw	1977-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-04-05	File - Barbara + George Cadbury	1979-1985		
RBSC-ARC-1034-04-05- PH-01	Item - Christmas 1985. Barbara & George Cadbury at Barbara's 75th Birthday	December 1985		
RBSC-ARC-1034-04-06	File - George Charlton	1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-04-07	File - W. Diamond + V. McNaughton - Sask.	ca. 1979		

RBSC-ARC-1034-04-08	File - Vivian Dowding	1930-1987
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-01	File - Marie Paule Doyle	ca. 1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-02	File - Explorations (interviews) corresp. + bills	1979-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-03	File - Releases	1978?
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-04	File - Mildred Fahrni May 1981	ca. 1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-05	File - Marta Friesen, Eric Nicol, P.R.U. StrattonMarta is to return interview	1978-1989
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-06	File - John K. Friesen	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-07	File - Rev. Frank Fidler	ca. 1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-08	File - Dr. F. S. Hobbs	ca. 1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-09	File - Elizabeth Hooper	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-10	File - Mrs. Glyndwyr Jones	1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-11	File - Dr. H. K. Kennedy	ca. 1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-12	File - C. N. Knight	ca. 1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-13	File - Peter Smith	ca. 1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-14	File - MacInnis, Grace - 9.9.80 + 6.12.80	ca. 1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-15	File - Dr. C. J. G. Mackenzie	ca. 1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-16	File - Medical Missionaries Hall. McClure. Rutnam	1968-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-17	File - Mrs. Doris Mellish I + II	1978-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-18	File - Morden, Gladys Brandt	1937-1980, predominant 1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-19	File - Robert Prittie	ca. 1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-20	File - C. N. Knight, Dr. Robert Lennox, Michael Palko, Eric Smit - 30.8.78	ca. 1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-21	File - Florence Steacy (Sugden) - P.I.B. WPG + B.C. + CalgaryP.I.B. refers to the Parents Information Bureau	1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-22	File - Muriel Tyrer (Mrs. E. G.)	ca. 1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-23	File - Thelma Will, Virginia Mephram, Dr. Ted Mephram	ca. 1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-24	File - Dorothea Palmer	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-25	File - Withrow	1983-1984

RBSC-ARC-1034-04-01	File - PFFC - documents	1965-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-04-02	File - PFFC Reports to IPPF - 1967-74	1967-1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-05-26	File - Social history articles	1980s?
RBSC-ARC-1034-06-01	File - Social conditions	1981-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-06-02	File - Alberta I	1969-1987
RBSC-ARC-1034-06-03	File - Alberta II	1973-1987
RBSC-ARC-1034-06-04	File - B.C. 1918-1960	[1937?]-1983, predominant 1978-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-06-04-PH-02	Item - [Photograph of Vivian Dowding and her husband John Albert Dowding]	Before 1944
RBSC-ARC-1034-06-05	File - ManitobaSpeechly - Brigden - Battley - J. S. Woodsworth	1939-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-07-01	File - New Brunswick	1980s?
RBSC-ARC-1034-07-02	File - Newfoundland	1975-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-07-03	File - Nova Scotia	ca. 1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-07-04	File - Dr. H. Benge Atlee	1980s?
RBSC-ARC-1034-07-05	File - Brit. Col. 1960 >See also - BC Drawer - 1973 Conf. Report - History Canada 1960 >	1961-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-07-06	File - OntarioKaufman, Bagshaw, McClure, Fidler, Cadbury, Taylor"Kaufman" has been faintly crossed off	1957-1989
RBSC-ARC-1034-07-07	File - P.E.I.	1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-08-01	File - Quebec #1	1969-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-08-02	File - Quebec #2	1981-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-08-03	File - Quebec	[after 1972]
RBSC-ARC-1034-08-04	File - Fr. Language	ca. 1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-08-05	File - Saskatchewan	1929-1988, predominant 1978-1988
RBSC-ARC-1034-08-06	File - Dr. W. L. Hutton - MOH Brant County OntSee also Eugenics file	1937-1983, predominant 1981-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-01	File - K.A.P. [knowledge and practice] CanadaSee also N.F.S. #9 - H.W. Coll. 1975-80	[after 1976]

