

Harold James Pritchett

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Provenance: Pritchett, Harold, 1904-

Title: Harold Pritchett fonds

Dates: 1933-1980

Physical desc.: 40 cm of textual records ; ca. 17 photographs

Bio/Admin Harold Pritchett was born in Birmingham, England and arrived in Port Moody, B.C. in 1912.

History: He began working at the Thurston-Flavelle Mill in 1919 and gradually became involved in union activities. By 1931, he was Chairman of the Fraser Mills Strike Committee and President of the Shingle Weavers Union in 1933. He was elected president of the Independent Federation of Woodworkers in 1936; then with the affiliation of the Federation of Woodworkers to the Congress of Industrial Organizations, he was elected founding president. Pritchett resigned from activities in the United States in 1940 and became President of District Council No.1 (IWA) for British Columbia. Following a split in the Union, Pritchett helped organize the short-lived Woodworkers Industrial Union.

Scope/Content: The fonds consists of a scrapbook (1936-1939); clippings, printed material; correspondence (1970s); financial statements of B.C. District, IWA (1945-1947); ribbons and buttons for IWA and Labour Progressive Party conventions (1944-1948); subject files pertaining to his legal status while travelling in the United States (1936-1938); 31 prints of loggers' funerals and membership cards. The fonds also includes correspondence (1945-ca.1980), subject files, photographs (1940s), memorabilia (1936-1940) and membership books.

Title source: Title based on the contents of the fonds.

Finding aids: Inventory available.

Repository: University of British Columbia Library Rare Books and Special Collections

Names: Pritchett, Harold, 1904- ; International Woodworkers of America. British Columbia District

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Box:		Dates	No. of Items
folder	Letters: incoming		
1-1	Acena, Albert	1971	1
	B.C. Coast Distric Council, Lumber, Sawmill Workers' and Shingle Weavers' Union	1936	2
	Barrett, David	1975	1
	Bédard, Jean Marie	1981	1
	Bresson, Thomas	1979	1
	Bridges, Harry	1981	1
	Broadbent, Edward	1979	1
	Campbell, Mike	1980	1
	Chang, Tsin	1956	1
	Christ, Inge	1970-71	2
	Communist Party of Canada	1980	1
	De Caux, Len	1980	1
	Dewhurst, Alf	1980	a.
	Egolf, Jeremy	(n.d.)	1
	Figuerva, Miguel	1980	1
	Gallagher, Kim	1980	1
	Greenall, Jack (encl.) entitled "How the revisionists betrayed B.C. lumber workers."	1964	3
	Harris, George (encl.)	1963	2
	Hewison, George	1980	1
	Jacobs, Walter	1978	1
	Kashtan, William	1975-81	3
	Kennedy, Frank	1980	1
	Lembcke, Jerry	1976-81	7
	MacDonald, Alex	1973	1
	Magnuson, Bruce	1971-72	3
	McEwan, Ken	1971-77	4
	[Morgan] Nigel	1964	1
	Munro, Jack	1975-78	4
		n.d.	
	Nelson. Ralph	1970	1
	Ottewel, Denis (encl.)	1978-79	2
	Perry, Clay	1980	1
	Peterson, Nels (encl. F.B.I.)	1978	1
	Roley, Ronald	1973	1

Letters: incoming (cont.)

1-1	Sparks, Ben	1978	1
	Stanton, John (encl.)	1945	1
	Stevenson, Ray	1978	1
	Tattam, Bill (encl.)	1967-81	17
	Thompson, Syd	1975	2
	Wainscott, John (encl.)	1976	1
	Wilson, Hellie (for P. Trudeau)	1978	1
	Winn, Mrs. Karyl	1970-71	2
	Wood, Eric	1975-80	2
	Unidentified		
	"Mark"	1975	1
	"Ted"	1976	1

LETTERS: Outgoing

1-2	1948		
	Dalskog, Ernest (encl) re: H. Pritchett's activities and expenditures for 1946 and 1947.		6
	1975		
	Thompson, Syd (encl.) re: list of officers of I.W.A. local 1-217, 1937		3
	1978		
	Editor, The Citizen, Prince George, B.C.		1
	Harris, George		1
	Munro, Jack		2
	Peterson, Nels		1
	"Ray and Lil"		1
	To whom it may concern		1
	1979		
	Brandak, George		
	Massey, Bud		
	Munro, Jack		
	Tattam, Bill		
	1980		
	Editor, St. Catharines Standard		1
	Hewitson, George		1
	Kennedy, Frank		1
	Kinnaird, Jim		1
	Laking, Mayor G.		1
	Tattam, Bill		5
	Waldem, Eleanor (encl.)		2
	1981		
	Brown, President (O.A.P.O.)		1
	Diskin, Lou		1
	Laking, Mayor G.		2
	Lembcke, Jerry		1
	Tattam, Bill		1

