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LOUIS MELZACK COLLECTION. 1983 and 1985 accessions.

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A collection of general Canadian historical interest, consisting of various documents, maps, letters and bound volumes. The majority of items relate to the Morris and McLean families, original settlers in the area of Elizabethtown (present day Brockville). The bound volumes include an early printer's pay-book, the diary of a British soldier serving in Upper Canada and material relating to the settlement of the Eastern Townships of Quebec.

Extent: 2 boxes, 4 bound volumes (1983 accession); 2 boxes, 1 bound vol. (1985
6 boxes (1986 accession); 5 boxes, 10 bound volumes (1987 accession)

box 1 McLean and Morris families

Historical background:

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The collection arrived in the form of a scrapbook, of considerable interest in itself as it had been assembled by the eminent Canadian artist, Edmund Morris (1871-1913), who had added numerous notes and headings in his own hand. Unfortunately, owing to the poor quality of the paper in the scrapbook which endangered the valuable documents, the Library has had to dismember the volume and remove the documents. A microfilm has been made as a record of the original scrapbook. The numbers which are lightly pencilled on each document refer to the page number in the scrapbook.

The letters and documents had been arranged by Morris in two groups: those of the Alexander McLean family, and those of the Alexander Morris family. (Edmund Morris was a descendant of both houses). He included a brief outline of the history of the McLean family and an index of those documents, but did not complete the work on the Morris family.

The McLeans, who had emigrated from Paisley, Scotland, to New York State in 1774, were immediately caught up in the American Revolution. Their lot was hard, as they chose to remain loyal to the British crown. After some years of persecution they escaped to Canada, crossing the St. Lawrence by canoe with the intention of settling at Niagara. However, stopping to repair their canoes at the site of the future Elizabethtown (Brockville), they decided to settle there.

In 1797 Alexander McLean began writing to Alexander Morris in Paisley, asking for help in finding a Presbyterian clergyman for the small community. The Morris family emigrated to join their friends in Elizabethtown in 1801, and the two families worked together for the good of the community. Public spirited people, they contributed time, energy and money toward the building of churches, schools and roads, as well as producing future soldiers, statesmen and the artist Edmund Morris. The town of Morrisburg commemorates the family name.

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CONTAINER LISTING:

Scottish [sic] settlers in British America ... a review of a paper by the Rev. Thomas MacCulloch, 1826. (newspaper cutting).

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Early history of Presbyterianism in Kingston and vicinity [by Samuel Houston?] extracted from the Queen's Quarterly, Oct. 1894. Vol. II, no. 2.

Edmund Morris. Alexander McLean and a few particulars of the settlement of Brockville. Holograph. 14 leaves. Accompanied by typescript.

Edmund Morris. [Index to the McLean papers]. Holograph. 3 leaves.

Edmund Morris's headings for the various items listed under McLean papers which were originally pasted in a scrapbook.

The McLean letters and documents

1. Extracts from letters written between 1797 and 1800 by Alexander McLean and his son Robert, to Alexander Morris in Paisley, Scotland, telling of the struggle in the community to obtain the ministrations of a clergyman. These extracts were published in The Missionary Magazine, January, 1800.
2. Copy by Edmund Morris of a letter by Alexander Morris, Paisley, May 6, 1800, stating that he is striving to have a Presbyterian clergyman sent to Elizabethtown.
3. A manuscript petition from the Presbyterians of the Elizabethtown area 1796, asking for Presbyterian clergy to have the right to perform the marriage ceremony. With 41 signatures.
4. A manuscript petition to the Dutch Reformed Church of Albany, N.Y., asking for a clergyman. Accompanied by a list of 37 subscribers, each indicating how much money he will contribute.
5. The signatures of people of various denominations offering to support the Rev. Robert McDowall "until such time as we can obtain a regular clergyman of our several denominations."
6. Two lists of the signatures of those supporting the establishment of a Dutch Reformed Church in Elizabethtown, 1799, and 1808 respectively.
7. Subscription list for the proposed appointment of the Rev. Thomas Kirby, 1800. With the contribution of each person in labour or material.
8. Subjects for consideration to be brought before the above subscribers.
9. Draft of a petition from the inhabitants of Oswegatchie (earlier name for Elizabethtown) regarding lack of clergy.
10. Ms. letter from Thomas Beveridge, Argyle [U.S.] Feb. 20, 1795, relating to finding a clergyman for the people of Elizabethtown.

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11. A.L.S. from the Rev. David Goodwillie, Barnet [U.S.] Oct. 31, 1795 on the same topic.
12. 2 A.L.S. from James Moirs, Galway [U.S.] May 29, 1796, and Dec. 24, 1797. in which he laments the plight of the people of Elizabethtown, but points out the arduousness of the trip if he should come for a short visit.
13. A petition to Dr. Romeyn of the Dutch Reformed Church in Albany [U.S.] pleading with him to send a minister soon, Mr. McDowall having decided to work in another area. They can promise \$380.00 the first year.
14. A.L.S. from Dr. Romeyn, Schenectady, July 22, 1800, to Mr. Alexander McLean, Elizabethtown, introducing the Rev. Thomas Kirby who has undertaken to come and minister to the Dutch Reformed Church people of Elizabethtown.
15. A.L.S. from the Rev. John Kirby, Staten Island [U.S.] Dec. 2, 1800, reporting that he will not be able to come until the Spring.
16. 4 A.L.S. to Alexander McLean from the Rev. Robert McDowall, Fredericksburg, Upper Canada, where he is ministering to the three parishes of Fredericksburg, Ernestown and Adolphustown, written between 1800 and 1817.
17. Minutes of four meetings of the Consistory of Elizabethtown, Augusta and Yonge, 1806-07.
18. Partial autograph draft of a petition by Alexander McLean to the Hon. Peter Russell, outlining his hardships as a Loyalist, obviously the preamble to a claim for a grant of land to which he is entitled as a Loyalist.
19. Ms. address of J. White, Attorney General, Kingston, Upper Canada, July 26, 1792, to the electors of the town of Elizabethtown, County of Leeds, soliciting their support in the coming election.
20. The Rev. Alexander McLean's account of the life of his father, Major John McLean, and general account of the McLean family. Draft of article for the Presbyterian Record, 1861.
Fair copy of the above account, more complete.
21. Extracts from the records in the family Bible of the McLean family, Brockville, Canada West, Aug. 29, 1850.
22. Commission of John McLean as Lieutenant in the Leeds County Militia, 1808. Map Case
23. Commission of John McLean as Captain ... 1817. Map Case
24. Commission of John McLean as Major ... 1839. Map Case
25. A.N.S. from Jacob Day to Mr. McLain [sic] promising to pay a debt.

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26. Account of "lodging money" due to Lieut. John McLean of the 1st Regiment of Leeds Militia, stationed at Brockville and Prescott from July 2, 1812 to Jan. 24, 1813.
27. Muster-roll and pay-roll of a detachment from the first Regiment of Leeds Militia, under the command of Lieut. John McLean ... 2nd to the 9th of April, 1813 ...
28. Roll of Capt. Selvesture Wrights [sic] Flank Company 1st Regt. Leeds Militia.
29. A.N.S. from Duncan Carley requesting pay for military service. Brockville, Jan. 29, 1814.
30. Instructions for the forming of the 1st Regiment, Leeds Militia, Nov. 25, 1822. Signed by L [i.e. Livius] P. Sherwood, Colonel.
31. Instructions to pay Lieut. John McLean and two sergeants for navigating bateaux from Brockville to Kingston. June 16, 1814. Signed by Edward Sabine (later Sir Edward Sabine who accompanied Sir John Franklin's expedition of 1818).
32. A certificate stating that Lieut. John McLean has been sworn to serve as an overseer of highways and roads, Elizabethtown, June 20, 1814. Signed J. Breakenridge.
33. Roll of Captain John McLean's Company, 1st Regiment, Leeds Militia, Oct. 2nd, 1822.
34. Regimental orders, Division of the Companies of the 1st Regiment of Leeds Militia, July 14, 1817. Signed Livius P. Sherwood, Lieut. Colonel.
35. Table of instructions for weaving.
36. Notes about pasturage of cow. Port Glasgow, March 1774.
37. Essays and notes of Alexander McLean at Middlebury College, Charlotte, Vermont, April 1837-Aug. 1839.
38. Miscellaneous pieces of poetry. One signed Catherine McLean.
39. Notes made by the Rev. Alexander McLean while visiting Scotland in 1840.
40. 3 A.L.S. from Thomas Crichton of Paisley to the Rev. Alexander McLean while the latter was in Scotland purchasing on behalf of the library of Queen's University, Kingston.

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MORRIS PAPERS

1. Subscribers for donations. Three pages, double columned, of signatures, presumably of those supporting the plan to bring a Presbyterian clergyman to Brockville. Signatures include that of Nahum Mower of Montreal.
2. Pledge to support the Rev. Wm. Smart, who is to preach at Brockville, Augusta and Yonge. With signatures of subscribers, Oct. 25, 1811.
3. Pledge to support Mr. Smart of the subscribers at Augusta. With signatures, July 25, 1812.
4. List of those whose subscriptions are not paid. June 11, 1814.
5. Minutes of the proceedings of a meeting at Brockville for the salary of Mr. Smart. July 12, 1812.
6. Two pledges for donations for Mr. Smart to be paid in cash or grain. Elizabethtown, July 25, 1812. With signatures.
7. A committee to deliberate on several matters regarding the support of Mr. Smart in war-time. Sept. 19, 1813.
8. Subscription list for the support of Mr. Smart, 1813. Map Case
9. Cash received for Mr. Smart from the 1st of January, 1814.
10. List of the inhabitants of the District of Johnstown who will pay for the support of Mr. Smart in the year 1816.
11. Minutes of a meeting held at Brockville, Dec. 18, 1815, to discuss the building of a Presbyterian Church, "neat, plain and commodious". Signed by Adiel Sherwood. With a list of those present and their signatures.
12. Four lists of the subscribers and their donations, Dec., 1815.
13. Minutes of a meeting to appoint a committee who will collect funds and transact business for the building of the Presbyterian Church, Dec. 18, 1816 (2 copies); note adds that at a meeting held on March 31, 1816, the committee appointed William Morris to superintend the building of the church.
14. Description of the Court House Square, from the Registry Office.
15. Agreement between Caleb Henderson and A. and W. Morris that the former supply 1200 bushels of "good merchantable lime" at 12 pence a bushel to be used in building the Presbyterian Church, Jan. 23, 1816.
16. Agreement between Nehemiah and Stephen Seaman and A. and W. Morris that the former supply boards and planks for the building of the church. March 9, 1816.

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17. Reuben Burnett and Peter Dannals of Ogdensburgh - Estimate of prices for making window frames, cornices, steeple and other wooden parts of the church.
18. Contract by which Horatio C. Bertheony of New York State undertakes to build the church. March 18, 1818.
19. Receipts and vouchers for labour, materials and donations to the building of the Presbyterian Church, 1816-1817. 35 items.
20. A.L.S. from Thomas Crichton, Paisley, Scotland to the Hon. William Morris, Brockville.
Accompanied by a ms. copy of same letter by Edmund Morris.

- Box 2
1. Dorchester, Sir Guy Carleton, 1st baron, 1724-1808. [A manuscript warrant, signed by Dorchester, authorizing Thomas Boone, Deputy Pay Master of his Majesty's Forces in Canada, to pay, through Mr. Bryce McCumming, the subsistence allowance for the 31st Regiment of Foot for several months during 1786-87] 1 leaf.
 2. List of applicants in whose favour orders have been made for specific quantities of land since the 7th of February, 1792. 27 p.

The applicants, mainly Loyalists, leaving the U.S.A., after the American Revolution, are obtaining land grants in the Eastern Townships of Quebec. The paper is water-marked 1794.

3. Papers relating to the Sioux Indians of the United States who have taken refuge on Canadian Territory. Printed confidentially for the use of the Minister of the Crown.

Ms. copies of 46 letters, telegrams and reports relating to the arrival in Canada of Sitting Bull in 1877.

BOUND VOLUMES:

Box 3/4

- Item 3 Neilson, John, 1776-1848. Pay-book for Neilson's printing shop, 1793-1801. 1 v. in various hands. 175 p.

Includes the signatures of Louis Roy, d. 1799; of his father, Charles Roy; of Thomas Cary, 1751-1823; of Pierre Edouard Desbarats; of John George Hochstetter.

- Item 4 [Land grants to settlers in the Eastern Townships of Quebec] 1796-1800
1 v. 100 p.

Consists of lists of settlers for each township.

Box 5/6

- Item 5 Verdicts considered at the assizes ... in the District of Johnstown, 1812-1816. 165 p.

With additional notes on the end-papers, and 3 leaves laid in 1st 8 p. consist of an index of all the cases heard.

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Item 6

Boyle, Robert Edward, d. 1854. [Journal of 16 months spent in Canada] 1827-28. 217 [i.e. 225] p. With 12 p. additional notes at end of book.

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Includes account of his trip from Plymouth, and descriptions of the places visited in Canada, where Boyle part of the time was acting as aide-de-camp to Sir Peregrine Maitland.

Mapcase

Plan of part of the Township of Aston, shewing the lands granted to Captain d'Estimauxville and family. Manuscript map.

Signed by Joseph Bouchette, surveyor-general of Lower Canada, 1804-1841.

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This important accession has been divided for convenience into several groups.

The first consists of letters and documents of historical significance to Canada, generally, but not relating to any one family.

The second group revolves around the Morris family of Brockville and Perth: William Morris, 1786-1858, prominent business man, churchman and a politician and statesman; his brother, James Morris, 1798-1865, another public figure who was at one time speaker of the Legislative Council, and postmaster general from 1851-53; William Morris's son Alexander, 1826-1889, a prime mover in the course of Canadian Confederation, who became Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba and the North West Territories.

The remaining papers relate to the descendants of Ephraim Jones, 1750-1812, an early Loyalist settler in the Brockville area. Another small group is general information about the Loyalist settlements.

A photograph album (see page 16) depicting the building of the C.P.R. in Northern Ontario, 1884, is a unique item.

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Documents of general Canadian importance:

Contract between Messrs. McTavish, Frobisher & Co. and Francois Bourbonnois, by which the latter agrees to transport certain items by canoe for the Company. Vaudreuil, Quebec, Dec. 19, 1800.

Printed document filled in ms., signed by J. Bte H. Deguire.

McTavish, Frobisher & Co. was a partnership which came to dominate the North West Company.

Neilson, John, 1776-1848

Introduction of printing [to Canada] 2 leaves.

Holograph copy

Headed: Memo for Mr. Smith

He has been identified as William Henry Smith, fl. 1846-1851

Kent and Strathern, Edward Augustus, Duke of, 1767-1820. Undated. A.L.S. to a Mr. Moore, planning a social evening. Folder, 3 p.

The Duke of Kent was the father of Queen Victoria.

Boys, Henry. A.L.S. to George Hutchison, Walsingham, Ont. Toronto, May 9, 1841. Sends a receipt to addressee for payments which addressee has made on King's college land in the township of Walsingham, Ont.

Folder, 2p.

Second page gives a chart of payments made since 1831. With it as the receipt, signed: H. Boys, Buursar, K.C. [i.e. King's College]

Canada. Province of Quebec. Electoral District of Montreal West. Commission appointing William Darling Deputy Returning Officer.

Printed form filled in ms.

Signed by G.H. Ryland

BOX 8

Oversize documents

Ontario. Executive Council. Copy of a report of a table of fees under the regulations of the 9th January, 1804, acted upon the 6th July 1804. 9p.
Signed H. Allcock, and John Small
Additional reprint, 1805. 2p.
Signed Peter Hunter, Peter Russell, John Small
Paper water-marked 1807.
With this are 3 tables of fees showing the fees to each officer of the Land Granting Department on a grant of 200

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acres of land, 1796, 1797 and 1804 respectively.
With this is a copy of a letter to the Hon. Peter
Hunter, Lieut. Gov. of the Province of Upper Canada.
Toronto, July 6, 1802.
Attested & true copy by John Small.

Great Britain. Army. [Rates of pay for all ranks
in the forces in the plantations and the garrisons
in North America] Oct. 7, 1789. 12 p. Signed by
Mornington (probably William Wellesley, 3rd Earl of
Mornington, brother of the Duke of Wellington).

Indian presents. Lists of articles ... which may be
issued to meritorious chiefs and warriors ... Quebec,
Feb. 24, 1834. 2 p. Signed by Richard Airey.

Indenture (unsigned draft) between William Buell of
Brockville and the Rev. William Smart, Alexander
Morris, James Morris and others who are trustees of
the Presbyterian Church, Brockville, 1831.
Concerns transfer of land to the Presbyterian Church.
Ms. with an added note in another hand.

Ontario. Auditor General's Dept. [Grant of 200 acres
of land in the township of Lanark, County of Lanark, to
William Morris]. March 4, 1825. On vellum.
Signed by Peregrine Maitland, John Beverly Robinson,
S. Heward and Duncan Cameron.

Manuscript map of Perth, Upper Canada
(Shows the property of William Morris, who moved
to Perth in 1816)

Ontario. Bathurst District. Court of Requests, 1st
Division. Document signed by Richard Alexander
Tucker, Provincial Secretary, and Sir George Arthur
making appointments to the Court of Requests. June
10, 1840.
With this is a L.S. from Tucker to William Morris,
relating to the appointments, Toronto, June 10, 1840.

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II. Morris family

A. Documents relating to the Honorable William Morris, 1786-1858

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[Loyal address to Lord Dalhousie] by "The magistrates, clergy and other inhabitants of the Perth Settlement." Probably 1819 or 1820. Probably by William Morris.

Canada Commissioners Office. N.P., March 22, 1825. Printed form, 1 leaf. Asks Wm. Morris to be present at a meeting of the Board to give information.

Morris, William. Draft of the petition of William Morris of the District of Bathurst to the Lieutenant-Governor for a road from the village of Lanark to the township of Fitzroy on the Ottawa River. n.p., n.d.] 2p. Holograph [ca 1820-1830?]

Ontario. Parliament. House of Assembly. Extracts from the Journals of the House of Assembly, Jan. 21, 1835. Resolved that ... a suitable and proper protecting duty [be imposed] on various articles coming from the United States. (Printed)

Morris, William, to the editor of the Cobourg Reformer. Toronto, March 17, 1836. Dft. S. of a letter in which Morris denies receiving a grant of land as a favour from the administration.

Gordon, James to William Morris. Amherstburg, Nov. 30, 1836. A.L.S., Folder, 4 p. Comments on various political incidents and on such personalities as Allan MacNab, Robert Stanton and John Macaulay.

Joseph, John to William Morris. Toronto, Oct. 30, 1837. L.S. Folder, 4p. Sender is replying to a petition addressed to the Governor, Sir George Arthur, by the Presbyterian Conference held in Cobourg in 1836, relating to the distribution of the Clergy Reserves, and to the Presbyterians having a voice in the Council of King's College.

McGill, Peter, 1789-1860, to Wm. Morris, Perth. Montreal, Dec. 6, 1837. A.L.S. 2p. Gives detailed news of the rebellion in Lower Canada.

Morris, William to Captain Goldie. Perth, Ont. Dec. 15, 1837. A.N.S. (copy). Sender expresses confidence in the 2nd Lanark militia, and asks that ammunition be supplied for it.

Morris, William to Robert Barbour & Bros. Perth, Ont. Nov. 9, 1838. A.L.S. 1 leaf (copy). Refers to the incursion of the Americans on Canadian soil (Battle of the Windmill) and laments that Britain has made no move to punish the Americans.

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Morris, James to William Morris. [Prescott, Ont.] Nov. 13, 1838. A.N.S. Asks his brother to send forward all his men. "Severe work at Prescott". (Battle of the Windmill).

Rowan, Col. William, 1789-1879, to Wm. Morris. Montreal, Nov. 14, 1838. A.L.S. 2p. Sir John Colborne will avail himself of Morris's services should he have to take the field in Upper Canada.

Morris, Col. William. Perth, Ont., Nov. 14, 1838. Militia general order for the County of Lanark. Gives orders for members of the 2nd Lanark Militia to send men to join the 3rd Lanark Militia. (Battle of the Windmill)

Morris, Wm., to the Adjutant-General, Toronto. Brockville, Ont., Nov. 16, 1838. Describes the Battle of the Windmill, near Prescott Ont., an episode following the Upper Canada Rebellion.

Cline, Robert to the Hon. Wm., Morris, Perth. Cornwall, Ont. Dec. 12, 1838. A.L.S. 2p. Refers to war-time contingencies, and refers to the Battle of the Windmill.

Morris, Wm. to Robert Barbour & bros. Manchester. Perth, Ont., Jan. 11, 1839. A.L.S. 1 leaf (copy). Refers to the hardships endured by Canadians in the Rebellion of 1837-38 and especially during the American invasion, at the Battle of the Windmill.

Morris, William to Sir George Arthur. Toronto, Apr. 16, 1839. A.L.S. Folder, 2p. Letter concerns the sharing of public funds set aside for the Anglican church with the other religious denominations.

Treadwell, Charles P. to Wm. Morris, Perth, Ont., L'Orignal, Ont., Aug. 12, 1839. A.L.S. Folder, 2p. Sender and others "residing on the borders of the [Ottawa] River" would like the Hon. William Morris to represent them when the matter of union between Upper and Lower Canada comes up for discussion. A draft of Morris's reply is written on the blank pages of the folder.

[Morris, William. Report of the committee to inquire whether the Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a speaker to the Legislative Council who is not a member of the house. n.p. 1839?] Unsigned report, 4½p. In the holograph of William Morris.

Gifford, Arthur to William Morris. Toronto, June 10, 1840. A.L.S. Folder, 3p. Writes from the Provincial Secretary's office to inform Morris that Mr. Matheson will be one of the commissioners on the Court of Requests. Congratulates Morris on his work for the [Presbyterian] Church.

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Louis Melzack *Box 7* [Notes on the riots in Montreal which were caused by the
Collection passing of the Rebellion Losses Bill, 1849]. Ms., 2p.
By an eye witness who is not identified.

[Draft of a brief expressing the feelings of the Loyalist
Settlement in Canada after the Rebellion Losses Bill was
passed] 18p., In the same hand as the Notes on the riots.

Morris, William. Memo on the life of William Morris ...
written in Bermuda in February, 1849. Folder, 3p.
Holograph.

Gordon, James to William Morris. Toronto, 1850-51 3 A.L.S.
Makes caustic remarks about the removal of the seat of
government to Toronto and on the reception Lord Elgin
received in that city. Comments on the entire political
scene devoting one letter to the Clergy Reserves.

Cochran, Matthew to Eliza Morris. Lima, Peru, Oct. 19, 1827.
A.L.S. 7p. Detailed description of his life in Peru.

-----, ----- to Robert Cochran, Brockville, Ont. June 11,
1833. A.L.S. Folder 3p. Gives news of home and exhorts
him to work hard in Canada.

-----, ----- to Eliza Morris. Glasgow, Dec. 6, 1841.
A.L.S., 2p. Writes to inform his sister that her son
Alexander has arrived in Scotland.

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Manuscript map of town of Perth, Ont. see oversize box
(watermark 1836)

Photos:

1. A piece of silver plate given to William Morris and his
brother by the merchants of Glasgow upon payment of
of their father's debts, 1820.
2. A house, presumably Morris's home in Perth, Ont.
3. The rival candidates - a political carton of Wm. Morris
and his opponent, Alexander Thom. July 28, 1828.

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B. Documents relating to the Honorable James Morris, 1786-1865⁹⁸

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The Honorable James Morris. Offprint from Taylor, Fennings. Portraits of British Americans. W. Notman, J. Lovell, printer, 1865-68. With a portrait of James Morris. Accompanied by a typescript of above, and a typescript of another article on James Morris, copied from Morgan, Henry J. Sketches of celebrated Canadians.

Morris, James to William Morris. Brockville, Ont. Nov. 30, 1846. A.L.S. 6p. Writes about the deed for the Presbyterian Church in Brockville. Refers to the arrival of Lord Elgin's brother, Lord Bruce, as a fore-runner of his brother who is to be Governor-General.

Morris, James to Alexander Morris, Brockville, Ont. Feb. 27, 1847. A.L.S. 4p. Letter deals mainly with the health of Alexander's father, William, who as a public servant, has ruined his health.

Morris, James to William Morris. Montreal, Jan 31, 1849. A.L.S. 4p. Inquiries for addressee's health which he hopes will improve with change of climate. Lord Elgin and members of the Legislative Council ask about him constantly.

Morris, James to Wm Morris. Toronto, May 29, 1850. A.L.S. 4p. Received addressee's letter from New York. Describes Toronto which has greatly improved.

Morris, James to William Morris. Toronto, June 27, 1850. A.L.S. 4p. Gives political news. "Your bill is making quite a noise".

Morris, James to Wm Morris. Brockville, Ont., March 27, 1854. A.L.S. 2p. Received addressee's letter from Charleston. Gives family news and business advice.

Pettigrew, R. to Mr. Howell, Glen Morris, Ont., July 11, A.L.S. Glen Morris was originally called Dawson's Bridge. It was changed to Glen Morris in honour of The Hon. James Morris while he was Post Master General (1851-1853)

C. Documents relating to the Honorable Alexander Morris, 1828-1889⁶

Morris, Alexander. Vente par Jacob Cook a Alexander Morris...
Copy of record of sale of 3 lots to Morris in the township
of Sutton, District of Montreal and of two lots in the
township of Teinwick. Signed by R. Dickinson, Registrar
of the County of Missisquoi, Jan 27, 1847.

