

Title:	Ivan S. Brookes Fonds		
Creator:	Brookes, Ivan S., d. 1993		
Dates of Material:	1824, 1826, 1828, 1881, 1890, 1893-1894, 1896, 1931, 1934, 1936, 1942, 1945, 1952, 1954, 1956-1966, 1968, 1970-1972, 1974-1976, 1978, 1988, 1997, n.d.	Record Group Number:	RG 182
Summary of Contents:	<p>Series I. Albums, n.d.</p> <p>3.1 Grand River Navigation Co., n.d. ; includes clippings, postcards, and photographs</p> <p>3.2 [Ottawa River Navigation], n.d.; including clippings, postcards, and photographs</p> <p>3.3 St. Lawrence, the Gulf, Vol. 5, n.d.; including clippings, postcards, and photographs</p> <p>3.4 Trent Canal Vol. 1, n.d.; including clippings, postcards, and photographs</p> <p>3.5 [Trent Canal Vol. 2], n.d.; including clippings, postcards, and photographs</p> <p>Series II. Negatives, 1894, 1934, 1942, 1952, 1954, 1956-1959, 1962, 1970, 1972, 1997, n.d.; includes photographs and slides [No. of negatives are noted in parenthesis]</p> <p>1.1 Beauharnois Canal [1]</p> <p>1.2-1.18 Carillon Canal [26]</p> <p>1.19-1.41 Chambly Canal [28]</p> <p>1.42-1.43 Chute a Bondeau Canal [3]</p> <p>1.43-1.56 Cornwall Canal [13]</p> <p>1.57-1.58 Desjardin Canal [7]</p> <p>1.59-1.129 Erie Canal; includes Champlain Canal, Genessee Valley Canal [78]</p> <p>1.130-1.132 Galops Canal [3]</p> <p>1.138-1.148 Grand River Navigation [26]</p> <p>1.149-1.159 Grenville Canal [11]</p> <p>1.160-1.207 Hamilton, includes Desjardin Canal, various industries [Many damaged negatives] [60]</p> <p>1.208-1.209 Lachine Canal [2]</p> <p>1.210-1.213 Murray Canal [5]</p> <p>1.214-1.215 Rapide Plat Canal [2]</p> <p>1.216-1.258 Rideau Canal, 1954, n.d. [48]</p> <p>1.259-1.261 Sainte Anne de Bellevue Canal [4]</p> <p>2.1-2.7 Soulanges Canal, 1954, n.d. [8]</p> <p>2.8-2.122 Trent-Severn Canal, 1952, 1954, 1956, 1958, n.d. [128]</p> <p>2.123-2.165 Various Cities, Ontario and Quebec, 1942, 1952, 1957,</p>		

	<p>1959, 1970, 1972, n.d. [51]</p> <p>2.166-2.203 Various Ships, 1894, 1934, 1959, 1962, 1997, n.d.; includes portrait of Edward Zealand, Jr. d. 1880. Also includes 2 b&w photographs, 5 slides. [35]</p> <p>2.204-2.228 Second Welland Canal, n.d.[27]</p> <p>2.229-2.271 Third Welland Canal, n.d.; also includes canal towns [55]</p> <p>Series III. Research materials, 1824, 1826, 1828, 1881, 1890, 1893-1894, 1896, 1931, 1936, 1945, 1952, 1954, 1956-1966, 1968, 1971, 1974-1976, 1978, 1988, n.d.</p> <p>3.6 Early industries, n.d.; includes mining, logging and lumbering, gas, and water. Also includes biographical information on John Proctor of Hamilton. Includes clippings, personal notes and research, correspondence, and photographs, including Lock 3, 2nd Welland Canal [18 b&w photographs]</p> <p>3.7 Gypsum mining, n.d.; includes clippings, personal notes and research</p> <p>3.8 List of shipbuilders in Ontario, n.d.; includes list of ships built by Tate (or Tait)</p> <p>3.9 Maritime shipping, 1945, n.d.; includes researches notes and prints [Photographs: 1 b&w]</p> <p>3.10 Navigation above Ottawa, n.d.; includes research notes on various canals, 5 b&w photographs, clippings and prints</p> <p>3.11 Photographs and clippings, 1952, 1964-1965, 1968, 1976, n.d.; includes images of ships and lighthouses [9 b&w photographs]</p> <p>3.12 Photographs and clippings, 1931, 1945, 1954, 1956, 1958-1963, 1965-1966, n.d.; includes images of ships, some are marked dup[licate] [45 b&w photographs]</p> <p>3.13 Research notes, clippings, photographs on industry, ships, shipbuilding, 1824, 1826, 1828, 1881, 1890, 1893-1894, 1896, 1960, 1963, 1965, 1971, 1974-1976, 1978, 1988, n.d. [Photographs: 24 b&w, 1 col., 3 negatives (b&w)]</p> <p>3.14 Research notes and clippings on shipbuilding centres in Ontario, 1916-1917, 1928-1929, 1942-1944, n.d.</p> <p>3.15 Shipping casualties, 1870-1971</p> <p>3.16 St. Lawrence Waterway, 1936, 1957, 1959, 1971, n.d.; includes clippings, maps, 1 b&w photograph, postcard and prints</p>
<p>Physical Description / Condition:</p>	<p>Fonds consists of albums, negatives, photographs and textual records created by Ivan S. Brookes. Negatives have been arranged according to subject and are arranged alphabetically in two boxes. See inventory list for details.</p> <p>4 albums; 28.5 x 22 cm 7 cm of textual records. 624 negatives : b&w 104 photographs : b&w and col. 5 slides : col.</p>

Administrative/ Biographical Sketch	Ivan S. Brookes, a resident of Hamilton, Ont., was a marine historian, writer and photographer. His research interests were in the early navigation of the Great Lakes. In 1973 he published <i>The Lower St. Lawrence</i> about navigation in and around the lower St. Lawrence river area. In 1985 the Marine Historical Society of Detroit declared him Marine Historian of the Year for his body of work on Great Lakes maritime history. Ivan S. Brookes passed away on May 19, 1993 at the age of 77.
Location:	Brock University Archives
Source Information:	Custodial history is unknown.
Subject Headings:	650 Grand River Navigation Company. 650 Trent-Severn Waterway (Ont.) xHistory vPictorial works. 650 Welland Canal (Ont.) xHistory vPictorial works. 650 Rideau Canal (Ont.) xHistory xPictorial works. 650 Hamilton (Ont.) xHistory xPictorial works. 650 Grenville (Ont. : County) xHistory. 650 Erie Canal (N.Y.) xHistory xPictorial works.
Added Entries:	651 St. Catharines (Ont.) xHistory vPictorial works. 651 Hamilton (Ont.) xHistory xPictorial works.
Related material held at other repositories:	Maritime History of the Great Lakes http://www.maritimehistoryofthegreatlakes.ca/ Special Collections, Hamilton Public Library Bowling Green State University – Centre for Archival Collections
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