SUBJECT FILES

- 1-3 Immigration Hearing, 1945
Record of hearing, Sept. 14, 1945
- 1-4 Immigration to the United States
An extensive file pertaining to his legal status within the United States.
Correspondence ~~included~~ 1936-38 98 items
Major correspondents include:
American Civil Liberties Union, Seattle Branch
Clark, Irving
Committee for Industrial Organization
Pressman, Lee
Federation of Woodworkers
Houghton, Cluck & Coughlin
Weber, E.B.
International Woodworkers of America
Coughlin, Paul
Houghton, Cluck & Coughlin
Orton, O.M.
Prithchett, Harold
United States. Congress. House of Representatives
Coffee, John M.
Leavy, Charles E.
Magnusson, Warren
Wallgren, Mon C.
United States. Congress. Senate
Bone, Homer T.
Schwellenbach, Lewis B.
United States. Department of Labour, Immigration and Naturalization Service
Bonham, Edward
Gowan, B.E.
Proctor, M.
Shaughnessy, E.J.
Shearer, William
Tyler, G.W.
United States Department of Labour, Secretary
Perkins, Frances
United States. Department of State, American Consular Service
Davis, John K., Consul General
- 1-5 Investigation of I.W.A. Loc. 357 Finances:
Record of meeting between special committee and officers of local 357. 1946
Record of proceedings of special committee hearings with regard to affairs of 357. 1946
Final Report 1946
- 1-6 "Liar Case" 1941-42 6 items
Letters (3), and sworn statements (3) pertaining an alleged letter written by Harold Pritchett to the C.C.F. election committee at Bralorne that was critical of the C.C.F. candidate, Harry Archibald, in the Lillooet constituency. Correspondents were E.F. Marston, President, Bralorne Miners Union, Local 271 and Eric Flyger.

SUBJECT FILES

- 1-7 Woodworkers' Industrial Union of Canada
 Constitution: Woodworkers' Industrial Union of Canada 1948
 Minutes: Executive Board Meeting 1950
 Typescripts
 Speaker's notes
 Information about the formation of the W.I.U.C. prepared
 for speakers on the issue. 1948
 What type of Union is best fitted to the needs of Canadian
 Woodworkers? n.d.
- 1-8 MANUSCRIPTS: ADDRESSES, LETTERS, NOTES, AUTOGRAPHS
 Letter to Pacific Tribune (draft) by H. Pritchett n.d.
 Letter to TORONTO SUN re: McKenzie Porter's columns n.d.
 Foreword to a proposed book by Jerry Lembcke and Bill Tatum
 about the IWA by H. Pritchett 1980
 Division the Bosses Weapon (draft) by H. Pritchett n.d.
 A critical review of Our Party Work in Wood by H. Pritchett 1972
 Speech by H. Pritchett at a banquet in Vernon celebrating an
 anniversary of the Bolshevick Revolution. 1980
 Notes on The history of the IWA submitted by H. Pritchett to
 Clay Perry 1978
 Notes on French Canadian workers at Fraser Mills by Harold
 Pritchett [1979]
 Autographs of persons attending Education Committee meeting in
 London Bourough of Hounslow. 1977
- 1-9 BRIEFS
 Legislative proposals submitted by the B.C. Federation of
 Labour to the Premier of British Columbia 1948
 Brief to the British Columbia Royal Commission on Forestry by
 the Labour Progressive Party 1955
- 1-10 ESSAYS
 Undergraduate essays related to the I.W.A. that were sent to
 Harold Pritchett
 Stone, David. "History and Development of the I.W.A." 1973
 Doolan, Allen. "Yellow Dogs and Cold War." 1974
- 1-11 MEMORABILIA
 Delegate ribbons ca. 1937-40
 Delegate ribbons and buttons 1940's
 For IWA and Labour Progressive Conventions
 Menu from banquet of Canadian Congress of Labour 1942
- 1-12 POSTERS
 Print of William Bennett n.d.

- 1-13 SCRAPBOOK ca. 1936-39
 Newsclippings, leaflets, membership cards, convention memorabilia,
 and related material pertaining to activities of Harold Pritchett in
 the Federation of Woodworkers, Lumber and Sawmill Workers Union and the
 I.W.A. the scrapbook pertains mainly to his U.S. activities.
- 1-14 MEMBERSHIP BOOKS AND CARDS
- I.W.A. Membership book of H.J. Pritchett 1940
- I.W.A. Membership book of H.J. Pritchett 1947
- I.W.A. Membership book of H.J. Pritchett 1949
- I.W.A. Membership book of H.J. Pritchett 1937-38
- I.W.A. Membership book of H.J. Pritchett 1938
- Woodworkers Industrial Union of Canada membership book of
 H.J. Pritchett 1949
- Woodworkers Industrial Union of Canada temporary membership
 book of H.J. Pritchett 1948
- American Federation of Labour membership book of H.J. Pritchett 1933/34
- American Federation of Labour membership book and working card
 of H.J. Pritchett 19__?
- Labour Progressive Party membership booklets of H.J. Pritchett 1944-49 6
- Canadian Women's Labour League membership book of _____
 (illegible) Maillardville, B.C. 1931
- Certificate of registration & application for direct relief,
 H.J. Pritchett Maillardville, B.C. 1934
- Anti-Fascist Mobilization Committee membership card of Harold
 Pritchett 1941
- Lumber Workers Industrial Union membership card of Harold
 Pritchett 1932-33
- I.W.A. strikers' registration card issued to Harold Pritchett 1946
- United Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners of America, membership
 card of Harold Pritchett 1936/37
- International Brotherhood of Teamsters Local 31, membership
 card of H.J. Pritchett 1956
- Lumberworkers' Industrial Union of Canada, membership tickets 1932
- International Longshoremen's Union dues receipts 1956-58
- Motor vehicle operator's license State of Washington, H.J.
 Pritchett 1937
- I.D. card for Harold Pritchett to the Legislative Assembly of
 B.C. 1940
- I.D. card issued by the I.W.A. for Harold Pritchett (attached
 to the I.D. cards was a cartoon of John L. Lewis.) n.d.
- Christmas card from the Central Committee, Timber, Paper and
 Wood Workers' Union, Moscow.