Christie, W.J. to Alexander Morris, Lieut, Governor of the
North West Territories, Fort Garry, Aug. 6, 1875. A.L.S.
4p. Sender, who signs himself Indian Commissioner, Treaty
no. 4, gives addressee seven suggestions for facilitating
the passing of a treaty with the Indians in the North West
Territories.

Morris, Alexander. Chapter XII, The administration of the
Treaties - The Half-Breeds - The future of the Indian
tribes. 15 leaves. Holograph. (Pages 285-297 of His
The treaties of Canada with the Indians of Manitoba, 1880).

Morris, Alexander. The Making of Canada. Reply of Hon.
Alex. Morris to the Grit organ's story ... to the editor
of the mail. Incomplete ms. (copy) 4p.

[The estate of the late Alexander Morris] Newspaper clippings
1889.

Vice-regal invitations to members of the Alexander Morris
family. 6 pieces.

Croil, James (1821-1916) to Mrs. [Alexander] Morris. Montreal,
May 7, 1906. A.L.S. 2p. Sends an account of the life of
her brother-in-law, John Lang Morris. Encl.

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D Morris family - General correspondence and documentation

Proofs of a biographical article on William Morris,
James Morris and Alexander Morris. With ms. notes.

A Veteran of the Montreal bar: the late J.L. Morris, K.C.
Obituary from The Globe. April 21, 1906.

The Morris family tree. Enclosed in an A.L.S. from Ross
A. Morris, 1929, to Louis Melzack.

Letters to Edmund Montague Morris (1871-1913)
Croil, James. A.L.S. 1901, re possibility of publication
of Wm Morris's letters.

Scott, Duncan Campbell. A.L.S. 1906, on the same subject.

Whitney, Sir James Pliny. A.L.S. 1910, thanking Edmund
Morris for a set of books for the Legislative Library.

Martin, Chester. A.L.S. 1911, thanking addressee for
volumes of pamphlets.

MacLean, William Alexander. A.L.S. 1913 re the MacLean
family tree.

The MacLean family of Brockville, Genealogy.

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E. Material relating to the Jones family. (Alexander Morris, 1782-1851, married into this family)

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Original photographs (3)

Jones family tree. 1898

MacDonald [Herbert S] A legend of the Revolution. Ts. 4 leaves.

MacDonald, Herbert S. [The Jones family of Brockville and Maitland] Brockville, 1888. ms. (copy). 6 leaves.

Jones, Andrew. [Reminiscences]. Augusta township, Grenville Co., 1904. ms. (copy). 14 leaves.

Miscellaneous notes on the Jones family.

2 letters to Edmund Morris relating to the Jones family history

F. General Loyalist Material

MacDonald [Hebert S.] United Empire Loyalists. Ts. 24 leaves.

The Palatinate and German migration. Ts. 4 leaves.

Casselman, Alexander Clark. A.L.S. to Edmund Morris, 1912.

MacDonald, Blanche Lucille. Brant and the Butlers. (Extract from the University Magazine.

Item 9 Girdwood, Gilbert Prout, 1832-1916. Photograph album showing the building of the C.P.R. in Northern Ontario, 1884. Bound volume containing 120 photos, 7½ x 4½. Girdwood was a doctor with the C.P.R.

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BOX 10 Ryland, Herman Witsius, and Sir John Coape Sherbrooke.
Correspondence concerning meetings of the Executive Council,
its reports and other business. Quebec, 1817-1818. 17 A.L.S.

Herman Witsius Ryland, 1760-1838, was Clerk of the Executive
Council of Lower Canada, 1793-1838.

Sir John Coape Sherbrooke, 1764-1830, had a distinguished
military career, and was Governor of Canada, 1816-1818.

Collection of 4 letters and 1 order bound together. Kingston, 1829.

Bigham, R. To Respective Officers, Isle aux Noix. Sept. 21,
1829. A.L. 1 leaf (copy)

Letter concerns an order for 12 stove pipes and a stove stand
for the guard house of the Naval Yard at Isle aux Noix.

Barrie, Robert. To Capt. Henry Dilkes Byng, Commanding at Isle
aux Noix. Dec. 20, 1829. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

Barrie has orders to go to England for a trial and will not
return until spring; will leave a copy of the orders for the
Respective Officers with Byng. With a copy of the Orders.

Barrie, Robert. By Commodore Robt. Barrie, C.B. Commanding
His Majestys Ships and Vessels and the Naval Establishments
in the Canadas, the River St. Lawrence to Quebec inclusive, ...

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to the Respective Officers, Officers of the Ordinary Commanding the Naval Establishments in Canada. Kingston, U.C., Dec. 22, 1829. 2p. (signed) Order states that Barrie has permission to go to England. In accordance with the 5th Articles of the Honourable Navy Boards order, the officer-in-charge during his absence will be Captain the Honourable Henry Dilkes Byng.

Barrie, Robert. To Sir James Kempt, Commander of the Forces. Dec. 20, 1829. A.L. 2 p. (copy)

Barrie informs Kempt that he has permission to go to England and that Captain Henry Dilkes Byng will be in charge of the civil branch of the Naval Department during his absence.

Anderson, Charles. To James M. Whyte, Hamilton, Edinburgh, Mar. 27, 1842. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Anderson has received letter and money for sale of shares in Gore Bank from Whyte, and refers to Sir Robert Peel's proposed income tax.

Smith, William Osborne. To Colonel [Carnett Joseph Wolseley. Montreal] Jan. 24, 1871. A.L.S. 2 folders.

Smith writes about the sale of mill and payment for it, and the cases settled or about to be settled in Montreal. He adds the postscript, "We are 'bound' to have a row with the Yankees."

William Osborne Smith, ca. 1833-1887, a soldier, was adjutant-general at Montreal, 1865-1881. During the Fenian raids he was in charge of the borders. Garnett Joseph Wolseley, 1833-1913, a field marshal and writer, commanded the Red River expedition in 1870. In 1871 he returned to England.

Bacon, Thomas. To Patrick Leonard MacDougall [London]. Montreal, Mar. 27, 1873. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Bacon asks MacDougall to confirm the allowance to be paid to George Thurber, MacDougall's agent for two years. Account with Thurber is on verso of letter.

MacDougall, Dugald Lorn, Montreal. To Patrick Leonard MacDougall [London] Mar. 31, 1873. A.L.S. 5 p.

MacDougall describes business matters in Montreal such as the college mortgage, mutual friends, and congratulates P.L. MacDougall on appointment as Chief of Intelligence of the War Office. Written on paper with letterhead of North British & Mercantile Insurance Buildings. (D.L. MacDougall and Thomas Davidson were general agents

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for the North British & Mercantile Insurance Company in Montreal).

MacDougall, Dugald Lorn, Montreal. To Patrick Leonard MacDougall [London]. May 2, 1873. A.L.S. 2 Folders. With itemized financial statement.

MacDougall apologizes for delay in sending payment for the Sherbrooke lands but the matter was only arranged three days before. He is enclosing the balance in a Bill of Exchange. Writes also about his family, his wife Lucy and their daughters.

Major-General Patrick Leonard MacDougall in account with D. Lorn MacDougall. May 2, 1873.

Itemized financial statement from Oct. 1871 until May 1873 of the money expended by the firm of D. Lorn MacDougall on behalf of P.L. Mac Dougall. Includes municipal taxes, school taxes, legal fees, subscription to a mission, etc.

Dugald Lorn MacDougall, 1811-1885, was a wealthy Montreal stock broker, first chairman of the Montreal Stock Exchange. He organized and commanded a militia unit which he led during the Fenian Raids in 1866.

Major-General (later Sir) Patrick Leonard MacDougall, 1819-1894, was a British soldier who spent considerable time in Canada as an administrator. He probably met Dugald Lorn MacDougall when he (P.L.) was appointed adjutant-general of Canadian militia in 1865, distinguishing himself during the Fenian Raid of 1866. Presumably he left his affairs in D.L. MacDougall's hands when he returned to England in 1869. He returned to Canada in 1878 as adjutant-general, a position he held until 1893. He wrote about military topics, and about his father-in-law, William Francis Patrick Napier.

MATERIAL RELATING TO WILLIAM MORRIS, 1786-1858

Circular addressed to the Friends of the Re-union of Lower and Upper Canada in Montreal. Montreal, Oct. 21, 1822. Printed folder.

John Richardson, the chairman of the group, has appended a holograph postscript and list of citizens in Perth and Richmond.

Morris, William. To James Morris. Perth. York [Toronto] Feb. 12, 1823. A.L.S. 2 p. Morris describes how his group, which was in favour of Union of the two Canadas, was out-numbered and out-manoeuvred in the Legislature.

Morris, William. To [R.J. Wilmot, London] Upper Canada, Sept. 26, 1827. Corrected draft of letter. 11 p.

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Morris refers to letter written by Bishop Strachan (TPL, A Bibliography no. 1462) to Horton, May 16, 1827, concerning the status of the Church of England, its clergy and members, and the status of other churches, namely, the Church of Scotland in Upper Canada.

Circular. Private & confidential. Government House, Toronto. Oct. 24, 1839. Sir. His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor being desirous to acquire Folder 2 p. Ms.

Draft with corrections, in hand of William Morris, of part of a letter to members of assembly asking each to solicit the opinions of constituents about certain matters; the union of Upper and Lower Canada, responsible government, the militia system, the state of the roads, the land granting system, education in the provinces.

The Municipal Council of the Township of Louth [Lincoln County], Upper Canada. A petition to the Honorable House of Assembly asking for sale of the Clergy Reserves and application of the money to improvement of the Grammar Schools. Signed: W. Adams, Reeve. [ca 1835?]

Morris, William. To Lord Durham, London. Perth, Upper Canada, Dec. 29, 1838. A.L.S. 2 folders 5p.

Morris points out to Lord Durham who has returned to England some of the causes of discontent in Upper Canada, such as the clergy reserves and the holding of college lands at the disposal of the Episcopalian members of the college council. Morris makes many practical suggestions for aiding immigration; affirms his loyalty to the Crown and that of most Upper Canadians. "Touch with a tender hand the main features of our constitution."

Smith, Robert Vernon. To William Morris, Toronto. London, Jan. 25, 1840. L.S. 2 p.

Smith writes as Lord John Russell's secretary to acknowledge receipt of Morris's letter, enclosing a petition. Informs Morris that his communication should have come through the governor.

Harrison, J.B. To William Morris. Toronto, Apr. 7, 1840. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

On behalf of the Lieutenant-Governor [Lord Sydenham] Harrison requests a copy of the letter and the protest which Morris sent to Lord John Russell. With draft of Morris's reply attached: Perth, Upper Canada, Apr. 16, 1840. A.L.S. 1 leaf. (written on blank leaf of Harrison's letter to him) Morris apologizes for having violated an "established regulation", and sends a

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copy of the letter which he sent to Lord John Russell. He cannot send a copy of the protest, but refers Harrison to the clerk of the Legislative Council.

Campbell, T. Edmund. To William Morris. Perth, Upper Canada. Montreal, Aug. 17, 1840. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Campbell, as ADC to Sydenham, asks Morris to meet the Governor-General [Lord Sydenham] while the latter is passing through Kingston; hopes to discuss the problems facing the new parliament of the united province.

Morris's reply is drafted on the blank page of the folder: Perth, Canada West, Aug. 21, 1840.

Campbell's letter did not reach Morris in time for him to reach Kingston; hopes to see his Excellency when he is travelling back to Montreal.

Sydenham, Charles Poulett Thompson, first Baron. To William Morris. Kingston, Canada West, June 14, 1841. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

Sydenham regrets that several gentlemen who are members of the Legislative Council of Upper Canada should be annoyed because of the arrangement of names in the list of members of the new council (that is, the Council of the newly created Province of Canada).

Morris, William. Resolutions moved by the Hon. William Morris in Committee of the Whole upon message from the Governor-General respecting seat of Government, Oct. 12, 1843. Holograph note added: I withdrew these because I preferred a series submitted by W. Draper. (Signed) W.M.

Robison, Thomas W. Resolution that the sum of 200 pounds sterling be set aside to pay the expenses of Wm. Morris as delegate to England to try to keep the capital in Canada West. Signed by Thomas W. Robison, Secretary of the Corresponding Committee. Kingston, Feb. 1, 1844. Holograph. Folder 2 p.

Hamilton, John. To William Morris, Brockville. Kingston, Feb. 3, 1844. A.L.S. 2 p.

Hamilton informs Morris that he has been chosen to represent the interests of Canada West in keeping the capital of the United Canadas in Canada West.

John Hamilton, 1802-1882, ship-owner and senator, was the pioneer in steam navigation on Lake Ontario and the upper St. Lawrence River. In 1841 he was elected to the Legislative Council of United Canada, and in 1867 he was appointed to the Senate of Canada.

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Harper, F.A. To William Morris, Brockville. Kingston, Feb. 3, 1844. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Harper asks Morris to represent Canada West in the argument over the removal of the seat of government from Kingston.

Van Koughnet, Philip. To William Morris. Cornwall, Canada West, Dec. 30, 1844. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

Van Koughnet says that the Legislature should be cautious in having Samuel Hart in any responsible position.

Philip Van Koughnet, 1790-1873, legislative councillor of Upper Canada, and soldier, was appointed a member of the Legislative Council in 1836.

Ketcheson, Fred G., Toronto. Two notes from Robert C. Wallace and E.C. Kyte, Kingston, (Queen's University), thanking Ketcheson for donations of William Morris documents to Queen's University in 1944.

Two newspaper cuttings, 1842, from The Scottish Guardian and the Toronto Colonist, respectively, relating to a presentation to the Hon. William Morris from the members of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

MATERIAL RELATING TO ALEXANDER MORRIS, 1826-1889

The first Meeting of the Presbyterian Union Committee, Montreal, September 28, 1870. Negative and 2 prints (black and white)

Photograph of painting with autographs of participants in lower border and printed notes about the meeting below the autographs.

Alexander Morris, Perth, was one of the participants.

Morris, Alexander. Extract of speech by Edward Blake, December 23, 1871, with comments by Morris. 2 leaves. Holograph.

Laird, David. To Alexander Morris, Fort Garry. Ottawa, Mar. 8, 1875. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

Laird notes receipt of letter and copies of correspondence referred to in Morris's letter concerning: the Indian treaties, postal communication in the north west, the boundary line between the British and Alaska.

David Laird, 1833-1914, journalist and politician, founded the Charlottetown Patriot, which he edited and published for many years. In 1873 he was one of the delegates sent to Ottawa to arrange for Prince Edward Island's becoming part of Canada. He was later elected a member of Parliament. In the Pacific Scandal crisis of 1873 he refused to support the

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government. He was Minister of the Interior from 1873-1876 in the Mackenzie administration.

Alexander Morris, 1826-1889, was lieutenant-governor of Manitoba and Northwest Territories, 1872-1877. He represented East Toronto in the Ontario Legislative Assembly, 1878-1886.

O'Brien, Henry. To Alexander Morris [Toronto]. Toronto, Saturday. [1878] A.L.S. Folder.

O'Brien writes that Morris was nominated unanimously by the Conservative Association in Toronto. He urges Morris to attend the supper next week in order to meet the people.

Macpherson, David Lewis. To Alexander Morris [Toronto]. Toronto, Nov. 21, 1878. A.N.

Macpherson writes that Morris's nomination is almost unanimous. Written on stationery of Montreal Telegraph Company. Sir David Lewis Macpherson, 1818-1896, railway contractor, politician, and author of several pamphlets on finance, was Minister of the Interior, 1883-1885.

Morris, James Henry. To Alexander Morris, Perth. Toronto, Nov. 25, 1878. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

Morris, (J.H.) tries to dissuade his cousin, Alexander, from presenting himself as a candidate to be nominated and elected for the East end constituency [Toronto]

James Henry Morris, 1831-1890, was a lawyer and cousin of Alexander (see MS Collection 210, Morris Family Tree)

Allan, George William. To Alexander Morris. Toronto, Nov. 30, 1878. A.L.S. Folder.

Allan writes Morris that his nomination is assured but that Morris and his friends will have to work very hard to ensure his election.

George, William (Allan), 1822-1901, lawyer and politician, was speaker of the Senate, 1888-1891, and chancellor of Trinity University. 1877-1901.

Cameron, Matthew Crooks. To Alexander Morris [Perth]. Toronto, Nov. 30, 1878. A.L.S. Folder.

Cameron thanks Morris for congratulating him on his appointment to the judicial bench, Court of Queen's Bench. Cameron also writes that Morris has been selected to be his successor, the first time that someone from outside of Toronto has been chosen as a candidate.

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Sir Matthew Crooks Cameron, 1822-1888, politician and judge, represented East Toronto in the Ontario legislature, 1867-1878, and was the Conservative opposition leader, 1871-1878. In 1878 he was appointed Judge of Court of Queen's Bench; in 1884 he was appointed a chief justice of the Court of Common Pleas.

Crowlie, MacArthur. To Alexander Morris, Perth. Toronto, Nov. 30, 1878. A.L.S.

Crowlie writes that Morris ^{was} unanimously nominated to be the candidate in East Toronto for the Conservative Party.

Brown, Adam. To Alexander Morris, Toronto. Hamilton, Dec. 8, 1878. A.L.S. Folder 3p.

Brown apologizes for his delay in writing to Morris and regrets that Morris will not be in the House of Commons, but is certain that Morris will be elected by a large majority [in the provincial election].

Adam Brown, 1826-1926, a merchant and politician, was one of the fathers of the National Policy of protection. He represented Hamilton in the House of Commons, 1887-1891. In 1891 he was appointed Postmaster of Hamilton.

Smith, T.G. To Alexander Morris, Toronto. Kingston, Dec. 23, 1878. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Smith congratulates Morris on winning the election in Toronto.

Fraser, I. To Alexander Morris, Perth and Toronto. Ottawa, Dec. 24, 1878. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Fraser congratulates Morris on his winning the election as the Conservative candidate in East Toronto.

Grant, George Monro. To Alexander Morris, Toronto. Kingston, Dec. 24, 1878. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

Grant congratulates Morris on his election, hopes that he is in good health, thanks Morris for his kindness to him when he was ill, and refers to mutual concerns.

George Monro Grant, 1835-1902, was principal of Queen's University, 1877-1902, and author of books and articles on education, religion and politics.

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French, F.P. To Alexander Morris, Perth. Ottawa, Dec. 28, 1878.
A.L.S. Folder

French congratulates Morris on his having been elected in East Toronto, and refers to mutual acquaintances. Written on stationery with letterhead, Post Office Department, Canada, Inspector's Office, Ottawa.

Crowlie, MacArthur. To Alexander Morris, Perth. Toronto, Mar. 22, 1879. A.L.S. Folder

Crowlie writes Morris that he should reconsider his decision to resign his candidature and that Crowlie will not reveal the contents of Morris's letter until Morris has considered Crowlie's suggestions.

Meredith, William Ralph. To Henry O'Brien. [Toronto]. London, Ont., Apr. 10, 1879. A.L.S. Folder

Meredith has O'Brien's note, and writes about the necessity for Mr. Morris to be nominated and re-elected for East Toronto.

Sir William Ralph Meredith, 1840-1923, chief justice of Ontario, 1894-1923, was leader of the Conservative opposition in the Legislative Assembly, 1878-1894.

Henry O'Brien, 1836-1931, was a lawyer who practised law in Toronto. He edited the Canadian Law Journal for many years.

Meredith, William Ralph. To Alexander Morris. Toronto, Feb. 1, 1883. A.L.S. 1 leaf.

Meredith regrets that Morris is ill and hopes that he will soon recover.

Morris, Alexander. ^{To} (Sir) David Lewis Macpherson, Ottawa. Toronto, Feb. 2, 1883. A.L. Folder. 2 p. (copy)

Morris writes Macpherson that his illness is forcing him to resign and to withdraw his candidature in East Toronto.

Macpherson, (Sir) David Lewis. To Alexander Morris, Toronto. Ottawa, Feb. 3, 1883. A.L.S. Folder. 3 p.

Macpherson has received Morris's letter; is surprised and sorry that Morris is ill and feels compelled to retire from political life.

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Richardson, James. To Alexander Morris [Toronto]. Toronto, Feb. 5, 1883. A.L.S. Folder. 2 p.

Richardson advises Morris that he would not endanger his health in the election campaign if he did not become worried or fatigued.

James Richardson, M.D., was Alexander Morris's physician.

Meredith, William Ralph. To Alexander Morris. Toronto. London, Ont., Feb. 5, 1883. A.N.

Meredith writes that he was unable to see Small, and advises Morris not to do what he had suggested until he receives Meredith's letter. Telegram.

Meredith, William Ralph. To Alexander Morris, Toronto. London, Ont., Feb. 5, 1883. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

Meredith writes that he had discussed Morris's health with Dr. Richardson, and asks Morris to reconsider his decision to resign.

Morris, Alexander. To Gentlemen, Toronto. Toronto, Feb. 7, 1883. A.L. Folder 2 p.

Draft letter with corrections in which Morris writes that he will be a candidate for nomination at the convention, and that he will accept the nomination if he does not have to expend much physical energy during the campaign.

[Morris, Alexander, Toronto]. To the Electors of East Toronto. [1886?] A.L. 2 leaves.

Draft letter in which Morris states that ill health forces him to withdraw from the candidature in the election, and thanks the electors for their support and kindness.

Box 3 Moved by R.C. Windeyer, seconded by C. McCaffry, Whereas this Association has noticed with regret that false and contemptible statements have been made against the Honourable Alexander Morris. Toronto, 1886. 1 leaf.

Copy of resolution from St. Thomas Ward Association that states Association's appreciation for the services and work of Alexander Morris. Box 8

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Resolution passed at the Convention of the Liberal Conservative Association of the city of Toronto ... 25th November 1886 ... Alexander Morris. Toronto, 1886. 1 leaf. Box 9

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Resolution passed unanimously expresses regret that Alexander Morris does not wish re-election and hope that Morris's health will improve.

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Morris, Edmund Montague. Edmund Barker Van Koughnet.
Typescript. 4 leaves.

Biographical sketch of the son of Chancellor Philip Van Koughnet, by his cousin, Edmund Morris.

Morris, Edmund Montague. Chancellor Van Koughnet.
Typescript. 23 leaves.

Life of the Chancellor of Upper Canada by his great-nephew, Edmund Morris.

Morris, Edmund Montague. [Life of the Honourable Alexander Morris]
Incomplete typescript. 8 leaves.

Cline, Robert S. To Edmund Morris, Toronto. Cornwall, Ont., Apr. 21, 1910. T.L.S. 1 leaf.

Cline answers Morris's questions about the Van Koughnet homestead which has been destroyed, but invites him to visit in order to sketch the Cline homestead, home of Morris's mother.

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McCoy, James Comly. List of Jesuit Relations, compiled by J.C. McCoy.
[Bay City, Mich.: William L. Clements Library of American History]

Photostated from a copy in the William L. Clements Library.
Manuscript notes and corrections.
With two pages of Floating Variations for the Relations for 1637, signed J.C. McCoy.

Clements, William Lawrence. Jesuit Relations in the library of William L. Clements, corrected to August 1921. Bay City, Mich. 7 leaves.

Annotated copy with one leaf laid in containing typed, annotated list of Jesuit Relations.

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for 10 Aubert, A. To Cher Monsieur. Quèbec, Sept. 4, 1933.
A.N.S.

Aubert encloses list of all the editions which the Library of Laval University has. With enclosure which is annotated and with English translation of the note.

Ketcheson, Fred G. Correspondence between Fred G. Ketcheson and various bookdealers:
G. Ducharme, Montreal, relating to items Ketcheson hoped to buy from the library of C. Gordonsmith, 1942-1943. 68 letters and 1 itemized bill.
A Library of Canadiana, collected by C. Gordonsmith. Montreal. 118 leaves. Typescript (copy);
Francis Edwards, London, relating to books ordered from catalogue 707, Richmond Hill, Sept. 21 and Sept. 25, 1950. 2 T.L. carbon copies;
J. Burke regarding an oil painting which he has seen for sale at Christie's. London, Nov. 22, 1950;
Charles W. Traylen, Guildford, England, regarding Traylen's attempt to purchase 11 items for Ketcheson from a Sotheby's sale of the Harmsworth Trust Library. Oct. 1952;
The Rutherford Library. 7 leaves. Typescript.
A general description of the Rutherford Library, accompanied by a note stating the asking price, signed C. (Cecil) Rutherford, Edmonton. Oct. 23, 1939.

Rogers, Robert, 1731-1795. Sundry letters of Robert Rogers.
12 p. Typescript (copy)

Twenty-two letters, 20 of which are addressed to his wife Elizabeth (Brown) Rogers, between 1759 and 1779.

Authority: Catalogue for sale no. 237 of Charles F. Heartman, 612 Middlesex Ave., Metuchen, N.J., U.S.A., June 11, 1938.

Probably offered for sale to Fred G. Ketcheson.

Letters describe his circumstances, sometimes from areas of danger after he had organized the Queen's Rangers; give various excuses for his absences and financial straits; assure his wife of his affection. The two letters of 1775 and 1779 are particularly interesting, one written during the period when he was still thinking of working for the colonial side in the revolution, the other written in England where he was seeking remuneration after the colonies had banished him.

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ENGINEERS' JOURNALS. 1866. 1897-1898.

