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Chauncey Donald Orchard
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Born in New Brunswick, Chauncey Donald Orchard moved to British Columbia in 1920 to join the British Columbia Forest Service after graduating from the University of New Brunswick. He served in the Forest Service for almost forty years as Chief Forester and became British Columbia's first Deputy Minister of Forests.

The records include subject files, letterbooks, diaries, scrapbooks, photos, a manuscript relating to his personal and family life, to his work as a forester, and as Chief Forester, to his work as a forestry consultant, and to his activities as a collector of material relating to the forest history of British Columbia.

Related records in MS-1302, MS-1874, 197810-2, and Map Accession M856032, registration numbers 11138A, 11139D -11140D, 11141C - 11144C (see list at the end of this finding aid).

Biographical sketch information obtained from the British Columbia Archival Union List.

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2	7.1.9	Letters of recommendation by C.D. Orchard	
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2	12	Correspondence, A.W. Bentley	1957
2	16	Correspondence, F.S. Baker	1935-1944
2	17	Correspondence, G.S. Barnes	1936-1947
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3	22	Correspondence, Ian Barclay	1958
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3	31.1	Forestry Club	
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3	32.1	Regional forestry biology lab	1955
3	34	D. Roy Cameron (Dominion Forester)	
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4	37.21	Association of BC Foresters, duplicate register	1951-1959
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5	41.2	Correspondence, A.C. Buckland	1960
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5	60	Correspondence, W. Patterson, re Lillooet Valley land	1946-1947
6	88	A.E. Ames and Co., Gairdner and Co., Investment News	
6	103	Correspondence, R.B. Miller	1945-1960
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6	120	Correspondence, Alan Orr-Ewing	1952-1963
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7	185	Christmas cards	
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7	205	Letters re retirement	
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7	208	Correspondence, J.E. Liersch (Powell River Co.)	1959
7	209	Correspondence, "Paul"	
7	210	Correspondence, J.R. Johnston	
7	211	Correspondence, R.H. Boyd	
7	212	Correspondence, John Bene	
7	214	Correspondence, East Asiatic Company	
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7	217	Oddities	
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7	223	Commonwealth Forestry Bureau, Oxford	1958, 1965
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7	225	Crown Zellerbach	1956-1959
7	226	Library (personal)	
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7	229	BC Official Scalers' Association	

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8	231	Car and cars	
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8	273	Correspondence, John Frey	
8	275	Correspondence, E.A.F. Robinson	
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9	2	Pack list of papers and possessions	
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10	1	Oddments re forestry	
10	2	Western Forestry Award	1952
10		Manuscript re sustained yield programme	[Mar 1959]
10	3	Clippings	
10	4	Forest Act, annotated	1948
10	5	BC Forest Service, directories and news releases	1969-1971
10	6	Association of BC Foresters, correspondence	1959
10	7	Association of BC Foresters, minutes	1967-1970
10	8	Forestry association oddments	
10	9	Clippings - various biographies	
10	10	Income tax	
10	11	Masons	
10	12	Correspondence, not forestry	

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11	1	Diary	Aug 1920
11	1	Diary	Sep 1920
11	1	Diary	Oct 1920
11	1	Diary	Nov 1920
11	1	Diary	1-23 Dec 1920
11	1	Diary	24-31 Dec 1920
11	1	Diary	Jan 1921
11	1	Diary	Feb 1921

11	1	Diary	Mar 1921
11	1	Diary	Feb 1922
11	1	Diary	Apr 1922
11	2	"Diary"	Mar 1923 - Apr 1936
11	3	Miscellaneous diaries	
11	3	Notebook	Mar 1943-May 1943
11	3	Travel notes	
11	3	Notes for Swedish trip	1950
11	3	California tour	Sep 1939
11	3	Travel	6 Sep 1940 - Jun 1942
11	3	Campbell River fire	1938

Office visitors, 1941-1961

11	4	Office visitors	Mar 1941 - Mar 1944
11	4	Office visitors	Mar 1944 - Apr 1946
11	4	Office visitors	Apr 1946 - Apr 1947
11	4	Office visitors	Aug 1947 - Apr 1948
11	4	Office visitors	Apr 1948 - Mar 1949
11	4	Office visitors	Mar 1949 - Feb 1950
11	4	Office visitors	Feb - Nov 1950
11	4	Office visitors	Nov 1950 - Apr 1951
11	4	Office visitors	Apr - Aug 1951
11	4	Office visitors	Aug - Dec 1951
11	4	Office visitors	Dec 1951 - Mar 1952
11	4	Office visitors	Mar - Aug 1952
11	4	Office visitors	Aug 1952 - Jan 1953
11	4	Office visitors	Jan - Jun 1953