PRINTED MATERIAL

1-15

Communist party of Canada

Election pamphlet for Harold Pritchett 1960

Program for Wood 1972

Convention '76 (newsletter) 1976

Power of the People: 50 years of pictorial highlights of the Communist Party of Canada 1971

Communist Party program for the forest industry in British Columbia 1979

Program: 23rd Biennial B.C. Provincial Convention - C.P.C. 1980

1-16

International Woodworkers of America

President's Address 1939

"What do you think" open letter n.d.

I.W.A. information handbook n.d.

I.W.A. "Queen Charlotte loggers forced to strike for bargaining rights." 1943

The I.W.A. wants Master Contract 1939(?)

I.W.A. Report of International Officers to the Fourth Constitutional Convention 1940

"And now the truth about the International Woodworkers of America" n.d.

I.W.A. - C.I.O. What it means to you n.d.

Discussion outline: our trade union job local 1-71 I.W.A. 1971

Report of International President H.J. Pritchett to First Constitutional Convention 1937

Report of the International Secretary-Treasurer Cal Winn to Twelfth Annual Constitutional Conference 1948

To I.W.A. members from John McGuish n.d.

Shall 100,000 wood workers be deprived of their chosen leader? n.d.

Proceedings I.W.A. Local 1-71: special meeting 1948

History of the International Woodworkers of America, annotated. Author unidentified. n.d.

Master agreement; forest products industries, B.C. 1968

Master agreement; forest products industries, B.C. 1970

1-17

Labour Progressive Party

PRINTED MATERIAL

Election poster, Harold Pritchett (in fragments) 1945(?)

C.C.F. Sinks to New Low in Political Opportunism n.d.

A People's Program for Victory - Democracy - Security n.d.

This is Harold Pritchett: Election pamphlet 6 copies 1945

1-18	PRINTED MATERIALS: Miscellaneous	
	National Labour Relations Board Rules and Regulations	1939
	Pamphlet: election pamphlet for Tom Douglas and Leonard Hachey	1934
	Open letter: from Harold Pritchett to all shop stewards re civic elections	n.d.
	Newspaper: <u>B.C. Consumer</u>	1942
	Program: Conference on Constitutional Liberties in America	194_
	Broadsheet: Pegging Wages -- a vicious anti-labour measure by Harold Pritchett	n.d.
	Booklet: Why work for nothing by Herman Schendel	1946
	Leaflet: Plain facts about the Workers' Unity League (encl.) note to Harold Pritchett from "J.M.B."	n.d.
	Booklet: Your rights under the Federal Wage-Hour Law prepared by Congress of Industrial Organization	1939
1-19	PRINTED MATERIAL: Newspaper Clippings	
	Articles on and by Harold Pritchett	1937-78
	"He Belongs to Us"	1937
	"On the Beam" by Harold Pritchett	1976
	"McCarty-eran en fruktansvärd tid" in <u>Pitea-tidningen</u>	1977
	"History is made by little people" <u>The Herald</u>	1978
1-20	PRINTED MATERIAL: Newspaper	1940-43
	Clippings - I.W.A., C.I.O., civic election, labour ads	
1-21	PRINTED MATERIAL: Newspaper	1940s
	Clippings - I.W.A.	
1-22	Newsclippings and magazine articles re murder of Laura Law in 1940	
1-23	PHOTOGRAPHS - (oversize)	
	I.W.A. Delegates to 7th Annual Convention, Canadian Congress of Labour	1947
	I.W.A. Loggers Ball: Vancouver, 1944	
	W.I.U. of Canada Womens Auxiliaries Constituent Convention, Van. 1948	(2) copies
	3rd Annual Provincial Convention Labor Progressive Party, Vancouver	1945
	Canadian Armoured Corps, N.C.O. School - Classes N.10 & N.11 Camp Borden, Ontario	1944
	First Annual Convention, United Fishermen and Allied Workers Union of B.C. Van. B.C.	1945
	W.I.U. Constituent Convention, Van.	1948
	2nd Annual Convention, B.C. Federation of Labour	1945

1-23

Metal Workers Union Locals 1-2-3 1st Annual Picnic - Bowen Island 1941
 W.I.U. Convention (Van) 1948
 Gathering of Union Cavalcade to Ottawa Representing 50,000 strikers 1946
 Portland Convention of Non-Beneficial Affiliates of U.B. of
 C. & J. of A. (United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of
 America 1936
 Delegates - I.W.A. District #1 Convention, Vancouver 1948
 W.I.U. Constituent Convention , Vancouver 1948
 2nd Annual Convention, Canadian Congress of Labour, Hamilton, Ont. 1941
 Unidentified Group (Shop Stewards?) Safety Class Nanaimo n.d.
 2,500 members of local 217 voting against acceptance of _____?

APPENDIX #1

to

HAROLD PRITCHETT PHOTO COLLECTION

(PRITCHETT-IWA COLLECTION)
not personal coll.

