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Summary Information

Repository:	Northeast Archives of Folklore and Oral History
Title:	Northeast Harbor Library Oral History Collection
ID:	MF043
ID [aspace_uri]:	/repositories/5/resources/2958
Date [inclusive]:	1972-1984
Physical Description:	11 items
Language of the Material:	English .
Material Specific Details:	Audio files are the primary source material. Transcriptions are the transcriber's best effort to convert audio to text, but should be considered secondary to the audio.
Note:	Open to Collaborate Notice



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Interviewee last name, interviewee first name. Year. NA[unique series identification number], MF043, NAFOH. Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections Department, University of Maine, Orono, Maine.

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Scope and Contents

A series of interviews about life in Northeast Harbor and the surrounding areas.

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Publication Statement

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Existence and Location of Originals

Located at the American Folklife Center at the Library of Congress: AFC 2012/047 <https://lccn.loc.gov/2013655211>.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Oral histories
- Folklore
- Maine
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)

Collection Note

These accessions were brought to the Northeast Archives by Pamela Dean. They are copies of tape-recorded interviews about the history of Northeast Harbor, Maine, and are from the Northeast Harbor Library's oral history collection. They provided part of the source material for Dean's M.A. Thesis, "Us and Them: An Oral History of Life on the Summer Estates in Coastal Hancock County, Maine." University of Maine, 1984. See also MF 119 "Us and Them" Summer Estates Collection. For access, contact Northeast Harbor Library.

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Collection Inventory

MF 043, Collection Summary

Title/Description	Instances
MF 043, Collection Summary, undated Digital Object: MF 043, Collection Summary	Text MF 043

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Samuel Eliot Morison, interviewed by the Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Source: Morison, Samuel Eliot, 1887-1976

Abstract: NA1724 Samuel Eliot Morison, interviewed by the Northeast Harbor Library, October 10, 1973, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 5 pp. Tape: 1/2 hr. Morison talks about his childhood summers in Northeast Harbor; daily activities; natives he knew; life at the hotels; history of Mount Desert Island. Also included: copy of an article in Downeast Magazine based on the tape as edited by Gunnar Hanson. RESTRICTED. Text: 6 pp. copy of article; 1 pp. transcript excerpt. Recording: T 1843 / CD 0962 32 minutes.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Summer schools -- Maine
- Morison, Samuel Eliot, 1887-1976

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Natalie Pierrepont interviewed by Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Source: Pierrepont, Natalie

Abstract: NA1788 Natalie Pierrepont interviewed by Northeast Harbor Library, August 1972, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 5 pp. Tape: 1/4 hr. w/ cat. Copy of interview (Tape C-9) with Pierrepont about childhood summers in Bar Harbor; buying and restoring homes in Northeast Harbor. RESTRICTED. Text: catalog. Recording: T1875 1/4 hour. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Bar Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Pierrepont, Natalie

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Georgiana "Harper" Sibley, interviewed by Julia Fairchild

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Fairchild, Julia

Creator: Sibley, Georgiana "Harper"

Abstract: NA1789 Georgiana "Harper" Sibley, interviewed by Julia Fairchild, August 1972, Northeast Harbor, Maine. Sibley talks about her childhood summers in Bar Harbor, Maine. 3 pp. Tape: 1/4 hr. w/ brief cat. Copy of Northeast Harbor Library oral history tape C-9. RESTRICTED. Text: 2 pp. brief catalog. Recording: T 1876 15 minutes. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Bar Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)

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Julia Fairchild, Elizabeth Gardner, and Mary Peabody, interviewed by Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Source: Fairchild, Julia

Source: Gardner, Elizabeth

Source: Peabody, Mary

Abstract: NA1790 Julia Fairchild, Elizabeth Gardner, and Mary Peabody, interviewed by Northeast Harbor Library, July 1973, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 4 pp. Tape: 1/2 hr. w/ brief cat. Copy of Northeast Harbor Library interview (Tape C-3) with Fairchild, Gardner, and Peabody about summer social life; houses and shops in Northeast Harbor at the turn of the century. RESTRICTED. Text: brief catalog. Recording: T 1877 1/2 hour. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me) -- Social Life and Customs
- Fairchild, Julia
- Gardner, Elizabeth
- Peabody, Mary

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Virginia Fitch, interviewed by Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Source: Fitch, Virginia (Ralph), 1902-1990

