

HANDBILL AND BROADSIDE COLLECTION [ca.1850-1965]

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Introduction to the City of Vaughan Archives' Finding Aid

The purpose of the City of Vaughan Archives Finding Aid is to provide access to a given body of records by representing those external and internal components of a fonds and its constituent parts brought to light during the analysis of the fonds' characteristics (i.e. during arrangement). A fonds is defined as the totality of records or papers created and/or accumulated and used by an individual, family, or corporate body throughout their existence. The external structure of a fonds consists of contextual information relating to the record creator (i.e. the person, family or corporate body chiefly responsible for the creation and/or accumulation and use of a fonds), that is to say, information relating to the history, organization, functions and activities of a records creator that give shape to the fonds. The internal structure of the fonds is concerned with the latter's documentary nature, or with the actual records themselves: their arrangement, organization, classification, documentary form, etc. The reason for providing data about the external and internal nature of a fonds is to ensure that records can be seen in the context of their creation and so that they can be associated with the actions which brought them into existence in order for them to act as evidence of said actions.

Fonds may have a number of components. In terms of the concept of agent of creation (i.e. the person, family or corporate body responsible for the creation and/or accumulation and use of the fonds), a fonds may be divided into sous-fonds, which represent subordinate record-creating agencies (departments, bureaus, etc.) under the jurisdiction of the larger administrative body responsible for the creation of the fonds as a whole. For example, the fonds of the Vaughan Township Office of the Clerk-Treasurer, the Treasure Branch and General Administration Branch are the constituent sous-fonds. The actual records constituting a fonds (i.e. internal structure of a fonds) are grouped into bodies of like documents called series, with a series being an aggregate of records deriving unity from some common relationship arising out of the records' creation, receipt and use, and relating to the functions and or activities of the records' creator. Series in turn may be further divided into subseries, or even sub-subseries, these being naturally-defined subdivisions of series formed on the basis of a common feature such as documentary form, subject, arrangement in accordance with a filing system (chronological, alphabetical, subject, etc.), etc.

The format utilized to represent the part-to-whole structure of the fonds described in this Finding Aid is based on the Canadian data content standard Rules for Archival Description (RAD). All formal descriptions (i.e. those descriptions above the file level in the Finding Aid) are compiled in accordance with the guidelines outlined in RAD. Lists of files and items are presented as appendixes in the descriptive inventory, without regard to RAD.

Photocopying of documents in the City of Vaughan fonds is permitted except where documents fall under the personal information and privacy provisions of the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. In such instances, the researcher is referred to the City Archivist for specific access procedures.



Part 1: Fonds Level Description

Handbill and Broadside Collection (M988.15)

Date(s) of creation [ca. 1850-1965]

of record(s)

Physical Description

Biography/History Formed in 1970 as advocacy group for the promotion of the study of local

history, and the preservation of Vaughan's architectural and documentary

heritage.

Scope and Content Collection consists of handbills and broadsides noting social events, auctions,

etc. in Vaughan Township.

ca. 39 items

Notes Title based on content of fonds.

Appendix A: File List

- 1. Public Auction Sale, William Brownlee Estate, Lot 9, Concession 8
- 2. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, William Seed, Lot 27, Concession 6
- 3. Auction Sale of farm Stock, James Elliott, Lot 11, Concession 8
- 4. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Mrs. Sophie Lochowski, Lot 4, Concession 5
- 5. Extensive Public Auction Sale, Lot 5, Concession 2, Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Redman
- 6. Auction Sale, Arthur E. Dalziel, W.H. Lot 3, #50 Hwy.
- 7. Auction Sale, D.A. Houston & Son, Avondale Farm Keele St.
- 8. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, J.H. Kellam, Lot 22, Concession 10
- 9. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Frank Troyer, Lot 5, Concession 9
- 10. Auction Sale at Maw Estate Nashville
- 11. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Arthur G. Avery, Lot 9, Concession 6
- 12. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Glen F. Dooks, Lot 35, Concession 7
- 13. Auction Sale by Gid Burton, Lot 12, Concession 9
- 14. Come 35th Anniversary St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Concession 7, Rev. T. Goodwill
- 15. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Alvin F. McCluskie, Lot 26, Concession 10
- 16. Auction Sale of Reg. Holstein Cattle and Shorthorn Cattle, Pigs, Horses, Implements, Hay, Grain, Fletcher Bros.
- 17. Auction Sale of Household Furniture, Restaurant, Garage Equipment by Gordon East Kleinburg



- 18. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Implements, etc., Walter Did, Lot 19, Concession 8
- 19. Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Registered and Grade Ayreshires, Implements, etc., W.H. Culham, Lot 30, Concession 10
- 20. Auction Sale of household Furniture, Mrs. John Brown, Kleinburg
- 21. Hurrah, Strawberry Festival
- 22. Euchre and Dance, Vellore Old Boys, 61st Annual, "At Home"
- 23. A Play, A Three Act Comedy Entitled "Here Come Charlie"
- 24. Dance, Thanksgiving Night, in the Orange Hall
- 25. Euchre Dance, Orange Hall, Woodbridge
- 26. Perfection, Magerline
- 27. Dance of the Season, Orange Hall Woodbridge, Mon. Oct. 12
- 28. Dance, Thanksgiving Night, Mon. Oct. 14, Orange Hall, Woodbridge
- 29. Euchre Dance, Orange Hall Woodbridge
- 30. Season's Outstanding, Concert and Dance, Orange Hall, Woodbridge, Mon., Oct. 10
- 31. Lacrosse, O.L.A. Senior "B" Play-Off, Peterboro vs. Woodbridge
- 32. Auction Sale of Residential Property & Furniture, George M. Arnold
- 33. Perfection Magerline!
- 34. The Excellent Farmers' Horse, Durock Messenger
- 35. Auction Sale, Household Furniture, Garden Implements, Tools, Mrs. Jno. W. Ellerby, Eighth Ave., Woodbridge, Sat. Oct. 18
- 36. Auction Sale, Farm, Farm Stock, Implements etc., R. Appleton, Tue. May 27
- 37. Short bible Conference, Pine Grove Congregational Church
- 38. Euchre and Dance, Kleinburg, Nov. 29
- 39. Euchre and Dance, Kleinburg, Nov. 29 (2)