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[Mining engineer's notebook describing mines and possible mining sites in Cape Breton, N.S.]. 1866. 1 vol.

Manuscript notebook illustrated with drawings of cross-sections of geological strata.

44 pages at front of notebook refer to sites in the Inverness area; 25 p. at back seem to refer to another area. Middle pages blank.

Writer's expenses listed on end paper.

[Journal kept by a young man working on a railway survey in Kenora District] Sept. 19 [1897] - June 24 [1898]. 1 vol. 193 p.

Written in a Canadian Pacific Railway Exploration Survey notebook which contains a 2 p. printed introduction by Sandford Fleming giving instructions on how to keep a field notebook, dated 1871.

The young man is assisting his father on a railway survey or possibly on construction of the track in the District of Kenora. Place names mentioned include Lake Macara, Rat Portage, Monument Lake, Cross Lake. The journal mentions travelling to the camps near at hand usually by train or "hand-car".

"We three met train at camp 4 going to our work; having put in 40 chains of centres we left off work and got down to Lake Macara where the 6 o'clock train was waiting for the men. We hooked on [with the hand-car] as far as camp 4 where the speed became so terrific we had to let go ..."

"Papa and I started on bicycle to measure up some culverts".

The notebook gives a good picture of family life. The family attends the Anglican Church regularly, reads aloud in the evening, usually from Dickens, and plays musical instruments for entertainment. The young man does chores for his mother, leads a vigorous outdoor life, cuts wood, and constantly makes observations on the trains passing by and on the state of the track and railway bridges.

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[Index of petitions for hearings at Quebec. 1767?]
Book of names alphabetically arranged, with notes about each petition.

Grasett, George R., fl. 1829. [Commonplace book]. Quebec, 1829.
32 leaves. Manuscript.
Contains poems, riddles, charades.

[Stewart, Alexander, d. 1840. Register of marriages performed mainly in Toronto, between 1830 and 1839]. One volume, 132 fms.
unpaged.

One page entitled "form of marriage certificate" uses the phrase "minister of the Baptist congregation at York" and is signed: A.S., i.e. Alexander Stewart.

20 pages of the volume give an account of the writer's work as a clergyman in Scotland, 1812-1815, followed by a list of sermons preached in York, Upper Canada, between 1827 and 1831 (24 p.). The book also contains lists of the names of subscribers in Upper Canada for a book of religious essays.

One of the interesting entries in the marriage register is for the marriage of Peter Baxter to Ann Mackenzie, the witnesses being William Lyon Mackenzie and his wife, Isabel (nee Baxter).

A statement of an account payable to Mrs. Stewart, dated Apr. 25, 1835, is laid in.

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BOX 8

Plan of lands owned by Sir Duncan MacDougall in the township of Upton. Surveyed by Robinson Oughtred. (Upton is a village in Bagot County, Quebec, 12 miles east of Ste. Hyacinthe.)

The Quebec Fire Assurance Company. Insurance policy on the house of Mrs. Widow W.E. Holmes, St. Charles St., Lower Town, Quebec. May 30, 1830.

The Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association. Insurance policy on the life of D.L. Desaulniers. Dec. 31, 1892.

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BOX 8 CROWN GRANT. 1796.

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[Crown grant to Stephen Skinner, loyalist, of 500 acres in the Township of Aylesford, King's County, Nova Scotia] Halifax, Sept. 12, 1796. D.S. 1 leaf.

Signed by Sir John Wentworth (1737-1820), Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia; James Michael Freke Bulkeley (d. 1796), Provincial Secretary and Clerk of the Council, 1792-1796; and Jas. Gautier, D.A.

Accompanied by a small manuscript survey showing the location of the land granted. Signed by Charles Morris (1731-1802), Surveyor-General of Nova Scotia, 1781-1802.

BOX 12 BISHOP MOUNTAIN PAPERS. 1806-ca.1825.

(See also Canadian Documents (M.))

A series of letters from Bishop Jacob Mountain (1749-1825), Bishop of Quebec, 1793-1825, to Herman Witsius Ryland (1760-ca.1825), Clerk of the Executive Council of Lower Canada. 16 A.L.S. dating from 1807-ca.1825. Also includes A.L. dated Nov. 1817 from Bishop Mountain to Thomas Amyot (1775-1850), Secretary to Windham of the Colonial Office in London, and A.L.S. dated 1821 from Herman Witsius Ryland to Bishop Mountain. Itemized listing follows.

The letters cover a period of fifteen years and are mainly concerned with political and church affairs in Canada. The governors-general who are referred to are: Sir James Craig, governor from 1807-11; Sir George Prevost, 1812-15; Sir John Sherbrooke, 1816-18; the Duke of Richmond, 1818-19; and the Earl of Dalhousie, 1820-28.

Mountain, Jacob, Bp. to Herman Witsius Ryland, Quebec. Bath [Eng.] March 4, 1806. A.L.S. 5 p. Describes the disastrous effect of the death of Pitt upon himself and his hopes for Canada. Disapproves thoroughly of the present administration of Canada. With wrapper addressed, sealed, and franked by J. Quebec.

----- to [Herman Witsius Ryland, Quebec] Bath [Eng.] April 4, 1806. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Thanks addressee for news from Canada. He will attempt to talk with Mr. Windham, head of the war and colonial office, and with Lord Grenville about the state of affairs in Canada.

----- to Herman Witsius Ryland, Quebec. Bath [Eng.] May 13, 1806. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Has spoken to Lord Grenville who promises to look into the affairs of Canada soon. No commander-in-chief has been appointed as yet. Addressed on p. 4 to Mr. Secretary Ryland and sent "by the favour of Mr. Thing."

----- to Herman Witsius Ryland, Quebec. London, Dec. 30, 1806. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Tells of his efforts to persuade Lord Grenville and Windham of his wishes for the Church in Canada. Refers to Lord Milnes, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, who is in England with his family. Addressed and sealed on p. 4.

----- to Herman Witsius Ryland, Quebec. London, March 10, 1807. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Discusses the various candidates for the post of governor-general of Canada. If sender's favourite succeeds, he will see that addressee continues as secretary of the executive council. Accompanied by wrapper, with seal.

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- to Herman Witsius Ryland [Quebec] Stanmore [Eng.] July 18, 1807.
A.L.S. Folder 4 p. His letter will be delivered by the Hon. and Rev. Charles Stewart who has given up the comforts of England to become a clergyman in Canada. Sender and Sir Robert Milnes will both be in England over the winter, thanks to the cumbersome way in which colonial affairs are handled. Comments on Napoleon's defeat of the Russians, and on the good health of George III.
- to Herman Witsius Ryland [London]. Quebec, Nov 16, 1810. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Encloses a document in which the Roman Catholic bishop of Quebec asks for public prayers for the Pope. [Lacks enclosure] Refers to the imprisonment of the editors of Le Canadien; Blanchet, Taschereau and Bédard. Mentions lack of provisions in Quebec.
- to Herman Witsius Ryland. [London?]. Sept 16, 1812. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Comments on the conduct of the present government of Canada as revealed in letters and documents sent by addressee. (Ryland had lost his position as secretary to the governor, Sir George Prevost, at this time)
- to Herman Witsius Ryland. [Quebec] Apr. 14, 1814. A.L.S. Folder 2 p. Asks addressee to comment on a quote from a letter from Lord Bathurst which urges addressee to stay on as "Head of the Protestant Church in Canada", and to name "any measure ... for adding to the dignity and comfort of your situation." Sealed.
- to Herman Witsius Ryland, [Quebec. London?] Aug. 11, 1817. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Complains of the delay in getting through to the colonial office, However Lord Bathurst has promised to help with the building of rectories. Asks if he should do anything about looking for a position for William Ryland, and refers to business matters being attended to by addressee on sender's behalf.
- to Herman Witsius Ryland, [Quebec]. Hastings [Eng.] Nov. 5, 1817. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Sender had taken it upon himself to recommend addressee's son to Mr. Amyot, not knowing that addressee had withdrawn his request for preferment.
- to Thomas Amyot. Hastings [Eng.] Nov. 5, 1817. A.L. (Copy) Folder 4 p. Writes about Mr. Ryland's application on behalf of his son for a position as Mr. Amyot's deputy. Copy sent by Bishop Mountain to H.W. Ryland.

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----- to Herman Witsius Ryland. Hastings [Eng.] Dec. 2, 1817. A.L.S.
Folder 4 p. Writes about the perplexities of supporting William
Ryland for the post of Deputy. Discusses various political manoeuvres
taking place in Canada, especially the appointment of governor-general.

----- to Herman Witsius Ryland. Hastings [Eng.] Apr. 21, 1818. A.L.S.
Folder 4 p. Informs addressee that the Duke of Richmond is the new
governor-general. Discusses his own business affairs in Canada.
With wrapper and seal.

----- to [Herman Witsius Ryland. Quebec] Buckden Palace [Eng.] Oct. 7,
1818. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Gives news of his family with whom he is
travelling in Britain. Speaks of the political situation in Canada,
and of the need for addressee and sender to remain in their posts and
keep clear of politics. Sender has gained a few points for his church,
and will have to put up with the advantages which have been handed to
the Roman Catholics.

----- to Herman Witsius Ryland. [Quebec, between 1819 and 1825] A.L.S.
5 p. (p.5 part of wrapper) Advises addressee on introducing a matter
relating to addressee's career to Lord D. [Dalhousie] (The ninth Earl
of Dalhousie arrived in Canada in 1819, and Bishop Mountain died in
1825).

----- to Herman Witsius Ryland. Undated. A.L.S. Folder 2 p. Has
written to Mr. Thing on behalf of addressee and his mission. Urges
addressee to show Lord Grenville's letter to the governor.

Ryland, Herman Witsius to Bishop Jacob Mountain [London]. Quebec. 1821.
A.L. Folder 4 p. Points out examples of "weak and improvident con-
cessions" made by the present Governor to the Roman Catholic bishop of
Quebec, among others.
Labelled at top: Not sent.
(The governor is Lord Dalhousie).

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G.H. Ryland was a son of Herman Witsius Ryland. He was Registrar of Montreal.

Carter, Sir James, Fredericton, to G.H. Ryland. June 23, 1856. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Sender will investigate the matter of compensation due to addressee once he has been given authority to proceed by the Colonial Office.

Sir James Carter (1805-1878) was Chief Justice of New Brunswick, 1851-1856.

Smith, Sir Henry, Roselawn, Kingston, to G.H. Ryland, Hill Side. Nov. 23, 1859. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Describes hunting trip and tales he has heard of game hunting in the west. Mentions the selection of Ottawa as the site for the new Parliament Buildings.

"The Ill. Lond. News has got the new Parliament buildings at Ottawa in the No. for 5 Nov. the anniversary of [the] gunpowder plot and like the plot will end in nothing. Mark my words this Government busts up next Session - & this very Selection of Ottawa by Sir. E.H. will tend in no small degree to capsize them."

Sir Henry Smith (1812-1868) was Speaker of the Legislative Assembly from 1858 to 1861. Previously he was Solicitor-general of Canada, 1854-1858.

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Box 12 SIR CHARLES HASTINGS DOYLE PAPERS. 1857-1875.

Sir Charles Hastings Doyle (1804-1883) was lieutenant-governor of New Brunswick, 1866-1867 and of Nova Scotia, 1867-1873. He came to Canada in 1861 as commander of the troops in Nova Scotia and showed great skill and diplomacy in dealing with the problems which arose during the American civil war, and the Fenian raids of 1866. He was a most successful lieutenant-governor and won acclaim for keeping Nova Scotia in Confederation with the assistance of Joseph Howe.

The papers in this collection consist of correspondence (chiefly contemporary copies) and original documents as listed below, as well as clippings. There are 44 manuscript items and 43 clippings or sheets of clippings, covering the period between 1857 and 1875.

The correspondence appears to have been assembled by Doyle himself and the originals sent to the British Colonial Secretary, the Duke of Buckingham, in 1868 in order to document his career prior to his receiving a knighthood. The location of the originals is unknown if indeed they still exist. These contemporary copies, sometimes in Doyle's hand or with his annotations, were retained by Doyle for his own file. The clippings are from Canadian, British, and American newspapers and also related to Doyle's career. Some clippings have comments added in Doyle's hand.

BOX 8 Commission re-appointing Charles Hastings Doyle to be Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Nova Scotia. Jan. 31, 1868. Recorded 17th February 1868. 1 leaf. Signed by Lord Monck, Hector Langevin, and John A. MacDonald.

BOX 12 CORRESPONDENCE, MAINLY CONTEMPORARY COPIES, 1857-1875

Yorke, G. to Lieut. Col. Larcom, Dublin. London, March 13, 1857.

Col. Hastings Doyle has been appointed Inspector General of disembodied militia in Ireland. (ms. copy)

Doyle, C. Hastings to the Secretary of State for War, London. Halifax, Jan. 8, 1862. Informs addressee of the itinerary of his troops between St. John and Rivière du Loup, during the Trent Affair, 1861. (ms. copy)

Lugard, Edward to Major General Doyle. War Office, London, Jan. 25, 1862. Sends approval of Sir George Lewis for Doyle's actions during the Trent Affair. (ms copy).

de Grey, Lord to General Doyle. London, Feb. 22, 1862. Approves of everything relating to Doyle's deployment of troops at the time of the Trent affair. (ms. copy of part of a letter, in Doyle's hand)

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Brown, Sir George (1760-1865) to Hastings Doyle. Dublin, Feb. 7, 1862.
Congratulates Doyle on his actions during the Trent Affair. (ms. copy)
Encloses a note to Brown on the same subject, signed Carlisle (ms. copy).

Forster, W.F. to Hastings Doyle. London, July 6, 1864. Writes on behalf of George, Duke of Cambridge to acknowledge Doyle's letter, relinquishing his post as governor of Nova Scotia upon the arrival of the new governor. (ms. copy) Note on back states that Forster is the military secretary of the Horse Guards.

Lugard, Edward to Hastings Doyle. The War Office, London. Apr. 21, 1866.
Commends Doyle, on behalf of the Secretary of State for War, for the defense of Halifax and St. John, during the Fenian threat. (ms. copy).

Hope, Sir James to Hastings Doyle. [New Brunswick] Apr. 30, 1866. Sends charts of the Bay of Fundy. The Fenians are retreating, probably because of Doyle's skill in deploying troops. (ms. copy)

----- to Hastings Doyle [New Brunswick] May 10, 1866. Although the Fenians have been defeated, addressee should keep a regiment in New Brunswick.

George, Duke of Cambridge to Hastings Doyle. London, May 26, 1866. Commends addressee for prompt and efficient work in New Brunswick during the Fenian threat. Doyle will become the senior officer in North America with removal of Sir John Michel but sender would prefer that addressee remain in New Brunswick and allow command in Canada to go to Lindsay. Warns addressee of the arrival of the Fenian, Stephens, in America. (ms. copy)

Williston, Edward to Hastings Doyle. Fredericton, N.B., June 29, 1867. Resigns from the Executive Council. Wishes addressee well in his new position [i.e. governor of Nova Scotia] (2 ms. copies)

Connell, Charles to Hastings Doyle. Fredericton, N.B., Sept. 28, 1867. Resigns from the Executive Council. Expresses his pleasure at having served under addressee. (ms. copy)

Doyle, Charles Hastings. Halifax, Nov. 21, 1867. Thanks his Grace for sending word that he can retain the military command of the "lower Canadian provinces". Otherwise he would not have accepted the lieut-governorship of Nova Scotia, a position which he sees is fraught with difficulties following Confederation.

Forster, W.F. London, Dec. 14, 1867. Is commanded by the Duke of Cambridge to confirm Doyle's dual position as Lieut. Governor of Nova Scotia and commander of the troops there.

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Egerton, General R.G. to Sir C.A. Windham, Montreal. London, Dec. 18, 1867. Informs addressee that Major-General Doyle will command the troops in Nova Scotia for another 5 years. (ms. copy)

----- to Hastings Doyle. London, Dec. 18, 1867. The Duke of Cambridge reports that the Queen is pleased to appoint Doyle commander of the troops in Nova Scotia. (ms. copy)

Doyle, Charles Hastings to George, Duke of Cambridge. Halifax, N.S., Jan. 2, 1868. Explains the crisis which has risen in Nova Scotia since Confederation. He finds himself in a very awkward position as an upholder of Confederation, when there is so much opposition within the province. (ms. copy)

Doyle, General Charles Hastings. A Short Statement of Services from Appointment to the Nova Scotia Command in October, 1861 to the present date, April 1868.

Holograph statement by Doyle of his services in British North America. Contains direct references to the letters and documents which accompanied a fair copy of this document.

This is obviously a dossier compiled by Doyle, in the hope of having some honour conferred upon him while visiting Britain in 1868. The originals of many of the letters and documents from the collection would have accompanied it.

----- A Short Statement ... A fair copy of the above in a secretary's hand.

Monck, Sir Charles Stanley, 4th Viscount, to Hastings Doyle. "Spencer Wood". [Ottawa.] Sept 11-16, 1868. As governor-general of Canada he commends Doyle on his vigorous treatment of Martin Isaac Wilkins, the Attorney General of Nova Scotia, who spoke rashly in the House about Confederation. (ms. copies)

Wilkins, Martin Isaac, to Hastings Doyle. Halifax, Sept. 10, 1868. Sends addressee a quote from a letter from General Wemys Jobson congratulating Wilkins on his "noble attitude", and offering to send an army of 15,000 - 20,000 men to support him (ms. copy)

Note on back in Hastings' hand says that this is further evidence of the danger from such speeches as Wilkins'.

Doyle, Charles Hastings to Sir John Young, Baron Lisgar. Halifax, N.S., Dec. 29, 1868. Enumerates his grievances upon being appointed governor of Nova Scotia without having his position as military commander confirmed. (ms. copy)

Note in Doyle's hand on outside explains that the letter of the Duke of B[Buckingham] reached him a month late, and that the Duke, after all, had done him a service.

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Doyle, Sir Charles Hastings to the Duke [of Buckingham] Halifax, N.S., Jan. 7, 1869. Thanks his Grace for recommending him to the Queen. Is honoured to have received his Knighthood (K.C.M.G.) (ms. copy)

Doyle, Sir Charles Hastings to the Duke of Buckingham. Halifax, N.S., Jan. 13, 1869. Thanks his Grace for recommending him for the K.C.M.G. (ms. copy) Note on back says that this is his official reply to the Duke's official letter.

Doyle, Sir Charles Hastings to Sir John Young, Baron Lisgar. Halifax, N.S. Reports to Young, the new governor-general, of the impending crisis brought about by Confederation.

Loyal address to Sir Charles Hastings Doyle by the people of Annapolis, N.S. on the occasion of his being knighted. June 24, 1869. Original documents with 19 signatures.

Doyle, Sir Charles Hastings. Reply to the loyal address of the people of Annapolis, June 24, 1869. (copy)

Loyal address of the inhabitants of Digby, N.S., to Sir Charles Hastings Doyle. June 25, 1869. Original document with 68 signatures.

Service of Major General Sir Hastings Doyle, K.C.M.G. [1869]. (ms. copy) Note on back: Intended for Hart's Army List but not sent.

Services of Major General Sir Hastings Doyle, K.C.M.G. [1869] Note on back: Hart's Army List (ms. copy)

Doyle, Sir Charles Hastings to [George, Duke of Cambridge]. Halifax, N.S., Feb. 24, 1870. Thanks H.R.H. for appointing him commander of the British troops in British North America. Recommends that the British garrison not be withdrawn from Newfoundland. Expresses regret that one regiment is to be removed from Halifax. (ms. copy)

Doyle, Sir Charles Hastings to W.F. Forster, secretary to the Horse Guards. Halifax, Feb. 24, 1870. Explains that he is willing to remain as Lieut. governor of Nova Scotia now that he is also in charge of the army in B.N.A. (ms. copy)

Doyle, Sir Charles Hastings. A scene in my council chamber the day after the prorogation of Parliament. April 19, 1870. Ms. copy with note on back in Doyle's hand.

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Doyle, Sir Charles Hastings to George, Duke of Cambridge. Halifax, N.S., May 6, 1870. Reports on sender's recommendation of Col. Wolseley to command the Red River Expeditionary Force. Informs addressee of sender's bad health.

Airey, Richard. London, Oct. 8, 1875. On behalf of H.R.H. [the Duke of Cambridge] congratulates addressee on the efficiency of the soldiers under his command at the general inspection parade on Southsea Common. "A true copy."

Clippings from Canadian, British and American newspapers had been saved by Doyle to document his career in Canada. They have been inter-filed with the correspondence and make a valuable adjunct to the collection. Many have Doyle's holograph notes explaining his part in the events.

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BOX 13 ROBERT JUKES HUGHES LOG BOOKS. 1862-1864.

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Log of HMS Zebra ... kept by R.J. Hughes, commencing November 23rd 1862, ending April 12th 1863. Holograph. [60] p.

Watercolour vignette of the ship on t.p.

"Dover Castle bearing N.W." (small penned sketch laid in)

Includes: Track chart of HMS Zebra's 4th prize from River Congo to St. Helena (laid in)

Track chart of HMS Zebra's prize no. 7 from River Congo to St. Helena (tipped in)

Additional note (p. [50]): This copied fm & written in on 28 Nov. 1896 from Tommy Suckling's log. (Refers to the capture of a schooner with 473 slaves on board) With copy of the relevant page from Suckling's log, signed: T.S. (laid in)

In the same volume:

Log of HMS Sanspareil ... beginning April 13 1863 A.D., ending April 19th 1863, kept by R. Jukes Hughes. Holograph. [21] p.

Penned illustration on t.p.

Includes: Track chart of HMS Zebra's prize no 7, R. Congo to St. Helena and HMS Sans Pareil, St. Helena to Ascension (tipped in).

In the same volume:

Log of HMS Rattlesnake ... kept by R.J. Hughes. [July 1st 1863 - March 23rd 1864] Holograph. [91] p.

Coloured illustrations on t.p.

Includes: Track chart of HMS Rattlesnake, Ascension Isld. to Cape Coast Castle (laid in)

Cape Coast Castle (watercolour, tipped in)

Track chart of HMS Rattlesnake from Cape Coast Castle to Lagos, Aug. 1863 (tipped in)

Entrance to Lagos (watercolour, tipped in)

Entrance to River Niger (watercolour, tipped in)

Mouth of the River Niger (" " ")

Track chart of HMS Rattlesnake, Nun River to Kabenda (tipped in)

Island of St. Thomas (watercolour, tipped in)

Princes Island (" " ")

[Track chart of "Africa", Banda Pt. to C. Palmarinhas] (tipped in)

Cape Sagostas (watercolour, tipped in)

Track chart of HMS Rattlesnake, Loando to Ascension (tipped in)

[Track chart of "Guinea", Isld. de Los to C.C. Castle] (laid in)

Track chart of HMS Rattlesnake from Ascension to Cape Coast Castle (tipped in)

Del Mina (watercolour, tipped in)

Track chart of HMS Rattlesnake from Cape Coast Castle to Whydah and back, Dec. 1863 (tipped in)

[HMS Rattlesnake] (watercolour, tipped in)

Huitta Fort and Iella Coffee (2 watercolours on 1 page tipped in)

W. Entrance Volta River (watercolour, tipped in)

Anchorage off the Island of Goree, etc. [chart] (tipped in)

[Chart: area around Cape Verde] (tipped in)

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Log of the proceedings of HMS Rattlesnake ... kept by R.J. Hughes, Midⁿ 1864.
Holograph volume. [161] p.

Watercolour vignette of HMS Rattlesnake on title page.

Compass bearings, 1863, for HMS Rattlesnake at St. Paul de Luando,
June 17, 1863 (slip pasted on inner front cover)

Log of HMS Rattlesnake from Sierra Leone to Cape Coast, March 24-April
4, 1864; to Ascension by May 1; to Whydah, Lagos, River Niger, River
Benin, South Coast, River Congo, St. Paul de Luando, St. Helena; and
back to Ascension (ends on Nov. 30) (p. 2-85).

Log of HMS Meander in Clarence Bay, Ascension: blank for Dec. 3-Feb. 3;
completed for Feb. 13-Mar. 11. (p. 88-111).

Figures and diagrams. (6 p.)

Lists of clothes and equipment for members of the crew. (8 p.)

Gun Room Court-Martial, HMS Caledonia, Portland, July 28, 1866: "whereas
Mr. Wodehouse, Mid., and Mr. Morshead, Mid., did behave in an improper
manner to two women ... Mr. Wodehouse to receive 2 dozen for the offence,
and 1 dozen for contempt of court; Mr. Morshead to receive 1 dozen for
the offence." One dozen lashes remitted "because Mr. Tisdale has spoken
as regards their former character". (2 p.)

Signature of Robert Jukes Hughes and small illustration: arms of HMS Cale-
donia.

Rules for firing no. 1 gun. (1 p.)

Five watercolours laid in volume.

Sharks Point from Stage in Turtle Cove.

Mouth of the River Congo. (map with soundings)

Track chart of HMS Rattlesnake 19 guns. (map showing route of ship)
Africa. (map showing soundings off coast off Sierra Leone and route
of ship)

[Outline of coast between C. Palmas and R. Niger]

[Outline of Ivory Coast and Gold Coast showing route of ship]

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E. G. DE S. JUKES- HUGHES LOG BOOK. 1901-1902.

Jukes-Hughes, E.G. de S. Journal of the proceedings of HMS. Blenheim on passage to China Station. 1901-1902. Holograph in printed journal. [152] p.