11	4	Office visitors	Jun - Nov 1953
11	4	Office visitors	Dec 1953 - Apr 1954
11	4	Office visitors	Apr - Aug 1954
11	4	Office visitors	Aug 1954 - Jan 1955
11	4	Office visitors	Jan - Sep 1955
11	4	Office visitors	Sep 1955 - Aug 1956
11	4	Office visitors	Aug 1956 - Jun 1957
11	4	Office visitors	Jul 1957 - Apr 1958
11	4	Office visitors	Apr 1958 - Jun 1961
12		Diary	Jun 1937 - Jun 1940
12		Diary	Jul 1940 - Mar 1942
12		Diary	Apr 1942 - Jul 1943
12		Diary	Jul 1943 - Mar 1944
12		Diary	Mar - Jul 1944
12		Diary	Jul - Oct 1944
12		Diary	Nov 1944 - Aug 1945
12		Diary	Aug 1945 - Feb 1946
12		Diary	Mar - Jun 1946
12		Diary	Jun - Nov 1946
12		Diary	Nov 1946 - May 1947
12		Diary	May - Jun 1947
12		Diary	Jun - Jul 1947
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12		Diary	Jun - Dec 1948
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12		Diary	Jun 1954 - Jan 1955
12		Diary	Jan 1955 - Feb 1956
12		Diary	Feb - Oct 1956
12		Diary	Nov 1956 - Jul 1957
12		Diary	Aug - Oct 1957
12		Diary	Oct 1957 - Oct 1958
12		Diary	Nov 1958 - Mar 1959
12		Diary	Apr - Jun 1959
13	1	Diary	Jun 1959 - Dec 1960
13	2	Appointments diary	1960

13	3	Diary	Jan 1961 - Mar 1962
13	4	Diary	Sep 1962 - 26 Jan 1963
13	5	Diary	Feb - Nov 1963
13	6	Summary of diaries	Apr 1942 - Apr 1957

Government reports

14	1	Forest administration in British Columbia, a brief for presentation to the Royal Commission on Forestry, C.D. Orchard, Victoria, BC	Jan 1945
14	2	Memo to Minister re outstanding items re management licence business	3 Aug 1953
14	3	Report on implementation of recommendations Stevenson and Kellog re Engineering Services Division	1954
14	4	Forest Protection Division recommendations submitted in Stevenson and Kellog report and action taken by this division	
14	5	Nass River Cruise, maps, correspondence, diary, etc.[4 maps copied on fiche in file]	1921
14	6	Assistant Rangers, patrolmen, lookoutmen, dispatches [list]	1936

Legislation, boxes 15 and 16

15	1	Abstract of legislation relating to forest administration in British Columbia	1858-1911
15	2	Abstract of legislation relating to forest administration in British Columbia	1912-1943
15	3	Abstract of legislation relating to forest administration in British Columbia	1946-1955
15	4	Abstract of legislation relating to forest administration in British Columbia	1956-1963
16	1	Abstract of legislation relating to forest administration in British Columbia	1858-1911
16	2	Abstract of legislation relating to forest administration in British Columbia	1912-1943
16	2	Orders in council	1902-1919
16	3	Orders in council relating to the BC forest industry	1902-1950
16	4	Index to legislation	