Abstract: NA1791 Virginia Fitch, interviewed by Northeast Harbor Library, spring 1984, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 5 pp. Tape: 1/2 hr. w/ partial cat. Copy of Northeast Harbor Library interview (Tape C-10) with Fitch, about early Northeast Harbor residents; history of the summer colony; St. Mary's Church; stories about Bishop Doane, Nathan Fennelly and Josephine Ober. RESTRICTED. Text: partial catalog. Recording: T 1878 1/2 hour. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me) -- Social Life and Customs
- Fitch, Virginia (Ralph), 1902-1990
- Doane, Bishop
- Fennelly, Nathan
- Ober, Josephine

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Elizabeth Gardner, interviewed by Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Source: Gardner, Elizabeth

Abstract: NA1792 Elizabeth Gardner, interviewed by Northeast Harbor Library, spring 1984, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 14 pp. Tape: 1 hr. w/ partial cat. Copy of Northeast Harbor Library interview (Tape C-16) with Gardner, granddaughter of Bishop Doane, founding member of the Northeast Harbor summer colony, discussing her childhood summers in Northeast Harbor. RESTRICTED. Text: partial catalog. Recording: T 1879 1 hour.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me) -- Social Life and Customs
- Gardner, Elizabeth
- Doane, Bishop

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Malcolm Graves (also known as Joe Green), interviewed by Pamela Dean

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Dean, Pamela

Source: Graves, Malcolm

Abstract: NA1793 Malcolm Graves (also known as Joe Green), interviewed by Pamela Dean, spring 1984, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 2 pp. Tape: 1/2 hr. No cat, or trans. Copy of Northeast Harbor Library interview (Tape C-17) with Graves in 1977 about his rum running activities during the Prohibition years on Mount Desert Island. RESTRICTED. Text: no catalog or transcription. Recording: T 1880 1/2 hour. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me) -- Social Life and Customs
- Alcohol trafficking -- Maine
- Graves, Malcolm

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Mary Holmes, interviewed by Pamela Dean

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Dean, Pamela

Source: Holmes, Mary

Abstract: NA1794 Mary Holmes, interviewed by Pamela Dean, spring 1984, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 2 pp. Tape: 1/2 hr. No cat, or trans. Copy of Northeast Harbor Library interview (Tape C-11). Holmes, a longtime resident of Mount Desert Island and Northeast Harbor, talks about life, houses, and stores on the Island in the early 1900s. RESTRICTED. Text: no catalog or transcription. Recording: T 1881 1/2 hour. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me) -- Social Life and Customs
- Holmes, Mary

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Robert L. Smallidge, interviewed by Pamela Dean

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Dean, Pamela

Source: Smallidge, Robert L.

Abstract: NA1795 Robert L. Smallidge, interviewed by Pamela Dean, spring 1984, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 2 pp. Tape: 1 hr. No cat, or trans. Copy of Northeast Harbor Library interview (Tapes C-4, C-5). Smallidge talks about life, housing, education, transportation, etc. on Mount Desert Island and in Northeast Harbor in the early 1900s. RESTRICTED. Text: no catalog or transcription. Recording: T 1882, CD 0853 1 hour. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me) -- Social Life and Customs
- Smallidge, Robert L.

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Endicott Peabody, interviewed by the Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Source: Peabody, Endicott

Abstract: NA1796 Endicott Peabody, interviewed by the Northeast Harbor Library, August 2, 1979, at the Northeast Harbor Library. Peabody, a longtime summer resident of Mount Desert Island and Northeast Harbor, talks about his childhood summers on the Island and some of the native Mainers he knew. Copies of Northeast Harbor Library interview (Tapes C20 #1 & #2) RESTRICTED. Text: 1 pp. index. Recording: T 1883 - T 1884. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me) -- Social Life and Customs
- Peabody, Endicott

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Dan McPheters, interviewed by Pamela Dean

Creator: Northeast Harbor Library

Creator: Dean, Pamela

Source: McPheters, Dan

Abstract: NA1797 Dan McPheters, interviewed by Pamela Dean, spring 1984, Northeast Harbor, Maine. 2 pp. Tape: 3 hrs. No cat. or trans. Copy of Northeast Harbor Library interview (Tapes C-24 #1, #2a, #2b). McPheters talks about the history of Maine guides; stories of his experiences guiding "sports." RESTRICTED. Text: no catalog or transcription. Recording: T 1885 - T 1887 3 hours. Recording missing.

Controlled Access Headings:

- Oral history
- Northeast Harbor (Me.)
- Northeast Harbor (Me) -- Social Life and Customs
- McPheters, Dan

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