Kept by midshipman Jukes-Hughes between Jan. 1, 1901 and Apr. 14, 1902.

Volume has holograph title page by Jukes-Hughes with ink drawing of the ship's coat of arms and printed title page reading: S. 520 (late S 625a) - Established, 1888. (Queen's Regulations, Article 291). Journal ... London: H.M. Stationery Office, 1894. Jukes-Hughes has filled in his name and the beginning date for the journal. On spine is leather label reading: S520 late S.625. Journal for the use of junior officers afloat.

With 35 watercolour and india ink maps, and drawings of parts of the ship's engines, tipped in.

Many drawings and pages of the journal have been initialled by a senior officer.

Watercolour and india ink drawings, tipped in, include:

Coast of France and Spain
Track of H.M.S. Blenheim, Gibraltar to Malta to Port Said
The flags of H.M.S. Blenheim
Track of H.M.S. Blenheim through the Suez Canal to Ceylon to Singapore
Singapore roads
Chart of China Station
Chinese junk
Captain Percy Scott's touring target
Track of H.M.S. Blenheim from Singapore to Hong Kong
Hong Kong harbour
Tung Yung Island
Track of H.M.S. Blenheim from Hong Kong to mouth of Yangtse Kiang
H.M.S. Blenheim, Woosung to ChingKiang to Nanking
H.M.S. Blenheim profile
City of Nanking
Track of H.M.S. Blenheim, Shanghai to Nagasaki
Another more detailed drawing of above
Possession of Wei hai Wei
Wei hai Wei harbour
Track of H.M.S. Blenheim across The Gulf of Pechili
Plan of Peking
Cruise of H.M.S. Blenheim from Apr. 30 to Nov. 5, 1901
Map of southern part of China
12 more drawings of parts of the ship
Laid in is a small concluding tail-piece for Jukes-Hughes' Journal

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McNally, Edwin Dean, 1916-1971. Political cartoons
done for the Montreal Star, ca 1960-65. 44 original
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A series of ten letters from Dr. James Watson of Perth, Ont., to the Honorable William Morris, written between 1838 and 1851. During this period Morris was moving about a good deal, as member of the Legislative Assembly of Upper Canada for Lanark. In 1836 he was appointed to the Legislative Council of Upper Canada and in 1841 to the Legislative Council of Canada. Wilson, who was Morris's family doctor, kept Morris informed of local events, gave him advice about his health, and related his adventures in the field of geology which was Wilson's avocation. During 1845-46 Wilson was in Scotland pursuing his medical and geological studies. In the course of this visit, he wrote to Morris about Hugh Miller (1802-1856), an old friend with interests similar to Wilson's.

The draft of a note dated 1845 from William Morris to Dr. Wilson accompanies the letters from Wilson; Morris is presenting a watch to Dr. Wilson as a token of esteem and gratitude for his services of nearly 20 years.

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Wilson, Dr. James to William Morris, Toronto and Montreal, 1836-1851. Perth, Ont., and Edinburgh, Scotland. 10 A.L.S.

- 1836, Nov. 18. Perth, Ont. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. To William Morris, Toronto. Praises the Lieut. Governor's speech, but the matter of the clergy reserves remains unresolved. Speaks of religious matters. Gives addressee news of addressee's family (Morris is absent, attending the Legislative Council meeting in Toronto).
- 1838, Jan. 30. Perth Ont. To William Morris, Toronto. Praises addressee's attack on Bishop Strachan and the clergy reserves. Attacks Robert Smith, precentor of the Presbyterian Kirk in Perth. Asks for news of the Mackenzie rebellion.
- 1842, Nov. 14. Perth, Ont. A.L.S. 2 p. To William Morris [Kingston?] Sender speaks of his geological researches. Dr. Logan, the Geologist General, has sent a geological questionnaire to Francis Allen. Sender has read that addressee has been presented by friends in Scotland with a piece of silver plate. Praises the thistle decoration on it and encloses a poem in praise of the thistle.
- 1843, Oct. 13. Perth, Ont. A.L.S. 2 p. To William Morris. Comments on the candlestick which has been presented to William Morris. More geological specimens have been found in Perth.
1843. Nov. 1. Perth, Ont. To William Morris. A.L.S. 1 leaf. Thanks addressee for his letter signed by several gentlemen in Brockville suggesting that he move to that city. He will look into the need for doctors in Brockville.

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- 1845, Sept. 26. Edinburgh. To William Morris, Montreal. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Is catching up on the latest advances in medicine, and may stay in Britain for the winter for this purpose. He has travelled through Scotland, and dug up many agates in his geological research. Describes visits to friends and relatives, including addressee's connections; discusses problems in the Presbyterian Church.
- 1845, Nov. 29. Edinburgh. To William Morris. A.L.S. Folder. 3 p. Gives medical advice to addressee whose health he feels is neglected during sender's absence in Scotland. Speaks of the similarity between addressee's case and that of Hugh Miller (1802-1856) whom he has just encountered in Scotland, in bad health caused by overwork.
1845. Dec. 29. Edinburgh. To Wm. Morris. n.p. A.L.S. Folder. 3 p. Praises Lord Metcalfe's address on the resignation of his Government, sent by addressee from Canada. Comments on the failure of Lord John Russell to form a Cabinet in Britain, and on Sir Robert Peel's success. Hopes that a new governor of "principle and talent" will be sent to Canada. Thanks Alexander (Morris) for the news from Perth. In a recent copy of the Toronto Colonist, he sees that "the eel has been at its old work again". Comments on his joint occupations in Edinburgh as doctor and geologist.
1849. Jan. 12. Perth, Ont. To William Morris, n.p. A.L.S. Folder, 3 p. Thanks addressee for letter and good news of addressee's health. Sender and his wife greatly appreciate the furniture given by addressee. Hopes addressee is benefitting from his holiday in the south. The ladies of Perth have revived the Mechanics' Institute and hope to have improving lectures once a week. Asks addressee's advice about buying a house.
1851. Dec. 25. Perth, Ont. To William Morris, Montreal. Writes about the tests which he is using on his mineral specimens.
1842. Aug. 5. Perth, Ont. Wm. Morris to Dr. James Wilson. A.N.S. Draft. 1 leaf. Asks addressee to accept the gift of a watch as an expression of gratitude from the Morris family.

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Cochran, Matthew to Eliza Morris, Perth, Ont. Glasgow, Feb. 1, 1842.
 Gives news to his sister of her son Alexander who has settled happily
 as a student in Scotland.

Morris, James to Alexander Morris. Liverpool [Eng.] Aug. 3, 1842.
 A.L.S. 2 p.
 Congratulates his nephew on his success at College [He attended the
 Universities of St. Andrews and Glasgow] Gives family news and
 urges his nephew to continue his studies.

Cochran, Alexander to Alexander Morris. Hillhead [Scotland] October 8,
 1846. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Describes the articles which he contri-
 butes to the local papers, and asks addressee, his nephew, to give his
 opinion on some of them. The Irish potato famine is causing much dis-
 quiet. Sender has set up as silk manufacturer. Gives family news.

Morris, Alexander to W.R. Cline, Cornwall, Ont. Kingston, Ont. Nov.
 1847. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.
 Explains why he has not continued his study of the law in Toronto, but
 is now in Kingston, articulated in John A. MacDonald's office, trying to
 get his B.A. at Queen's. Describes conditions in the Toronto office of
 John Hillyard Cameron. Speaks warmly of Toronto Social life.

Morris married Margaret Cline in 1851, daughter of William Cline. W.R.
 Cline may be his future brother-in-law.

McLean, Alexander to , n.p., Nov. 29, 1847. A.L.S. Folder. 3 p.
 Only ill health has kept him from helping in the election.
 This letter is probably addressed to William Morris, as Alexander was
 at this time a law student.

[Notes on meeting of Parliament. Montreal?] Feb. 25, 1848. 2 p.

The capital at this time was in Montreal.
 Notes may have been made by Alexander Morris although he was still
 a law student.

Cline, W R to Alexander Morris. Cornwall, May 21, 1849.
 A.L.S. 16 p. Discusses in some detail addressee's dilemma. Addressee
 has been an articulated law student in the Kingston office of John A. Mac-
 Donald who is absent in Montreal half the year (MacDonald is solicitor-
 general and must be in the capital six months of the year). The Statute
 requires students "to serve under articles to a practising attorney in
 Upper Canada". Sender feels that Morris is not fulfilling the require-
 ments.

The capital of the United Canadas was in Montreal at this time.

----- to Alexander Morris. Cornwall, July 5, 1849. A.L.S. 8 p.
 Sender who is practising law in Cornwall, describes legal activities in
 the province, the number of students admitted to the bar and the low
 standards of the examiners. Comments on a bad accident at Cornwall.

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Van Koughnet, Philip Michael Matthew, 1823-1869. To [Alexander Morris? Montreal?] Toronto, Aug. 16, 1849. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Informs addressee of the sudden death from cholera of a friend identified only as William.

----- To [Alexander Morris?] Cornwall, Oct. 11, 1849. A.L.S. Folder. 4 p. Regrets having troubled addressee in a letter of the day before by a reference to the proposed appointment of a solicitor general for Upper Canada. Comments on his fears of Canada being annexed by the U.S.

Ramsay, To [Alexander Morris?] n.p. n.d. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Has read addressee's article carefully and thinks with some elaborating it is publishable. He feels that there is little to be gained by having an American Colonial Federation. Instead of "our present Bear Garden of a Parliament you will merely have a dozen quarrelsome animals instead of four". Only experience and education will help the situation. Defends La Fontaine.

This may be Thomas Kennedy Ramsay, (1826-1886), an able author on legal matters, later a judge in Quebec.

Morris, Alexander to [James Morris]. Montreal, Aug. 13, 1850. A.L.S. Folder. 4 p. Thanks his uncle for sending a copy of a Bill. He hopes to be admitted to the bar in Montreal in the winter, and later in Toronto. Regrets the bad health of his Uncle Alexander and also of his own father. Comments on the Industrial Exhibition. Refers to addressee being made Post Master General.

Cameron, M C to Miss Cline. n.p., Jan. 15, 1850. A.L.S. 6 p. Thanks addressee for her letter and present which she has sent by way of thanking him for his attention to his brother when he was ill. Describes the last days of the young man's life, and his death in Springfield, Mass.

Mathieson, Alexander (1795-1870) to Alexander Morris. Montreal, Feb. 11, 1851. Informs addressee that the Kirk session of St. Andrews has made him an elder. (1 p. missing. Name of sender filled in by someone else).

Alexander Mathieson (1795-1870) was Presbyterian minister in charge of St. Andrews Church, Montreal from 1826-1870.

[Illegible signature] to Alexander Morris. Washington [D.C.] Feb. 10, 1854. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Describes the passing of the Gadsden Treaty by the senate with some emendations.

The President referred to is Franklin Pierce who appointed James Gadsden minister to Mexico from which country he negotiated the Gadsden Treaty followed by the purchase of New Mexico and Arizona by the U.S.A.

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Morris, James to Alexander Morris. Brockville [Ont.] Sept. 25, 1854.
Sender has heard that he has been slandered in the "Transcript".
Asks addressee to obtain a copy of the newspaper for him. He will
be glad to write to the Editor and give a full account of all his
transactions.

Roche, A R to Alexander Morris, Montreal. Quebec, Oct. 2,
1855. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Sends an article for addressee to peruse,
and hopes addressee will have it inserted in the Montreal Gazette if
he approves of it. Speaks favourably of addressee's essay for which
he received a prize.

Vankoughnet, Philip Michael Matthew, 1823-1869, to Alexander Morris, [Mon-
treal] Toronto, June 2, 1856. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Explains how he
has moved as rapidly from private to public life (He has been returned
for the Rideau division as a member of the Legislative Council). Expres-
ses patriotic sentiments.

----- to Alexander Morris, n.p., Jan. 6, 1857. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.
Promises to help get work done on the Perth roads. Attacks an article
by George Brown in the Globe, written, he says, to irritate sender, on
the subject of the North-West.

----- to Alexander Morris [Montreal?] Cornwall, Aug. 13, 1856. A.L.S.
Folder 4 p. Much as he would like addressee as a neighbour, he cannot
advise him to move to Cornwall. Recommends Bytown as a place for a
rising lawyer. Maggie and the children have arrived. ("Maggie" refers
to Morris's wife, who is a niece of Vankoughnet)

----- to Alexander Morris [Montreal?]. Cornwall, Oct. 6, 1856. A.L.S.
Folder 3 p. Asks addressee to help sell addressee's property. Gives
political news.

Cline, William to Alexander Morris [Montreal] Cornwall, March 7, 1857.
A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Urges addressee to purchase a piece of land
near Cornwall which would be profitable. Inquires about Maggie and
the children.

"Maggie" is Morris's wife, Wm. Cline's daughter.

----- to Alexander Morris [Montreal]. Cornwall, March 17, 1857.
A.L.S. Folder. 3 p. Writes further about the purchase of the neigh-
boring farm.

Morris, Alexander to [James Morris, Perth]. Montreal, Apr. 12, 1860.
A.L.S. 4 p. Discusses the present make-up of parliament and finds
much the matter with it. Will not stand for election this year.

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Morris, W.J. To Alexander Morris, Montreal, Perth, June 26-27, 1861.
2 A.N.S. Tells addressee to come to Perth at once as his chances of
getting the nomination are improving (2 telegrams).

Morris, Alexander. To James Poole, Carlton [sic] Place. Perth, June 29,
1861. A.L.S. Folder 2 p. Draft. Is grateful for addressee's sugges-
tion that he stand as candidate for Lanark South. He is reluctant to
come forward, for personal and political reasons.

Bell, R J. To James Morris. Carleton Place, June 29, 1861. A.L.S.
though he has heard that Alexander Morris does not wish to stand in the
election, a petition has been signed by 200 people, and a telegram dis-
patched to him asking him to consider it.

----- to Alexander Morris [Montreal?] Perth, July 16, 1861. A.L.S.
Folder 1 p. Explains that he was kept from attending the proceedings
in addressee's honour by an accident.

Morris, J. H. to Alexander Morris. Clifton Springs, N.Y., July 26,
1864. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Sender is visiting Clifton Springs with
his father who is in bad health. Asks addressee to write giving family
and political news, also to tell him the contents of a letter which
sender accidentally left behind in Toronto.

[Gillespie?] to the Hon. James Morris. London, July 27, 1858.
A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Thanks addressee for sending him a copy of a news-
paper which contains an account of the death of addressee's brother.
Speaks highly of deceased's private and public life.
The Honorable William Morris died June 29, 1858.

Morris, Alexander to [William Leitch?] Glasgow. Edinburgh, Aug. 30, 1859.
A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Urges addressee to seriously consider accepting
the post which sender is offering to him.

In 1859 Alexander Morris was sent to Scotland to find a suitable principal
for The Presbyterian institution of Queen's University, Kingston, Ont.
He hired the Rev. Wm. Leitch (1814-1864) at that time.

Hunt, Thomas Sterry, 1826-1892 to William B. Lambe [Perth?]. Montreal.
July 16, 1864. A.L.S. Folder 2 p. Reports on the two specimens of
rock which addressee has sent him. Will return to Perth to examine the
rock in the area for phosphate of lime.

Attached to this is part of a letter from Casimir Gzowski to Morris. n.d.

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Fraser, (Col). A to Alexander Morris. Perth [Ont.] Sept. 7, 1865. A.L.S. Folder 4 p. Tells addressee of the loss of everything he owns in a disastrous fire. Asks addressee to look out for a suitable post for him, especially anything to do with helping Highlanders find homes in Canada. Outlines his past career as a soldier with the 49th Reg't in the war with the Americans, and his coming to Canada at the request of Governor General Sir Gordon Drummond.

Gzowski, (Sir) Casimir Stanislaus, 1813-1898, to Alexander Morris [Perth]. Toronto, Oct. 18, 1866. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Enjoyed his visit to Perth and examination of the mineral deposits. Feels that the phosphate of lime deposit will prove of value, but that the copper deposit will not be large enough to be useful. Gives advice on further exploration, and on sending one ton of hematite and one of magnetic ore to Scotland.

Roche, A R To Alexander Morris [Winnipeg]. Buntingford, Herts., March 29, 1875. A.L.S. 6 p. Sender is packing up to go to the Transvaal to look at gold mines. Comments on the news from Canada including addressee's work in treating with the Indians in the Northwest, and progress in the building of the C.P.R.

Alexander Morris became first chief justice of Manitoba in 1872, and later that year became lieutenant-governor.

Jamieson, T . To Alexander Morris, Perth. Napanee, March 18, 1878. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Suggests that Morris run in the local constituency as the government is very unpopular and a strong Conservative Candidate would win.

Carson, James B . To Alexander Morris, Perth. Port Lewis Apr. 9, 1878. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Responds to addressee's letter in which he asked for information about Andrew Mercer.

Christie, W J. To Alexander Morris [Perth,]. Brockville, May 20, 1878. Will be glad to see addressee on his way through, by train. There is trouble brewing with the Indians in the West. The new commissioner, Dickinson, is too young and the Indians refuse to treat with him. His attitude will undo all the work that addressee and sender did in Treaty 6.

Lambe, W.B. To Alexander Morris [Perth?]. Montreal, Nov. 14, 1878. A.L.S. 2 p. Is sorry that addressee lost the election in Selkirk. He himself is in bad financial straits, and will turn his hand to any kind of work to save his wife from a life of poverty.

Morris, Alexander [Correspondence relating to Alexander Morris's position in the election of 1878]. 1888-89. 3 A.L.S. 1 A.N.S. Letter signed by Wm. T. Storey, William McDonald, Henry D Shaw, F.A. Haig, A.T. Matthews, and D. Walker, all of the Leeds-Grenville S. Riding.

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Morris declined to stand in that riding, and accepted a nomination in Toronto East where he defeated Oliver Mowat.

Fitzgerald, W.L. Vasey. to Alexander Morris. Newtonsandes, Co. Kerry [Ireland] Feb. 27, 1885. A.L.S. Folder 2 p. Hopes to visit Canada again soon and to be helpful to the Conservative cause.

Paton, John to Alexander Morris. New York, N.Y., May 6, 1886. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Sender's wife wishes to thank addressee for seeing that her father's portrait was presented to Queen's University.

The portrait was that of John Hamilton, one of the co-founders of Queen's.

Mueller, Friedrich Max, 1823-1900. To an unnamed person. Oxford, n.d. A.L.S. Folder 3 p. Sender, an editor and scholar speaks of addressee's work and of his own, especially the Rig Veda which addressee has reviewed for him. Apologizes for the short review which he has given to addressee's anthology.

This letter had possibly been collected by Morris just out of interest. It was not addressed to him, as, while he did some writing, it was always of an historical nature and dealt with the Canadian scene.

Dunscombe, W. to Alexander Morris, Toronto. Quebec, Sept. 20, 1880. Will be glad to help entertain General Thacker. Speaks warmly of addressee's father, William Morris, whose integrity and industry won the confidence of Draper, Daly and Lord Metcalfe. Also praises addressee's uncle, James Morris.

A letter to the Editor of the Montreal Witness. Montreal, n.d. A.L. Folder 2 p. Fears because of the troubles in Spain, Ireland, Germany, England, Italy and Scotland that war [with the United States?] may be imminent. Letter signed: An observer.

There are indications that this was written in the middle or late 40's. Probably the author is Alexander Morris.

Langevin, (Sir) Hector Louis to Alexander Morris, Perth. Ottawa, May 28, 1878. A.L.S. 2 p. Gives details of how he hopes the election of 1878 will go. Wishes addressee well in the Selkirk riding.

Sir Hector Langevin, 1826-1906, was minister of public works for Canada, 1869-73 and 1879-91. A strong conservative, he was a very important and influential man under Sir John A. MacDonald. His hopes for Morris being elected in Selkirk were ill-founded. Morris lost, but he got a seat in East Toronto which he held from 1878-1886.

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In 1837, rebellions broke out in Upper and Lower Canada against the prevailing forms of government. The rebellions were quelled but as a result Lord Durham was sent to Canada to look into the cause of unrest. He recommended the Union of Upper and Lower Canada, along with responsible government, and an Act of Union was passed in 1840, uniting Upper and Lower Canada into the Province of Canada. Upper Canada became Canada West, and Lower Canada, Canada East, and these names were used until 1867 when Confederation with New Brunswick and Nova Scotia took place.

After the Act of Union in 1840, the capital of the new province was Kingston. The correspondence with William Morris relating to the wardenship, therefore, are issued from the seat of government. Samuel Bealey Harrison was writing on behalf of the Governor of United Canadas, Lord Sydenham, who had created him Provincial Secretary. After Lord Sydenham's death in 1841, the Governor was Sir Charles Bagot.

Although the designation of Ontario is used throughout in the listing, it was at the time still Canada West.

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Harrison, Samuel Bealey, 1802-1867, to William Morris, Perth Ont.
Kingston Ont., Dec. 8, 1841. L.S. Folder 2 p. Informs addressee
that the Administrator of the Government hopes that Addressee will
consent to become Warden of the Johnstown District.

On the free leaf of the folder is the draft of Morris's reply
accepting the honour as a public duty. Perth, Ont., Dec. 13, 1841.

(Kingston was capital of the Province of Canada, 1841-44).

Harrison, Samuel Bealey. To William Morris [Perth, Ont.] Kingston Ont.
Feb. 5, 1842. L.S. Folder 3 p. Informs addressee in a circular letter
that it is not the intention of the Governor to interfere in any way in
the election of officers. The Government has received complaints about
the qualifications of some of the elected officers, but feels that the
elected representatives who have taken the oath of loyalty should be left
in office until those who object have taken the matter before a court of law.

The Governor at this time was Sir Charles Bagot.

----- To William Morris [Perth, Ont.]. Kingston Ont., Apr. 1, 1842.
Informs addressee that Thomas Hume whom addressee has appointed Surveyor
of the Johnstown District, is now confirmed in his position by the
Governor-General. All District Surveyors must qualify as Provincial
Surveyors within 12 months.

Harrison, Samuel Bealey. To William Morris [Perth, Ont.] Kingston,
Ont., July 19, 1843. The Governor has accepted addressee's resignation
as warden of the Johnstown District, and wishes to thank him for his
services.
L.S. 1 leaf.

Hopkirk, James, to William Morris, Perth, Ont. Kingston Ont., Jan. 11,
1842. L.S. 1 leaf. Tells addressee that he is sending him his
commission confirming his position as Warden. A box has been dispatched
containing 110 copies of the Statutes of the last session for distri-
bution.

On verso is a list in Morris's hand detailing how he has distributed the
copies of the statutes.

Jessup, James, to William Morris, Perth Ont.. Brockville Ont. Apr. 7,
1842. A.L.S. Folder. 2 p. Informs addressee that the creation of the
new Dalhousie District will affect the seats of some of the Councillors
in the Johnstown District. Gives details of the changes, especially
as affecting Elsmley and Burgess.

On free leaf of the folder is a draft of Morris's reply in which he states
that he is aware of the situation. Perth, Apr. 11, 1842.

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Jessup, James, to William Morris, Perth, Ont. Brockville, Ont., Jan. 22, 1842. Explains in detail why the number of copies of the Census Act which addressee has sent him is insufficient. Informs him of various facts arising from the local elections. Sender expects to become a Councillor himself. Give news of the Construction in the Market House of a new Court Room where the Council will meet.

[Morris, William. Draft of a speech made at] the first session of the session of the second year of the municipal council of the District of Johnstown. [Brockville?] Feb. 1843.

Note on verso: Feby 1843. Address. Municipal Council.

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Morris, Alexander to the Hon. Alexander Campbell, Ottawa. Fort Garry, Oct. 10, 1879 [i.e. 1873]. A.L.S. 7 leaves (letter press copy). Reports to addressee on the making of Treaty No. 3, "the North-West Angle Treaty", giving details of the deals made with the Indians and the help given by the half-breeds.

This important treaty dealt with the Indians in the area around the the Lake of the Woods, now in Northwestern Ontario. It became the prototype of the treaties which followed. Large areas were transferred before the settlers moved in, to ensure peace and goodwill. Morris insisted that as Ottawa was not generous with money for annuities etc., that the Indians be given schools, rights of hunting & fishing on unsettled lands, and that the influence of the chiefs be bolstered.

Sir Alexander Campbell, 1822-1892, a life-long supporter of Sir John A. MacDonald, held many positions in the government of Canada. At this time he was Minister of the Interior, and was the minister to whom Morris reported.

Kirkby, (Archdeacon) W. to Alexander Morris. [Ft. Garry?] York Factory, Dec. 5, 1876. A.L.S. Folder 2 leaves. When sender returned to his post [York Factory?] last summer, he told the Indian that they might present a memorial to addressee. With this is a copy of the petition explaining that the Indians of one reservation have been forced to join the members of another, and the various drawbacks that this involved. Signed by a spokesman, two braves and six other heads of families, each with an X. 3 p.

Morris, Alexander to (Sir) Alexander Mackenzie [Ottawa]. Fort Garry, Manitoba, May 12, 12, 1876. Describes his trip back to Manitoba from Ontario. Says the loan of government money to help the farmers with the grain crop was very useful. Agrees to undertake the Indian Treaties on behalf of the Government on condition that he take Jas. McKay, [W.J.] Christie and Dr. Jackes with him. Suggests that McKeaguey be left in charge during his absence. Sender will be forced to ask for the first time for some kind of travelling expenses when he undertakes the arduous journeys which the treaty work requires.

