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Lovstrom Block H 1988

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds
Description Level: Sub sub series
Series Number: 3.9.1
Accession Number: 1-2010
GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1988
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History / Biographical:

Directed by Dr. Nicholson and with Ian Kuijt as crew chief, eight units were excavated in Block H in 1988. The vegetation is similar to other areas in the locale with an open oak forest with a light understory of saskatoon, hazelnut, poison ivy and sarsaparilla.

Radiocarbon dates from this block indicate two occupations separated in time by some 300 years. The excavation of the eight 1m² units resulted in the recovery of over 650 ceramic fragments including 20 rim sherds from at least four vessels, a grooved maul, fire-cracked rock, lithic debitage and a reworked Avonlea projectile point. A large amount of bison bone, including a number of axial elements and a fragmented skull were also recovered.

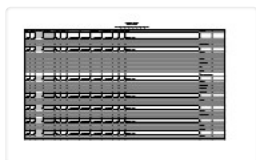
The 650 ceramics recovered are of two kinds, representing at least four vessels. Stylistically, two of these vessels appear to be from the Vickers Focus and the third vessel may be Mortlach ware. The fourth vessel appears to be Blackduck and probably comes from the lower occupation. Also encountered were what is possibly a thin ash deposit in unit 180. The presence of a large number of bison axial elements is suggestive of primary butchering activities. Several canid bones were recovered scattered among the bison bone. Although there is no visible stratigraphic evidence, the 14C dates and the different ceramic types indicate more than one occupation in this area and it is likely that several types of behavior and use of space are represented.

High numbers of ceramic fragments are often assumed to be associated with activities characteristic of habitation areas, rather than hunting or butchering behavior. The lithic material assemblage is intermediate between Blocks G and E with KRF being the most frequent material category followed by local cherts.

Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position; Field journals are daily records of recoveries, features and activities at the site; Site records include excavation level and unit summaries, feature sheets, profiles; sample records and maps; Artifact catalogues are lists and identifications of all artifacts recovered; Photographs are of excavation units, features, the landscape and personnel.

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Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H



Lovstrom Block H 1988 - artifact catalogue

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.9.1.4

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1988

Physical Description: 167 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Artifact catalogue containing records from the excavation at Lovstrom Block H.

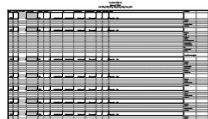
Scope and Content:

Spreadsheet containing information about the artifacts recovered, including: unit, level, artifact number, catalogue number, depth, co-ordinates, entry date, date recovered, count, weight, UTM co-ordinates, notes (excavators initials and comments) and artifact identification.

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Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H

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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - crew

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.9.1.5

Item Number: 3.9.1.5.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1988

Physical Description: 784 x 512(269KB)

Material Details: JPEG

Scope and Content:

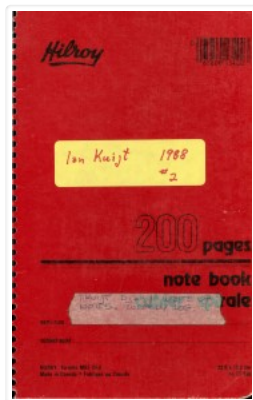
Crew at the Lovstrom locale.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - crew

Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H

Images





Lovstrom Block H 1988 - Ian Kuijt field journal 2

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.2

File Number: 1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1988

Physical Description: 35 pp.

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Ian Kuijt was crew chief at the Lovstrom locale excavations in 1988.

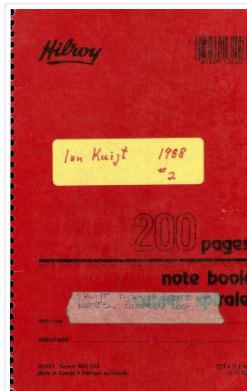
Scope and Content:

Record of excavation methods, items recovered, features, local environment and weather noted by teaching assistant.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - Ian Kuijt field journal 2

Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H

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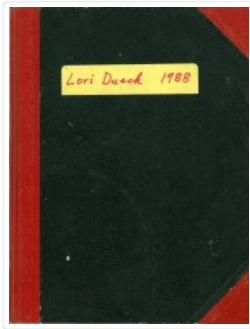


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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - L Dueck field journal

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.2

File Number: 2

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1988

Physical Description: 64 pp.

