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# Koyama family fonds

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## Summary information

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**Repository:** University of Victoria Special Collections and University Archives

**Title:** Koyama family fonds

**ID:** SC504

**Date:** 1910-1979 (date of creation)

**Physical description:** 0.33 m of textual records and other materials.

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## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

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### Note

The Koyama family was a Japanese-Canadian family from Victoria, B.C.

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## Scope and content

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The fonds consists of a family photographs and documents. Also includes an English-Japanese Dictionary.

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## Notes

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### Title notes

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

### Immediate source of acquisition

Gift of Fay Koyama Ishii, 2015.

### Accruals

2015-064

### Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
- **Physical description:** Includes 33 photographs.

## Access points

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- Graphic material (documentary form)
  - Textual record (documentary form)
  - photographs (documentary form)
  - documents (object genre) (documentary form)
  - foreign-language dictionaries (documentary form)
  - Photographs (subject)
  - Japanese Canadians--History--20th century (subject)
  - Japanese Canadians--British Columbia--History (subject)
  - British Columbia--Victoria (place)
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## Collection holdings

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### Series: SC504-2015-064 - Photographs, Documents

Title: Photographs, Documents

ID: SC504-2015-064

Date: 1910-1979 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The accrual consists of a family photographs and documents. Also includes an English-Japanese Dictionary.

Physical description: 0.33 m.

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Graphic material (documentary form)
  - Textual record (documentary form)
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### File: SC504-2015-064-1.1 - Photographs

Title: Photographs

ID: SC504-2015-064-1.1

Date: 1910-1979 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The file consists of photographs of Takata Garden (Sept 11, 1937); group photo including grandmother Kiyoko Lydia Koyama, father Kanagashira Denis Yamasaki, mother Fusako Grace Koyama (June 1935); Japanese naval officers (June 1935); Beacon Hill Park or Dunsmuir Garden (June 1935); Japanese naval ship's officers, mother Fusako Grace Koyama, her mother Kiyoko Lydia Koyama, Mr. Kusumi at Dunsmuir Garden (June 1935); children and teachers in front of the Oriental Home (Dec 25, 1910); a group picture (undated, unknown location); portrait of a family friend (possibly Michi Ashikawa); Kiyoko Lydia Koyama and "Betten" Scott (pre 1942 photo); Mrs. Scott (1957); Mrs. Scott (1951); Mrs. Scott in kimono (1952); "Betten" Scott in kimono, Hatsu Oyede (Aug 1937); Moyie (ship); group photo of some of the Victoria ladies including Mrs. Takata, Mrs. Morita, and grandmother Koyama, Grandfather Shiromatsu Harry Koyama with Herb & May Parker, Mary Pim, Barbara and friend Ruby Gruen, John and Mary Pimm (1963); Grace Fusako Koyama and May Parker (1979). May & Herb, King George VI and Queen walking on a visit, King George VI and Queen riding on a convertible, King George VI and Queen on a train, Victoria's May Day Parade marching band in kilts (May 14, 1937); floats with bicycle on top (May 14, 1937); "Watch Saanich Grow" float (May 14, 1937); "Native Sons of BC" float (May 14, 1937); float in front of F.W. Woolworth (May 14, 1937); Japanese float (May 14, 1937); boat float (May 14, 1937); George Uyede's funeral (July 31, 1959); football meet (pre WWII); Japanese lumber men (Duncan).

Physical description: 1 file.

Publication status:

Published

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**File: SC504-2015-064-1.2 - Japanese Dictionary and other booklets**

Title: Japanese Dictionary and other booklets

ID: SC504-2015-064-1.2

Date: 1928-1935 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The file includes a Japanese directory published by Taiyo Printing Co. Ltd, Vancouver in July 1935, which belonged to Kanagashira Denis Koyama (nee Yamasaki), a Shorter Catechism, and a member's card for the scripture union belonging Grace Koyama.

Physical description: 1 file.

Publication status:

Published

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**File: SC504-2015-064-1.3 - Inoye's English-Japanese Dictionary**

Title: Inoye's English-Japanese Dictionary

ID: SC504-2015-064-1.3

Date: 1915 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The file includes a dictionary that belonged to Hatsu Henmi, mother of Cindy Eiko Henmi and Koyama family friend.

Physical description: 1 file.

Publication status:

Published

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