Appendix #1 contains photographs from an album and loose photos, one of which is ^glass-framed. The photographs in the album are catalogued by page number and have been removed from the album itself. (It should be noted that the photos found on pages 33 and 51 were found inserted and had not been taped into any specific place. The album covers the history of the I.W.A. local 1-375, New Westminster, from the early 1940's to the early 1960's. (Most of the photographs are from the 1940's.) Roughly, the photographs comprise of: I.W.A. conventions and meetings, the 1946 strike at the Fraser Mills, Vancouver B.C., group portraits of I.W.A. leaders in British Columbia, and various photographs connected in some way to the I.W.A. local, 1-357.

The loose photographs are, in the majority, oversize prints of various I.W.A. conventions, in B.C., Montreal, and the United States. These conventions fall between the dates 1939-1950. Harold Pritchett, as President of the I.W.A. (district 1) attended most of these conferences. Unfortunately many of these photographs have been damaged prior to their arrival at the archives. They are very friable and must be handled with care.

The photographs are numbered BC1845/1-57 and are filed with the BC Historical Photo Collection. The album is stored in the alcove, and there is one glass-framed print stored in oversize.

NB Square brackets are used in this inventory when information (i.e. dates) is guesswork on the part of the cataloguer.

Code: p print/photo
sn small negative
sp small print
e enclosure
o/s oversize

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ALBUM

PAGE ONE

BC1845/1	1946 Strike- strikers standing by railroad crossing near Fraser Mills.	p	1946
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PAGE TWO

BC1845/2	Photo of I.W.A. C.I.O., Local 1-357 C.C.L. Headquarters, New Westminster, B.C.	p	n.d. [1940's]
BC1845/3	[Andy Smith] burning paper at convention. Caption on container reads "Local 1-357 I.W.A. Burns the mortgage".	p	[1940's]

PAGE FIVE

BC1845/4	Unidentified meeting, first names written on photograph.	p	[1940's]
BC1845/5	BC Federation of Labour 9th Annual Convention.	p	[1940's]
BC1845/6	Unidentified meeting/convention, damaged by tape and creased.	o/s	[1940's]
BC1845/7	Unidentified group photo of women at convention.	p	[late 1940's]
BC1845/8	Executive Board of Local 1-357. Names written on photo envelope as recorded in album. Names also written on back of photo. Harold Pritchett, President. (Damaged by tape and crease marks.)	p	1942

PAGE SIX

BC1845/9	Fraser Mills Strike: Workers posing in front of plant, New Westminster, B.C. (Slightly tape-damaged)	p	1946
BC1845/10	Fraser Mills Strike, view of plant and lumber yard. (Slightly damaged by tape)	p	1946

PAGE SEVEN

BC1845/11	Fraser Mills Strike: Men standing by railway crossing. (See also #1)	p	1946
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PAGE EIGHT

BC1845/12	Portrait of Al Wartung, Andy Smith and Stew Alsbury.	p	n.d. [late 1940's]
BC1845/13	Protest march of I.W.A. Local 1-357, New Westminster.	p	1940's

PAGE NINE

BC1845/14	Group photo of I.W.A. leaders one of which is Alsbury. (Damaged- cracking of surface)	p	[1940's]
BC1845/15	Unidentified group photo of male delegates. Stewart Alsbury present.	p	[1940's]
BC1845/16	Convention delegates in Hall, posed group photo. (Slight tape-damage)	o/s	[1940's]

PAGE ELEVEN

BC1845/17	I.W.A. delegates, C.I.O. Convention, Boston, Mass. Information on photo re: names. (Tape-damaged and creased)	p	Oct 13-17 1947
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PAGE ELEVEN CONT'D...

BC1845/18 Vancouver Convention, unidentified delegates. p 1950
(Fading of print, crease marks.)

PAGE FIFTEEN

BC1845/19 I.W.A. Local 1-357, New Westminster's float sp [1954]
for parade, [May-Day?] Men posing.

BC1845/20 I.W.A. Local 1-357, New West. Another view sp [1954]
of float.

PAGE EIGHTEEN

BC1845/21 Photo of Fraser Mills' safety committee, names p [1950's]
on photograph.

PAGE NINETEEN

BC1845/22a-d Four photos of conference and speakers, sp [1950's]
unidentified. Informal.

PAGE TWENTY & TWENTY-ONE

BC1845/23a-d Four photos (One duplicate) of unidentified prints dates on
I.W.A. office workers. (Insignia of prints
International Woodworker, the official 1959-60
publication of I.W.A. on photos.)

PAGE TWENTY-TWO &
TWENTY-THREE

BC1845/24a-c Three photos of Local 1-357 headquarters, prints 1960
New Westminster, B.C. One duplicate.

PAGE TWENTY-FOUR

BC1845/25 Male workers with awards, standing in front p 1959
of mill, Vancouver, B.C.

PAGE TWENTY-FIVE

BC1945/26 C.L.C. Convention, group photo of unidentified p 1960
men, Montreal.

BC1845/27 Conference on Apprenticeship, Vancouver. p Oct. 4
Unidentified men and women. 1962

BC1845/28 I.W.A. Derby, Haney Bar. People fishing p Oct, 1955
on river.

PAGE TWENTY-SEVEN

BC1845/29 Four unidentified men at conference, [possibly p [late 1950's]
I.W.A. officials.]

BC1845/30 Duplicate of #15. In much better condition. p [1940's]

PAGE THIRTY-THREE

BC1845/31 Group photo of men standing in front of p [1940's]
TransCanada airplane, [possibly I.W.A.
delegates.]

BC1845/32 Charlie Spooner, Secretary of plant safety p 1966
committee, handing out Plywood Manufacturers
Association of B.C. Safety award. Names of
other men written on back of photo. Fraser
Mills, Vancouver.

