

AB3450 Reverend Henry Adams Scrapbooks, late 1800's - early 1900's

Donation from Fiona Adams in 2017.

2 scrapbooks containing press clippings, pamphlets and other printed material from Reverend Henry Adams, are of 4 men who came to South Africa in 1878 with the first Bishop of Pretoria, HB Bousfield. In addition, there are transcripts that outline the content of the scrapbooks including a letter titled Bound for Pretoria.

A Henry Adams Scrapbooks

A1 Scrapbook 1

The scrapbook has pamphlets of bible studies, Christchurch (North Brixton) Youths' Institute's first annual report of 1876 -77 covers information about the previous first annual meeting minutes, list of prizes and certificates awarded to members, Science and Art Certificates, donations and prospectus for sessions from 1 October to 31 December 1877 with information about the terms, privileges of membership and how reading room has been operating previously.

A2 Scrapbook 2

The scrapbook has press clippings covering different topics such as articles: In the Transvaal series. One of the topic from "In the Transvaal series" article is focusing on polygamy and the tradition followed for women to be married. Furthermore, articles: Bound to Pretoria series, letters, press clippings of the birth and baptism by Henry Adams in 1883. Two press clippings that mention the ordination of Reverend Henry Adams in Pretoria, 1883 and the reports for different quarters of 1884 while Reverend Henry Adams was part of the Missionary at Lydenburg.

B Transcripts

B1 Bound for Pretoria, c.1878

B2 Contents of Scrapbook 1

B3 Pamphlets and Letters from Scrapbook 1

B4 Contents of Scrapbook 2

B5 Press Clippings and Extracts from Occasional Papers