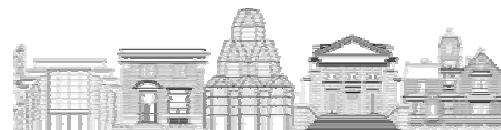




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- 1972 - National Inventory Programme
- A Special Operating Agency of the Department of Canadian Heritage
- As an active museum network, CHIN engages national and international audiences in Canadian heritage through leadership and innovation in digital content, partnerships and lifelong learning opportunities





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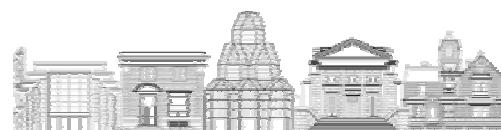
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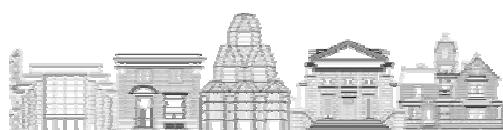
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CHIN Humanities Data Dictionary  <b>(Selected Fields)</b>	CDWA	Object ID	VRA Core Categories	DUBLIN CORE
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# Metadata: Semantics

## Meta-Metadata

CHIN Keywords

**Heritage**

**CHIN**

Schoolnet Descriptor (Subject/Curriculum Areas)

**Canadian**

**SchoolNet**

GEM.Audience

GEM.EssentialResources - GEM.Duration

GEM.Grade - GEM.Pedagogy - GEM.Standards

**Education**

**GEM Elements**

DC.Contributor - DC.Creator - DC.Publisher - DC.Coverage

DC.Date - DC.Description - DC.Format - DC.Identifier

DC.Language - DC.Relation - DC.Rights - DC.Subject

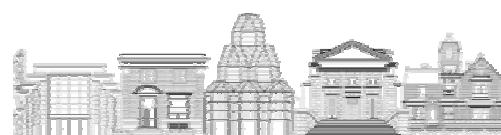
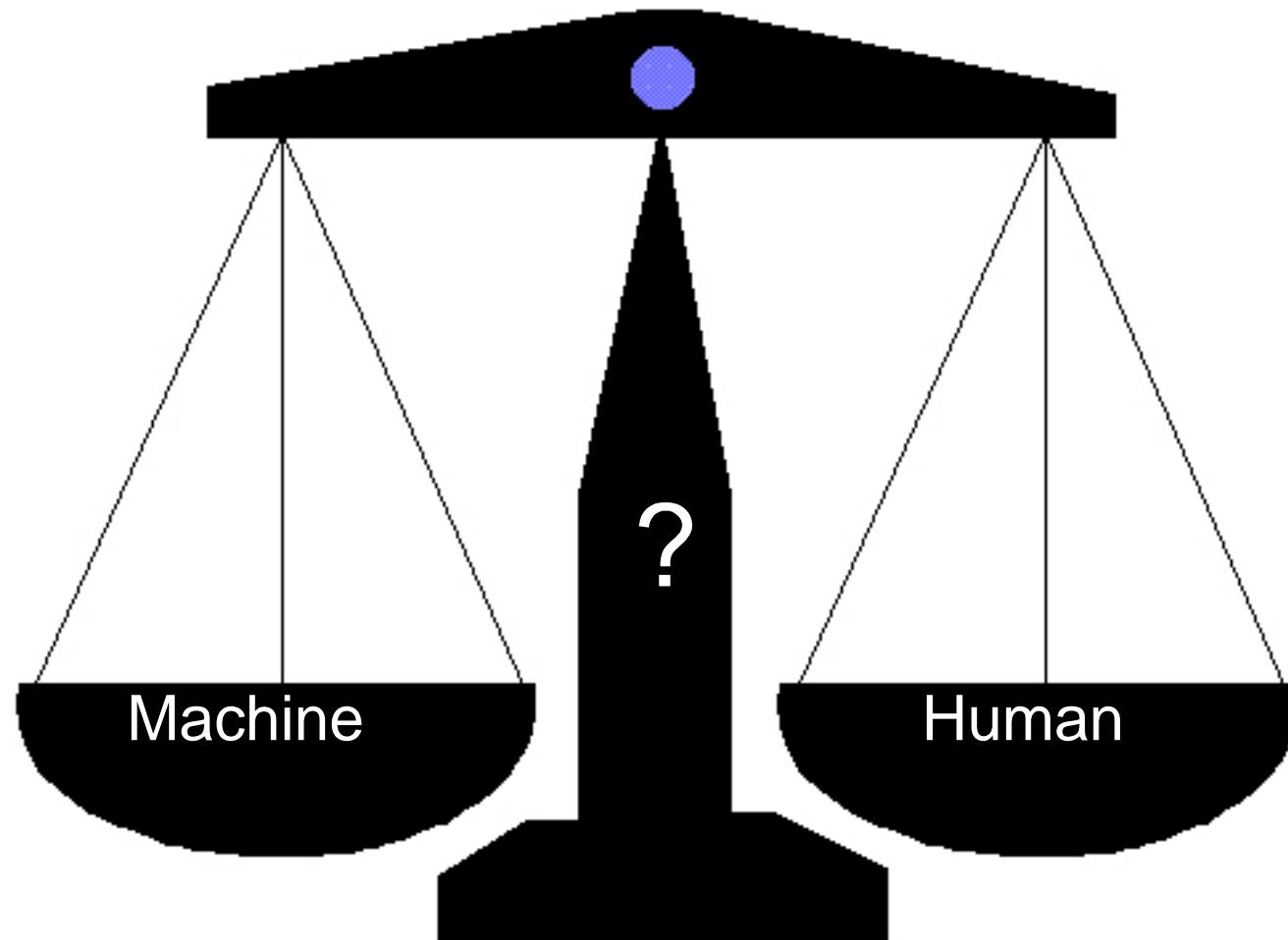
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**Resource Discovery**

