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MARGARET H. BROWN. – 1917-1975, predominant 1917-1965. – 1.08 m of textual records. – 51 photographs.

Margaret H. Brown, (1887-1956) had a distinguished teaching, writing, and publishing career in Shanghai, Hong Kong and West China. She was born in Tiverton, Ontario, in 1887. She taught for about four years before being appointed by the Presbyterian Church in Canada to teach in China. She held the degrees M.A. and B.Paed., retired in 1956, and died in 1978.

Fonds consists of two series: 1) Personal Papers, 1917-1975, 2) Photographs, 1955.

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Series contains Margaret Brown’s photographs from her time as a missionary and teacher at the Hip Woh School, Wesley Village, and Haven of Hope Sanatorium in Hong Kong, 1955.

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