



# The CABHC Patch

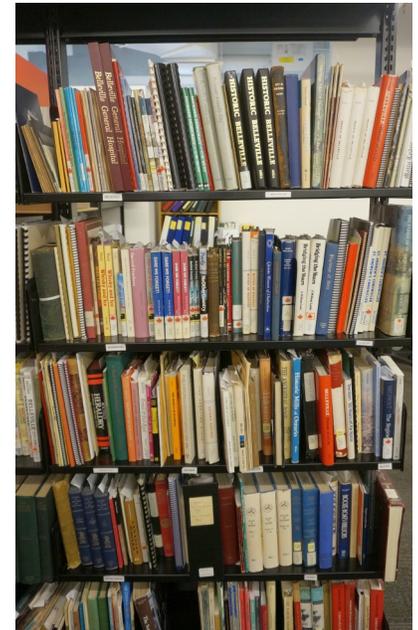
## *News from the Community Archives*

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### The Library in the Archives

The Community Archives is now located inside Belleville Public Library, and inside the Archives is yet another library: a small reference collection, kept in the Reading Room and arranged with its own unique classification system. Here you can browse over 300 books divided up into categories such as Architecture, Bay of Quinte, Belleville, Churches, Genealogy, Hastings County, and United Empire Loyalists.

Until recently, you would have to come in to the Archives to find out what books are on our shelves, but now we have catalogued our collection and made it available online using LibraryThing (<https://www.librarything.com/>). LibraryThing allows users to catalogue their own libraries, and it also provides a subscription service called TinyCat which gives a web interface to search or browse a library. You can find the archives' library catalogue at **<https://www.librarycat.org/lib/CABHC>**.



Part of the library in the Archives

Search the Archives' Reference Library at **<https://www.librarycat.org/lib/CABHC>**

## Recent Additions to the Archives

2017-43 Hastings Land Registry materials, 1800-1947

2017-44 'The Hunts of Oro-Medonte' family history, 2016

2017-46 Banners for Hastings East District Women's Institutes, c.1970

2017-48 Family snapshots of Gay family of Frankford, 1920s-1930s

2017-50 Photographs of Hastings County Council officials, 1977-2007

2017-53 Records of Heritage Belleville, 1978-2014

2017-54 Newspaper clippings on Belleville floods, 1936

2017-55 Copies of plans of Belleville to Point Anne railway, 1903-1909

2017-56 Bethel-Zion Women's Institute minute books, 1912-2013

2017-58 Military photographs from World War I, 1916

## New finding aids online

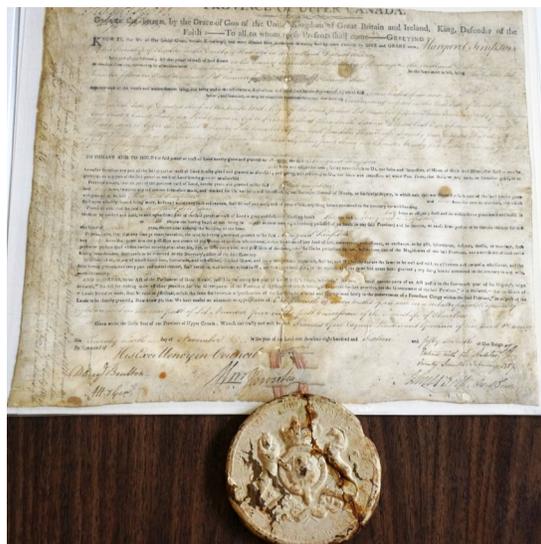


Volunteer Laurel Bishop and summer student Trevor Parsons have been busy in the past month, processing records from the **Women's Christian Association (WCA)** and **Heritage Belleville**. Finding aids for both collections are now available online in our Discover service at <https://discover.cabhc.ca/>. The WCA records include materials relating to the group's administration of the Belleville General Hospital and Home for the Aged, while the municipal heritage committee collection includes materials relating to historic properties in Belleville and the city's 1978 Centennial celebrations.

## What's in the Display Case?

Margaret Simpson was an early resident of the town of Belleville: indeed, it was in her tavern on Front Street that the name Belleville was chosen for the settlement which had previously been known as Meyer's Creek. This month we highlight some aspects of Margaret Simpson's history.

At 2pm on July 12th, a plaque commemorating her tavern will be unveiled near its Front and Dundas Street location in Belleville.



CABHC: TR3723 Land grant to Margaret Simpson of her lots in 'Bellville' made November 29th, 1816