

<b>Title:</b>	Standard Broadcasting Corporation Fonds, 1980-1984, n.d.		
<b>Creator:</b>	Ontario Editorial Bureau		
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<b>Summary of Contents:</b>	<p><b>Correspondence and Clippings, 1980-1984</b></p> <p>1.1 CKTB and CJQR-FM may be sold to Standard Broadcasting. Three names are proposed for potential candidates for the new board of the CKTB company. The three names include: Mackenzie A. Chown, Gordon Godwin and Harold Nash, 1980</p> <p>1.2 Included is an address by Don Hartford, President of the Radio Division, Standard Broadcasting Corporation to the St. Catharines District Chamber of Commerce. Four St. Catharines residents will be directors of a company that may run CKTB and CJQR-FM for Standard Broadcasting Corporation. The local directors are: Henry Burgoyne, Mary Burgoyne, Mac Chown and Harold Nash. Standard Broadcasting is applying to the CRTC for the 540 wave-length frequency from Ottawa. Grimsby tries to stop the installation of 8 one hundred foot high radio towers on agricultural land, 1981</p> <p>1.3 A communications program for CFRB is included in this file. Pay-TV is discussed and the purchase of radio stations CKTB and CJQR-FM by the Standard Broadcasting Corporation is approved by the Canadian Radio-Television Telecommunications Commission, 1981</p> <p>1.4 Included is a brief history of CKTB, St. Catharines. Mary Burgoyne steps down as president and general manager of Radio Stations CKTB and CJQR-FM. A biographical sketch of Mary Burgoyne is provided. Don Hartford is named as Broadcaster of the Year. CFRB celebrates its 55<sup>th</sup> birthday. Oak Hill Mansion is re-named William Hamilton Merritt Broadcasting House, 1981</p> <p>1.5 David Lyman former vice-president and general manager of CJRN is appointed as regional vice-president and general manager of WBUF-FM in Buffalo. St. Catharines Mayor Roy Adams does a one hour a week radio show. CFRB announces that 3 top metro sports reporters have joined their staff. A new feature called <i>Byline</i> is introduced, 1982</p> <p>1.6 Radio towers are delayed at Grimsby as they face opposition again. Satellite technology opens up the door to a variety of radio programming, 1982</p> <p>1.7 Jackie Rae of the Canadian Talent Library is interviewed regarding Canadian Talent Library's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary. CKTB broadcasts Midnight</p>		

	<p>Mass from St. Catherine's Cathedral. This makes broadcasting history in English Canada, 1982</p> <p>1.8 A memorial is prepared by the Ontario Editorial Bureau on the death of Bob Reinhart, CKTB manager. Pat Kiely is appointed as vice-president and station manager of CKTB/CJQR-FM. Standard Broadcasting announces that it has acquired a 55 per cent interest in a new cable television system in the West San Fernando Valley area of Los Angeles. Mackenzie Chown, former mayor dies. Standard Broadcasting acquires a cable television system serving Gatineau, Buckingham and Masson, Quebec, 1983</p> <p>1.9 John Michael, a "talk king" with CJRN moves to 610/CKTB, 1983</p> <p>1.10 Grimsby gets radio towers and must make up the cost of the services to go with the towers. Peter Shurman is appointed as President of the Radio Division of Standard Broadcasting Corporation, 1984</p> <p><b>Publications and Flyers, 1980-1983</b></p> <p>1.11 Annual Report from Standard Broadcasting Corporation, <i>Listen Here</i> from CFRB 1010, Toronto, <i>Adnews</i> and a flyer on the re-naming of Oak Hill Mansion to William Hamilton Merritt Broadcasting House, 1980-1983</p> <p><b>Photos, n.d.</b></p> <p>1.12 Photographs of Patrick J. Kiely, Joel Thompson, Kevin Jaye, Wayne MacLure, Gary Hall, Jack Dawson, Frank Proctor, Don Hetherington, Al Van Alstine, Bob Reinhart and Brian MacDonald, 11 b&amp;w photos, 4 b&amp;w contact sheets, n.d.</p>
<p><b>Physical Description / Condition:</b></p>	<p>15 cm. (1/2box) containing correspondence and promotional material, 11 b&amp;w photos and 4 b&amp;w contact sheets</p>
<p><b>Administrative/ Biographical Sketch</b></p>	<p>Edward S. Rogers and his brother Elsworth founded Standard Radio Manufacturing in 1925. In 1927, Rogers obtained an experimental license for 9RB which was the world's first broadcasting system operating from power lines without batteries. 9RB became CFRB. The RB stands for Rogers Batteryless. The name which had changed to Rogers Vacuum Tube Company in 1925, later became Rogers Majestic Corporation. In 1941, it was renamed Standard Radio. The Argus Corporation purchased the company in 1945 and the name changed to Standard Broadcasting. In</p>

	<p>1961, Standard purchased CJAD-Am, Montreal and in 1962, CJFM-FM of Montreal was launched. In 1980, the CRTC approved the purchase of CKTB-AM and CJQR-AM, St. Catharines. Argus was acquired by Conrad Black and his brother Montague who sold it to J. Allan Slaight in 1985 when the company was merged into Slaight Broadcasting.</p>		
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