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Derek C. Beardsell Collection

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Biography

Derek Crowther Beardsell was born on July 22, 1934, to Sidney Beardsell and Vera Ball, British missionaries to Tanzania. Beardsell's ministry brought him to Tanzania, Kenya, Rwanda, and Burundi, Pakistan, Iceland, and Great Britain, serving as pastor, educator, and administrator. He served as principal of Newbold College. Beardsell retired in 1998 after forty-three years of service, passing away on July 24, 2012, at age 78.

Scope and Content

The contents of this collection are documents used by Beardsell for his dissertation, *A Study of Selected Administrative Issues in the History and Development of Newbold College*, completed at Andrews University in 1983.

Arrangement

The collection has the following arrangement: (1) General, (2) Correspondence, which takes up a major portion of the collection, (3) Writings, (4) Minutes, (5) Publications, and (6) Other Documents.

Provenance

Derek C. Beardsell donated these papers to the Heritage Room, James White Library, on October 3, 1983.

Extent

4 Hollinger boxes, 1.75 linear feet.

Use

All users of this collection will complete the "Request to Use Personal Papers Collections," and observe the regulation specified in the "Researcher's Code of Conduct" and the "Researcher's Agreement". All records in this collection are open and available for research. Suggested citation for this collection:

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I.	General	
	Box 1 Fld 1	Deed of Gift Agreement with the Heritage Room, James White Library, October 3, 1983
	Box 1 Fld 2	Beardsell's Notes regarding collection contents (photocopies)
II.	Correspondence [Copied from General Conference Archives]	
	Box 1 Fld 3	 1892 to 1902 [30 letters] Senders and recipients: Ole A. Olsen, Ellet J. Waggoner, Ellen G. White, William C. White, William W. Prescott, Arthur G. Daniells, H. E. Osborne, L. R. Conradi, Edith Graham, W. C. Sisley, Homer R. Salisbury, W. A. Westworth, C. E. Rentfro, Alonzo T. Jones
	Box 1 Fld 4	1903 [27 letters] Senders and recipients: Arthur G. Daniells, W. C. Sisley, Ellet J. Waggoner, L. R. Conradi, Homer R. Salisbury, Myrtle Asay, Ole A. Olsen, Elmer E. Andross, M. E. Olsen, George A. Irwin, William C. White, George I. Butler
	Box 1 Fld 5	1904 to 1906 [50 letters] Senders and recipients: E. W. Farnsworth, Homer R. Salisbury, Arthur G. Daniells, Herbert Lacey, Elmer E. Andross, W. C. Sisley, A. Bacon, H. Edson Rogers, Eugene W. Farnsworth, William C. White, William A. Spicer, George A. Irwin, M. A. Altman
	Box 1 Fld 6	 1907 to 1923 [52 letters] Senders and recipients: Arthur G. Daniells, Elmer E. Andross, Homer R. Salisbury, William A. Spicer, W. A. Barlow, W. J. Fitzgerald, L. R. Conradi, William C. White, W. C. Sisley, W. H. Wakeham, Glen Wakeham, W. H. Meredith, T. E. Bowen, J. L. Shaw, M. N. Campbell, W. E. Howell, O. M. John, L. H. Christian, C. K. Myers, J. E. Jayne, H. C. Lacey, G. L. Gulbrandson

- Box 1 Fld 7 1924 to 1941 [77 letters/telegrams] Senders and recipients: J. E. Jayne, C. W. Irwin, George Baird, B. E. Beddoe, W. E. Howell, C. K. Meyers, W. W. Fletcher, Sherman E. Wight, W. K. Ising, W. H. Meredith, E. Kotz, L. H. Christian, W. E. Read, James L. McElhany, E. D. Dick, J. I. Robison, G. E. Nord, W. A. Murdoch, Harry W. Lowe, A. W. Cormack, H. L. Rudy, H. T. Elliott
- Box 1 Fld 8 1942 to 1951 [47 letters] Senders and recipients: Harry W. Lowe, W. E. Read, E. D. Dick, W. T. Bartlett, W. H. Branson, T. J. Michael, William E. Nelson, James L. McElhany, A. Carey, W. G. Murdoch, W. H. Williams, H. T. Elliott, G. A. Lindsay, J. I. Robison, E. B. Rudge, E. D. Dick, Joan Hardy, W. E. Nelson, G. D. King, G. M. Hyde, A. Floyd Tarr, E. E. Roenfelt, C. L. Torrey
- Box 1 Fld 9 1952 to 1975 [60 letters] Senders and recipients: C. L. Torrey, W. H. Branson, A. Floyd Tarr, E. B. Rudge, E. E. Roenfelt, W. P. Bradley, H. T. Elliott, Marion Nyman, D. E. Rebok, R. R. Figuhr, G. A. Lindsay, J. Alfred Simonson, W. R. Beach, E. W. Dunbar, G. D. King, Richard Hammill, E. E. Cossentine, T. B. Geraty, V. Norskov Olsen, U. Rouhe, Walton J. Brown, F. E. J. Harder, S. G. Maxwell, R. E. Graham

III. Writings

- Box 1 Fld 10 Beardsell, Derek Crowther, A Study of Selected Administrative Issues That Have Influenced the History and Development of Newbold College (Dissertation Proposal), December 1982
- **IV. Minutes** [Selected actions related to educational institutions in Europe]

British Union Conference

Box 1 Fld 11	1903 to 1920
Box 1 Fld 12	1921 to 1928

Box 2 Fld 1	1929 to 1934	
Box 2 Fld 2	1935 to 1940	
Box 2 Fld 3	1941 to 1946	
Box 2 Fld 4	1947 to 1973	
European Division		
Box 2 Fld 5	1906 to 1928	
General Conference Committee		
Box 2 Fld 6	1900 to 1968	
Newbold Missionary College		
Box 2 Fld 7	1954 to 1975	
Northern European Division		
Box 2 Fld 8	1929 to 1955	
Box 3 Fld 1	1956 to 1971	

V. **Publications** [Selected dealing with mission and educational work in Europe]

Advent Review and Sabbath Herald / Review and Herald

Box 3 Fld 2	1874 to 1930
Box 3 Fld 3	1931 to 1967

Advent Survey

Box 3 Fld 4 1929 to 1941

British Advent Messenger

Box 3 Fld 5 1936 to 1942

Box 3 Fld 6	1943 to 1950

Box 3 Fld 7 1951 to 1960

General Conference Bulletin

Box 3 Fld 8 1	899 to	o 1950
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The Missionary Worker

Box 3 Fld 9	1902 to 1907
Box 4 Fld 1	1908 to 1923
Box 4 Fld 2	1924 to 1935

Northern Light

Box 4 Fld 3	1950 to 1962

European Reports

Box 4 Fld 4	European Conference Bulletin, 1902
	Quarterly Report of the European Division, 1912- 1913, 1922
	European Division Conference Review, 1914
	Quarterly Review of the European Division, 1923- 1924
	Blue Ridge Convention, 1937
	British Union Conference Ministerial Institute, 1938 Education Convention, Denmark, 1961 [1 page]

VI. Other Documents

Box 4 Fld 5	"Additional points dictated by Dr. Schuil"
	"Suggested Outline for Affiliation Agreement between
	Newbold Missionary College and Washington
	Missionary College," 1955
	"Newbold Missionary College Constitution," amended April
	9, 1959

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