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17		Consulting jobs 1-20	
17		Consulting jobs 21-42	
18	1. 200/7	Savannah	
18	1. 200/9	Powell River	
18	1. 200/11	Forest History Foundation	
18	2. 200/12	Crown Zellerbach	
18	3. 200/13	Fort St. John Lumber Company and H.H. Minshall and Association	
18	4. 200/15	Cariboo - P.G.E. Lumber Manufacturers Association	
18	5. 200/23	Canadian Club	
18	5. 200/24	Merrill Gardner - Wagner	
18	5. 200/27	Foulks	
18	5. 200/30	Denman	
18	5. 200/32	Maurice McGregor	
18	5. 200/33	Collieries	
18	5. 200/36	Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway	
18	6. 200/31	C.W. Beeler - Kootenay property	
18	7. 200/38	Young (Tacoma)	
19	1	Letters out, numbers 115-400	21 Nov 1958 - 20 Aug 1959
19	2	Letters out, numbers 401-750	20 Aug 1959 - 10 Aug 1960
19	3	Letters out, numbers 751-1050	10 Aug 1960 - 21 Jun 1961
20	1	Letters out, numbers 1051-1448	20 Jun 1961 - 29 Dec 1964
20	2	Letters out, numbers 1449-1789	2 Jan 1965 - 2 Dec 1968
20	3	Mail register	Feb 1958 - Oct 1961

Forest management licences, boxes 21-24

21	1	Sample contracts
21	2	Orders in council affecting all forest management licences
21	3	Powell River (maps)
21	4	Port Edward (No. 1)
21	5	Canadian Western C2 (No. 2)
21	6	Duncan Bay (No. 2)
21	7	Slocan (No. 3)

21	8	Blind Channel (No. 4)	
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22	1	Quatsino (No. 6)	
22	2	Salmon River (No. 7)	
22	3	Boundary Creek (No. 8)	
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22	5	Toba (No. 10)	
22	6	Carmi (No. 11)	
22	7	Hardwick (No. 12)	
22	8	Bull River (No. 13)	
22	9	Spillimacheen (No. 14)	
22	10	Inkaneep (No. 15)	
22	11	Monte Lake (No. 16)	
22	12	Knight Inlet (No. 17)	
22	13	Clearwater (No. 18)	
22	14	Tahsis (No. 19)	
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22	17	Maquinna (No. 22)	
23	1	Celgar (No. 23)	
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23	3	Alaska Pine and Cellulose (No. 25)	
23	4	Mission (No. 26)	
24	1	Forest management licences awarded applications in process, yield and cut, coast forests, interior forests and Okanagan drainage	1956
Forest History Project			
25	1	F 63/1 binder, correspondence and notes	1955-1959
25	2	F 63/1-1 binder, time and expenses	1955-1961
25	2	F 63/1-1 correspondence	1964-1965
25	3	F 63/1.2 binder, correspondence	1959-1963
25	4	F 63/2 and 3 binder, correspondence	1963
26	1	F 63/4 binder, correspondence interviews	1960-1964
26	2	F 63/5 binder, correspondence, Forestry History Foundation	1960-1965
26	3	FH binder, <i>Forest History</i> , Vol. 4, no. 1 Vol. 5, no. 4	
26	4	63/6 binder, clippings	

27		Binder with notes on film reels re forestry, clippings re history of Fredericton	
28	1	Abstracts from the minute books of the BC Loggers Association	1907-1932
28	2	Extracts from <i>Victoria Daily Colonist</i> re forests, forestry timber industry	1866-1877
28	3	"General instruction to cruisers", Tacoma	1907
28	4	Re "The Red Cliff Land and Lumber Company " [extract from a letter from Prentice Bloedel]	
28	5	Check list of books relating to forestry published in Great Britain before 1800	
28	6	General historical notes	

Forest History Project photographs

29	1	Loose leaf binder of photos, 1 - 200 (copies)	
29	2	Folder, photos 201-204 and 209	
29	3	Folder, copy photo paper mill at Port Alberni	1894
29	4	Loose leaf binder of original photos	
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UBC forest history courses

30	1	Notes, marks, and correspondence	
30	2	Photographs	
30	3	Loose leaf binder	

Manuscripts by C.D. Orchard

31	1	Recording of a meeting between Orchard and members of the Vancouver press	15 Jul 1948
31	1	Contribution of the forest to the comfort, leisure and standard of living of the people of British Columbia, Natural Resources Conference, Victoria	1954
31	1	Talk to IWA annual convention, Georgia Hotel, Vancouver	18 Feb 1954
31	1	Public education on the value of Canada's forests (digest of proposed comments at National Forestry Conference, Winnipeg)	18 Sep 1956
31	1	"A professional library of odds and ends (with classification scheme)"	
31	1	Draft of a talk on sustained yield forests for CBC	1957