Sir Alexander Mackenzie was the Prime Minister of Canada, 1873-1878.

Tassé, Joseph (1848-1895) to Alexander Morris, Perth. Ottawa, Oct. 30, 1878. A.N.S. 1 leaf. Sends a copy of his Canadiens de l'Ouest which addressee ordered when Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba.

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Carnarvon, Henry Howard Molyneux Herbert, 4th Earl, 1831-1890 to Alexander
Morris. Sept. 15, 1883. A.N.S. 2 p. Thanks addressee for his book
on the treaties (The Treaties of Canada with the Indians of the North-
West. Toronto, 1880).

Carnarvon as British Secretary of State for the colonies presided over the
Westminster conference in 1866, introduced the B.N.A. act of 1867 and
laid down the "Carnarvon terms" with British Columbia in 1874.

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A. His relationship with the Lanark Riding, and two documents relating to his riding in Toronto East.

Morris, Alexander. Address to the electors of the Riding of Lanark.

Perth, July, 1872. States that his health will no longer allow him to be an eligible candidate in the next election. He has accepted the post of Chief Justice of Manitoba where he hopes not only to help with the growing province but also to recover his health.

Letter addressed to the Honorable Alexander Morris, Chief Justice Manitoba July 22, 1872, inviting addressee to a public dinner in his honour given by the residents of Perth and vicinity at which he will receive an address. Letter congratulates the people of Manitoba upon acquiring him as Chief Justice Signed by James Shaw, Jas. H. Gould, John Haggart, Jas. Thompson, Thos. Mansfield, Wm. O'Brian, James Allan, and H.D. Shaw. A.L.S. Folder 2 leaves.

Morris, Alexander to [the above mentioned] gentlemen. Perth, July 29, 1872. A.L.S. Folder 2 leaves. Thanks the gentlemen for their kind letter. Regrets that he cannot attend the dinner in his honour until his return from Manitoba, where he is going on a tour of inspection.

Millar, J.M. Address by the Mayor and members of the Perth Town Council, welcoming Alexander Morris to Perth "after his long stay in the far West," where he is Lieut. Governor of Manitoba. Perth, 187-. Signed by the Mayor, and stamped by a seal of the Corporation of the Town of Perth.

Oversize:

Indenture between James Bell, Returning Officer for the South Riding of the County of Lanark, and John Deacon the younger, Esquire, Arthur Meighen, Merchant and Archibald McArthur, Merchant, electors of the South Riding of Lanark ... [stating that they have chosen ... Alexander Morris to represent the riding in the provincial parliament] July 10, 1861. 1 leaf.

Signed by John Deacon Jr, Arthur Meighen, A McArthur, Electors, and James Bell, Returning Officer.

Indenture between James Bell, Returning Officer for the South Riding of the County of Lanark, and Arthur Meighen, John Deacon the younger and James Allan, electors of the South Riding of Lanark ... [stating that they have chosen Alexander Morris to represent the riding in the provincial parliament]. June 26, 1863. 1 leaf.

Signed by James Bell, Returning Officer, and Arthur Hughes, John Deacon Jr, Electors, and James Bell, Returning Officer.

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Oversize Morris, Alexander. Duplicate return for the Honorable Alexander Morris for the electoral district of Toronto East. Toronto, June 10, 1879. D.S. 1 leaf.
Signed by Frederick W. Jarvis, sheriff, Returning Officer.

Morris, Alexander. Duplicate return for the Honorable Alexander Morris for the electoral district of Toronto East. Toronto, March 3, 1883. D.S. 1 leaf.
Signed by Frederick W. Jarvis, sheriff, Returning Officer.

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Ebenezer Washburn, 1756-1826, was a United Empire Loyalist and an early settler in Prince Edward County. He had suffered imprisonment and losses at the hands of the rebels during the American Revolution, and moved to what was to become Upper Canada as soon as the war ended. He moved twice before finally settling in Hallowell, later Picton. Here he became a land-owner, a general merchant and a forwarder, taking advantage of the Picton harbour.

He was a Justice of the Peace and active in local affairs but is best remembered as a politician. While representing the riding of Prince Edward, he was the main mover of the District School Act of 1807, which laid the foundation of the public school system of Ontario.

The letters and documents after Ebenezer's death in 1826 relate mainly to his sons, Simon E and Simeon.

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Although most of the documents have been listed as being written in Ontario because the writers very rarely designated the province, those before 1840 were actually written in Upper Canada, and those between 1840 and 1867 were properly speaking written in Canada West.

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Washburn papers, mainly Prince Edward County, ca. 1791 - 1876

Weights of gold coin current in Upper Canada. 1 leaf. [after 1791]
(Upper Canada was created in 1791).

M^CLean, Allan. Account rendered to Ebenezer [sic] Washburn. [Kingston, Ont., n.d.] Folder. 4 p.
Note on back: McLeans acct- and others say to pay at Montreal.

Allan M^CLean was the first lawyer in Kingston (Cf. Canniff, Wm. History of the settlement of Upper Canada).

M^CLean, Allan. [Receipted bill for legal services performed for Ebenezer Washburn]. Kingston, [Ont.] Sept. 17, 1798. 1 leaf.

Cornell, John. [Promissory note given to] Ebenezer Washburn for four pounds, ten shillings and one penny. Fredericksburgh, March 19, 1798. 1 leaf.
Witnessed by John Ray.
Note on verso: Rec'd on the within seven shillings & sixpence. E.W.

Woodcock, Peter. Promissory note to Ebenezer Washburn for eight shillings and one penny. Fredericksburgh, Apr. 5, 1799.
Signed with an X.
Witnessed by Elizabeth Clark.

Mordoff, James. [Note for fifty pounds to be repaid to Tobias Ryckman, with the condition that the said note become null and void if Mordoff receive Lot no. 2 in the 2nd concession east of the Carrying Place, belonging to Tobias Ryckman]. Jan. 14, 1799.
Signed: James Mordoff, and John Carcallen, Witness.

M^CLean, Allan. [Certificate of M^CLean on Peterson's note]. July 24, 1801 and March 22 [1802] 1 leaf.
Title taken from verso.

M^CLean A[llan]. [Bill presented to Ebenezer Washburn for legal services]. Dec 10, 1801. 1 leaf.
One item added, Jan. 19, 1804.

Hadfield, James. "The remains of little Dick my partner dear ..." Poem. 1 leaf. Oct. 3, 1806.
Note in same hand: Bethlem Hospital.

John Cornells a/c, note & book. Due Jan 1, 1807.

M^CLean, Allen [Itemized bill for legal services performed for Ebenezer Washburn. Kingston. Ont.] 1808. 1 leaf.
Note on verso: Last account of Allens M^CLean [sic] Esquires in summer 1808.

Birds, Henry. Received from Ebenezer Washburn an order on Allen M^CLean for twenty-four pounds ten shillings, to be repaid with interest by the middle of May next. Hallowell, Feb. 8, 1809.
Witnessed by S. Washburn.

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Allen, Joseph. [Note promising to deliver two barrels of cider of 36 gallons each to Simeon Washburn] Hallowell, Jan. 5, 1810. 1 leaf.
Witnessed by Wm. Washburn.

Ryckman, Edward. Promissory note to Ebenezer Washburn for eight pounds 5 shillings and five pence. Hallowell [Ont.] March 14, 1811. 1 leaf.
Witnessed by John Scott.
Note on verso: Received the whole of this note to four dollars. E.W.

Palen, Gilbert. [Promissory note] to Ebenezer Washburn for four pounds, four shillings and tenpence. Hallowell [Ont.] Apr. 11, 1811.
Witnessed by James Blackley.
With this is a statement on Gilbert Paylen's account, up to 1821. 1 leaf.

Washburn, Ebenezer. [Statement of interest and payments on a loan he made to Nathareth Hills] 1811-1821. 1 leaf.
Signed: E. Washburn.

Byrns, John and James Byrns. We jointly and severally promise to pay to Ebenezer Washburn or his or his order twenty pounds, eleven and a half pence. Adolphustown, July 10, 1811. 1 leaf.
Witnessed by Danl. Wright and Garnet Benson.

Byrns, John. [Promissory note to Ebenezer Washburn] for nine pounds twelve shillings and five pence. Hallowell [Ont.] Dec, 1, 1811.
Witnessed by James Rankin.

Head, Jonathan. [Note promising to pay] fifteen pounds Hallyfax [sic] currency on or before the May 1, 1813. Marysburg [Ont.] 1812. 1 leaf.
Note on verso: Received on the within note ten pounds, May 6, 1815. E.W.
[Ebenezer Washburn]

Cole, Jesse. Note promising to pay Ebenezer Washburn two pounds 5 shillings and 5 pence. March 25, 1814. 1 leaf.
Witnessed by Sarah Washburn.

Shufeld, Zachariah. [Three promissory notes to Ebenezer Washburn] 1816. Hallowell [Ont.]
One note witnessed by Philip M^cGrath.

Receipt from the estate of Eliphalet Adams for payment for the education of his children. Hallowell, Ont., Jan. 22, 1816. 1 leaf.
Signed by Simeon Washburn as executor of the estate, and by Israel Adams.

Promissory note to Ebenezer Washburn for eight pounds seventeen shillings. Chramhe [sic], March 2, 1818.
Not signed or witnessed.

Spafford, Sol[omo]n. [Note promising to pay] Silas Hill twenty-five pounds by the first day of June, 1819. Aug. 23, 1816. 1 leaf.
Witnessed by James [Clapp?]

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Allison, Jeremiah. [Promissory note to Ebenezer Washburn for nine shillings and eight pence, for cost on a suit as defendant with Luman Norton]
Hallowell [Ont.] June 1821.

Donaldson, David. Good to the Pathmaster of This District for two days work in statute Labour, 1822 ... and 1823.
Date obscured.
Note on verso: Cancelled at our special sessions, Nov. 21, 1823. S.
Washburn, J.P.

Washburn, Simon E to Simeon Washburn, Hallowell, Prince Edward County. York [Toronto] July 25, 1823. A.L.S. Folder 2 p. Has not succeeded in getting information for his brother about Cryderman's land, as surveyed. Expresses hope of having his brother's support should he decide to run in the next election as member for Prince Edward County.

Prentiss, R. [Receipted bill paid by Prentiss for itemized list of purchases from the store of the late Ebenezer Washburn]. Dec. 6, 1826.
Receipted [by the executors of Washburn's state?]

Brisben, Harriet. Statement sworn before Simeon Washburn and James Dougall, J.P.'s of the Midland District, that the child she is bearing belongs to John Johnson. Dec. 31, 1824. D.S. 1 leaf.
Signed by Harriet Brisben, Simeon Washburn and James Dougall.

[Letter to] Mr. Beckwith asking him to convey a message to John Smyth of York about a business deal having to do with sender's land in Essa Township] 1 leaf.
Signed P.W. [Paul Washburn?]
Paper water-marked 1830.

Washburn, S.E. to Simeon Washburn, Hallowell. York [Toronto] July 18, 1832. Sender appeared before a committee on behalf of Eleanor Smith's claim to some land, but a counter claim was made by Willet Casey, which sender thinks will win. Addressee's claim for Daniel's land has been allowed. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

[Bill for boards from S. and John Frier and from John Rednor. Also a memo of a judgment against Rednor which is now settled] June 1, 1833.
Probably in the hand of Ebenezer Washburn.

Washburn, Simon E to Simeon Washburn, Hallowell. York [Toronto] Sept. 15, 1833. A.L.S. Folder. 2 p.
Gives advice about what items he can claim as losses sustained in the War of 1812.

Austin, Andrew. [Statement that John Taylor owes him four pounds, ten shillings] Sworn before S[imeon] Washburn, J.P., at Hallowell, Dec. 22, 1834. 1 leaf.

Harrison, S . Tax bill for Harrison's property in the Ward of St. Andrew. 1835.
Printed form with tax rates added in ms. Lacks name of city.

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Haight, Samuel D

Memorial of a deed and of bargain of sale of land first concession of the Township of Sophiasburg in the County of Prince Edward, between Haight and Hannah Cole. Dec. 21, 1837. D.S., 1 leaf.

Signed by Henry Palin, William N. Griggs and Samuel D. H[aight]

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Washburn, Simeon to Adam H. Meyers, River Trent. Picton, June 1, 1839.

Will sell his pork to addressee's brother and accept his note for it, on condition that it is endorsed by R.C. Wilkins and S. Hawley. A.L.S. 1 leaf. (Ms copy).

Myers, Adam H. to Simeon Washburn, Picton [Ont.] River Trent, June 3, 1839.

Sender's brother refuses Washburn's offer to sell pork to him, as addressee demanded two endorsements for his note.

Washburn, S to Adam H Meyers [sic] Picton, June 5, 1839. A.L.S. 1 leaf.

Cannot see why addressee objects to having Washburn demand security, on the purchase of pork. Sender's copy, with a rough draft on the back.

Myers, Adam H To Simeon Washburn, Picton. River Trent, June 7, 1839.

A.L.S. Folder 1 leaf.

Will endorse his brother's note and therefore accept sender's offer [to sell pork].

Benson, Henry W Nov. 17, 1841. Two receipts for payment for 2 boxes of candles bought by S. Washburn. 2 leaves.

Coulson, John. To Captain Chalmer. Steam Mills [Hastings County?] August 2, 1843. Tells addressee he is returning a set of scales which do not work properly. A.L.S. 1 leaf.

(Addressee is Captain of the ship, The Albion, at Picton).

Prince Edward District Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Request to the Honorable S[imon] Washburn to pay 13/4 as a member of the company, because of a fire. July 25, 1848. Signed by R.J. Chapman, secretary. 1 leaf. Printed form, completed in ms.

Rombaugh, Jacob. A receipt for curing the ringbone, spavin or windgall. Camden, Jan. 31, 1849. 1 leaf.

Wetherell, J To P. Washburn. Picton [Ont.] Aug. 2, 1853. Informs addressee that his membership fees in the sons of Temperance are overdue. A.N.S. 1 leaf.

McCormick, A. to [Paul?] Washburn. Kingston [Ont.] May 11, 1857. A.L.S. 2 p. The ship, The Greyhound, returned from Cape Vincent, N.Y., without its full load of freight owing to addressee having sent too small a shipment of barley. Addressee is asked to make up the sum of ten dollars. A copy of a receipt from St. Vincent signed H.W. Deming is included.

McCormick is the freight officer for Cape St. Vincent, New York.

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[Itemized bill for goods purchased from James S. Bates]. Ms. note on the back: The above settled with Bates and he was in abt. three shillings and sixpence and he abused me twice on it. Jan. 6, 1858. 1 leaf. Unsigned.

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Armstrong, William to Mr [Simeon?] Washburn. Jan 12, 1860. A.L.S. 1 leaf. Explains that he will pay the money owing to addressee for the piece of land as soon as possible.

Everett, R.B. to P. Washburn. Albany, N.Y., Dec. 8, 1860. A.L.S. 2 p. Sender has not received any of the peas which he stored with addressee to be sent to him at Albany. Comments on the election of Abraham Lincoln to the Presidency.

Donell, D.M. to E. Adams, Kingston. Kingston, Aug. 1, 1876. A.L.S. Folder. 1 leaf. Will receive addressee's raft of pine and oak as soon as it can be handled. Will pay 11 1/2 d. for oak and 5 1/2 d. for pine, per hundred ft.

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C. Miscellaneous papers.

Collection of papers relating to Captain Henry Dilkes Byng at Isle aux Noix, 1830

Cowper, G. to Captain Byng. Quebec, Nov. 2, 1829. A.L.S. 2 p.
On behalf of Sir James Kempt thanks Byng for letter and for ability
to get three sentry boxes for troops on duty in the naval yard at
Isle aux Noix.

Byng, Henry Dilkes. Abstracts of letters sent to Secretary of Navy
Board by Capt. Hon'ble H.D. Byng. [Isle aux Noix] 1830. Folder 4 p.
Chronological list and abstracts of thirty-three letters sent by
Byng to Secretary of Navy Board, January to September, 1830.

Byng, Henry Dilkes. Abstracts of letters received by Capt. the Hon'ble
H.D. Byng. [Isle aux Noix, 1830?] Folder 3 p.
Chronological list of abstracts of letters received, January to August.

Byng, Henry Dilkes. Copies and abstracts of letters from Capt. the
Hon'ble H.D. Byng to [Isle aux Noix] 1830. Folder 3 p.
Chronological list with name of addressee and abstract of each letter.

Byng, Henry Dilkes. Abstract of orders . [Isle aux Noix] 1830.
2 folders 6 p.
Chronological list of orders mainly to NY [Naval Yard] with abstract
of each order, January to August, 1830.

Byng, Henry Dilkes. Abstract of letters received from the Secretary of
the Navy Office between 1st January 1830 and [Isle aux Noix] 1830.
Folder 2 p.
Chronological list of letters received with abstract of each,
24 November 1829 to 8 July 1830.

Jones, Thomas Mercer to Henry Wade, Vittoria. York, April 13, 1831.
L.S. Folder 1 p.
Accepts the terms offered for the lot. Printed form letter completed in
manuscript, signed and dated.

Markland, George Herchmer (Herkimer), to Josiah Cromwell, Charlottesville.
York, April 16, 1831. Folder 2 p.
Tells Cromwell of rent due. Page 3 is printed, Public Notice about
Back Rents on Clergy Reserves from George H. Markland, Receiver
for Clergy Corporation, York, May 1st, 1830.

Markland, 1790?-1862, was executive and legislative councillor and
inspector-general of Upper Canada. Resigned from Executive Council
in 1836, and as inspector-general in 1838 because of charges against him.

Montizambert, Louis to H.W. Ryland. Quebec, May 17, 1831. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.
Writes that he does not recollect having been asked to give Ryland a
detailed account of fees collected, but he would have complied if
he had received this request.

Montizambert, Louis to H.W. Ryland. Circular. Quebec, Jan. 15, 1828.
A.L.S. Folder 1 p.
On behalf of the Governor-in-Chief asks for statement of fees received
or accruing to Clerk of the Executive Council in the previous year ending
December 31, with details of the gross and net amounts in currency and
sterling.

Montizambert, 1775-1834, was Acting Secretary of the Province of Lower
Canada and assistant to the Clerk of the Council when Herman Witsius
Ryland, 1760-1838, was clerk of the Council (Executive), 1793-1838.

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C. Miscellaneous papers (continued).

Moore, John to John White, M.P., Quebec. Brantford, February 24, 1853.

A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Writes about continuation of railroad from Galt Branch to Malden through Brantford and St. Thomas, and asks White to mention it to Toronto members and to L.C. members "that it will bring in travel from the Southern Michigan RR that would otherwise never visit us but go by the South Shore of Lake Erie Road this is so & no gassing & no mistake "

Muster roll of the 2nd Company of the 1st Battalion of Norfolk Militia 12th June, 1847. First class. Folder

List of 97 names with age, marital status, concession, lot number, Quakers, Mennonists, place of origin.

Collection of letters to Francis Leigh (Legh) Walsh, 1788?-1884 relating to his position as Land Registrar in Norfolk, 1810-1884. He also represented Norfolk in the House of Assembly, Upper Canada, 1824-1828, and 1835-1836. His father, Thomas Welch (Walsh, Welsh), 1742-1816, whom he had succeeded as Land Registrar, was also land surveyor, office holder, militia officer and judge. He had been a captain in the 1st Norfolk Militia. Two of F.L. Walsh's sons, Aquila and Thomas, were also active in politics.

Mercer, A.W. to Henry Anderson, Charletteville, Vittoria. York, February 1831. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Writes that Clergy Corporation's Secretary decides about the arrears of rents on clergy reserves and he outlines secretary's decision. Page 4 of folder gives F.L. Walsh as addressee's name.

Burwell, Mahlon to F.L. Walsh. York, December 26, 1832. A.L.S. Folder 1 p. Gives Christmas greetings and writes about the price of land.

Burwell, 1783-1846, was a land surveyor in Upper Canada, 1809-1840. He represented Middlesex in Legislative Assembly, 1812-1824 and 1830-1834.

Mitchell, J. to F.L. Walsh, Vittoria. May 7, 1835. A.L.S. Folder 1 p. Expresses confidence in Walsh's decisions, and has cases which he will later discuss with him. He is grateful for Walsh's help.

Blyth, Thomas Allen to F.L. Walsh. Hamilton Gore District, April 3, 1839. A.L.S. Folder 1 p.

Refers to letter from Captain MacCaulay, Civil Secretary, which had appointed Walsh, Blyth, and William Wilson as Boundary Line Commissioners for Talbot District; he asks Walsh if their services are needed in Talbot District.

Hagerman, Christopher Alexander to F.L. Walsh. Circular. Toronto, March 6, 1840. A.L.S. Folder 1 p.

Informs Walsh of opening date of the Assizes for the district of Talbot. Writes that Walsh's name has been inserted as an associate Justice. Hagerman, 1792-1847, was a judge and also member of the Legislative Assembly, Upper Canada, 1819-1840.

Radenhurst, John to F.L. Walsh. Toronto, April 6, 1840. A.L.S. Folder 1 p.

Refers to Walsh's letter regarding sales of lands by sheriff for taxes. He advises that parties concerned should petition the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

Radenhurst was chief clerk in the Surveyor General's office and was unsuccessful in securing the appointment as Surveyor General in 1836, (John Macaulay, 1792-1857, was appointed.)

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Harrison, Samuel Bealey to F.L. Walsh. Toronto, October 9, 1840.

A.L.S. Folder 1 p.

On behalf of the Lieutenant-Governor [Sir George Arthur] asks Walsh to be a commissioner for the district of Talbot. Page 4 of letter has note, "Ans. 18th respectfully declining the appointment."

Harrison, 1802-1867, lawyer, miller, politician and judge, was civil secretary to Sir George Arthur, 1839-1841.

Rykert, George to F.L. Walsh. St. Catherines, July 12, 1842. A.L.S. Folder 3 p.

Refers to Walsh's letter concerning boundary lines and notes that the Boundary Commissioners have not received any instructions about them. He asks Walsh to send the original field notes of surveys of some townships in the district made by his father, and he mentions Merritt's return from England. "They are sending about the country to raise a subscription for the purpose of buying him a silver plate or whistle-- you I dare say feel some curiosity as well as I to know what he has done to merit such as testimonial."

Rykert, 1797-1857, militia officer, teacher, surveyor, merchant, politician, and office holder, was a friend and supporter of William Hamilton Merritt, 1793-1862, until 1836. Rykert then began to move from moderate reform politics to toryism. In the election of 1840-41 Merritt defeated him when they were candidates for St. Catharines.

Cull, Eda Lefroy to F.L. Walsh. Toronto, August 10, 1842. A.L.S. Folder 1 p.

Asks Walsh to send the name of the owner of Lot 4, concession 6 in Walsingham. Note on page 4 states Lot 4, 6th of Walsingham conveyed to W.H. Merritt.

Crooks, James to F.L. Walsh. West Flamborough, March 13, 1843.

A.L.S. Folder 1 p.

Asks Walsh to return a deed which he had sent, and asks if Walsh has power of attorney for Mr. Todd. Page 4 has note, Ans 15 Mch 43 deed sent due 8/53p; power from Todd has not been here.

Crooks, 1778-1860, businessman, militia officer, office holder, justice of the peace and politician, supported William Morris in many of his political activities. He was appointed to the Legislative Council in 1841 but in 1843 walked out in protest.

Powell, J.W. to F.L. Walsh. Montreal, January 2 and February 12, 1845. 2 A.L.S.

Asks Walsh for help in finding a missing deed to property for which the title is being disputed; and reports on the Special Committee and certain bills of interest to Walsh. Page 4 of January letter has notes for reply.

Dunn, John Henry to F.L. Walsh. Toronto, February 29, 1845. A.L.S. Folder 1 p.

Gives details of a proposed land transaction. Page 4 has notes.

Dunn, 1792-1854, office holder, politician, businessman, and militia officer, was receiver-general in Upper Canada, 1820-1841, and in the Province of Canada, 1841-1843. He resigned with other members of the Baldwin-La Fontaine coalition in November 1843. After being defeated in the 1844 election, he returned to England in 1845.

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Harington, H.D. to Sir. Kingston, December 12, 1842. Circular
Folder 2 p.

Printed letter instructs addressee to read enclosed instructions
and to return requested information. Page 4 has in manuscript,
Fras L. Walsh and notes.

Wharf account at Fort Erie, Dr. to Smith and Hamilton, 1818.

Folder 5 p.

Itemized account, June 27 to October 30, 1818, with total.

Wilson, William M. Subpoena to Edward Ryerse [and others]. Simcoe, 1858.
Broadside.

Printed subpoena addressed to Ryerse and six others in manuscript directing
them to appear at County Court on September 14, 1858. Signed by
Wilson, County Court Clerk. With envelope addressed to Ryerse, dated
and stamped, Montreal Ju 4 1849.

Baby, G. to . Montreal, Nov. 20, 1905. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

Encloses payment for third volume of Dunlop's Recollections of the American
War, and asks him to send the titles of the first two volumes. He also
requests a copy of A.G. Morice's The History of the Northern Interior of
British Columbia.

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Item 19

Montmorency Mills, Quebec. Stock book of pine planks and boards on hand at Montmorency Mills, Oct. 5, 1876- Dec. 1, 1880. Montmorency, Quebec, 1876-1880. 88 p.

Printed by "Dawson & Co. Shaw Building. Foot of Mountain Hill, Quebec."
Printed pages completed in manuscript. Many pages signed by book-keepers: E & O.E., and members of their staff. Laid in is one page: Balance due J. Burstall & Co, 1883.