BC1845/33 B.C. Federation of Labour 7th Annual o/s Feb. 2-3,
Convention, C.C.L. Vancouver, B.C. 1952

PAGE THIRTY-THREE CONT'D...

BC1845/34	I.W.A. District 1, Wages and Contracts Conference, Vancouver, B.C. Group photo of men with names on the back of photo. Pritchett standing near Speaker.	o/s	Mar.1/47
BC1845/35	I.W.A.,C.I.O. District No. 1, 7th Annual Convention, New Westminister. (Photograph frayed, faded and creased; in poor condition)	o/s	Jan. 1944
BC1845/36	Pickets at lumber yard. [Fraser Mills, Vancouver.]	p	n.d. [1946]
<u>PAGE THIRTY-NINE</u> BC1845/37	Men at work in mill. [Fraser Mills, Vancouver.]	p	[1940's]
<u>PAGE FORTY-SEVEN</u> BC1845/38	I.W.A. officials, on of which is Stewart Alsbury. Informal group photo.	p	[1960's]
<u>PAGE FIFTY-ONE</u> BC1845/39	Duplicate of #9. Information on back of photograph.	p	1946
BC1845/40	View of I.W.A. local 1-357 headquarters, New Westminister, Vancouver B.C.	p	1960
BC1845/41	Strike at Fraser Mills plant. Workers on protest march.	p	1946
BC1845/42	Local 1-357 I.W.A. soft-ball league. Names on back of photo.	p	1960
BC1845/43	First Hall owned by I.W.A., New Westminister, more information on back of photo.	p	[1960's]
BC1845/44	Local 1-357 Hockey team. (Poor condition, cracking and tape damage.	p	[1960's]

END OF ALBUM

BC1845/45	First conference of the Canadian Committee for Industrial Organization. (Came in small frame, which was removed.) Photo a little faded.	p	Nov 3, 1939
BC1845/46	May Day 1948, Vancouver B.C. Federation of Labour, C.C.L. float. Names on back of photo.	p	1948
BC1845/47	I.W.A. (C.I.O.) District No.1, 7th Annual convention, New Westminister. (Same as #35 but in worse condition- gelatin flaking on 1/4 of photo's surface; badly yellowed.) Pritchett sitting at speakers table, see #35.	o/s	March 11-12 1944

BC1845/48	B.C. Conference, Post War Rehabilitation, Boilermakers Hall, Vancouver B.C. (Sections of photo flaking and yellowed.) Harold Pritchett in photo.	o/s	March 11-12 1944
BC1845/49	International Woodworkers of America, C.I.O. 8th International Convention- Hotel Vancouver Vancouver, B.C. (Print in poor condition- surface peeling from paper, yellowed and cracked.)	o/s	Oct. 24-28 1944
BC1845/50	International Woodworkers of America, C.I.O., 8th International Convention, Hotel Vancouver, Vancouver, B.C. (Print in poor condition: gelatin peeling from paper, yellowed and cracked.) Print notable in that there are black delegates present. Formal dinner scene.	o/s	Oct. 24-28 1944
BC1845/51	BC District Union Convention. Posed group photo of male delegates. Harold Pritchett present.	o/s	Feb. 26-27 1944
BC1845/52	Portrait of four men one of which is Harold Pritchett. (Print curling in frame)	o/s	[1940's]
BC1845/53	W.I.U. of Canada Constituent Convention, Vancouver, B.C. Posed group photo of male and female delegates. Harold Pritchett present.	o/s	Oct. 23-24
BC1845/54	BC Federation of Labour (C.C.L.) 5th annual convention, Vancouver B.C. Male and female delegates posed in front of Bank of Canada. Harold Pritchett present. (Print slightly blurry in spots.)	o/s	Sept. 4-5 1948
BC1845/55	3rd Annual Convention B.C. Federation of Labour (C.C.L.) Vancouver, B.C. Posed male and female delegates. Harold Pritchett present.	o/s	Aug. 10 1946
BC1845/56	2nd Annual Convention, B.C. Fed. of Labour (C.C.L.), Vancouver, B.C. Group photo of posed male and female delegates. Harold Pritchett is present.	o/s	Aug. 4-5 1945
BC1845/57	I.W.A. District No. 1 (C.I.O.), 11th Annual Convention, Vancouver, B.C. Posed group photo of male and female delegates, Harold Pritchett is in group.	o/s	Jan. 3-4 1948

HAROLD PRITCHETT/I.W.A. INVENTORY CONTINUED.....

BC1845/58	International Woodworkers of America (C.I.O.) District Council No. 1, 6th Annual Convention, Vancouver, B.C. Formal group photo in front of old B.C. Electric.	o/s	Jan. 23, 1943
BC1845/59	First Annual Provincial Conference, Workers Educational Association, Vancouver B.C. (Print faded, blurred, and in poor condition) Posed group photo of female and male delegates.	o/s	March, 1945
BC1845/60	I.W.A. District No. 1 (C.I.O.) 11th Annual Convention, Vancouver, B.C. (Same as #57) Print in poor shape. Formal group photo. (Name of group member identified on back of photo.)	o/s	Jan. 3-5 1948
BC1845/61	I.W.A. Woodworkers of America, BC District No. 1. 9th Annual Convention, Vancouver B.C. Harold Pritchett in group. Formal group photo. (In poor condition)	o/s	Jan. 4-6 1946
BC1845/62	I.W.A. Baseball team. Posed group shot. Photo taped and torn on corners.		[1940's]
BC1845/63	Loggers Ball. Informal print of a crowd of men and women in a decorated hall. (Print faded and curled)	o/s	n.d. [1940's]
BC1845/64	I.W.A. Christmas Dance. Crowd of women and men in dance hall. Informal group shot. (Logger's Ball, Hastings Auditorium) More info. written on back of photo.	o/s	1945
BC1845/65	W.I.U. of Canada, Local-71, Vancouver B.C. Special meeting, framed print. Pritchett at speakers table. Formal group photo. (Information on back of frame.)	o/s	Jan. 6th 1949