**Dublin Core Elements**



## Metadata: Pragmatics - The Agent



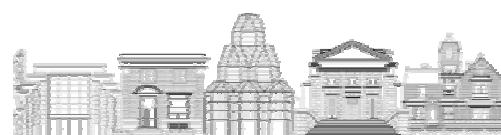
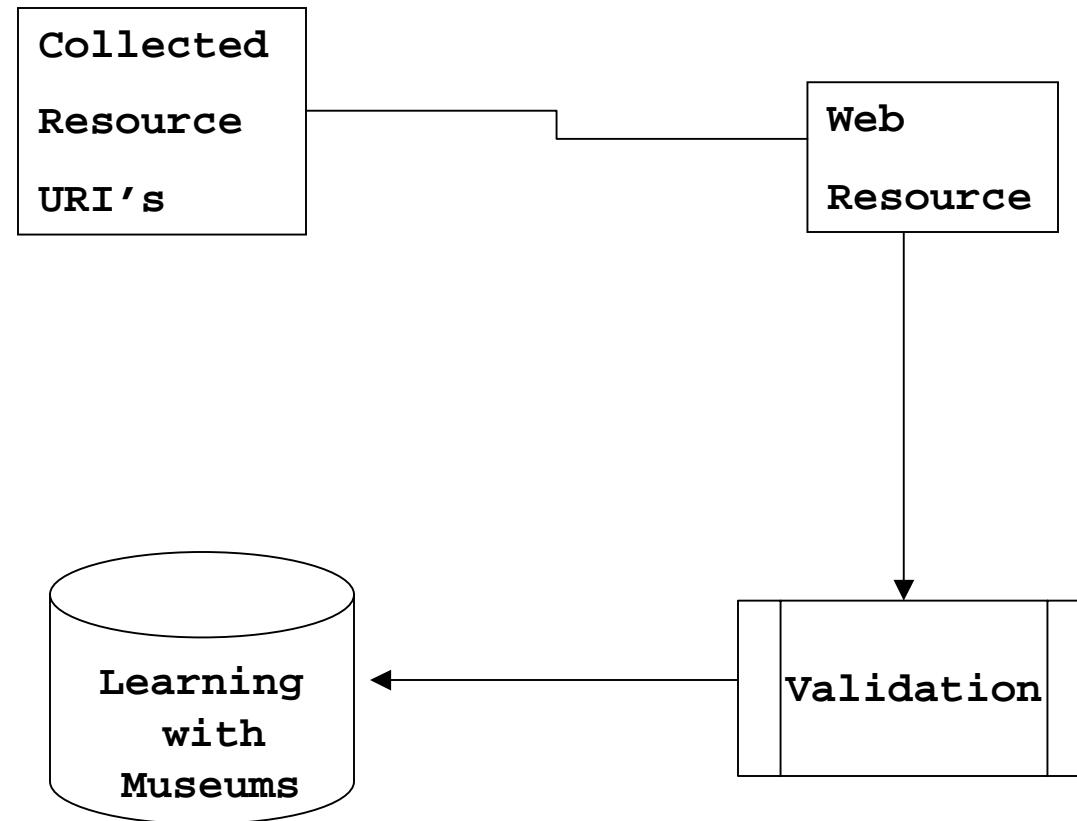
# Toolkit