RBSC-ARC-1034-09-02	File - Law - prov. - consent	1971-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-03	File - Law - Canadian	1964-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-04	File - Can. Med. Ass'n Journal + Abortion	[1980s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-05	File - Malthusian League BCIIC + How, MartynExtracted	1937-1980, predominant 1979-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-06	File - History of Methods	1973-1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-07	File - Native people	1974-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-08	File - Opposition and responses	1976-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-09	File - Organizations, policy - Can. & int'l	1968-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-10	File - Patented contraception	1979-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-09-11	File - Palmer, Dorothea (Ferguson) - see also interview	1957-1982, predominant 1978-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-01	File - Photos Kaufman-TyrerMrs. Mellish	n.d.
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-01-PH-03	Item - [Black-and-white portrait photograph of A. R. Kaufman]	n.d.
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-01-PH-04	Item - [Black-and-white portrait photograph]	n.d.
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-01-PH-05	Item - [Black-and-white portrait photograph]	n.d.
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-01-PH-06	Item - Monique Bégin	1970s?
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-01-PH-07	Item - Marc Lalonde	1970s?
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-01-PH-08	Item - John Munro	1970s?
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-01-PH-09	Item - Dr. Elizabeth Bagshaw (left) receiving Lifestyle Award from Hon. Monique Bégin, Minister of Nat. Health + Welfare - April 1978	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-02	File - Political parties	ca. 1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-03	File - Professional training. Medical. Nursing. Social work.Salaries	1966-1985
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-04	File - Sanger - family limitation	1980s?
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-05	File - Services - Canada - Dates	1980s?

RBSC-ARC-1034-10-06	File - Sex Education - see also shelf Source materials - 1925-1980	1966-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-07	File - Sex Education - see also shelf	1969-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-17-09	File - Lucy Morgan study	1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-03	File - Abortion attacks - PPFC PPABC 1972 >Abortion, PPFC, B.C. see also abortion files	1978-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-04	File - Int. aid. Canada IPPF - UNFPA	1980?
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-05	File - B.C. Int. Info CENTRE 1934-1939 - F. Palmer also see How - Merlyn	1978-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-06	File - Can. Intelligence Service	1979-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-07	File - Churches - Anglican Anglican - Birth Control, Abortion. WPY.	1969-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-08	File - Churches - R.C.	1976-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-09	File - Unitarian Church	[1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-10	File - Churches - United	1977-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-11	File - Church International Church Items	1973-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-12	File - Church - inter church items See also "Religions"	[1960s?]-1983, predominant 1975-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-01	File - Churches - misc.	1977-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-02	File - Marilyn Field Clark Dissertation - Politics of Policy - Can. U.S. U.K. etc.	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-03	File - Community health care	[1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-04	File - Conference 1972 Ottawa	1971-1972
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-05	File - Dianne Dodd	1981-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-06	File - Ethical issues	1978-1985
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-07	File - (Survey) Govt. funding - fed. & prov. Programs	1971-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-08	File - Govt - federal statements re family planning	1969-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-09	File - Gallup polls - sex ed. No children. BC info. Abortion. Pop. Pre marital sex.	1977-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-25-10	File - Lise Fortier See also Quebec	1976-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-26-01	File - Eugenics - Can. movement, British movement See also Hutton file & prof [training]	[1930s?-1984 , predominant 1977-1984]
RBSC-ARC-1034-26-02	File - Government - federal health dept. reports - infant / maternal mortality, f.p. - 1923-80	[ca. 1980]

RBSC-ARC-1034-26-03	File - Govt. House of Commons - 1966-[ca. 1980] 1892. 1966 - 1978 - 1980 - incl. Hall Commission. Harley Cttee, etc. Anti F.P. See also other govt. & law
RBSC-ARC-1034-26-04	File - History Canada earlyincl. McLaren [1920s?-1978, predominant 1970s]
RBSC-ARC-1034-26-05	File - Historical sketches 1973-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-26-06	File - History - Canada 1960 > 1965-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-26-07	File - HOW - Martyn, Edith (see also BCIIC) also PALMER. MORDEN KAUFMAN MALTHUSIAN League 1978-1979

## Volunteer involvement

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1960-1989 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series reflects Mary Bishop's volunteer service and membership in the various organizations she was connected with. The series is arranged into four sub-series according to the organizations in which she took part: International Planned Parenthood Foundation (IPPF); Planned Parenthood Federation of Canada (PPFC); Planned Parenthood Association of British Columbia (PPABC); and other volunteering and organizational membership.

Records contained within this series include organizational records of these various groups (such as meeting minutes, reports, financial records, and correspondence), as well as newspaper clippings, marketing and communication materials, brochures, and pamphlets.