HAROLD PRITCHETT PHOTO COLLECTION [BC 1529/1-36]

BC HISTORICAL
PHOTOGRAPH NO.

DESCRIPTION

BC 1529/1	Safety Committee meeting, IWA and employers, [1942].
BC 1529/2	Eburne Saw
BC 1529/3	Polecamp [shows five loggers standing with piles of logs].
BC 1529/4	[Polecamp, shows two loggers seated on logs].
BC 1529/5	"Death Stalks The B.C. Woods", [1938].
BC 1529/6	[Logger's funeral], photo by Yucho Chow Studio, Vancouver, B.C., 26 May 1931.
BC 1529/7	[Pallbearers bringing casket to hearst].
BC 1529/8	"BC Federation of Labour Demands..." [shows five BC Fed officials standing in front of a float], May Day 1945 or 1946.
BC 1529/9	[Four IWA officials - identified on back of photo].
BC 1529/10	[Four different IWA officials - three are identified].
BC 1529/11	[Two loggers preparing logs to be loaded on truck. Photo taken in the winter].
BC 1529/12	Mark Mosher and [?].
BC 1529/13	International President [of Women's] Auxiliary, IWA, 1942. Photo taken by Ray Parodi, Milwaukie, Oregon.
BC 1529/14	Ed Laux, International Secretary, 1945. Photo taken by the Photo-Art Commercial Studios, Portland, Oregon.
BC 1529/15	Pacific Mills Camp, South Benthick Arm, 1935.
BC 1529/16	[Group portrait showing various labour union leaders, identified on back of photo, 1938?].
BC 1529/17	Edna Brown, First IWA Aux. President, Van. Island, 1942. Photo taken by Van Dyke Studios.
BC 1529/18	Wm. Green, President of A.F. of L. affixes Union label on Shingles at Huntting-Merritt Lumber Co. Ltd. Mill, Vancouver, B.C.
BC 1529/19	[Photo showing delegates attending the Seventh Annual Convention of the IWA-CIO District Council No.1, 1944].
BC 1529/20	[Portrait of Harold Pritchett], 1967.

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BC HISTORICAL PHOTOGRAPH NO.	DESCRIPTION
BC 1529/21	[Group portrait showing Harold Pritchett, K.Larsen and E.Dalskog, Victoria, 1946].
BC 1529/22	[Portrait of O.M. Orton, Intl. V.P. of IWA].
BC 1529/23	[Group portrait showing H. Bergren, H. Pritchett, E. Dalskog and J. Forbes with WIUC logo at Constituent Convention, Vancouver, 1948].
BC 1529/24	[Logging scene].
BC 1529/25	[Photo of letter from Crowe, Gannasson Co. Ltd., Victoria, B.C. to its employees re: the IWA "power struggle", 10 Feb. 1948].
BC 1529/26	[IWA banquet, Victoria, B.C., 1943], photo taken by the Joncas Studio, Victoria, B.C.
BC 1529/27	[May Day parade, 1947].
BC 1529/28	Western Canadian Log Rolling Champion. B.C. Lumberworker Cup. Ron Bowen, Ladysmith, 1947 winner as well (in white sweatshirt).
BC 1529/29	World Champion Power Saw Buckers. Pacific Tribune Cup. [Photo shows Eric Sandberg, Head Faller; Betty Cooley, Labour Day Queen and IWA member APL Plywoods; and George Voight(?), Machine Man].
BC 1529/30	District convention. Photo by Duncan MacPhail, Victoria, B.C.
BC 1529/31	[Photo of two men cutting a log with a chainsaw].
BC 1529/32 (Oversize)	IWA Annual Loggers Christmas Ball, Vancouver, B.C., 1947. Photo by Sunday Photos.
BC 1529/33 (Oversize)	2nd Constitutional Convention, International Woodworkers of America, ...Seattle, Wn., 1938. Photo by Joe Kneisle.
BC 1529/34 (Oversize)	Intl. Women's Auxiliary of IWA [1940s]. Photo by Ray Parodi, Milwaukie, Oregon.
BC 1529/35 (Oversize)	[Logger's funeral, 1944, logging accident].
BC 1529/36 (Oversize)	[CCL - meeting with Parliament and King, 1943].

APPENDIX #1

to

HAROLD PRITCHETT PHOTO COLLECTION

(HAROLD PRITCHETT/IWA PHOTO COLL.)

Appendix #1 contains photographs from an album and loose photos, one of which is ^glass-framed. The photographs in the album are catalogued by page number and have been removed from the album itself. (It should be noted that the photos found on pages 33 and 51 were found inserted and had not been taped into any specific place. The album covers the history of the I.W.A. local 1-375, New Westminster, from the early 1940's to the early 1960's. (Most of the photographs are from the 1940's.) Roughly, the photographs comprise of: I.W.A. conventions and meetings, the 1946 strike at the Fraser Mills, Vancouver B.C., group portraits of I.W.A. leaders in British Columbia, and various photographs connected in some way to the I.W.A. local, 1-357.

