

## JHSSA DESCRIPTIVE LEVEL RECORD

**TITLE:** Calgary Jewish Welfare Fund fonds

**No.:** JWF

**DATE RANGE:** 1956-1957

**EXTENT:** .5cm of textual records

### **ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY:**

One of the principal aims of the Calgary Jewish Welfare Fund -- one of many Jewish Welfare Funds throughout North America -- was to solicit and distribute charitable funds, primarily within the Calgary Jewish community. Recipient agencies including the House of Israel Association, Calgary Hebrew School and I.L. Peretz Institute, as well as the Jewish orphanage and "Old Folks Home" in Winnipeg.

The organization had both Women's and Men's Divisions, and early presidents included Ben Pearlman, Al Rubin, and Newton Zemans.

### **SCOPE AND CONTENT:**

The fonds consists of mailings and stationery from Calgary Jewish Welfare Fund.

**SOURCE OF TITLE:** title from content of fonds

**SOURCE OF ACQUISITION:** [unknown]

**ACCESS CONDITIONS:** no restrictions on access

**ASSOCIATED RECORDS:** Glenbow Museum

**ACCRUALS:** no further accruals expected

**RELATED GROUPS OF RECORDS:** Calgary Jewish Federation (UJA)