## MetaCollector

- Harvester
- Cataloguing Tool



# Toolkit - Harvester



# Toolkit - Cataloguing Tool

■ Interface	Simple, easy to use, short form
■ Elements	Mandatory, repeated, repeated in groups
■ Vocabulary	Mandatory, suggested, uncontrolled
■ Language	English / French / other
■ Change Management	Updating the description
■ Quality assurance	Validation / Known addresses
■ Expression	HTML Tags, DC tags, RDF



## Toolkit - Cataloguing Tool

- Change Management /Quality Assurance

The screenshot shows the interface of 'The MetaCollector' cataloguing tool. At the top, there is a blue header bar with the text 'The MetaCollector'. Below the header, a grey banner contains the instruction 'Enter the URL of the resource and click SUBMIT'. A form field is present, labeled 'URL:' followed by a text input box containing the URL 'http://susan.chin.gc.ca/Exhibitions/Instruments/Anglais/accueil\_en.html'. At the bottom of the form is a single button labeled 'SUBMIT'.



# Toolkit - Cataloguing Tool

## ■ Interface / Metadata Elements

The screenshot displays the 'Education' section of the Cataloguing Tool. It includes three grouping sections: 'Education', 'Teaching Methods', and 'Assessment'. Each section has a 'Grouping' button, a list of items, and an 'Other' input field. To the right, there is a sidebar for 'Cataloguing' with fields for Name, Institution, and Government, along with a URL input field.

**Education**

**Grouping**

Museum education  
Hands-on learning

Other

**Teaching Methods**

Museum education  
Hands-on learning

Other

**Assessment**

Museum education  
Hands-on learning

Other

**Cataloguer (Mandatory)**

Name: Canadian Heritage Information Network

Institution: Canadian Heritage Information Network

Email: service@chin.gc.ca

URL: <http://susan.chin.gc.ca/Exhibitions/Instruments/>

or  Person  Institution  Government

Name: Centre des musiques arabes et méditerranéenne

# Toolkit - Cataloguing Tool

## ■ Vocabulary / Language

▶ Subject / Curriculum Areas (Mandatory) 

Art

**Keywords**    **Glossary**

Instruments	Francophone
Ethnomusicology	Musicology

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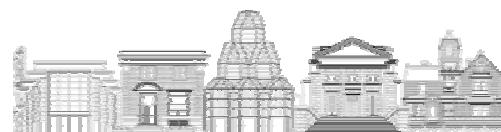
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**Glossary**

- Acids, bases and chemical changes
- Active living
- Administrative information systems

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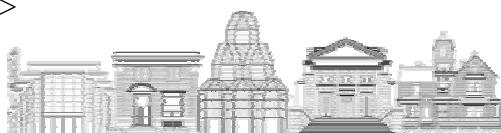
Analytic geometry operations  
• Ancient and medieval history



# Toolkit - Cataloguing Tool

## ■ Expression

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Created by Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Classical Chinese Garden.

For full effect use Flash and QuickTime.

### Toys and Games



Let your inner child explore toys and games from Ancient Greece to today! Travel through the ages, from tea sets to Trivial Pursuit, as you discover the treasures overflowing in photo albums and toy chests.

Created by Musée de la civilisation.

### Acadia, Lifestyle in the Days of Our Ancestors



you will discover Acadian architecture, traditions and daily activities while having fun!

Created by Village Historique Acadien

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**Learn with Museums**

**Search Results**

Search terms: Title  
Resources found= NOF 1

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**Perspectives: Women Artists in North America** Perspectivas: Mujeres artistas en América del Norte; Perspectives : Femmes artistes en Amérique du Nord

**Subject / Curriculum Area:**

Art - Visual Arts; Art History; Fine Arts  
art; women; artists; Mexico; Canada; United States;  
domesticity; modernism

**Description:**

This exhibition celebrates the important contributions of women in the arts from Canada, Mexico, and the United States. Perspectives features historical, modern, and contemporary art by women artists whose contributions vary across cultures and periods.

Place - North America

Resource Type - Virtual exhibition

Date created - 2002-10-10

Language - English; French; Spanish

Format - Digital

Access - Free

**Audience:**

Grade - 10/Sec.4; 11/Sec.5; 12/CEGEP; 13/CEGEP

**Creators / Contributors:**

Creator(s) - Instituto Nacional de Bellas Artes; Consejo Nacional para la Cultura y las Artes; Secretaría de Relaciones Exteriores; Glenbow Museum; McMichael Canadian Art Collection; Musée d'art de Joliette; Louisiana State Museum

**Catalogued by:**

Gooding, William

Contact: [w.gooding@verizon.net](mailto:w.gooding@verizon.net)



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## ABOUT

*Community Memories* presents local history exhibits drawing from the collections of museums, small and large, and the treasures and reminiscences of individuals from those communities. Using image, text, sound and video, these exhibits form a unique portrait of Canadian history, providing new insights into the values and experiences that form our collective identity.