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Lori Dueck was a crew member at the Lovstrom locale excavations in 1988. Pages 37-54 and 72-78 in her journal relate to Block H.

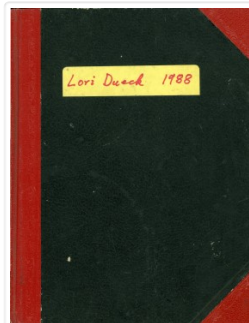
Scope and Content:

Record of excavation methods, items recovered, features, local environment and weather noted by teaching assistant.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - L Dueck field journal

Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H

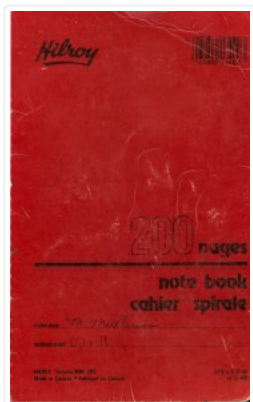
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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - M MacPherson field journal

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.2

File Number: 3

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1988

Physical Description: 81 pp.

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Margaret MacPherson was a crew member at the Lovstrom locale excavations in 1988.

Pages 65-77 in her journal relate to Block H.

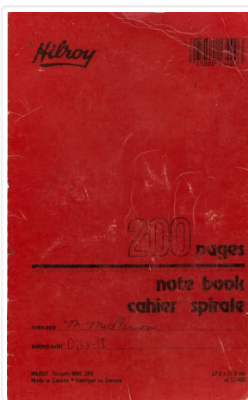
Scope and Content:

Record of excavation methods, items recovered, features, local environment and weather noted by teaching assistant.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - M MacPherson field journal

Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - Shannon Coyston field journal

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12644>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.2

File Number: 4

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1988

Physical Description: 78 pp.

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Shannon Coyston was a crew member at the Lovstrom locale excavations in 1988. Pages 58-72 in her journal relate to Block H.

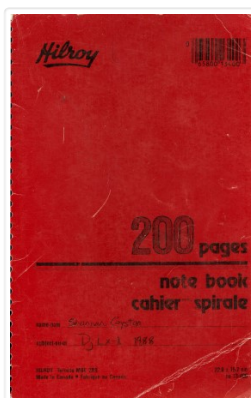
Scope and Content:

Record of excavation methods, items recovered, features, local environment and weather noted by teaching assistant.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - Shannon Coyston field journal

Subject Access: Archaeology
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LOVSTROM BLOCK H - Level summary

Site: Lovstrom Block H Date: 1988
 Recorder: J. McKee Photo:
 Unit: 176 Level: 176.000 Volume: 176.000
 Floor level: 176.000 North arrow:
 Feature: 176.000

Description of unit: 176.000 (176.000 - 176.000)

Feature record: 176.000 (176.000 - 176.000)

Other materials: 176.000

Notes: 176.000 (176.000 - 176.000)

Unit	Level	Volume	Feature
176	1	1	1
176	1	1	1
176	1	1	1
176	1	1	1

Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 176

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12646>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.3

File Number: 1

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 12 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of excavation unit 176 at Lovstrom Block H.

Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H - site record XU 176

Subject Access: Archaeology
 Lovstrom locale
 Lovstrom Block H

Documents

LOVSTROM BLOCK H - Level summary

Site: Lovstrom Block H Date: 1988
 Recorder: J. McKee Photo:
 Unit: 176 Level: 176.000 Volume: 176.000
 Floor level: 176.000 North arrow:
 Feature: 176.000

Description of unit: 176.000 (176.000 - 176.000)

Feature record: 176.000 (176.000 - 176.000)

Other materials: 176.000

Notes: 176.000 (176.000 - 176.000)

Unit	Level	Volume	Feature
176	1	1	1
176	1	1	1
176	1	1	1
176	1	1	1

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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 177

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.3

File Number: 2

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 14 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of excavation unit 177 at Lovstrom Block H.

Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H - site record XU 177

Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H

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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 178

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12648>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.3

File Number: 3

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 14 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of excavation unit 178 at Lovstrom Block H.

