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## Summary information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University of Manitoba Archives & Special Collections
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## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

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### Note

J. Nicholas Mandziuk was born in the village of Kryvche, Borshchiv county, Crownland of Galicia, Austro-Hungarian Empire (now Ukraine) on December 13, 1902. In 1904, he immigrated with his parents to Canada, where they settled in the Ashville district of Manitoba. He graduated from the Teacher's College in 1921 and taught for several years in various schools in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. In 1933, he graduated with honours from the University of Manitoba with a Bachelor of Law degree. He practiced law in Oakburn, Manitoba and, in 1961, was honoured by being named Queen's Council. In Oakburn, he was active in community affairs, serving as Chairman of the Oakburn School District, President of the Oakburn Board of Trade, and Manager and founding member of Oakburn Credit Union. He was also active in the Ukrainian community, where he served on the following boards and associations: member and Chair of the Board of Oakburn National Home, founding member and executive member of St. George's Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Oakburn, President of the Manitoba Ukrainian Self-Reliance Association, and General Secretary of the Ukrainian Canadian Congress. His active role in the Ukrainian community resulted in his being awarded the Shevchenko Medal by the Ukrainian Canadian Congress and the Canada Service of Excellence Award by the Ukrainian Self Reliance League (USRL).

In 1957, Mandziuk ran as the Progressive Conservative candidate for the Manitoba federal riding of Marquette. He successfully won the riding and was re-elected in four subsequent elections. As a Member of Parliament, he served on various committees and represented Canada at international conferences, including acting as Chairman of the Manitoba Caucus, Member of the External Affairs Department, and Chairman of the Private Bills Committee, and serving on Canadian delegations to the United Nations, to the NATO Parliamentary Conference, to the Inter-Parliamentary Conference and to the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

Nicholas Mandziuk died on September 7, 1969. He was survived by his wife Mary (nee Wlasiuk), their daughters, Sonja Bejzyk and Darcia Zemlianski, and two grandchildren.

## **Custodial history**

The fonds was donated by the late J. Nicholas Mandziuk's daughters, Sonja Bezyk and Darcia Zemianski in 2005.

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## **Scope and content**

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The fonds consists of personal correspondence, newspaper clippings, photographs, and scrapbooks pertaining to Mr. Mandziuk's political career as a Member of Parliament for the constituency of Marquette, during the Diefenbaker era. The fonds consists of the following series: i) biographical ii) correspondence iii) speeches iv) scrapbooks v) photographs vi) miscellaneous.

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## **Notes**

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### **Title notes**

### **Arrangement**

This collection is arranged in 6 series, namely:

- i) Biographical
- ii) Correspondence
- iii) Speeches
- iv) Scrapbooks
- v) Photographs
- vi) Miscellaneous

### **Restrictions on access**

No restrictions on Access

### **Conditions governing use**

No restrictions on Use

### **Finding aids**

A finding aid can be generated from this description.

### **Accruals**

Further accruals are not expected.

## Other notes

- **Publication status:** published

## Access points

- Textual record (documentary form)
- Graphic material (documentary form)

## Series descriptions

<b>Biographical</b>				
<u>Publication status:</u>				
published				
<b>File / item list</b>				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	File - Certificate of Appreciation from the Rotary Club 1960			1 1
	File - Invitation for J. Nicholas Mandziuk's daughter, Darcia Mandziuk, to attend the opening of the First Session of the 24th Parliament 1958			1 2
	File - Published Material 1962			1 3
	File - Electoral District of Marquette -- Election Preparations 1957-1962			1 4
	File - Electoral list for Marquette 1962			1 5
	File - 24th Parliament seating and party affiliations 1958			1 6
	File - Election pamphlets and information 1958			1 7
	File - Newspaper election ads 1957-1965			1 8
	File - Newspapers clippings 1 of 2 1960-1968			1 9
	File - Newspaper clippings 2 of 2 1960-1968			1 10
	File - Ukrainian Canadian Organizations 1963			1 11
	File - Legal Bar Certificate, from the Law Society of Manitoba 1960			3 1
	File - Election Poster 1965			3 2
<b>Correspondence</b>				

<u>Publication status:</u> published				
<b>File / item list</b>				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	File - Correspondence 1957-1967 1957-1967			1 12
	File - Correspondence in Ukrainian, 1957-1962 1957-1962			1 13
	File - Telegrams 1957-1958, 1962			1 14
	File - Ukrainian Canadian Committee 1963			1 15
	File - Congratulatory notes from Parliamentary colleagues 1958			1 16
<b>Speeches</b>				
<u>Publication status:</u> published				
<b>File / item list</b>				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	File - Speeches Reports from Parliament Hill 1960-1965			1 17
	File - Speeches to Ukrainian Canadian Organizations 1958-1968			1 18
	File - House of Commons Debates 1965-1967			1 19
	File - Marquette Constituency addresses/ speeches & press releases ca.1958 - 1966			1 20
<b>Scrap Books</b>				
<u>Publication status:</u> published				
<b>File / item list</b>				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	File - Scrapbook 1 ca.1958 - 1966			4 1
	File - Scrapbook 2 1960 - 1968			4 2
	File - Scrapbook 3 1960			4 13
<b>Miscellaneous</b>				
<u>Publication status:</u>				

published				
<b>File / item list</b>				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	File - Ukrainian Canadian Publications ca.1958 - 1966			1 21
	File - Parliamentary Activities and Publications 1963			1 22
	File - Various Ukrainian-Canadian Publications 1947-1965			1 23
	File - Ukrainian Folk Art postcards ca.1965			1 24
	File - Ukrainian programs for concerts and events, including souvenirs 1983-1990			1 25
	File - Census data on the number of Ukrainian-Canadians 1961			1 26
	File - Book: Taras Shevchenko's Kobzar (Katerynoslav-Kam'ianets'-Liaptsig) 1921			2 1
	File - Book: Taras Shevchenko - the Artist -signed by freriends in Ottawa. Given to J. Nicholas Mandziuk on his departure from Ottawa in 1968	1964		2 2
	File - Narodnyi katekhizm. Katolyts'koi viry= The Native Catechism of the Catholic Faith	1917		2 3
	File - Catechism that belonged to J. Nicholas Mandziuk	ca. 1917		2 4
	File - Book: Ukraine and Russia. Gift to J. Nicholas Mandziuk during his visit to New York.	1917		2 5
<b>Photographs PC 194</b>				
<u>Publication status:</u>				
published				
<b>File / item list</b>				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	File - Photographs taken as MP for Marquette	ca. 1958-1965		3 3