Item 20-21

[Account books of a firm of ship outfitters at Quebec] Dec. 1, 1809- Oct. 30, 1823. Quebec, 1809-1823. 2 v.

Contain costs of refitting ships, of materials, wages etc.
Full bound in rough calf, with Russia band and vellum lacing.

Item 22

Thurlow (township) Hastings County, Ont.

Minutes of meetings of the council of the township of Thurlow, Hastings Co., Jan. 21, 1878- Dec. 1, 1884. Cannifton, Ont., 1878-1884. 404 p.
360 pages consist of detailed continuous minutes of meetings. The remaining pages contain lists of such things as township officers, census figures, separate school supporters, expenses paid out by the township.
Minutes are signed by E. Thrasher, clerk, and Harford Ashley, reeve.

Item 23

[Stewart, R. C. Fifty sample sheets of Stewart's Masonic Chart and Memorial]. Laid in a bound volume.

Each sheet includes the name and number of the lodge, the names of charter members, officers and other salient facts. Each is specially designed and decorated, in ms. on glazed linen.

47 of the sheets are for lodges in Ontario cities, towns and villages; three are for towns in Nova Scotia. There is also 1 sheet which has been designed but not completed.

A mimeographed letter from Stewart is laid in the front of the book, dated June 22, 1902, in which he offers his services to American lodges, with a page of testimonials from various satisfied masonic lodges in Ontario.

Item 24

[Journal kept by a member of a surveying party under Gaudet on the Moisie River on the present border of Quebec and Labrador. After 1858]. 253 p. 3 illus.

Remainder of book is blank except for 7 pages entitled: A chap[ter] on appetite as related by Gaudet, and 24 p. at back of book containing notes, anecdotes and figures, some of which pertain to the Moisie River survey.

The journal contains vivid descriptions of life in the camp, of flora, fauna and minerals, of the Indians and French Canadians who act as guides, hunters and paddlers, also some anecdotes related by Gaudet who had worked in the area in 1858.

Item 25

Accompanied by a typed transcript of part of the journal by Mary Fitz-Gibbon. 85 leaves.

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Additional papers for the Morris Family, the Ryland Family, as well as individual manuscripts, and bound manuscripts received from Louis Melzack, October 1987.

Box 26 Morris Family - Additional Papers

Folder 1 Jones, Solomon and Mary Jones. Two portraits, watercolour, with manuscript name cards, Yours Dr. Jones, M. Jones, and an additional card, Mr. Morris.

Jones, 1756-1822, loyalist physician, was one of the first physicians and magistrates in Upper Canada. He also was in the Legislative Assembly, 1796-1800. His wife was Mary Tunnacliffe. An earlier accession found in Box 7 has Jones Family papers which mention Solomon Jones.

Mapcase To Alexander Morris, Esquire, and to all to whom these presents shall come greeting, Toronto, 1849.

Broadside.

Document signed by John Beverley Robinson, James Buchanan Macaulay, Archibald McLean, William Henry Draper, and Robert Baldwin Sullivan appoints Alexander Morris commissioner of Lower Canada.

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Conveyance Mount Royal Cemetery Company to the Hon^{ble} W^m Morris. Know all men by these presents. Montreal, 1853.

Printed deed completed and signed, Hugh Allan for cemetery plot for William Morris.

Folder 3 Division of the estate of the late Hon^{ble} W^m Morris made by the executors among the heirs under the Will 1859... Hugh Allan, Alex^r Morris executors. Montreal, 1859. 1 page.

Document lists four heirs with the portion of the estate and value for each heir.

Folder 4 Machray, Robert to Edmund Morris. Winnipeg, Man., July 29, 1893.
A.L.S. Folder 2 p. After apologizing for not having answered addressee's letter of June 5 because of its illegibility, sender refers to qualities in addressee's father [Alexander Morris] that were important for a lieutenant governor to have. Machray, 1831-1904, became Archbishop of Rupert's land and primate of Canada in 1893. He was also the first chancellor of the University of Manitoba, 1877-1904.

Item 5 Morris, Edmund M. [Scrapbook of autographs]
Toronto [s.d] 1 volume.

Collection of autographs, some of which are identified. Several are laid in.

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Box 26 Ryland Family - Additional Papers

Folder 6 Ryland, Herman Witsius. Pygmalion.
[s.l., s.d.]

Two poems, manuscript.

Folder 7 Argyll, George Douglas Campbell, Duke, 1823-1900, to George Herman Ryland,
d. 1883, Montreal. v.p., 1860-1864. 3 A.L.S.

Advises addressee to cease trying to get more money from the Imperial Treasury with respect to his claims.

These letters continue the earlier correspondence from Mr. Ryland to officials in England which were published by the Colonial Office in 1850 as Copies or extracts of correspondence and memorials or representations relative to the claim of Mr. Ryland, formerly secretary to the Executive Council of Canada.

Other Manuscripts

Folder 8 [Collection of poems. s.l., s.d.]

Nine poems, manuscript, bound together without covers.

Folder 9 [Collection of poems. s.l., s.d.]
3 Folders.

Three poems, manuscript.

Folder 10 Papers respecting the Northern Colonization Railway Company and the
the Quebec Gate Barracks, Montreal. [s.l., s.d.]

Typescript of published and unpublished materials bound in pamphlet format.

Folder 11 Archer, John
Colonel Archer's narrative on the construction of Fort Monckton. London, 1788. Folder 4 p. manuscript.

Explains Archer's instructions from the Duke of Richmond for reforming Fort Monckton, the Committee's objections to it, and his comments on them. He refers to Lord Amherst, General Monckton, Lord Townsend, and asks His Majesty for a public investigation into his case.

Box 27 Letters Patent or privileges have been already granted ... John Werge ...
1863 ... in possession of an invention for improvements in apparatus for
indicating any regulated maximum or minimum degree of temperature. 1863.

No. 670 ⁶³. With attached cylindrical seal in tin box.

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Bound Manuscripts

- Item 28 [Journal of a British naval officer, 1838-1839]
1 volume unpagged (214 p.)

First part of journal lacks pages 1-3, with place and date of departure. First date noted is May 5th, but he earlier mentions the 24th [April]. After leaving Cork with the 71st Regiment bound for Canada, they "sail with the winds at N.N.E." (He lists the officers of the 71st). He describes the passage of the ship through icebergs south of Newfoundland towards the passage between Cape Ray and Cape Breton, past Bird Island, and the Island of Anticosti. "10th a breeze from the westward, tacked occasionally working along the south or right bank of the St. Lawrence ... May 12. When within about 20 miles of the Isle of Bee, we shipped two Pilots-; one English, the other a French-Canadian ... The houses which now dot the shore on either bank of this mighty stream pretty much have a very mean appearance from the circumstances of their being built of wood, and all white washed across, even the very roofs, which may end in an addition to some cottages, but certainly does not contribute to render them picturesque objects." In contrast to vivid descriptions of the landscape, he barely mentions political events: May 15 Sir John Colborne arrived from Montreal and "was very well received by the inhabitants of Quebec." On May 29 he describes in more detail the arrival of Lord Durham. He concludes this part by noting that on November 28 the ship sailed for England.

The second part of the journal is an account of Her Majesty's ship Implacable, steaming from Plymouth Sound to Lisbon, April 9, 1839, with vivid descriptions of ports visited, and people met including excursions to Pompeii and Herculaneum when he was at Naples. He notes the declaration of war from the Sultan "against his rebellious vassal Mehemet Ali." This account ends with "Oct. 6th. Sent in a Flag of truce to Mehemet Ali to acquaint him that a strict Blockade would immediately be enforced." The rest of this part has excerpts of other writings.

Inside covers have word lists. Each part has line drawings.

- Item 29 Paris, G. 7 Contes de La Fontaine. Exemplaire unique calligraphié d'illustré par G. Paris. [s.l., 19--]
Text, and 12 pencil studies for coloured drawings.

- Item 30 West, Robert. Faust; 15 dessins de Robert West. [s.l., 1942?]
Black and white drawings without text.

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Item 31 [Journal of British naval officer 1834-1837.]
 1 volume 241 p.

A diary written by a British naval officer on a sailing ship that was stationed on the Mediterranean coast. Its usual route was between Gibraltar and Malaga, occasionally it went as far as Naples, with visits to ports and excursions to neighbouring towns, cities, and other points of interest. The writer describes places visited, observes people met and comments on the political situation of the particular area, and even on that in England.

After describing Malaga in the first six pages of his diary, he writes, "Among our distinguished visitors was the Governor General Alvarez who stands high as a military commandant having distinguished himself very much in the South American War of Independance -- He is a liberal & is decidly [sic] a man of very considerable talant,[sic] with very polished and agreeable manners -- he is much liked by the Malageinians, and understandably so, as he has corrected numerous abuses since he has been in power -- & done everything to forward the interests of the city."

When his party visits Barcelona he writes about the theatre "which is considered one of the finest in Spain; but silll is not sufficiently large for the size of the city. The inhabitants of which are so fond of the opera, that the house is always crowded to suffocation. The interior is in the shape of a horse-shoe, having five rows of boxes, including a row on the same plain as the pit The prima donna & the tenor are each paid five thousand dolors per annum, which will give an idea of the merits of the respective singers...."

About events in England he notes, "During our stay, a report reached the city, that a change of ministry had taken place in England-- The Duke of Wellington at the head. This intelligence has put the Liberal party in sad consternation. December 2nd. Sailed from Alicante."

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On May 5, 1836, the ship arrives in Leghorn (Livorno). This part of the diary is written or copied in a different hand. On June 7, 1836, the ship sails from Naples, and the first writer returns. Some manuscript notes or corrections are in pencil. Art and art galleries in Florence are described in detail.

On January 1, 1837, he writes about a storm, "About 7 o'clock p.m. arrived H.M. sloop 'Orestes', and anchored just inside the Bar. At six, o'clock am, on the 2nd, the wind breaking from the S.E., we took in our stern cable at the bow & swung head to wind. Sent down top gallant yards & top gallant masts. Observed the 'Orsetes' riding very heavily with her top mast & lower years struck." The storm continues to January 9th.

In the last entry, dated April 30th, he writes "Sailed for Tangier on our way to England. Proceeded on our voyage on the 1st of May."

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63 [Whitney, James, Sir, 1843-1914] to Dr. Osler.
 Toronto, 23 June 1905. T.L. 1 leaf.
 Copy of letter thanking Osler for his letter with suggestions about the University; plans to ask the Legislature at its next session "to appropriate permanently a certain percentage of Succession Duties for the maintenance of the University," and to ask Dr. Pyne, the Minister of Education to write Osler about the Hospital [the new General Hospital].

Sir James Whitney, leader of the Conservative party, was prime minister of Ontario from 1905 to 1914. One of his first acts was to appoint a royal commission on the University of Toronto. In its report of 1906 the commission recommended "that the University should be given 'a sum equal to fifty per cent.' of the average receipts from

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10 succession duties over a three-year period."
 Legislation with this recommendation was
 passed.

63 Osler, William, Sir, 1849-1919, to Sir James
 Whitney Oxford, 15 September 1908. T.L.S.
 2 pages.
 Will meet with Whitney on Thursday as
 arranged by Macallum [Dr. A.B.] to talk about
 the relation between the Hospital the
 University. Osler had discussed with the
 hospital committee the fact that the
 university should have full control of its
 clinical facilities.

Although Sir William Osler was teaching and
 living in Oxford then, he continued to visit
 North America each year and to advise former
 students, colleagues and others about medical
 matters. He was offered the presidency of
 the University of Toronto in 1906 but he
 declined it. In 1908 the University and the
 new General Hospital signed an agreement by
 which "each of the clinical heads in the
 faculty of medicine at the University was to
 have a service in the hospital. All other
 appointments were to be made by the Board of
 Trustees of the Hospital only on nomination
 by a joint committee of the Board of
 Governors of the University and Board of
 Trustees of the Hospital."

63 Falconer, Robert Alexander, Sir, 1867-1943 and Sir
 James P. Whitney. Toronto, 22 and 23
 December 1909. T.L.S., A.L.S.

Correspondence concerning the annual concert
 of the University Glee Club to be held in
 February.

Falconer was president of the University of
 Toronto from 1907 to 1932 and Whitney was
 prime minister and president of the council
 of Ontario. He did much to support the
 University.

63 Wallace, W. Stewart (William Stewart), 1884-1970,
 to F.G. Ketcheson. Toronto, 2 February and
 17 March 1944. 2 T.L.S.

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(62) Referring to the Miles Macdonnell diary which belongs to Ketcheson, Wallace writes that he has made a copy and asks him to compare the handwriting in it with that of other Macdonnell documents which he owns. Wallace plans to publish the diary in Transactions of the Royal Society of Canada.

Wallace, a librarian and historian was librarian of the University of Toronto from 1923 to 1954, and president of the Champlain Society from 1943 to 1947. Fred G. Ketcheson was a collector of Canadian books, pamphlets, broadsides, especially pre-1867. Miles Macdonell, 1769-1828, was the first governor of Assinibonia and a controversial figure in the history of the Red River Colony.

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- Item 32 Montmorency Mills, Montmorency, Quebec. Daybook, 9 April 1883-23 May 1884. [Montmorency] 1883-84. 985 p.
 Printed by "J. Durie & Son, Booksellers & Stationers, Sparks St., Ottawa, Ont."
 Gives description of debit/credit entries, pp. 1-66. Contains also Register of births, baptisms for Sault Montmorency Village, 1909-32. pp. 86-90.
- Item 33 Montmorency Mills, Montmorency, Quebec. Journal, Quebec, 4 December 1809-11. [Montmorency] 1809-11. 1 vol. (unpaged)
 Printed by "John Williams, Patent Acct. Book Manufacturer & Stationer to the Royal Family Public Offices, 20 Cornhill, London. Dated Dec. 1806."
 Contains journal entries, pp. [1-270] for various kinds of lumber sold as well as lumber shipped in 1810 on consignment to London, and iron shipped to Quebec.
 Montmorency Mills Stock Book, 1876-84 is Item 19.
- Item 34 Traité historique des opinions des anciens sur le monde général et sur la terre et les homes en particulier. 416 [1] p.

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Title on spine: Dissertations.
 With book plate of C. Ver Heyden de Lancey.
 Inscribed, Kathleen from C., 22 April 1955.

Documents

Box 8 George the third, by the grace of God of Great Britain, France and Ireland King. Defender of the Faith. To our loving subject James Sawers ... whereas for the division of our province of Lower Canada for the purpose of holding an assembly in the same our borough of William Henry aforesaid in the County of Richelieu is become intituled to chuse one burgess ... You we have nominated constituted and appointed ... to be our returning officer ... the fifteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-two ... A.C.

Signed with seal attached; some words are illegible. At head of document: Alured Clarke. In same hand as A.C.

Fiat appointing James Sawers to be returning officer for the choosing of a representative for the borough of William Henry to the first legislature in Lower Canada (1792).

Province of Upper-Canada. George the fourth, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith ... do give and grant unto Bartholomew Gullino ... gentleman, late a lieutenant in his Majesty's Italian levy ... all that parcel or tract of land situate in the township of Bathurst ... this seventeenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one ... PM.

Signed, with seal attached, dated 31 December 1821. Printed form, completed in pen and ink. Faded.

At head of document: P. Maitland. In same hand as PM. Grant to Bartholomew Gullino, 17 December 1821.

This Indenture, made the fourteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three at Perth ... between Joseph

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Couvion and Robert Fletcher ... that the said Joseph Couvion for and in consideration of the sum of fifty pounds of lawful money ... paid by the said Robert Fletcher ... hath granted, bargained, sold ... unto the said Robert Fletcher ... that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate ... in the township of Bathurst ...

Printed by Wm. Gray, Montreal. Completed in pen and ink. Signed and sealed.

Deed of sale between Joseph Couvion and Robert Fletcher, 14 April 1823.

Province of Upper-Canada. George the fourth by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland ... do give and grant unto John Brash ... that parcel or tract of land, situate in the township of Burgess ... this twelfth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four ... PM

Signed, with seal attached, dated April 12, 1824. Printed form. Completed and signed in pen and ink.

At head of document: P. Maitland. In same hand as PM. Grant to John Brash, 12 April 1824.

Mapcase Upper Canada. George the fourth by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland. King. Defender of the Faith. To whom it may concern. Know ye that we of our especial grace certain knowledge and mere motion have given and granted and by these presents do give and grant unto Christopher James Bell ... Alexander McMillan ... Josias Taylor ... Charles William Sache ... all that parcel or tract of land situate in the Town of Perth ... this seventeenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven ... P.M.

Signed and dated, 24 July 1827. At head of document: P. Maitland. In same hand as P.M. Grant of land in the town of Perth to Christopher James Bell, Alexander McMillan, Josias Taylor and Charles William Sache, 17 July 1827. Manuscript.

Morris Family Documents

Other Morris Family Papers are in Boxes 1, 7, 10, 16, 26.

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Province of Upper-Canada. George the fourth by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, ... do give and grant unto William Morris of the Town of Perth ... all that parcel or tract of land situate in the township Ramsay ... this twenty-fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five PM.

Signed, 24 March 1825. Printed document, completed in pen and ink. At head of document: P. Maitland. In same hand as PM. Grant to William Morris, 24 March 1825.

To all to whom these presents shall come I John Stuart Esquire Sheriff of the District of Johnstown in the Province of Upper Canada ... a certain writ of execution of our Lord the King was sent ... at the suit of Samuel Purdie against the lands and tenements of Galbraith James Joynt ... on the twenty-second day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six ... James Morris of Elizabethtown aforesaid esquire became the purchaser thereof being the best and highest bidder ... 2 leaves.

Signed and sealed. Manuscript in pen and ink.

Deed from John Stuart to James Morris.

On verso: I hereby certify that a Memorial of the within deed was registered ... Andw Patton, Registrar.

This Indenture made the twenty-eighth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine between the Reverend Michael Harris, ... James Hamilton Powell ... George Thew Burke ... and William Morris ... the tract or parcel of land hereinafter described ... 3 leaves.

Signed and sealed. Manuscript in pen and ink.

Deed of bargain and sale from Michael Harris, James Hamilton Powell and George Thew Burke to William Morris, 28 July 1829.

On verso: I hereby certify that a Memorial of the within deed was registered ... Alex McMillan.

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8 This Indenture made the seventh day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five ... between the Reverend Michael Harris ... Mary Harris ... and William Morris ... that certain parcel or tract of land and premises

...
 Signed and sealed. Printed document,
 completed in manuscript.
 Deed from Michael Harris and Mary Harris to William Morris.
 On verso: A Memorial of this deed is registered ... E. Benton.

This Indenture, made the twelfth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven between Guy E. Shuk ... Mary Shuk ... and William Morris ... that certain parcel or tract of land and premises ...

Signed and sealed. Printed document,
 completed in manuscript.
 Deed of bargain and sale from Guy E. Shuk and Mary Shuk alias Granby to William Morris.
 On verso: Eastern District to wit: Be it remembered that on the twelfth day of May ... one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven before us Alexander McKenzie and Alexander Fraser ... Justices of the Peace personally appeared ... Mary Shuk ... to give her consents ...

Received of the within named William Morris the sum of fifty pounds ...
 I hereby certify ... the memorial produced for registry of the within indenture ... John Dolsen. Manuscript.

This Indenture made the seventh ... day of February ... in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty between William Lee and Charles Stuart Murray ... Sir Allan Napier McNab ... Benjamin Thorne ... John Barwick ... John Radenhurst ... Thomas Gibbs Rideout ... John Ross ... John Solomon Cartwright ... William Morris ... by a certain indenture of bargain and sale ... certain parcels or tracts of land and premises ... numbered littered and designated ...

Signed and sealed. Manuscript.

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On verso: Bargain & sale, W. Lee and C.S. Murray to the Honble W. Morris Esq. of certain lands in the Town of Hamilton Gore Dt. Dated 7 Feby. 1840. I certify that on the eleventh day of April 1840 ... the memorial of the written indenture produced for registry ... David Burn. Manuscript.

Box 10

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Jones, Ormond, Brockville, to William Morris, 17 November 1843. A.L.S. Folder 2 p.

On behalf of the Johnstown District inhabitants expresses appreciation to Morris for his "able and patriotic conduct, especially during the present session of the Legislative Council in supporting the character and independence of that body, and in maintaining unimpaired the just rights of our fellow subjects of all classes in Upper Canada." Invites Morris to a public dinner on day convenient for him. Signed by Jones and five others.

With Morris's holograph draft reply, suggesting Thursday, November 30 for the dinner. On p. 3 of folder.

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Morris Family Papers

Collection of seven documents relating to William Morris's military career includes his commissions as ensign and major, two letters considering his requests for other documents, and notes for and a typescript account of his participation in the War of 1812 written by his grandson Edmund Morris. Morris Family Papers are also in Boxes 7, 8, 10, 16, 26.

Isaac Brock esquire, president, administering the Government of the Province of Upper Canada, and Major General commanding his Majesty's forces therein ... to William Morris gentleman ... I do hereby appoint you to be ensign in the first regiment of Leeds Militia ... given under my hand and seal at arms at York this thirtieth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve ... I. Brock.

Signed by Isaac Brock, M.G. & President.
Sealed.
Printed form completed in pen and ink.. 1
leaf

Document commissions Morris to be ensign in the first regiment of the Leeds Militia, 30 June 1812. Isaac Brock (1769-1812) who signed it was major general, president and administrator of Upper Canada in 1812. During the battle at Queenston Heights he was mortally wounded.

Sir Peregrine Maitland, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Upper Canada ... to William Morris, esquire ... I do hereby appoint you to be major in the Second Regiment of Carleton Militia ... given under my hand and office seal at arms, at York this first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty one ...P. Maitland.

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Box 35 (Cont'd) Morris family papers

Signed by P. Maitland. Sealed.
 Printed form on folded sheet, completed in
 pen and ink.

Document commissions William Morris to be
 major in the second regiment of Carleton
 Militia, 1 August 1821. Peregrine Maitland
 (1777-1854) was then Lieutenant Governor of
 Upper Canada (1815-1825).

Bullock, Richard, to William Morris, Montreal.
 Kingston, 28 Feb. 1845. A.L.S. folder.
 3 p.
 Writes that he is unable to find the
 documents Morris requested, but found his
 letter of resignation, a copy of which he is
 enclosing. With copy in pen and ink.
 folder. Manuscript notes on p.4 copied and
 signed by Bullock.

Richard Bullock (fl 1799-1853) was appointed
 adjutant general in 1837 of the Upper Canada
 militia.

Macdonell, D., to William Morris. Toronto, 31
 Jan. 1851. A.L.S. 2 p.
 Writes that he is unable to find the copies
 which Morris wishes to have, but has found an
 extract of the dispatch from Lord Bathurst to
 Sir Gordon Drummond in 1815; mentions the
 disappointment of those who ask about medals
 for Queenston and Lundys Lane.

Donald Macdonell (1778-1861) was deputy
 adjutant general of militia for Upper Canada
 from 1846 to 1861. During the War of 1812 he
 had been captain and then lieutenant-colonel
 of the 2nd Regiment of Glengarry Militia and
 assistant quartermaster-general of militia
 for the Midland District. He took part in
 the attack on Ogdensburg in October 1812 and
 in its capture in February 1813 by the force
 led by Colonel George Macdonell.

Morris, Edmund. "Memo re War 1812." 4 leaves.
 Holograph.

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Morris, Edmund. "The Honourable William Morris and the War of 1812-13 in Upper Canada." 2 leaves pasted on sheet. Typescript signed with holograph corrections and additions.

Edmund Morris (1871-1913) was the youngest son of Alexander Morris (1826-1889) and the grandson of William Morris (1786-1858). He was an artist and author.

Box 35 Ketcheson Papers

A collection of letters and other papers from Margaret Oldenburg, St. Paul, Minnesota, to Fred G. Ketcheson, a Toronto bookseller and collector. Includes three holograph letters, one typed letter and manuscript notes, 1948-49. All concern books that she is ordering from Ketcheson, and refer to her collection of books, her travels, especially in northern Canada, and her other interests. Other Ketcheson papers are in Box 10.

1948, 22 Nov. A.L.S. Lists books from Ketcheson Catalogue 11 that Oldenburg wishes to buy. With invoice for books.

17 Dec. A.L.S. Writes about her book collecting and her other activities. With envelope.

1949, 8 Jan. A.L.S. Comments on his letter and thanks him for the last parcel of books, and is sending the newspapers that she promised. With "The MidDay Moon," vol. 1, no.2 [1943?] 1 p., typescript and pencil. [Published by Mrs. Sidgwick, Tuktuk]; envelope; and "The Midnite Sun," vol. 1, no. 1-5. 1942. [Edited by Pauline & Anne Audinko, Aklavik] mimeographed.

9 Feb. T.L.S. Gives the address for books to be sent to Dorothy Robinson "Tuktoyaktuk, via Aklavik, N.W.T."

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Boxes
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Collection of six volumes of manuscript copies of letters from the Indian agents or inspectors at Deseronto, Tyendinaga Reserve, Marysville, and Belleville, written between 1895 and 1910 mainly to the Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs, or his successor. Some letters are to former residents at Tyendinaga. The copies of letters, reports of the reservation, financial reports, and replies by the deputy superintendent to some letters are also included. An alphabetical index is in each volume. Deseronto, a community named after a Mohawk chief, Captain John Deserontyon (1740?-1811), is about twenty-five miles west of Kingston near Bay of Quinte on Lake Ontario and near the Tyendinaga Reserve. The letter books for this reserve are not listed in Records Relating to Indian Affairs RG 10) published by the Public Records Division of the Public Archives, Canada, 1975 in its General Inventory Series.