The loose photographs are, in the majority, oversize prints of various I.W.A. conventions, in B.C., Montreal, and the United States. These conventions fall between the dates 1939-1950. Harold Pritchett, as President of the I.W.A. (district 1) attended most of these conferences. Unfortunately many of these photographs have been damaged prior to their arrival at the archives. They are very friable and must be handled with care.

The photographs are numbered BC1845/1-57 and are filed with the BC Historical Photo Collection. The album is stored in the alcove, and there is one glass-framed print stored in oversize.

NB Square brackets are used in this inventory when information (i.e. dates) is guesswork on the part of the cataloguer.

Code: p print/photo
 sn small negative
 sp small print
 e enclosure
 o/s oversize

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BC1845/1	1946 Strike- strikers standing by railroad crossing near Fraser Mills.	p	1946
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BC1845/2	Photo of I.W.A. C.I.O., Local 1-357 C.C.L. Headquarters, New Westminster, B.C.	p	n.d. [1940's]
BC1845/3	[Andy Smith] burning paper at convention. Caption on container reads "Local 1-357 I.W.A. Burns the mortgage".	p	[1940's]

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BC1845/4	Unidentified meeting, first names written on photograph.	p	[1940's]
BC1845/5	BC Federation of Labour 9th Annual Convention.	p	[1940's]
BC1845/6	Unidentified meeting/convention, damaged by tape and creased.	o/s	[1940's]
BC1845/7	Unidentified group photo of women at convention.	p	[late 1940's]
BC1845/8	Executive Board of Local 1-357. Names written on photo envelope as recorded in album. Names also written on back of photo. Harold Pritchett, President. (Damaged by tape and crease marks.)	p	1942

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BC1845/9	Fraser Mills Strike: Workers posing in front of plant, New Westminster, B.C. (Slightly tape-damaged)	p	1946
BC1845/10	Fraser Mills Strike, view of plant and lumber yard. (Slightly damaged by tape)	p	1946

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BC1845/11	Fraser Mills Strike: Men standing by railway crossing. (See also #1)	p	1946
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BC1845/12	Portrait of Al Wartung, Andy Smith and Stew Alsbury.	p	[n.d.] [late 1940's]
BC1845/13	Protest march of I.W.A. Local 1-357, New Westminster.	p	1940's

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BC1845/14	Group photo of I.W.A. leaders one of which is Alsbury. (Damaged- cracking of surface)	p	[1940's]
BC1845/15	Unidentified group photo of male delegates. Stewart Alsbury present.	p	[1940's]
BC1845/16	Convention delegates in Hall, posed group photo. (Slight tape-damage)	o/s	[1940's]

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BC1845/17	I.W.A. delegates, C.I.O. Convention, Boston, Mass. Information on photo re: names. (Tape-damaged and creased)	p	Oct 13-17 1947
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BC1845/18 Vancouver Convention, unidentified delegates. p 1950
(Fading of print, crease marks.)

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BC1845/19 I.W.A. Local 1-357, New Westminster's float sp [1954]
for parade, [May-Day?] Men posing.

BC1845/20 I.W.A. Local 1-357, New West. Another view sp [1954]
of float.

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BC1845/21 Photo of Fraser Mills safety committee, names p [1950's]
on photograph.

PAGE NINETEEN

BC1845/22a-d Four photos of conference and speakers, sp [1950's]
unidentified. Informal.

PAGE TWENTY & TWENTY-ONE

BC1845/23a-d Four photos (One duplicate) of unidentified prints dates on
I.W.A. office workers. (Insignia of prints
International Woodworker, the official 1959-60
publication of I.W.A. on photos.)

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TWENTY-THREE

BC1845/24a-c Three photos of Local 1-357 headquarters, prints 1960
New Westminster, B.C. One duplicate.

PAGE TWENTY-FOUR

BC1845/25 Male workers with awards, standing in front p 1959
of mill, Vancouver, B.C.

PAGE TWENTY-FIVE

BC1845/26 C.L.C. Convention, group photo of unidentified p 1960
men, Montreal.

BC1845/27 Conference on Apprenticeship, Vancouver. p Oct. 4
Unidentified men and women. 1962

BC1845/28 I.W.A. Derby, Haney Bar. People fishing p Oct, 1955
on river.

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BC1845/29 Four unidentified men at conference, [possibly p [late 1950's]
I.W.A. officials.]

BC1845/30 Duplicate of #15. In much better condition. p [1940's]

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BC1845/31 Group photo of men standing in front of p [1940's]
TransCanada airplane, [possibly I.W.A.
delegates.]

BC1845/32 Charlie Spooner, Secretary of plant safety p 1966
committee, handing out Plywood Manufacturers
Association of B.C. Safety award. Names of
other men written on back of photo. Fraser
Mills, Vancouver.