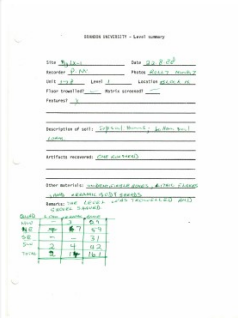
Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 178

Subject Access: Archaeology
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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 180

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12649>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.3

File Number: 4

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 12 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of excavation unit 180 at Lovstrom Block H.

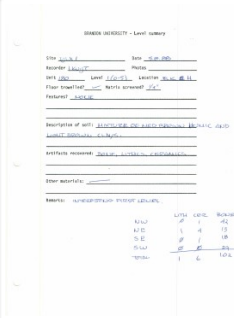
Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 180

Subject Access: Archaeology
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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 181

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.3

File Number: 5

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 12 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of excavation unit 181 at Lovstrom Block H.

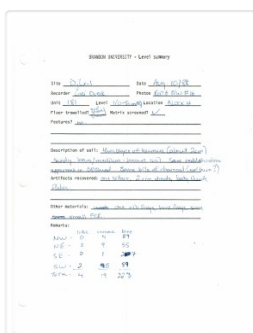
Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 181

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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 182

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12651>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.3

File Number: 6

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 12 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of excavation unit 182 at Lovstrom Block H.

Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 182

Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H

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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 184

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12652>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.3

File Number: 7

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 12 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of excavation unit 184 at Lovstrom Block H.

Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 184

Subject Access: Archaeology
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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 185

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.1.3

File Number: 8

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 12 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of excavation unit 185 at Lovstrom Block H.

Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site record XU 185

Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
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Lovstrom Block H 1988 - tour

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12696>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.9.1.5

Item Number: 3.9.1.5.2

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1988

Physical Description: 784 x 488(338KB)

Material Details: JPEG

Scope and Content:

Group tours were encouraged to arrange a visit to the Lovstrom locale.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - tour

Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H

Images





Lovstrom Block H 1991

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12671>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds
Description Level: Sub sub series
Series Number: 3.9.2
Accession Number: 1-2010
GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1991
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History /

Biographical:

Based on the recoveries at the Block H in 1988, further excavations took place in 1991. Nine excavation units were opened next to the previous excavations. Another 250 ceramic sherds were recovered in 1991. Nine vessels have been identified based on rim sherds. Vickers Focus and Woodland vessels have been identified and two vessels similar to Scattered Village Complex were recovered.

The lithic material assemblage is intermediate primarily KRF followed by local cherts. Two features, a hearth and a curvilinear arrangement of rock were recovered during the 1991 excavations.

The high numbers of ceramic fragments suggests a habitation area, rather than hunting or butchering behavior. However, the separation of occupations at the site is difficult to establish and there may be different uses of the site by successive occupations.

Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position; Field journals are daily records of recoveries, features and activities at the site; Site records include excavation level and unit summaries, feature sheets, profiles; sample records and maps; Artifact catalogues are lists and identifications of all artifacts recovered; Photographs are of excavation units, features, the landscape and personnel.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1991
Subject Access: Archaeology
Lovstrom locale
Lovstrom Block H



Lovstrom Block H 1991 - artifact catalogue

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12677>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.9.2.4

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1991

Physical Description: 315 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Artifact catalogue containing records from the excavation at Lovstrom Block H 1991.

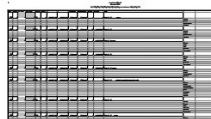
Scope and Content:

Spreadsheet containing information about the artifacts recovered, including: unit, level, artifact number, catalogue number, depth, co-ordinates, entry date, date recovered, count, weight, UTM co-ordinates, notes (excavators initials and comments) and artifact identification.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1991 - artifact catalogue

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Lovstrom Block H 1991 - Bev Nicholson field journal

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 3.9.2.2

File Number: 1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1991

Physical Description: 17 pp.

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Bev Nicholson directed the Lovstrom locale excavations in 1991.

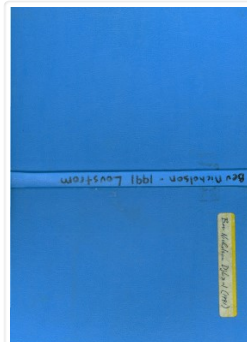
Scope and Content:

Record of excavation methods, items recovered, features, local environment and weather noted by teaching assistant.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1991 - Bev Nicholson field journal

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