Reference code(s): GB 0214 DTEF

Title: Taff and Ely Rod Fishing Association records

Creation date(s): 1877-1971

Level of description: Fonds

Extent: 0.012 cubic metres (1 box)

Name of creator(s): Taff and Ely Rod Fishing Association

CONTEXT

Administrative/Biographical history: The Taff and Ely Rod Fishing Association (Glamorgan) was formed in *c*. 1875 in order to keep the Rivers Taff and Ely free from pollution and to foster trout-fishing. Ultimately, both rivers became heavily polluted by the local iron, coal and steel industries, and, as a consequence, the Taff and Ely Rod Fishing Association was dissolved in 1971. However, by the early 1980s there has been major improvements in the water quality due to economic recession and improved pollution control; and sea trout and some salmon are again entering lower reaches of river.

CONTENT

Scope and content/abstract: Records of the Taff and Ely Rod Fishing Association, 1877-1971, including: minutes of meetings, 1877-1918, 1924, 1947-1971; membership records, 1963-1970; accounts, 1947-1971; correspondence, 1961-1970; deeds, 1899-1967; maps and plans pertaining to the Glamorgan River Board, [*c*. 1961]; maps and plans pertaining to the Glamorgan River Authority, River Ely Improvement Scheme, 1965-1966; and season tickets, 1961-1968.

ACCESS AND USE

Language/scripts of material: English

System of arrangement: Arranged according to year and type.

Conditions governing access: No restrictions

Conditions governing reproduction: Normal Glamorgan Office conditions apply.

Physical characteristics: Good to fair condition

Finding aids: Handlists are available at the Glamorgan Record Office at and the National Register of Archives.

ARCHIVAL INFORMATION

Appraisal, destruction and scheduling information: All records have been retained.

Accruals: Accruals are not expected.

Archival history:

Immediate source of acquisition: Deposited by a private individual on 27 October 1975.

ALLIED MATERIALS

DESCRIPTION NOTES

Note: Title supplied from contents of fonds.

Archivist's note: Compiled by Hayden Burns for the ANW project. The following source was used in the compilation of this description: Glamorgan Record Office, depositors file for the records of the Taff and Ely Rod Fishing Association.

Rules or conventions: This description follows ANW guidelines based on ISAD(G) second edition, AACR2, and LCSH.

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