Physical description: 2.36 m of textual records

51 photographs

Note:

Includes the following photographs: RBSC-ARC-1034-PH-10 to PH-61

Publication status:

published

## File / item list

### International Planned Parenthood Foundation

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: [1960s?]-1989 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects Mary Bishop's involvement with the International Planned Parenthood Foundation. Bishop was appointed to a Laws and Policy Panel by the Western Hemisphere Board of the



International Planned Parenthood, and served as a representative in at least five international conferences between 1976–1984.

Records in this sub-series include reports, policy documents, and other grey literature on family planning topics; newsletters; draft writing and speeches; correspondence; and newspaper clippings.

Physical description: 35 cm of textual records  
1 photograph

Publication status:

published

### File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-12	File - Parliamentarians - population and development	1974-1981		
RBSC-ARC-1034-34-13	File - [International Planned Parenthood Federation Western Hemisphere Region publications and pamphlets]	1976-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-01	File - International law	[1980s?]		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-02	File - International Planned Parenthood Federation correspondence	1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-03	File - 1980 material for Synod of Bishops, 1980	1980		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-04	File - Western Hemisphere Region news - Dec. 1975	December 1975		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-05	File - Western Hemisphere Laws and Policies Panel	1981-1984		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-05-PH-35	Item - [Panel of speakers]	[1980s?]		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-06	File - [IPPF Western Hemisphere Region Forum publications]	1981-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-07	File - IPPF correspondence	1977-1984		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-08	File - IPPF history and speeches - MFB	1962-1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-09	File - IPPF Report to Donors, October 1982	1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-10	File - IPPF miscellaneous statementsPolicy	1970s		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-11	File - IPPF UN policy statements and reportsLeaflets	1973-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-35-12	File - IPPF annual reports	1967-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-01	File - Jakarta conference - IPPF 3-year plan	1978-1981		
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-02	File - Family planning - various countries	[1970s?]		
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-03	File - Abortion Laws in Commonwealth Countries	1979		

RBSC-ARC-1034-36-04	File - The Human Problem of Abortion	1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-05	File - Report of a Combined Medical-Legal Workshop, Barbados, 18-22 June 1979	1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-06	File - Population and Family Planning Classification	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-07	File - IPPF World Survey (2) Focus on Latin America, Special reports on Kenya and the Philippines	1967
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-08	File - IPPF World Survey (1) Factors affecting the work of Family Planning Associations	1966
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-09	File - Planned Parenthood and Women's Development Programme	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-10	File - Law and Planned Parenthood	1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-11	File - Community Based Distribution: a selection of reports from People	1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-12	File - [IPPF World List of Family Planning Agencies]	1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-13	File - IPPF leaflets	1967-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-14	File - IPPF miscellaneous	[1960s and 1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-15	File - IPPF 8th Report - maps - 6th - organization chart	[1960s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-36-16	File - [La libération de la femme passe-t-elle par le planning familial?]	[1970s?]

### **Planned Parenthood Federation of Canada**

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1963-1989 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects Mary Bishop's volunteerism as part of the Planned Parenthood Federation of Canada, where she was vice president between 1975–77, and also served on the board. In 1975, Bishop represented the PPFC at the United Nations International Women's Year Tribune in Mexico. Records in this sub-series include documentation of Bishop's participation in several international conferences (such as itineraries, photographs, notes, and reports); newspaper clippings; committee documents; correspondence; reports; financial records and statements; and draft marketing and communication of the PPFC.

Physical description: 1.28 m of textual records  
50 photographs

Publication status:

published

File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034-10-08	File - [Miscellaneous Planned Parenthood materials]	1985-1989		
RBSC-ARC-1034-11-01	File - PPFC Associations Cttee	1975-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-11-02	File - Anglican Church departure 1975	1975		
RBSC-ARC-1034-11-03	File - [PPFC Annual Reports]	1970-1986		
RBSC-ARC-1034-11-04	File - Annual Reports - FPFC Members	1974-1976		
RBSC-ARC-1034-11-05	File - AGMs Supp. Info - 1972 >	1972-1976		
RBSC-ARC-1034-11-06	File - Board - Ass'n Members	1972-1979		
RBSC-ARC-1034-11-07	File - Board training PPFC	1972-1976		
RBSC-ARC-1034-11-08	File - Boutin - Soc. Wk. + F.P. Articles	1973-1974		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-01	File - FPFC Budgets - for H. + W. CanadaH. + W. Canada - Health and Welfare Canada	1974-1979		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-02	File - By laws	1970-1979		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-03	File - Committees	1976-1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-04	File - Correspondence - PPFC + MFB	1975-1981		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-05	File - Date calendar	1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-06	File - Displays - national habitat	1975-1976		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-06-PH-10 to PH-34	Item - [Photograph depicting a FPFC educational display]	1976		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-07	File - Educational Opportunities - review of publications	[ca. 1979]		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-08	File - Evaluation (see also Plan, Priorities)	1974-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-09	File - Ex. Director Reports	1974-1980		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-10	File - Financial reports & statements	1971-1979		
RBSC-ARC-1034-12-11	File - Grants - general - from H. + W. Canada - 1972-1977	1972-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-13-01	File - Health & Welfare Canada - incl. Nat. Fert. Survey - 1975-80See also K.A.P. #5	1972-1980		
RBSC-ARC-1034-13-02	File - Insurance	1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-13-03	File - IPPF Projects for Can. Funding - 1975-1978	1975-1978		

RBSC-ARC-1034-13-04	File - IWY [International Women's Year] - 1975PPFC	1975-1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-13-05	File - IYC [International Year of the Child] - 1979	1978-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-13-06	File - Media Campaign '72-'73 - see also 3 vol. report	1972-1973
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-16	File - Medical advisory 1971 >	1971-1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-17	File - Minutes - 1982	1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-28-01	File - Minutes, reports - 1980-81	1980-81
RBSC-ARC-1034-28-02	File - PPFC - Minutes, reports 1978-79	1978-1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-28-03	File - Minutes - 1975-78	1975-1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-28-04	File - Minutes - 1974/75Name change	1974-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-28-05	File - Minutes - 1973-74	1973-1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-28-06	File - Minutes - 1971-72	1971-1972
RBSC-ARC-1034-28-07	File - PPFC Minutes + constitutions etc.Brief 1962	1963-1969
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-01	File - Nominations	1975-1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-02	File - Ortho Award - PPFC Volunteerism	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-03	File - Personnel Committee	1975-1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-04	File - Pharmacy project	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-05	File - Political action	1973-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-06	File - POLITICS of family planning Report by Mills May 1977 - PPFA N.E. Region workshop	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-07	File - Population Committee	1972-1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-08	File - FPFC - Poverty brief	1970
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-09	File - Board questionnaire (motivation) 1979	1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-10	File - Resolutions	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-11	File - Strehler, Brian Recollections	1979
RBSC-ARC-1034-29-12	File - Training	1979-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-38-08	File - IWY [International Women's Year] - trip to Mexico	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-38-09	File - IYC [International Year of the Child]	1976-1979

RBSC-ARC-1034-39-01	File - WPY [World Population Year] clippings - 1973-75	1973-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-02	File - World Population Plan Committee reports	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-03	File - Planet	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-04	File - Tribune - program registration, evaluation statements - reports	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-04-PH-36	Item - [Sala Palatului (Palace Hall), Bucharest, Romania]	[August 1974?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-04-PH-37	Item - [University of Bucharest, Bucharest, Romania]	[August 1974?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-04-PH-38	Item - One of the hotels where delegates were housed--with one of the free shuttle buses outside	[August 1974?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-04-PH-39	Item - [Ateneul Român (Romanian Athenaeum), Bucharest, Romania]	[August 1974?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-05	File - U.N. agencies - World Population Year	1973-1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-06	File - Speeches - Waldheim IUSSP [International Union for the Scientific Study of Population]	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-07	File - UNA [Untied Nations Association] - WPY [World Population Year], etc.	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-39-08	File - United Nations WPY [World Population Year] background papers & promo leaflets	1973-1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-01	File - [United Nations publications regarding women, population, and development]	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-02	File - IWY [International Women's Year] - IPPF documents	1975-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-03	File - IWY [International Women's Year] - post-conference clippings	1972-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-04	File - [International Women's Year reports and information]	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-05	File - Miscellaneous collection - Mexico	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-06	File - Government re. IWY [International Women's Year] - Canada, British Columbia	1974-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-07	File - IWY [International Women's Year] - pre-conference clippings	[ca. 1975]
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-07-PH-40	Item - International Women's Year Tribune, June 19-July 2, 1975. Mexico, D.F.	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-08	File - IWY [International Women's Year] - conference clippings. Xilonen, Mexico	1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-09	File - IPPF delegation and display - Habitat	1975-1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-10	File - [Notebooks and stickers]	[ca. 1975]