Box 36

Letter Book, 2 August 1893 to 5 July 1895. Copies of letters, reports, financial statements, with replies to some letters from the Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs (Hayter Reed) laid in. Most of the copies are signed by W.G. Egar, Indian Agent, Deseronto.

Box 37

Letter Book, 11 April 1895 to 28 January 1897. Leaf of instructions to the Agent, 9 December 1893 is laid in. Includes copies of letters, copies of deeds, agreements, reports including those for schools, accounts from A. Dingman, 11 April to 9 May, IIA & R (Inspector, Indian Agencies and Reserves) and W.G. Egar, Indian Agent, 19 May to 28 January.

Box 38

Letter Book, 30 January 1897 to 14 April 1899. Contains copies of letters, accounts, reports of school and of council meetings from W.G. Egar, Indian Agent, mainly to Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs. Includes some typed carbon copies, p. 162-170. 1 September 1898 to 14 April 1899 George Anderson signed as Indian Agent, Tyendinaga Reserve, Marysville.

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- Box 39 Letter Book, 11 September 1900 to 14 May 1902. Contains copies of letters to Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs, accounts of meetings at Council House, accounts, rents collected, sale of lots, signed by George Anderson, Indian Agent, Marysville.
- Box 40 Letter Book, 7 December 1905 to 8 August 1907. Includes copies of letters, accounts, reports from William R. Aylsworth, Agent, Belleville, to J.D. McLean, Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs. Some pages are annotated in pencil, and initialled WRA.
- Box 41 Letter Book, 7 August 1907 to 27 April 1910. Includes copies of letters, accounts, reports signed by William R. Aylsworth, Belleville to 14 February 1908. Some notes are added in pencil, and some pages are inserted; for example, p. 112 typed copy inserted with manuscript copy, from 5 March, 1908 to 20 April 1908 copies signed by J.G. Ramsden, Inspector and IIA & R (Inspector, Indian Agencies and Reserves), from 2 June 1908 to 27 April 1910 copies signed by J.B. Stainton, Deseronto.

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- Box Murray, James, 1721-1794
 42 [Note] Exchange for £200. sterling, Quebec, 17 Aug. 1765 ... to Etienne Charest or order the sum of two hundred pounds sterling ... J.A. Murray.
 1 leaf.
- Manuscript in pen and ink, signed.
 Verso: Payé à l'ordre de Monsieur Daniel Vialars ... à Quebec 20 aout 1765.
 Charest.

2 Pardevant le temoin soussigné: fut présent Louis Guimond lequel s'engage à la Compagnie du Nord-Ouest, pour hyverner à Lac La Pluie ... pour la somme de cinq cens livres argent ... Promettant de se conformer aux coutumes ordinaires

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du voyage ... Fait au Grand Portage, le 17 de
 juillet 1794 ... Louis Guimond sa marque

Broadside. Printed, completed and signed in
 pen and ink.

Contract between the North West Company
 and Louis Guimond, a voyageur, for
 Guimond's wintering "hyverner" at Lac La
 Pluie, a trading post in northwestern
 Ontario built by the Company in 1770.
 It is near today's Fort Frances.

- 3 Pardevant les temoins soussignes, fut présent J.B.
 Roussin ... Mr. Alex. Mackenzie & Mons. Daniel
 Sutherland ... acceptant pour la dite compagnie,
 pour hyverner pendant trois anneés dans les
 dependances de La Rivière Rouge ... le dit Roussin
 s'oblige & promet de se conformer aux coutumes
 ordinaires du voyage ... la somme de dix cent
 livres argent du Grand Portage ... Fait & passé à
 Grand Portage l'an mil huit cent an le vingt-deux
 de juillet ... Jean Baptiste Roussin x sa marque.
 Témoins. Thomas Thain, Angus Bethune.

Broadside. Printed, completed and signed in
 pen and ink.

Contract between Alexander Mackenzie, 1764-
 1820, one of the partners in the North West
 Company; Daniel Sutherland, 1756-1832, also a
 partner in the North West Company and later
 its Montreal agent; and Jean Baptiste
 Roussin, a voyageur, for Roussin's wintering
 for three years at Red River, one of the
 Company's trading posts.

Four documents concerning Simeon Washburn (son of
 Ebenezer Washburn, 1756-1826, a Loyalist and early
 settler in Prince Edward County, Ontario).
 Additional documents and papers for the Washburn
 Family in Box 17.

Recieved of Mr. Simeon Washburn of Hallowell the
 sum of five pounds ... capital stock in the
 Commercial Bank of the Midland District, U.C.
 Kingston, 16th Sept. 1833 ...

Broadside.

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Receipt, printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

No. 62. Simeon Washburn is entitled to three shares of twenty five pounds each, in the bay and river steam boat, ... Kingston 21 day of July 1834 ... Steamer Comodore Barrie.

Broadside.

Certificate for shares, printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

Kingston, 3d Dec. 1839. Received from S. Washburn Esq. the sum of seven pounds ten shillings ... three shares in the steam boat now building ... by the stockholders of the Sir James Kempt steamer ... 13th August, 1838 ...

Broadside.

Certificate for shares, printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

Scrip: 87. Declaring Mr. Simeon Washburn of Picton the owner of one share of the steam boat now building ... Receipts for the several payments to be written on the back of the Scrip. Kingston, 27th January, 1842 ...

Broadside.

Printed note, completed in pen and ink, with manuscript statement, signed and dated 8 May 1843, on right margin of text.

Verso has signed and dated statements of installments paid, in pen and ink.

City Bank, Montreal, Exchange for £100.00, 17 June 1854. Sixty days after sight of this second exchange ... Pay to the order of F. Macculloch, Cashier ...

Broadside.

Bank note, printed, completed and signed in pen and ink. Printed by: Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson, New York.

Verso has signature of Macculloch.

City Bank, Montreal, Exchange for £100 stg. 26 Janry 1859. Sixty Days after sight of this second of exchange ... Pay to F. Macculloch Cashier ...

Broadside.

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Bank note, printed, completed and signed in pen and ink. Printed by: Toppan, Carpenter, Casilear & Co., Montreal.
 Verso has signature.

Post Office, Montreal, the 7 Aug. 1854. Money letters, No. Letters for St. Timothee ...
 Postmaster Receiving.

Broadside.

Printed, and partially completed in pen and ink.

Collins, Wilkie, 1824-1889

To Messrs Hunter Rose & Co. [Toronto]

London, Nov. 18, 1871.

ALS. Folder, 3 p.

Hopes that addressee has received the proof and duplicate of his Christmas story, "Miss or Mrs"; encloses leaves from Cassell's Magazine that mention "an absurd mistake of mine--which represents a servant as being in two places at once!"; asks them to let him know that correction has arrived safely.

Collins was an English novelist (Woman in White) and short story writer whose stories were also published in Canadian magazines such as the Canadian Monthly, which was first printed by Hunter Rose. "Miss or Mrs" is not listed in Canadian Monthly's index. Its first place and date of publication are given as Graphic, 1873 (The New Cambridge Bibliography of English Literature).

Two letters to Canniff Haight, 1825-1901, author and barrister:

Montizambert, Edward Lewis, 1811-1882

To [Canniff Haight. Toronto]

Cacouna, Quebec. June 25, 1881.

ALS. Folder, 1 p.

Has read addressee's article "Ontario Fifty Years Ago and Now" in the Canadian Monthly, but has noted an error on p. 556 which he points out, "on the principle of doing as I would be done by I write this ... the error

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having escaped your notice, and of its being in your power to have it corrected."

Montizambert was a lawyer and clerk of the Senate.

Ryerson, George Ansel Sterline, 1854-1925.
 To Canniff Haight [Toronto]
 Toronto. Sept. 15, 1897.
 ALS. 1 leaf.

Expresses pleasure at addressee's being able to read his paper, "Before the Coming of the Loyalists" at the next meeting.

Written on stationery with letterhead: The United Empire Loyalists' Association of Ontario.

Ryerson was an author, physician, a founder of the Canadian Red Cross Society, and president of The United Empire Loyalists' Association, 1896 to 1898.
 Canniff Haight also wrote about the Loyalists.

Two letters to Haight & Co.:
 Huard, Victor Alphonse, 1853-1929
 To Messrs. Haight & Co., Toronto.
 Chicoutimi, Mar. 30, 1899.
 ALS. 1 leaf.

Is sending him a copy of his book, Labrador et Anticosti; outlines the contents, gives the cost and the trade discount.

Huard, priest and author, also edited La Semaine religieuse and Le Naturaliste canadien.
 Haight & Co. published Canadian Catalogue of Books edited by Willet Ricketson Haight, son of Canniff Haight.

King, William Lyon Mackenzie, 1874-1950
 To Messrs. Haight & Co., Toronto.
 Ottawa, Mar. 29, 1901.
 TLS, 1 leaf.

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Writes that the Department of Labour has no publications earlier than September 1900 as the department was only created a year ago.

On stationery with letterhead: Department of Labour.

King, who later became Prime Minister of Canada, was Deputy of Minister of Labour from 1900 to 1909.

Smith, Goldwin, 1823-1910

To Mr. Bowen.

[s.1] Monday [186? -]

ALS. Folder, 1 leaf.

Has sent addressee his article; the proof can be sent to him at the hotel.

On stationery with letterhead: The New Rudolf, Atlantic City.

Smith, author, journalist and teacher, lived in the United States from 1868 to 1871, and contributed articles to magazines such as Atlantic Monthly, Fortnightly Review, and North American Review.

Francis Bowen, 1811-1890, was editor of the North American Review from 1843 to about 1853 (Dictionary of American Biography) No articles by Smith were found in the index from 1843 to 1863.

Parkman, Francis, 1788-1852

To Sir.

Boston, May 12, 1835.

NS. Folder, 1 leaf.

Printed announcement, completed and signed in pen and ink, for annual meeting of the Massachusetts Congregational Charitable Society.

Verso of folder in pen and ink: Rev. Dr. Jenky.

Parkman, author of religious tracts and sermons, and father of the historian, Francis Parkman, was the clergyman for thirty-six years of the New North Church in Boston.

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Parkman, Francis, 1823-1893.

To My dear Sir.

Boston, July 21, [184?-]

ALS. 1 leaf.

Thanks addressee for the papers which he sent
 and encloses the payment for them.

Ermatinger, Charles Oakes Zaccheus, 1851-1921

To A.C. Casselman, Toronto.

St. Thomas, May 17, 1902.

ALS, 1 leaf.

Apologizes for not having answered his letter
 earlier and writes that he is not competent
 "as a non-military man" to judge Proctor's
 conduct at Moraviantown; encloses an order
 for a copy of addressee's work to be sent
 after Nov. 1.

Ermatinger, a judge in Elgin County and
 author of law texts.

Alexander Clark Casselman, 1852-1940, editor
 of Richardson's War of 1812 (1902) and author
 of book on Moraviantown, a small mission
 destroyed in the War of 1812 during the
 battle in which Tecumseh was killed, and
 Major General Henry Proctor was defeated
 (1813) and later court-martialled. (Canadian
 Encyclopedia)

"Yacht Aileen 1891".

[Toronto] 1891-95.

377 p.

Cover title.

Manuscript, in different hands.

Text: pp. 2-63. Lacks pp. 169-170, 181-182,
 215- 240, 265-266, 269-280, 311-356, 363-376.

Log of cruises on Lake Ontario, with signatures of
 captain and crew, mainly between Toronto and
 Cobourg, 1891 to 1895.

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Gives accounts of cruises in 1892; outlines land excursions, describes cruises from Toronto to Cobourg, Belleville, Kingston, Alexandra Bay, Brockville, and return; contain contemporary clippings.

Irvine, James, 1766-1829

To Nathaniel Atcheson, London. Quebec, 1 May 1810.

A.L. 2 folders (copy)

Refers to Atcheson's letters of April 10 and 22, and December. Writes at length about the customs duties for the Colonies. "Signed" also by John Richardson (c1754-1831), Montreal.

Irvine, a Quebec businessman, Justice of the Peace, militia officer, office holder, and politician, was chairman of the Quebec Committee of Trade, from 1809 to 1822, a member of the Executive Council from 1808-1822, and a member of the Legislative Council from 1810-1814.

Richardson, a Montreal businessman, Justice of the Peace, militia officer, office holder, and politician was chairman in 1810 of the Montreal Committee of Trade, a shorter lived committee than its Quebec counterpart. From 1809 to 1812 he was also head of a colonial lobby which got the British parliament to prohibit inland importation from the United States of foreign products

Atcheson was Secretary to the Committee of Merchants Trading to British North America.

Argyll, George Douglas Campbell, Duke of, 1823-1900

To William Morris, London.

London, 1851.

ALS, ANS, 3 AN.

Thanks Morris for his letter, and looks forward to seeing him and to hearing his views; the notes confirm appointments with Morris.

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Morris (1786-1858) returned to London in 1851 to petition the Colonial Office on behalf of the Presbyterian Church of Canada to defend the Church's share of the clergy reserves. Morris was supported by clergy in the House of Lords and politicians in the House of Commons, but his proposal was shelved. (Dictionary of Canadian Biography, vol. 8, p. 641) See Boxes 7, 8, 10, 16, 26, 35 for other Morris papers.

James, William T., 1861-
"Afloat once more (or, the Viking's collapse)".
3 leaves.

Holograph manuscript, ink. Signed.
With author's address in manuscript.
Not in his Rhymes afloat and afield.
Toronto, 1891.

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Box
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Je confaise avoir reçu de Monsieur Peuvret, la
somme de dix livres pour les barbe de Monsieur
du meme de l'annee derniere. Fait a Quebec le
9.3 juillet 1697. Henry Bélisle.

1 leaf.

Manuscript in pen and ink, signed.

Verso: Billet de Belisle.

Pepperrell, William, to Captain John Corling,
Kittery, Aug. 3, 1719. ANS. 1 leaf.
Instructs him to deliver cloths for which he
will pay the passage on demand.

Boston March 27, 1758, Rec'd of Tho Hannock ...
7.12.8. W^m Pepperrell.

1 leaf.

Manuscript in pen and ink, signed.

"Je tiens quitte envers les Jesuites du
College de Quebec la veuve de Nicolas Huppe
de tout lens et rente des terres quil tiens
des dit Jesuites dans le fief de Notre Dame
des Anges pour l'annee 1783. A Quebec 25 [o]bre
1783 J.J. Casot. procr."

1 leaf.

Manuscript in pen and ink, signed.

Mapcase

This indenture made the eleventh day of November
one thousand seven hundred & eighty nine between
Archelaus Smith ... and Stephen Skinner ... Thomas
Smith ... did grant, bargain ... to ... Archelaus
Smith ... all his whole right of title, ... lands
& meadow ... in the township of Barrington ... now
this indenture witnesseth that the said Archelaus
Smith for ... sum of twenty pounds ... paid by the
said Stephen Skinner ... signed, sealed &
delivered ... Sam Marshall, Dorothy Hulet ...
Archelaus Smith.

Verso: Be it remembered that on the thirteenth day
of November 1789 Samuel Marshall ... appeared
before Gregory Springhall [sic] one of his

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Mapcase majesties justices of the peace ... Sworn before me Gregory Springall ... Sam Marshall.
 In another hand: Archelaus Smith to Stephen Smith release ... Nova Scotia, Shelburne. This is to certify that ... deed was registered ... fourteenth day of November 1789 ... In another hand: Recd this 11th November 1789 twenty pounds ... Archelaus Smith.]
 Signed and sealed. Manuscript.

Box 43 Dr. W. Ebenezer Washburn in acct with A. Maclean Cr. ... Kingston 19 Jan 1804.
 Verso: Allen McLeans act and papers ... 19th Jany 1804.
 Folder, 2 leaves. Manuscript.

No. 926. One pound sterling. 1820. Hudsons Bay Company. Promise to pay the bearer ... one pound sterlg. at York Factory in Ruperts Land ... London the 4th day of May 1820 ... John Symth, secretary. Issued at York Factory, the 7th day of June 1821 by Wm. Williams, governor ...
 Broadside.
 Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

Know all men by these presents that I Benjamin Medaugh of Stamford in the district of Niagara and province of Upper Canada ..., am held and firmly bound unto Thomas Clark and Samuel Street of Stamford, aforesaid, merchants trading under the firm of Clark and Street in the sum of ninety one pounds one shilling lawful money of Upper Canada ... tenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty four
 Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of David W. Charteris, Jas. B. Ewart.
 Broadside.
 Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

No. 27 Simeon Washburn, Esq., is entitled to three shares of twenty five pounds each in the Bay and River Steam Boat... dated the 22nd day of Decem. 1827. David John Smith.
 Broadside.
 Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.
 Verso: Received October 1823 from Mr. Simeon Washburn ... David John Smith.
 Manuscript, in pen and ink.

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Upper Town Election, Quebec. Public dinner to Andrew Stuart Esquire, the constitutional candidate, on Monday, 17th November, 1838... R.H. Gairdner, Secretary of the Committee... Broadside.
 Signed in pen and ink.

Box 8

This indenture made the second day of July ... one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six ... between William Nelles, Daniel Palmer, George A. Ball, Henry Smith and Harmon Henry, freeholders of the first riding of the county of Lincoln of the one part and Henry Nelles returning officer ... of the other part: Witnesseth ... the twenty-eighth day of May ... We, the said ... have chosen Richard Woodruff Esq. of the township of Niagara of the village of St. Davids in the district of Niagara to be member ... in the Assembly to be holden on the sixteenth day of July ... at Toronto... In witness signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of John Adolphus Nelles, John Miller Camp.

Broadside.

Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

Shipped in good order and condition by John Bibby, & Co. Liverpool in .. the good ship ... Glasgow ... bound for Montreal, eleven packages merchandise ... to be delivered ... at the aforesaid port of Montreal ... unto Mr. John Auld or to his assigns ... there shillings per ton of forty cubic feet and five per cent primage ... Dated in Liverpool this 23 day of March 1837. Contents unknown to Gavin Binns.

Broadside.

Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

Calendar of prisoners for trial at the fall assizes at Woodstock for the County of Oxford to be holden on Monday the 27th day of October, 1837. ...Signed James Carrall, Sheriff C.O.
 Verso: Calendar of prisoners for trial ... 27th Oct. 1837.

Folder, 2 leaves. Manuscript.

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Shipped in good order and condition, by Alan Ker & Co, of Greenock, agents for Messrs. James Edmond & Co., Esqr. in the good ship ... Canada bound for Montreal, one parcel merchandize ... to be delivered ... at the port of Montreal ... unto John Auld, esqr, or to his assigns, shippers paying freight ... at the rate of three shillings & six pence in full. Dated in Greenock, 31st July 1838. Bryce Allan.

Broadside

Printed and completed in pen and ink.

Shipped in good order and condition, by John Bibby, & Co. Liverpool in ... the good ship ... Robertson ... bound for Montreal, four bales merchandise, added 28th Augt. one bale merchandise ... to be delivered ... at the aforesaid port of Montreal ... unto Mr. John Auld or to his assigns, ... there per ton of forty cubic feet and five per cent primage ... Dated in Liverpool this 23 day of Augt. 1838. Contents unknown to John Neill.

Broadside.

Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

Shipped in good order and well condition by John Urie, of Glasgow, for Messrs, James Edmond & Co., in ... the good Ship ... Bellona whereof James Wyllie is master ... bound for Montreal to say one box and one bale ... to be delivered ... at the ... port of Montreal ... unto John Auld, Esqre or to his assigns shipper paying freight ... at the rate of nine pence per foot ... Dated at Glasgow this 2nd day of April 1839. Contents unknown. James Wyllie.

Broadside.

Printed and completed in pen and ink.

Kirkpatrick, Thomas, 1805-1870, Kingston, to S. Washburn. 25 Feby 1840. ALS. Folder. 1 leaf.
 Verso: 25 Feby 1840 Thos Kirkpatrick's letter to pay ... steam boat.

Advises him that he will be required to pay on each of the underwritten days an instalment on the stock held by him in the steamboat "Henry Gildersleeve".

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Received from S. Washburn Esq. the sum of seventy-two pounds ten shillings being 3rd, 4th & 5th instalments on three shares in the steamboat "Henry Gildersleeve" built by the stockholders of the Sir James Kempt steamer ...

Broadside.

Printed and completed in pen and ink.

Dated: Kingston, 7th July 1840. Signed: Tho. Kirkpatrick.

By his excellency the Right Honourable Sir Charles Bagot ...whereas Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to authorise me to grant licenses for the solemnization of marriages: and whereas Alexander Hamilton, of the city of Toronto ... and Rebecca Kent, of the township of Esquesing in the district of Gore ... are determined to enter into the Holy Banns of Matrimony ... this thirteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty two: Charles Bagot.

Broadside

Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

City Bank, Montreal. Exchange for f200.00, 28 Jany, 1847. Sixty days after sight of this second exchange... Pay to the order of D.P. Ross, esq. ... John Frothingham, President.

Broadside.

Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

Printed by Rawdon, Wright, Hatch, New York.

Verso: Pay to Mr. E.W. Auld ... D.P. Ross.

Mapcase

This Indenture made the ninth ... August in the year .. one thousand eight hundred and forty five between Sir Allan Napier Macnab ... and Dame Mary his wife ... to the Honble Robert Dickson ... hath given, granted bargained, sold, ... that certain parcel of land ... in the township of Barton in the County of Wentworth, ... Allan McNab and Mary Macnab. Signed, sealed ... A.M. Stuart.

Broadside.

Printed and completed in pen and ink.

Verso: A Memorial of the within indenture is recorded ... thirteenth day of June AD 1848 ... John Kirby Dept Regis.

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Prayer-book and Homily Society. 18, Salisbury Square, London, 15th July 1858 ... for the sum of fifty pounds per Mr. Thos. Seaward, being a further payment of the legacy of the late Major Christie... Frank Marche, Treasurer. To Wm McGinnis Esq ...

Broadside.

Printed, completed and signed in pen and ink.

Duplicate of return for each candidate. By virtue of a writ of election ... East Toronto ... thirtieth day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight ... declare the honorable Alexander Morris duly returned ... Fred W. Jarvis Returning Officer.

Broadside.

Printed and completed in pen and ink.

The Lord's Prayer in Arabic ... priest Flavianus of the order of St. Basile on Mt. Lebenon [sic], Syria of the Convent of Saint John the Baptist ...

1 leaf.

Manuscript, in pen and ink.

Cline Family Tree. Cornwall, Ont., 1913.

3 leaves, typescript (carbon copy).

Ainsworth, William Harrison, 1805-1882, London, to Sir. 20 June, 1844. ALS. 1 leaf.

Is happy to comply with request for his autograph.

Bain, James, 1842-1908, Toronto, to Canniff Haight, 1825-1901. 17 Mar. 1898. ALS. Folder, 2 leaves.

Encloses a copy of Donlands' declaration, and of a letter to Hill who is at the Chicago Public Library. Regrets that since Poole's death, he does not know anyone in the Newberry. "Chicago has a wonderful start in libraries and museums and if it were not for the people & climate it would be a grand place to live."

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Box 43 Bain, James (Cont'd)

Tried to buy loyalist books at book fairs in Boston and New York, but demand was so great that prices were beyond his reach. The Ontario government is striving to keep its footing, but it is hard work. A by-election or two may assist them, "but it looks as if their days were numbered."

Black, William, 1841-1898, Brighton, to James. 10 Jan. [18] ALS. Folder, 1 leaf.

Has only "(the promise of)" one ticket to the Toole Banquet, "but we can make up a proper party somehow." Has to be in London before that date if "this beastly thing" allows him, "(there's Routledge's dinner to Toole on the 19th.)"

Blackmore, Richard Doddridge, 1825-1900, Teddington, Middlesex, to Messrs. Hunter, Rose & Co., Toronto. 9 Feb. 1874. ALS. Folder, 1 leaf.

Thanks them for their kind letter, but Sampson, Low and Company has purchased the copyright of the story "now pending in Blackwood's Magazine". Has forwarded their letter to the company.

Brymner, Douglas, 1823-1902, Ottawa, to Historical Publishing Company. 19 April, 1901. ALS, 1 leaf.

Is ordering a copy of Richardson's War of 1812, of which the Archives has the 1842 original. Is induced to order it because of the portraits, maps, plans and views in this reprint. Points out an error in the spelling of a name, and indicates where book is to be sent.

Canniff, William, 1830-1910, Belleville, to Sir. 18 Jan. 1866. ALS. Folder, 3 leaves.

Is collecting information about the settlement by Loyalists of the upper St. Lawrence and the Bay of Quinte, and wishes to know what information on the topic is held by the department: the original and subsequent surveys, the names of the surveyors, and when the townships received their present names.

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Creswick, Thomas, 1811-1869, Bayswater, to William Rougier. 10 May 1865. ANS. 1 leaf.

Is unable to accept his invitation as he will be in the country on the twentieth.

Dibdin, Thomas Frognall, 1776-1847, London, to Robert Triphook, London. 31 Oct. ALS. Folder, 3 p.

Refers to his own earlier remarks about Mr. Heber's library, asks to borrow "Cobbett of last Saty", Panzer, and several volumes of the Histoire litteraire de la France, including the last volume published.

