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THOMPSON (AUSTIN SETON) PAPERS

A collection of the drafts, corrected and final, and copies of photographs for his books, Spadina; a Story of Old Toronto, and Jarvis Street; a Story of Triumph and Tragedy, and the research notes and other materials for Jarvis Street. Some correspondence is included.

Extent: 6 Boxes

Accession numbers: Ms 86.018 and Ms 86.053

Gift of his wife, Mrs. Joan Thompson, in 1986.

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Boxes

1-2 Spadina; a Story of Old Toronto. (Pagurian Press, c1975). Early typed drafts; excerpts of final typed draft; typescript; revised typescript; copies of photos used in book; draft captions for photos; page proofs with wrapper for book.

Oversize Spadina. Galleys
Bygone Toronto - poster for course at School of Continuing Studies, 1977.

Boxes 3-6 Jarvis Street; a Story of Triumph and Tragedy.
 Box 3 (Personal Library, c1980). Photos of William Jarvis, his wife and children; research material on Jarvis, including manuscript notes, xerox copies of printed and manuscript material; some correspondence; copies of plans for his house, xerox copy from Metro Library; legal documents relating to the house, mainly copies from repositories; general material about Samuel Peters Jarvis, mainly xerox copies; Samuel Peter Jarvis and the Grand River Navigation Company, xerox copies of manuscripts; correspondence; Samuel Peters Jarvis and the Department of Indian Affairs, xerox copies of materials; correspondence; the Massey Family; copies of photos for the book; photos for a slide sequence on Jarvis Street.

Box 4 Research material on Toronto; additional material on the Jarvis family; E. Aemilius Jarvis, Autobiography, xerox copy of typescript; material on the Powell-Jarvis duel, 1817; Quetton St. George, copies and xerox copies of materials from Metro Library; William Lyon Mackenzie and the "Type Riots", copies and xerox copies of materials; drafts of several chapters for the book.

Box 5 Typescript with manuscript corrections.

Box 6 Draft of book, and corrected typescript for complete book.