RBSC-ARC-1034-40-11	File - [PPFC Habitat Display slides]	1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-40-11-PH-42 to PH-61	Item - [Slides]	[ca. 1976]
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-01	File - Forum - habitat	1974-1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-05	File - Funds, sources, grant proposals	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-06	File - Fundraising materials - Canada, U.S., U.K.	1970s
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-07	File - P.P.F.C. fundraising attempts, 1972-82	1972-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-08	File - P.P.F.C. fundraising attempts, 1972-82 (1977 >)	1977-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-09	File - Planning and priorities - background material	1972-1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-10	File - Planning and priorities - 1977	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-11	File - Publications review 1976	1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-01	File - P.P.F.C. publicationsSee also envelope	1970-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-02	File - P.P.F.C. publications - bulletin - vol. 1 1973 >	1973-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-03	File - Public affairs - lobbying	1977-1981
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-04	File - P.P.F.C. public relations - miscellaneous	1976-1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-05	File - Volunteer-staff relations 1972-75	1972-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-45-06	File - Western Hemisphere reps reports	1981

### **Planned Parenthood Association of British Columbia**

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: [1960s]-1989 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects Mary Bishop's volunteer involvement with the Planned Parenthood Association of British Columbia. Bishop was the President of this organization in 1971, 1972, and 1973, and she served on the board between 1966–1970. She also served on various committees with the PPABC. Records contained in this sub-series include organizational records for the Planned Parenthood Association of British Columbia (such as financial records, minutes, annual reports, constitution and by-laws), as well as newspaper clippings, correspondence, and committee documents.

Physical description: 68 cm of textual records  
1 photograph

Publication status:

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File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-01	File - Finance - fundraising B.C.	1976-1982		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-02	File - Finance - fin. Statements	1967-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-03	File - Finance - budgets	1971-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-04	File - Evaluation B.C.	1974-1975		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-05	File - B.C. - Constitution - by-laws 1963 - 1969 - 1973 - 1979 - 1981	1969-1981		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-06	File - Conference - 1971 - sex education	1971		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-07	File - B.C. - Conferences - 1973	1973		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-08	File - Future Role Conference - Feb. 12/13 1971	1971		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-09	File - Committees - 1978?	1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-10	File - Clinic info - operation reports. Stats. 1966-74	1968-1974		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-11	File - BRIEFS - Liberal S. of W. - 1971 ; welfare & education ; home care - 1973	1971-1973		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-12	File - Branch reports	1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-13	File - Branch guidelines	[ca. 1972]		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-14	File - FPABC - Current	1983		
RBSC-ARC-1034-27-15	File - [Planned Parenthood Association of B.C. records and communication]	1981-1989		
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-02	File - [Fundraising and marketing materials]	1974-1976		
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-03	File - Fundraising - U.S. P.P.F.A. [Planned Parenthood Federation of America] - west region, 1973-75	1972-1975		
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-04	File - Grants - B.C.	1975-1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-05	File - B.C. Nurse Coordinator grant	1976-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-06	File - Grants - New Westminster	1976-1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-07	File - Vancouver General Hospital grant	1977		
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-08	File - Vancouver grant	1975-1978		
RBSC-ARC-1034-41-09	File - Victoria grant	1976-1977		

RBSC- ARC-1034-41-10	File - Health Education Council directory	[1970s?]
RBSC- ARC-1034-41-11	File - Health regions B.C.	[after 1966]
RBSC- ARC-1034-41-12	File - Insurance	1967-1973
RBSC- ARC-1034-41-13	File - Lobbyists - B.C.	1975-1977
RBSC- ARC-1034-41-14	File - Mailing list	[1970s?]
RBSC- ARC-1034-41-15	File - Minutes - reports - 1982	1982
RBSC- ARC-1034-41-16	File - Minutes - reports - 1981	1981
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-01	File - Minutes - reports - 1980	1980
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-02	File - Minutes - reports - 1979	1979
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-03	File - Minutes - reports - 1978	1978
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-04	File - Minutes - reports - 1977	1977
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-05	File - Minutes - reports - 1976	1976
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-06	File - Minutes - reports - 1975	1975
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-07	File - Minutes - reports - 1974	1974
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-08	File - Minutes - reports - 1973	1973
RBSC- ARC-1034-42-09	File - Minutes - reports - 1972	1972
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-01	File - Minutes - reports - 1971	1971
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-02	File - Minutes - reports - 1970	1970
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-03	File - Minutes - reports - 1969	1967-1969
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-04	File - Minutes - reports - 1961-1968	1960s
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-05	File - Newsletter	1973-1975
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-06	File - Nominations 1975 AGM - B.C.	1975-1977
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-07	File - Policies B.C. FPA [Family Planning Association] - legal, medical, education	1967-1973
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-08	File - Population - policies, briefs	1974-1976
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-09	File - Presidents reports, 1965-1975	1965-1975
RBSC- ARC-1034-43-10	File - Professional Training - UBC F.P.A.	1967-1974



