

S. J. McKee Archives



Practical English for high schools

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Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Lewis, William Dodge, 1870-1960 Hosic, James Fleming, 1870-1959
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-2-56
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-2-56
Responsibility:	by William D. Lewis and James Fleming Hosic
Start Date:	c1916
Date Range:	c1916
Publication:	New York : American book company
Physical Description:	415 p. : ill. ; 19 cm
Subject Access:	English language Rhetoric English language Grammar Letter writing
Storage Location:	Box 2 - English
Storage Range:	Box 2 - English



J.C. Cousins fonds

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Part Of:	RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Description Level:	Collection
Accession Number:	26-2007
GMD:	multiple media
Date Range:	pre-1881settlement era - 1940s
Physical Description:	6 cm
Physical Condition:	Generally good, but tattered in some places.
History / Biographical:	

John C. Cousins was the son of Thomas Cousins (b. August 17, 1882 in Truro, Nova Scotia - d. March 5, 1914) and Mary Margaret Craig (b. April 14, 1824 - d. April 25, 1903). He married Eunice Eliza Nixon from London Township, County of Middlesex, Ontario. Together they had three children: Eunice M., Eric O. and Kathleen. J.C. Cousins was Reeve of the Rural Municipality of Daly from 1905 to 1910 and Assessor for the Town of Rivers from 1931-1938.

Custodial History:

Record was accessioned in 2007 by the McKee Archives. Prior custodial history unknown.

Scope and Content:

This document is a rambling memoir of John C. Cousins' recollections of life in the Rural Municipality of Daly from the settlement era in the early 1880s, through to the 1940s. He touches on various themes, including: his family history; the activities of the R.M. of Daly and his role as Reeve; the history of school districts in the municipality (lists names of first teachers and early students); the history of churches in the municipality; tragedies in the municipality; lists members of the Council of the municipality for the years 1885-1946; and the devastating impact of the Spanish Influenza on Aboriginal people in the municipality.

In addition, the memoir includes documentary records, such as minutes and copies of letters. There are also many photographs of both events and individuals (virtually all of the photographs are labelled and names are provided). The memoir goes beyond a simple recounting of facts. Cousins is discursive and thoughtful, often making references to developments happening in other parts of North America and Canada. There is also a link to the Maritimes, from which his family originated.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry and Tom Mitchell.

Subject Access: Pendennis
Rivers
Manitoba
Harrow school
Mayne School District
Hunter School District No. 571
Poplar Hill school
Tarbolton School District
Wheatland School District
Westwood School District
Bradwardine School District
Ancrum or Wellwood School District
Spring Valley School District
Aetna School District
Robinvile School District
Oakleigh school
Lothian School District
Rivers School District

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