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<u>Location</u>	<u>File</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Dates</u>
MSS 12	f1	<p>Edmund Pugsley records and poetry</p> <p>- Typed autobiography by Edmund Pugsley. In 1905 Pugsley surveyed for the C.P.R. line in BC. In early 1906 he surveyed for the Northern Pacific Railway line in Washington. In March he arrived in Vancouver and met his cousin Joe Lamb. Pugsley and his brother Herbert Wm. Pugsley (Herb) then joined Lamb to sail north to the Yukon. Referencing his diary, Pugsley provides a daily summary of his activities from March 22 to November 9. He writes of being hired to work at the Bullion Creek Mine (Mar 23), the trip from Whitehorse to Bullion Creek, the weather, working conditions, his wages, his brother Herb, a claim staking trip (Fourth of July Creek), and returning to Vancouver. Referencing his diary, Pugsley provides a daily summary of his activities for 1907 from April 5 to October 20. He writes of leaving Vancouver with Herb for Skagway (Apr 9), mushing from Whitehorse to Lake LaBerge, working odd jobs, being hired by Captain Bob Henderson to assist with taking scows down to Dawson City, staking a claim on Claffey Pup, working on the sternwheeler 'Lightning', working for Corbett mine, working on Davidson's dredge, participating in a stampede to Falls Creek, bear encounters, working at the White Pass dock, working on the sternwheeler 'Canadian', and travelling back to Vancouver. Pugsley concludes with a summary of his employment in Vancouver and elsewhere, his family, his accomplishments, Herb's employment, and Herb's family from 1907 and 1970. 11 pages. 1970.</p> <p>- Letter to Shirley J. Connolly and Mr. T.O. Connolly of the Atlin Centennial Committee from Edmund Pugsley of North Vancouver, BC. Pugsley provides an overview of the time he and his brother Herb Pugsley spent working in Yukon in 1906 and 1907. 4 pages. 4 Jan 1972.</p> <p>- Letter to Shirley Connolly and Mr. T.O. Connolly of the Atlin Centennial Committee from Edmund Pugsley of North Vancouver, BC. Pugsley indicates he is sending some of his records to the Atlin Museum, and provides some background information on himself and his brother Herb Pugsley. 1 page. 10 Jan 1972.</p>	1968, 1969, 1970, 1972, n.d.

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- Letter to Edmund Pugsley of North Vancouver, BC from Mrs. T.O. Connolly of Atlin. Connolly thanks Pugsley for the records sent, requests permission to circulate copies, and writes about Joe Lamb and the Arctic Games. 1 page. 27 Mar 1972.
- Copy of a photograph of two men each in a (hospital?) bed. A woman sits between them. 1 page. n.d.
- Copy of the book of poetry "Marching Where?" by Edmund E. Pugsley about war. 12 pages. 1968.
- Copy of the book of poetry "Reprieve for Rogers Pass" by Edmund E. Pugsley about the building, abandonment, and reopening of Rogers Pass in the Selkirk Mountains of BC. 18 pages. 1969.