We invite you to explore this collection of exhibits and discover the many community memories that shape this country.

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- ▶ Choose from a list of exhibits created by museums in Newfoundland and Labrador.

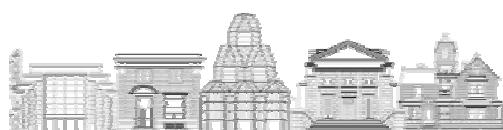


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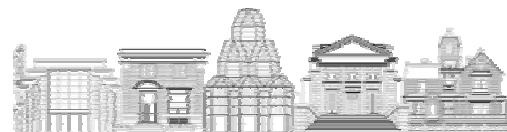
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**The Virtual Museum of Canada**

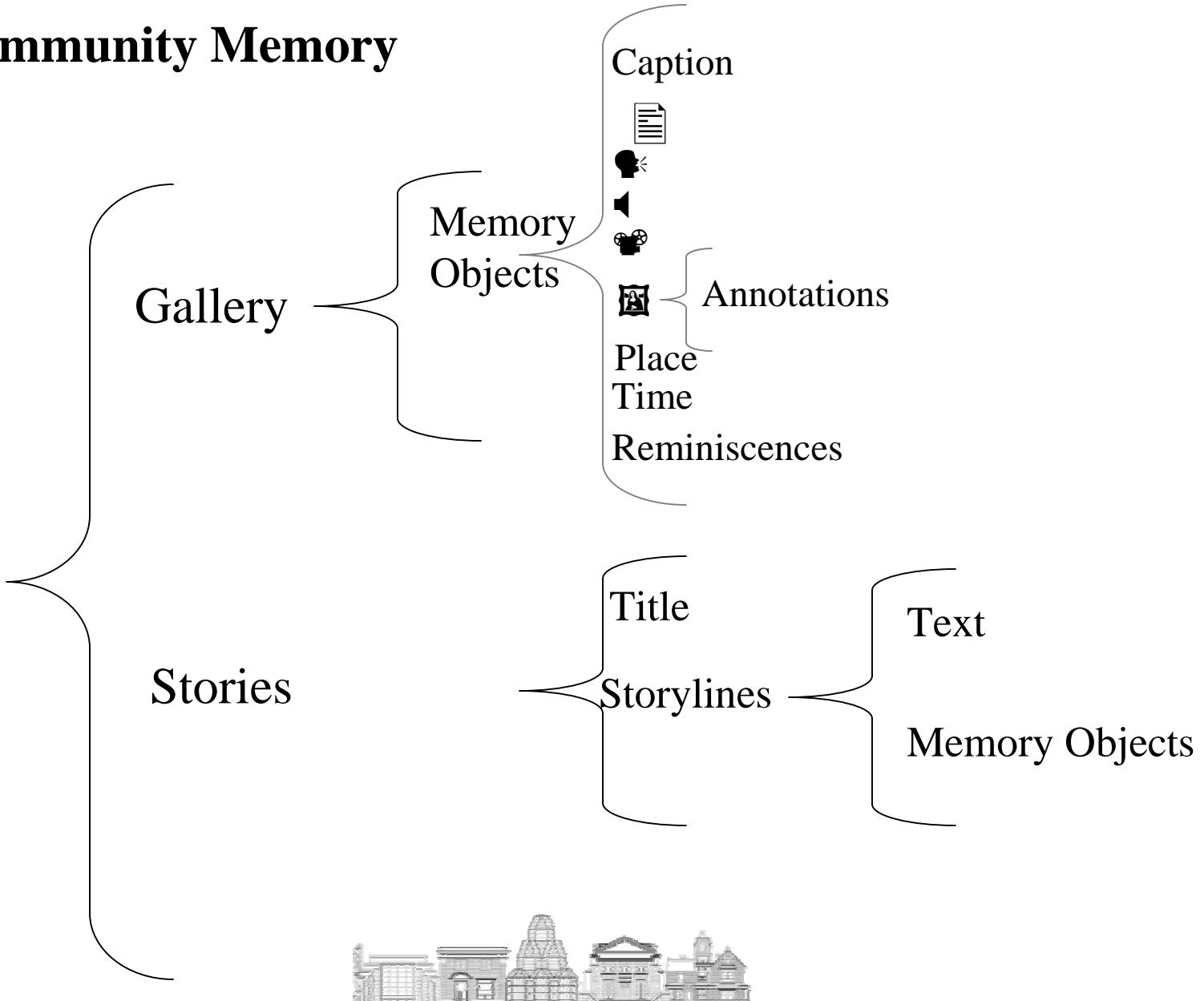
**Community Memories**

**A Community Memory (An Exhibit)**

**A Memory Object**



# A Community Memory



# Gallery

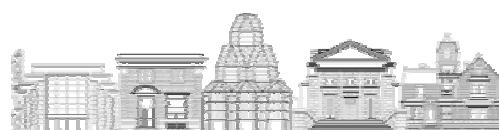
Search for images by keyword:

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 <p>Keeping a record of each day's events. Carbonear Heritage Society Carbonear, Newfoundland and Labrador</p>	 <p>'Hoddy' Carbonear Heritage Society Carbonear, Newfoundland and Labrador</p>	 <p>The poem, "Advance! Newfoundland." Carbonear Heritage Society Carbonear, Newfoundland and Labrador</p>
 <p>'It is me had it taken Sept. 5th 1944' Thomas Chesley Turner</p>	 <p>1947 - 48 Gander Airport, Nfld Tiger Moth flown by Phyllis Penney</p>	 <p>1st Newfoundland Regiment The Great European War 1914 This Certifies that ?? Louis Brown has</p>



# A Memory Object

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**Clara's Keepsake**

May 1918  
Carbonear, Newfoundland, Canada

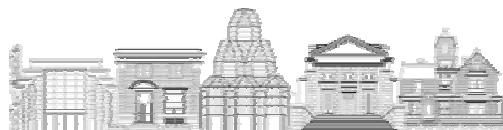
Clara's Keepsake

This is possibly the piece of a wreath which Clara had taken from one sent for Mortimer's funeral. It is her handwriting on the corner of the page, 'Part of wreath on Mortimer's casket picked May 2nd, 1918.'

This piece of pressed plant was found between the pages in one of Clara's diaries. It matched this page with the notation, so it is most likely that piece of wreath which Clara had so carefully and lovingly placed in her diary.

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The Stories below are special narratives presented through the use of specific images, sounds, and information selected from the exhibit.

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Merchant Navy  
Newfoundland Overseas Forestry Unit  
Royal Artillery  
Royal Canadian Air Force  
Royal Navy  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
The Life of Ches (T.C.) Turner  
The Life of Roy Babstock  
The Swordfish and The Eagle  
Women of War

The Mortimer Family



An American Soldier  
1918  
Boston, Massachusetts, USA

Clara wrote in her diary on Feb.7th, 1918, "Photo of Aunt Kate's son Albert (Bert) arrived. A splendid looking young soldier." In this entry she also wrote, "anniversary of my sister Beatrice's death." Some information on Clara's other sisters includes the following:  
Beatrice Mortimer had married Captain Charles Williams of New York,  
Marion Kate Mortimer had married William Thomas Winsor,  
Harriet Mortimer had married Walter Ernest Maddock.  
Elizabeth Ada Mortimer had married Leander Pike and  
Mary Sophie Ann Mortimer had married Robert Howell.

No information was found about her brothers Aubrey, Thomas, Alfred, and William, and who, or if, they married.

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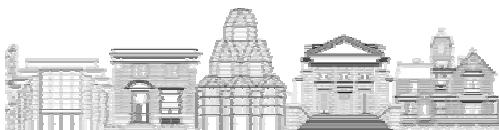
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# Search & Recommendation

The image displays two side-by-side screenshots of the North Atlantic Aviation Museum website, specifically the "Aviation in Gander Newfoundland" section.

**Screenshot 1 (Top):** This screenshot shows a search interface. On the left, there is a sidebar with categories: People (Couple, Crowd, Female, Group, Male), Work (Agriculture, Health, Heavy Industry, Military, Other), and a placeholder "Drag Terms Into This Window". At the bottom, there is a search bar with "Search" and "Clear" buttons, and a list of general terms: People, Landscape, Work, Type, and Document, Image, Object.

**Screenshot 2 (Bottom):** This screenshot shows the main search results page. It features a header with the museum's name and a navigation menu with links to Home, Gallery, Thumbnails, Stories, Contact Us, and Search. Below the header, there are search filters for Locations, Hot Spots, Audio, and Video. A large search bar is centered, with "Search" and "Clear" buttons. The main content area displays a grid of search results, each consisting of a thumbnail image, a title, and a brief description. A horizontal scroll bar is visible at the bottom of this grid.

## Next challenges

- Changing cataloguing tool (comments we have received)
- Link between Learning with Museums and Community Memories
  - Preservation metadata



## Questions

# Thank You

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