

**Inventory of the
Forest History Society Manuscript
Collection, circa 1880 - 1995**



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Descriptive Summary

Title:	Forest History Society Manuscript Collection,
Dates:	circa 1880 - 1995
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Abstract:	<p>The Forest History Society (FHS) is a 501(c)3 nonprofit educational institution that links the past to the future by identifying, collecting, preserving, interpreting, and disseminating information on the history of interactions between people, forests, and their related resources -- timber, water, soil, forage, fish and wildlife, recreation, and scenic or spiritual values. Through programs in research, publication, and education, the Society promotes and rewards scholarship in the fields of forest, conservation, and environmental history. FHS houses a comprehensive compilation of materials related to forest history in the Alvin J. Huss Archives, which contain the records of industry and conservation organizations worldwide, and the Carl A. Weyerhaeuser Library, which contains than 9,000 volumes.</p> <p>The collection includes correspondence, drafts of articles, speeches, reports, handbooks, clippings, memoirs, surveyors' notebooks, miscellaneous booklets and other printed items, relating to the lumber industry and to forestry and conservation in the United States, Canada, and the world. Includes some editorial material relating to the <i>Journal of Forest History</i>, but is largely small lots of material collected from various sources.</p>
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Historical Note

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Collection Arrangement

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Restrictions

Access Restrictions

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Subject Headings

Forest conservation -- Canada
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Forest History Society
Forests and forestry -- Canada
Forests and forestry -- Canada
Journal of forest history
Lumber trade

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Detailed Description of the Collection

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