RBSC-ARC-1034-43-11	File - Publicity B.C.	1974-1980
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-12	File - ResearchVan. F.P.P clinics, etc.	1967-1970
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-13	File - Societies Act - British Columbia	1960-1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-14	File - Speakers programs	1967-1971
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-15	File - Staff	1966-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-15-PH-41	Item - [Black-and-white portrait photograph]	[1960s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-16	File - P.R.U. Stratton	1974
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-17	File - TV Series	[1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-18	File - Terms of Reference	[1970s?]
RBSC-ARC-1034-43-19	File - Trade Unions	February 21, 1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-01	File - Vancouver branch, 1979-1982	1979-1982
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-02	File - Vancouver branch, 1971-1978	1971-1978
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-03	File - Planned Parenthood Association of B.C. Provincial Directory 1977-78	1977
RBSC-ARC-1034-44-04	File - [Planned Parenthood Association of B.C. miscellaneous correspondence]	1987

### Other volunteering and organizational membership

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1966-1987 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Sub-series reflects Mary Bishop's volunteer service and membership within organizations outside of the IPPF, PPFC, and PPABC. These include the University Women's Club of Vancouver; Alumni UBC, where Mary Bishop served on the Heritage Committee; the Norman Mackenzie Alumni Scholarship selection committee; and various Status of Women action committees at municipal, national, and international levels.

Physical description: 44 c m of textual records

Publication status:

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Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1034-21-13	File - "Treasure Hunt" Living History	1983-1985		

RBSC-ARC-1034-22-01	File - Can. Adv. Council - Status of Women	1974-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-22-02	File - S. of W. - Nat. Action CommitteeS. of W. = Status of Women	[ca. 1981]-1986
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-01	File - S. of W. International - Tribune - IFUW - U.N. Conference	1977-1983
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-02	File - The International Council of Women Resolutions from 1899-1973	May 1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-03	File - Vancouver Status of Women	1983-1985
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-04	File - Women, Council of - Int.	1976
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-05	File - Women, Council of - Nat. PPFC	1973-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-06	File - Women, Council of - Prov.	1974-1975
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-07	File - Alumni UBC	1966-1987
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-08	File - Library committee	1981-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-23-09	File - Scholarships - UBCSee also Joe's file	1978-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-01	File - UBC Senate	1974-1984
RBSC-ARC-1034-24-02	File - Georgian ClubClosed	1966-1979

### Personal files

Creator: Bishop, Mary F.

Date: 1966-1989 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series consists of Mary Bishop's personal and family-related records. It contains personal correspondence; newspaper clippings; honours and honorary degrees received by Bishop; and records related to her involvement in the University Women's Club of Vancouver.

Physical description: 27 cm of textual records

Publication status:

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RBSC-ARC-1034-13-07	File - Bishop this & that	1981-1984		
RBSC-ARC-1034-13-08	File - Correspondence - friends	1980-1989		
RBSC-ARC-1034-13-09	File - Correspondence - family	1980-1986		

RBSC- ARC-1034-13-10	File - Health care & epidemiology UBC	1986-1988
RBSC- ARC-1034-13-11	File - Honors & hon. Degrees	1975-1988
RBSC- ARC-1034-14-01	File - Political Canada - political parties - Liberals, P.Co., TEAM, SoCred	1984-1989
RBSC- ARC-1034-14-02	File - Liberal education policy	1986-1988
RBSC- ARC-1034-14-03	File - UWC Membership profiles	1980-1985
RBSC- ARC-1034-14-04	File - UWC Membership list policy resolutions by-laws etc.	1980-1987
RBSC- ARC-1034-14-05	File - UWC reform proposals - see also by-laws, recs.	[1966-1988, predominant 1982-1988]
RBSC- ARC-1034-14-06	File - Univ. women's club annual reportsHistory	1975-1987
RBSC- ARC-1034-14-07	File - U.W.C. Status of Women CtteeMinutes - miscellaneous	1980s?