Du Chaillu, Paul Belloni, 1831-1903, New York, to Hart, Elmira, N.Y. 6 Jan. 1869. ALS. Folder, 1 p.

Is lecturing in Salem on the 7th and will take the evening train to Elmira on the 8th. Sent him today a box containing diagrams and paintings to illustrate the lecture.

Farrar, Frederic William, 1831-1903, to Sir, 17 Jan. ANS. Folder, 1 leaf.

Will try to write the article "amidst this whirl of engagements" but if addressee does not receive it by Monday can assume he had no time to write it.

Fields, James Thomas, 1816-1881, Boston, to George Lunt, 1803-1885. 30 May 1846. ALS. 1 leaf.

Praises enthusiastically addressee's poem which he had just seen for the first time. "Its march is worthy of Campbell and its spirit of our American patriot."

Galt, John, 1779-1839, London, to Alaric Alexander Watts, 1797-1864, London. 20 Sept, 1826. ALS. Folder, 3 p.

Apologises for the quality of the little sketch which he encloses. Plans to leave town on Tuesday and if the sketch is worth printing would like to see a proof of it before he leaves. Sends his regards to Mrs. Watts; fears he will not be able to call before he goes.

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Head, Francis Bond, Sir, 1793-1875, Oxenden, to Sir. 18 Jan. 1849. ANS. Folder, 2 p.

Approves of the wood cut of Stokers and Pokers, and asks him to send him some impressions on the drab cover with the seal printed in blue.

Page 2 has been trimmed too closely to be legible.

Hicks-Beach, Michael Edward, Sir, 1837-1916, London, to Sir. 9 July, [18]. ALS. Folder, 3 leaves.

Wishes to obtain information about the Constitution of Canada and has been enquiring among members of Parliament knowledgeable about the country. Lord Bury has said he could use his name in writing this letter. Seeks an interview next Monday which Mr. Ward-Hunt also wishes to attend and suggests meeting at the House of Commons at 5 p.m.

Howitt, William, 1792-1879, Nottingham, to William Johnson, 1786-1864, London. 2 July 1833. ALS. Folder, 3 p.

Thanks him for the friendly review of his book [Popular History of Priestcraft in All Ages and Nations] in the Monthly Repository. Confesses that the book only took him three months to write and so the reviewer will not wonder at its imperfections. Other British editors have reviewed it unfavourably. Regrets that he overlooked Selden in the proofs.

25 Inglis Ellice & Company, London, to Sir Alexander Mackenzie & Co., Montreal. 1818 and 1820. 2 ALS. Refer to previous correspondence and orders and invoices sent, and order received

Verso: Sir Alexander Mackenzie & Col, Montreal, Canada, Packet, with stamp on each ALS.

Irving, Henry, Sir, 1838-1905, London, to Madam. July 1882. ANS. 1 leaf.

Is pleased to comply with her request.

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Lytton, Edward Bulwer Lytton, Baron, 1803-1873, London, to Lady Combermere. Friday [186?].

ANS. 1 leaf.

Has received her invitations and will try to come on one of the days. Invites her to dinner next Wednesday to meet the historian Sir Archibald Alison.

McCarthy, Justin, 1830-1912, London, to Sir. 24 Mar. 1887. ANS. Folder, 1 leaf.

Apologizes for delay in replying to his letter, but has just returned from the United States.

McCaul, Charles Coursolles, To Uncle Clarkson. Macleod, Alberta, N.W.T., 30 Oct. 1885. ALS, 2 leaves.

Glad to hear that he thinks the sale is satisfactory. Feels there is money to be made in the horse business. Feels he ought to go to England and believes it would pay Clarkson to put up with his expenses. Could get first rate English references. Would be quite ready to go for his expenses, sale or no sale. Law business has been very successful this year. Asks if he would be a fool to give it up and start in Toronto.

Sir Allan MacNab requests the pleasure of Mr. W. Ryland's company to a dejeuner on the occasion of his daughter's marriage, on Tuesday the 17th inst, a 1 o'clock. The ceremony will take place at 11 o'clock at St. Mary's Cathedral. The 2nd of Sept. [1849] ANS.

MacNab, Allan Napier, Sir, 1798-1862, London, to George Herman Ryland, London, 3 June 1859. ALS. Folder, 4 p., with envelope.

States that addressee's information about the bonds is wrong and repeats what he had previously told him about the bonds and their interest. Is sending him the Engineers' Report to read.

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Paget, James, Sir, 1814-1899, Nice, to Lord Acton, 1834-1902. 16 Dec. 1881. ALS. Folder, 2 p.

Regrets that he was out when he called and is much better than when he left home. Hopes that he will call again and gives meal times.

Pownall, Thomas, 1722-1805, to George Chad[?] Fakenham, Norfolk. Bath, Dec. 6, 1787. ALS. Folder.

Writes about getting bills passed in Parliament such as that for regulating the assize and price of flour and asks about necessity of stamps for Will & Testament

Proctor, John James, 1838-1909, Quebec, to Messrs. Haight & Co., Toronto. 21 Apr. and 7 June 1897. 2 ALS.

Is sending a copy of his The Philosopher in the Clearing which has been favourably reviewed; gives the prices for single and multiple copies, and encloses copies of several reviews. Is sending two copies of his book as per order and at the price mentioned; can send additional copies.

Roberts, Charles George Douglas, Sir, 1860-1943, to Mr. Reade. Windsor, N.S., 7 May 1888. ALS.

Thanks him for his letter and is sorry to hear of his household troubles which he hopes have ended. Refers to addressee's support of his application at Queen's University and asks if he can influence any of the trustees to support him. Has been unable to get a copy of Orion but as soon as he does will send it.

Rogers, Samuel, 1763-1855, London, to Sir. 19 Feb. 1835. ALS. Folder, 2 p.

Thanks him for the honour given him in making "so very flattering a request" but he is unable to "obey your call".

Smith, Goldwin, 1823-1910, Toronto and Washington, to Hallam, John, b. 1833. 1890 and 1893. 2 ALS.

Hopes to call on him in a day or two to discuss the matter, and points out that any

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name chosen will have "the same adverse interestes, the same prejudices, ... to encounter". Offers his thanks, those of the St. George's Societies and of the public for his protest on behalf of English fair play.

Smith, Sydney, 1771-1845, London, to Messrs. Jeffreys, London. 11 Apr. 1834. ANS. Folder, 1 leaf.

Asks him to send them a copy of the Poor Laws Commission.

Smith, Thomas Barlow, 1839-1933, Windsor, N.S. Correspondence with the Carswell Company and the Historical Publishing Company. 1898-1902. 3 ALS.

Writes about their orders for his book Backward Glances which he will send. Gives the price for the book, the number of copies printed, and where it has been sent. Outlines the plot for his new book which will be available in the fall.

Sue, Eugene, 1804-1857, to Ma chere soeur. [ca 1848-1852]. ANS. 1 leaf.

Has been arrested along with some of his colleagues; tells her not to worry but to contact the wife of one of them, Madame Benoit and tell her that her husband has also been arrested; hopes to see her soon.

Box 10 Wallace, William Stewart, 1894-1970,
 461 to F.G. Ketcheson. Toronto, 23 Mar. 1944.
 TLS.

Thanks him for letter of previous day which pointed out that Wallace had omitted to look up the dates of Miles Macdonell's commission as Captain. Is quite satisfied that the diary was that of Miles Macdonell. Replies to an inquiry about Fort Major Donald Campbell. Has made good progress identifying various persons mentioned in the diary. Will show Ketcheson his notes upon completion, so that he will be able to fill in the gaps.

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Washburn, Simeon. Correspondence about an incident on 2 August in Picton. Aug., 1829. 2 ALS, 1 ANS.

Is informed that Anthony Merrill and Captain Faddy broke the Sabbath by bargaining for horses in the open street; Washburn summons Faddy to appear before him; complaint is withdrawn, verso of summons.

Watson, George D., Montreal, to Antoine Potelle, Three Rivers. 22 July 1852. ALS. 1 leaf.

Is writing him at Mrs. Wurtele's request to ask for the money due her as a result of the judgement obtained against Jonathan Wurtele in February. She needs the money to rebuild her property destroyed during the Montreal fire last year.

Watson, Samuel James, 1837-1881, Toronto, to Willett Ricketson Haight, 1855-1925. 22 June 1880. ANS. 1 leaf.

Is returning Hawley's Poems; asks him to deduct amount from his bill, send a new bill, and in future tell him the author's name.

Westall, Richard, 1765-1836, London, to John Norton, Bristol. 2 Mar. 1829. ALS. Folder, 3 p.

Writes that he has sent two pictures for his exhibition, describes them, and suggests that he hang "both the pictures even with the eye." Has published several prints which addressee's brother has offered to sell. Gives news about mutual friends.

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Box 53
 43 Pardevant les temoins soussignes sur présent
 Antoine LaCourse ... à Messr Alex McKenzie & Co
 John Ogilvy un des associes ... pour hyverner
 pendant un année ... retour à Montreal ... &
 moyennant la somme de cinque cent livres argent du
 Grand Portage ... Fait & passé à Lake Lapluie
 l'an mil huit cent un ... le quinze de juillet ...
 Signed Antoine LaCourse marquer, John Ogilvy.

1 leaf.

Printed form, completed in pen and ink.

In manuscript at bottom of leaf: He is to
 winter at last year's wintering ground. J.O.

Verso: Ant. Lacourse ... for Arabarka office
 at Montreal 19, manuscript in pen and ink.

John Ogilvy, ca 1769-1819, merchant and fur
 trader active in Montreal. In partnership
 with William Parker and Samuel Gerrard and
 known as Parker, Gerrard, Ogilvy and company
 and joined by Sir Alexander Mackenzie;
 reorganized as New North West Company; known
 after 1799 as XY Company. By 1802 Ogilvy and
 other traders had formed partnership within
 the New North West Company called Sir
 Alexander Mackenzie and Company.

Paper marked with Britannia.

Recapitulation of sundries furnished mess house
 summer 1810.

Folder, 3 pages.

Manuscript, in pen and ink.

Verso of p. 3: Sundries furnished the mess
 house summer 1810, manuscript in pen and ink.

Paper marked with Britannia, and C & S 1806.

July 26, 1823. 2 ft. 3 coffin covered with
 fine gray with double rows of nails ...
 taking of ground 2.2.10.

Victims like these have fallen in every age
 ... Lament their doom protect their orphans &
 erect their tomb.

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Here lie entered [sic] the mortal remains of Richmond Honey ... & of George Francis ... who were slain on the 14 august 1821 while attending the funeral procession of Caroline of Brunswick ... their respective trades interred them at their general expence on the 24 of the same month ... Richard Honey has left one female orphan; George Francis a widow & three young children.

Folder, 3 p.

Manuscript, in pen and ink.

Paper marked C. Wilmott 1820.

During the funeral procession of Caroline of Brunswick, wife of George IV, a riot broke out between the people and the Life Guards. Two of the men killed are the subject of this manuscript.

To the Councillors of the Niagara District in Council assembled. The petition of the inhabitants of Clinton ... the bridge over the twenty mile creek near Jeremiah Johnsons ... unfit for use ... beseech the honourable councillors to investigate the matter and appropriate a sum of money sufficient ... building a new bridge over the said stream ... We the subscribers do hereby represent ... that the bridge before mentioned is considered ... extremely dangerous and the act of passing over with a load a matter of irrepossibility. Signed Peter Brandt? and eleven others. 1842.

Folder, 1 leaf.

Verso: A report To the honourable councillors of the District of Niagara ... in the township of Clinton.

Manuscript in pen and ink. Signed in ink and pencil. Paper marked with Britannia, and Lumsden & Son 1842.

Box 44 Ketcheson, Fred G.
 Bibliographic notes, ca 1932?
 219 leaves
 Listing or title page transcription in
 holograph and typescript of his collection of

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Box 44 Ketcheson (Cont.)

Canadian books, almanacs, and periodicals, 1794-1841. Arranged chronologically. Fred G. Ketcheson, agency director for Quebec and eastern Ontario of the New York Life Insurance Company, was also a collector of Canadian books, pamphlets, almanacs, periodicals, and manuscripts, especially pre-1867.

Box 45 Printed material

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Box 46 Dont la Ville de Montreal A.Picard, charron.
 1826 Juillet 22. Pour un Diable ... Approve pour
 payement par le Commte 1 Aout 1826.

On verso:

13th Sept. 1826 Frans Lapierre to pay A. Picard
 for making a Diable Cart with small wheels for the
 Use of the City. f1.2.6 No. 49 Recu pour Jos.
 Picard le montant de ce compte Montreal 13 Sept
 1826. ...

Manuscript invoice in pen and ink.

London and Paris House 5 King Street East,
 Toronto. J.G. Joseph & Co. ... Mr. James Bain,
 Toronto, 14 July 1870. Oct. 8, 1869 To 1 E.P.
 Compass & Square ... Received Payment J.G. Joseph
 & Co. ...

Printed invoice completed and signed in pen
 and ink.

Larose, Wilfrid, 1863-1936.
 To Gentlemen.
 Montreal, May 10, 1899.
 1 ALS, Folder, 4 pages.

Encloses a copy of his book "Variétés
 Canadiennes" and a copy of "Le Réveil." The
 price for a bound copy is \$1.00 and \$0.75 for
 unbound. The Legislature of Quebec bought

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400 copies at a cost of \$300 with a 25% trade discount. Is glad that copies will be placed "among the libraries and booksellers of Toronto".

Larose was a Canadian author, member of Ecole Littéraire de Montreal and lawyer. His Variétés Canadiennes, 1889, has been called the best early example of a popular genre in the nineteenth century which combined fiction and autobiography.

Roberts, Charles George Douglas, 1860-1941.
To Historical Publishing Company, Toronto.
New York, March 12, 1906.
1 ANS.

Printed order form completed and signed in pen and ink for 1 cloth bound copy of "Wacousta" by Major Richardson. Price is \$1.50 for cloth binding and \$2.50 for Half Morocco binding.

Roberts was a Canadian poet and novelist. Awarded the Lorne Pierce Medal for distinguished service to Canadian literature in 1926 and knighted in 1935.

"Eastern Townships Historical Publications."
[1917?]

2 leaves.

A list of titles (some with authors and dates) with a few titles, authors and dates in pen and ink added at the bottom of each leaf. Typescript
Includes two notes: sources for unpublished records and newspaper articles, acknowledgements to: Rev. George Allen, Montgomery, Vt.; Dr. John Hayes, Richmond; and Rev. E.M. Taylor, Knowlton.

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Chadwick, Edward Marion, 1840-1921.
 To Historical Publishing Company, Toronto.
 Toronto, January 8, 1919.
 1 TLS, 1 leaf.

Amends a previous letter to the addressee which had stated that about 100 copies of Ontarian Families were left. Most are "practically valueless" and there are only ten or fifteen complete copies. Can arrange a sale if the addressee wishes to take them.

Chadwick was a Canadian genealogist and lawyer who was an authority on Ontario genealogies. He edited The Ontarian Genealogist and Family Historian, 1898-1901, and wrote Ontarian Families, a 2 volume set, 1894-98. He also published The People of the Long House, 1898.

Coverdale, William Hugh, 1871-1949.
 To Mr. Fred G. Ketcheson, Montreal.
 Montreal, 25 March 1942.
 1 TLS. 2 p.

Will purchase the four prints of the Duncan Montreal set. Provides names of three artists from the Earl of Dalhousie collection who may have been responsible for addressee's three water colour drawings .

On stationary with letterhead of Canada Steamship Lines Limited.
 Signed for Coverdale per A.L.
 Coverdale, an engineer, businessman with interests in the Canada Steamships Company, and collector of historical Canadiana, presented his collection to the Manoir Richelieu and a catalogue of part of the collection was published in 1942.

Dowson.
 To Fred Ketcheson, Toronto.
 Toronto, 21 July 1943.
 1 ANS. leaf.

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Gives copy of entry for Lt. Col. Forrest's
Picturesque Tour through the Provinces of
 Upper and Lower Canada. Writes "will keep
 looking for other entry."

Wallace, William Stewart, 1884-1970.
 To F.G. Ketcheson, Toronto.
 Toronto, 22 February 1944.
 1 TLS. 1 leaf.

Encloses a copy of the Miles Macdonnell
 diary. Asks on what grounds addressee
 attributes it to Macdonnell. Assumes he is
 to edit the document for publication.

On stationery with letterhead of The
 Champlain Society.

With copy of "Diary of a Jaunt to Amherstburg
 overland from Niagara, made by Miles
 Macdonnell in 1801". Typescript, carbon
 copy. 16 leaves.

Daily entries made from Monday 6 April 1801
 to Friday 17 April and from Thursday 7 May to
 Monday 18 May 1801. Copy notes that there
 are "several blank pages in the note-book"
 between the two sequences.

Notes by F.G. Ketcheson on The Quebec Volunteers.
 Handwritten on the letterhead of New York
 Life Insurance Company.

Box 46 Au Nom du Roi. Nous, Marquis d'Osmond, Pair de
 France, Lieutenant Général des Armées du Roi, et
 son Ambassadeur à la Cour de Londres ... Le
 présent Passeport, délivré à Londres le 27
 Decembre 1816. L'Ambassadeur de France Osmond
 [signed]

Printed passport completed and signed in pen
 and ink.

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On verso in pen and ink:
 Vu à Paris le 3 janvier 1817 Le Ministre
 Secrétaire de Stat au Dépt de la Police ... Le
 Secrétaire Général. Bertin De Neauf [signed]
 Vu à l'Ambassade Britannique Pour voyager en
 France. Paris, le 22 Janvier 1817. Par Son
 Excellence. Conyngham
 Vu au Ministère des Affaires étranger. Paris, le
 22 Janvier 1817. Par autorisation du Ministre Le
 Dirteur au chancellerie [signed]
 Par le Ministre Le Chef au Bau des passeports
 Vu ... au Commissat General des police pour aller
 au angleterre Sur le paguebot le prince Cobourg
 ... le 2 avril 1817 pour le Commissre General.
 L'huilllier

Stamped on recto and verso.

O Governador Civil do Districto de Funchal Concedo
 Passaporte a I. Fraser, britanico Para Londres, no
 Brique "Dart" ... Dado em ... 26 de Abril de 1847.
 O Governado Civil Jose Silvestre Riberio.

Printed passport completed and signed in pen
 and ink
 With stamp and seal.

On verso in pen and ink:
 Visa Her Britannick Majesty's Consulate at Funchal
 Island of Madiera this 26th day of April 1847.
 Geo Stoddard Her Majesty's Consul.

Item 47 Cash Book. 1837, Jan., Oct.-Dec.; 1838, Jan-Mar.,
 May-Dec.

Manuscript, in pen and ink, in two hands;
 the first from Jan. 1837 to March 1838, the
 second from May 1838 to December 1838.
 Pages removed for January 1837 to October
 1837, and April 1838.

Items [Album of pressed seaweed].
 48-49 2 v.

v. 1 (35 p., brown cloth spine)
 Locations given for some of the specimens:
 California; Bermuda; Bass Rock; Newport,
 Rhode Island; Margate, England; and Scarboro.

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v. 2 (25 p., green cloth spine)
Locations given for some of the specimens:
Santa Barbara, California; Block Island; and
Newport, Rhode Island. Some specimens dated:
1881-1882, 1882, and 1884.
Contains 2 specimens laid in.

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Folder 1

Gélinas, G.

To M. D. L. Desaulniers, House of Commons, Ottawa.
August 6, 1906.
1 TLS, 1 leaf.

On the letterhead of the Guardian Assurance Company, he is replying to Desaulniers' letter of the 3rd inst. He states that, according to his insurance policy, Desaulniers is allowed to leave his house, in order to take a one or two month holiday, as long as the servants remain in the house. .

D. L. Desaulniers was Chief Clerk and assistant translator at the House of Commons from 1904 to 1908.

Folder 2

Ridout, Thomas Gibb, 1792-1861

To F. L. Walsh, Vittoria. Toronto, April 7, 1843.
1 ALS, 1 leaf

He acknowledges receipt of his letter dated the 30th ulto., which accompanied a deed from the Honourable William Allan, dated January 1, 1843. He is crediting his account in the amount of thirteen shillings for the registry of the deed and for postage paid by Walsh.

When the Bank of Canada was incorporated in 1821, Ridout was elected as its first cashier (or general manager) He was a member of the Town of York's first families and very involved in civic affairs. He was the first recruit of the Andrew's Masonic Lodge in 1823 and became Provincial Grand Master in 1846. He was also involved with the St. Andrew's Society and first President of the Toronto Mechanics Institute (1847); one of the founders of the Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara and St. Catharines Electro-Magnetic Telegraph Company and an incorporator of the Grand Truck and of the Hamilton and Toronto Railways.

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Hays, Charles Melville, born 1856
To John Bell, Esq., solicitor. Montreal, March 30th, 1898.
1 TLS, 1 leaf

Has he any objection to the Grand Trunk Railway System taking up the good 65 lb. rail laid on the Toronto Belt Line and relaying it on their lines? There seems to have been some receivership issues in connection with this.

Charles Melville Hays was appointed general manager of the Grand Trunk Railway System in January 1896. Relinquishing the office in January 1, 1901, he became President of the Southern Pacific Railway, only to return in the latter half of that same year to the Grand Trunk. Associated with railway system all over North America, he was also one of the founders of the Mount Royal Club, governor of several hospitals in Montreal and of McGill University, director of Royal Trust and Merchants Bank of Canada.

Folder 4

Rogue, Jacques-Guillaume, 1761-1840
Receipt no. 168 issued to Jean Baptiste Meilleur for payment of his housing. Montreal, January 26, 1816
Printed form, complete in pen and ink

Jean Baptiste Meilleur (1796-1878) was a doctor, educator and founder of the Collège de l'Assomption de Montréal. He served as a member of the Legislative Assembly and was the first Superintendent of Education in Lower Canada. Family tradition has it that at age 19; he came into his inheritance and registered at the Collège de Montréal (also known as Le Petit Séminaire), where he completed his classical studies.

Jacques-Guillaume Rogue was born in France and was ordained a priest in 1785. He asked to be admitted to the community of the Society of Saint Sulpice. He spent a year in Paris and was then sent to teach at the Séminaire d'Angers, becoming its Director in 1789. Two years later he refused to take the oath of loyalty to the Civil Constitution of Clergy and was imprisoned. Transported to French Guinea in 1792, he succeeded

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in escaping and reached Spain in September of that year. In 1796, he decided to come to Lower Canada. Upon his arrival in Montreal, he was given pastoral duties in the parish of Notre Dame and was named Director of the nuns of the Hotel Dieu. In 1806 he became vicar general, an office he retained until his death, and also Director of the Petit Séminaire de Montréal. He remained in that post until 1828.

Folder 5

Bancroft, Frederic

To Haight & Co. Washington, D.C. July 25, 1891.

Librarian at the Dept, of State orders several books from their latest catalogue and gives them instructions for delivery. Enclosed a receipted bill.

1 ALS, 2 p.

Folder 6

Greenwood, J, Hamer

To W.R. Haight. Whitby, May 25, 1880

1 ALS, 1 leaf

He orders a catalogue and a price list if he has one in print..

John Hamer Greenwood was a member of an UEL family and a prominent Whitby lawyer.

Folder 7

Draft of a [2] page letter from an unknown person to an unknown addressee. March 24, 1875.

Monsieur. Mr. Pierre Latreille me dit que vous lui avez
mandi d'aquitter ce qu'il doit a votre société ...

He is the actual owner of the property. As he has been making regular payments since he took over the property on October 5, 1871 and has receipts signed by a M. Boisvert (as far as he can make out the name) up to March 18, 1874, he would like to know the exact nature of the debt that he, not M. Latreille, has incurred. He would also like to know how much is still outstanding.

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Bain, James, 1842-1908.

To [Canniff] Haight, Toronto, June 1, 1900.

On Toronto Public library letterhead, Bain apologizes to Haight for not having written sooner. One of the reasons is that Brymner has not answered him yet. The government grant of \$500.00 covers the Loyalists Association's annual grant of \$200.00, so that they only have \$300.00 with which to work. Discusses publication details for the volumes Haight is transcribing. He will be away for two week and if Haight needs money he should write to E. M. Chadwick, Bank of Toronto.
1 ALS, [3] p.

James Bain was the first Chief Librarian of Toronto Public Library opening the first branch on March 6, 1884. He belonged to many organizations, often holding office or sitting on important committees. At Douglas Brymner's request, he followed him from 1897 to 1900 as Canadian representative on the Historical Manuscripts Commission of the American Historical Association.

Caniff Haight (1825-1901) was first a chemist and a bookseller in Picton, Ont. Later he moved to Toronto and was employed to copy at the Library of Congress the manuscript reports of the royal commissioners on United Empire Loyalists.

Douglas Brymner (1823-1902) emigrated to Canada from Scotland in 1857. An unsuccessful farmer, he moved to Montreal in 1864 where he became a journalist, serving as editor of *The Presbyterian* as well as joining the editorial staff of *The Montreal Herald*, and representing it on the parliamentary press gallery in Ottawa. In the spring of 1872 he accepted an appointment to the Department of Agriculture as clerk in charge of archives. He first visited all the provincial capitals and other cities in search of records that rightly belonged in Ottawa. Then he went to Britain, where he arranged to have pertinent documents copied, spending some time there himself. His summaries or calendars were published as part of his annual report and researchers and

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government officials turned to him for historical advice. He is considered the founder of Canada's National Archives.