BC1845/33 B.C. Federation of Labour 7th Annual o/s Feb. 2-3,
Convention, C.C.L. Vancouver, B.C. 1952

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BC1845/34	I.W.A. District 1, Wages and Contracts Conference, Vancouver, B.C. Group photo of men with names on the back of photo. Pritchett standing near Speaker.	o/s	Mar.1/47
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BC1845/35	I.W.A.,C.I.O. District No. 1, 7th Annual Convention, New Westminister. (Photograph frayed, faded and creased; in poor condition)	o/s	Jan. 1944
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BC1845/36	Pickets at lumber yard. [Fraser Mills, Vancouver.]	p	n.d. [1946]
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BC1845/37	Men at work in mill. [Fraser Mills, Vancouver.]	p	[1940's]
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BC1845/38	I.W.A. officials, on of which is Stewart Alsbury. Informal group photo.	p	[1960's]
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BC1845/39	Duplicate of #9. Information on back of photograph.	p	1946
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BC1845/40	View of I.W.A. local 1-357 headquarters, New Westminister, Vancouver B.C.	p	1960
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BC1845/41	Strike at Fraser Mills plant. Workers on protest march.	p	1946
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BC1845/42	Local 1-357 I.W.A. soft-ball league. Names on back of photo.	p	1960
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BC1845/43	First Hall owned by I.W.A., New Westminister, more information on back of photo.	p	[1960's]
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BC1845/44	Local 1-357 Hockey team. (Poor condition, cracking and tape damage.	p	[1960's]
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BC1845/45	First conference of the Canadian Committee for Industrial Organization. (Came in small frame, which was removed.) Photo a little faded.	p	Nov 3, 1939
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BC1845/46	May Day 1948, Vancouver B.C. Federation of Labour, C.C.L. float. Names on back of photo.	p	1948
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BC1845/47	I.W.A. (C.I.O.) District No.1, 7th Annual convention, New Westminister. (Same as #35 but in worse condition- gelatin flaking on 1/4 of photo's surface; badly yellowed.) Pritchett sitting at speakers table, see #35.	o/s	March 11-12 1944
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BC1845/48	B.C. Conference, Post War Rehabilitation, Boilermakers Hall, Vancouver B.C. (Sections of photo flaking and yellowed.) Harold Pritchett in photo.	o/s	March 11-12 1944
BC1845/49	International Woodworkers of America, C.I.O. 8th International Convention- Hotel Vancouver Vancouver, B.C. (Print in poor condition- surface peeling from paper, yellowed and cracked.)	o/s	Oct. 24-28 1944
BC1845/50	International Woodworkers of America, C.I.O., 8th International Convention, Hotel Vancouver, Vancouver, B.C. (Print in poor condition: gelatin peeling from paper, yellowed and cracked.) Print notable in that there are black delegates present. Formal dinner scene.	o/s	Oct. 24-28 1944
BC1845/51	BC District Union Convention. Posed group photo of male delegates. Harold Pritchett present.	o/s	Feb. 26-27 1944
BC1845/52	Portrait of four men one of which is Harold Pritchett. (Print curling in frame)	o/s	[1940's]
BC1845/53	W.I.U. of Canada Constituent Convention, Vancouver, B.C. Posed group photo of male and female delegates. Harold Pritchett present.	o/s	Oct. 23-24
BC1845/54	BC Federation of Labour (C.C.L.) 5th annual convention, Vancouver B.C. Male and female delegates posed in front of Bank of Canada. Harold Pritchett present. (Print slightly blurry in spots.)	o/s	Sept. 4-5 1948
BC1845/55	3rd Annual Convention B.C. Federation of Labour (C.C.L.) Vancouver, B.C. Posed male and female delegates. Harold Pritchett present.	o/s	Aug. 10 1946
BC1845/56	2nd Annual Convention, B.C. Fed. of Labour (C.C.L.), Vancouver, B.C. Group photo of posed male and female delegates. Harold Pritchett is present.	o/s	Aug. 4-5 1945
BC1845/57	I.W.A. District No. 1 (C.I.O.), 11th Annual Convention, Vancouver, B.C. Posed group photo of male and female delegates, Harold Pritchett is in group.	o/s	Jan. 3-4 1948

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BC1845/58	International Woodworkers of America (C.I.O.) District Council No. 1, 6th Annual Convention, Vancouver, B.C. Formal group photo in front of old B.C. Electric.	o/s	Jan. 23, 1943
BC1845/59	First Annual Provincial Conference, Workers Educational Association, Vancouver B.C. (Print faded, blurred, and in poor condition) Posed group photo of female and male delegates.	o/s	March, 1945
BC1845/60	I.W.A. District No. 1 (C.I.O.) 11th Annual Convention, Vancouver, B.C. (Same as #57) Print in poor shape. Formal group photo. (Name of group member identified on back of photo.)	o/s	Jan. 3-5 1948
BC1845/61	I.W.A. Woodworkers of America, BC District No. 1. 9th Annual Convention, Vancouver B.C. Harold Pritchett in group. Formal group photo. (In poor condition)	o/s	Jan. 4-6 1946
BC1845/62	I.W.A. Baseball team. Posed group shot. Photo taped and torn on corners.		[1940's]
BC1845/63	Loggers Ball. Informal print of a crowd of men and women in a decorated hall. (Print faded and curled)	o/s	n.d. [1940's]
BC1845/64	I.W.A. Christmas Dance. Crowd of women and men in dance hall. Informal group shot. (Logger's Ball, Hastings Auditorium) More info. written on back of photo.	o/s	1945
BC1845/65	W.I.U. of Canada, Local-71, Vancouver B.C. Special meeting, framed print. Pritchett at speakers table. Formal group photo. (Information on back of frame.)	o/s	Jan. 6th 1949