31	1	Commonwealth forestry	
31	1	Secrets for young initiates to forestry: an address by Dr. C.D. Orchard to University of British Columbia Forest Club, at Hotel Georgia, Vancouver	25 Feb 1958
31	1	Re protection: protection course dinner	24 Jan 1958
31	1	Re B.C.F.S.: Canadian Institute of Forestry, Duncan	23 Feb 1962
31	1	B.C.F.S. anniversary dinner	2 Mar 1962
31	1	A cross section of life at University of New Brunswick	
31	2	New wood, new forest, new challenge: alumni oration, University of New Brunswick	15 May 1947
31	2	President's address to the Western Forestry and Conservation Association	10 Dec 1952
31	2	Sustained yield forest management planning in British Columbia: a paper prepared for the annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Forestry, Winnipeg	19-20 Oct 1953
31	2	Sustained yield forest management in British Columbia: a paper prepared for the joint annual meetings of the Canadian Institute of Forestry and the Society of American Foresters, Montreal	17-20 Nov 1952
31	2	Sustained yield forest management in Canada: a paper prepared for the British Commonwealth Forestry Conference, Canada	1952
31	2	Preposterous prognosis: a reluctant forecast of the future of sustained yield forest management in British Columbia: annual meeting, Canadian Institute of Forestry	9 Oct 1959
31	2	Official opening, Elk Falls Company, Duncan Bay Mill	15 Sep 1959
31	2	Forest administration policies in British Columbia: address delivered to the Truck Loggers' Convention	16 Jan 1952
31	2	The forest year (1951) in British Columbia	1951
31	2	The 1957 Sloan report: Canadian Institute of Forestry annual meeting	Oct 1958
31	2	Notes for address to Vancouver Section Canadian Institute of Forestry	ca. 1959
31	2	Lloyd and Glypty: for <i>Powell River Digester</i>	
31	3	Draft history of forestry, author not identified, pp. 101-300	

31 4 Manuscript draft history of forestry, author not identified, pp. 301-400

Publications by C.D. Orchard

31 5 Preposterous prognosis: annual meeting Canadian Institute of Forestry 1959

31 5 The British Columbia Forest Service in the field of recreation in provincial parks and forests 1952

31 5 Forest policy and legislation in British Columbia; a paper prepared for the Fifth British Empire Forestry Conference, London 1947

31 5 Status of sustained yield forest management in Canada: a paper prepared for the British Commonwealth Forestry Conference, Canada 1952

31 5 Sustained yield forest management planning in British Columbia: annual meeting Canadian Institute of Forestry 1953

31 5 Lloyd and Glypty: *Powell River Digester* 1954

Manuscripts re forestry, not by Orchard

32 1 White pine from British Columbia J.D. McArthur Company Ltd., Kitimat Division, copies of general report and extract from cruise, Montizambert and Ralston Mar 1927 - Mar 1928

32 1 Conversion factors for Pacific Northwest forest products

32 1 Talk delivered by Ray Williston, Truck Loggers' Convention 1963

32 1 Buying and selling timber: an address at the UBC Forest Club by Clarence Cooper 9 Nov 1954

32 1 A forester's view of British Columbia's progress in sustained yield, by R.G. McKee, annual meeting, C.F.A. 1953

32 1 Re sustained yield [opinion of Orchard as consultant?]

32 2 Manuscript on forestry in BC author not identified

32 3 Hand drawn cartoons

32 4 Cartoons re logging clipped from magazines

32 5 List of published items transferred to BC Archives Library

Clipping books

33	1	Clipping books	ca. 1928-1958
33	2	Clipping books	ca. 1959-1967
33	3	Clipping books	ca. 1960-1966
34	1	Programmes	
34	2	Cards	
34	3	Memorabilia	
34	4, 5 & 6	Invitations and menus	
34	7	Notes on family tree	
35		Card index [unidentified]	
36	1	"Swane Diary", pp. 5 - 460, re 1947 Empire Forestry Conference	Jun - Sep 1947
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List of maps transferred to Map Accession M856032

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11138A	Big Bar S.Y.U.	
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11140D	Interim map 103 P/13 W	
11141C	Interim map 104 A/4 W	
11142C	Interim map 103 P/13 W	
11143C	North western British Columbia (Map no. 1B)	1962
11144C	North western British Columbia (Map no. 1BL)	1962