



# The CABHC Patch

## News from the Community Archives

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### Madoc Township records

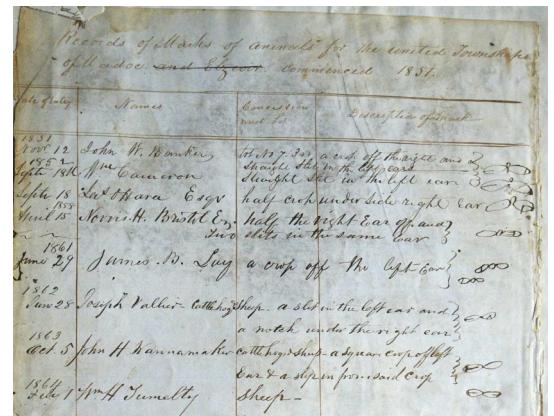


Township of Madoc records

A recent addition to the Community Archives collections was a large group of records from the Township of Madoc. These include standard municipal materials such as minute books, by-laws, and assessment rolls, but also a few more unusual items.

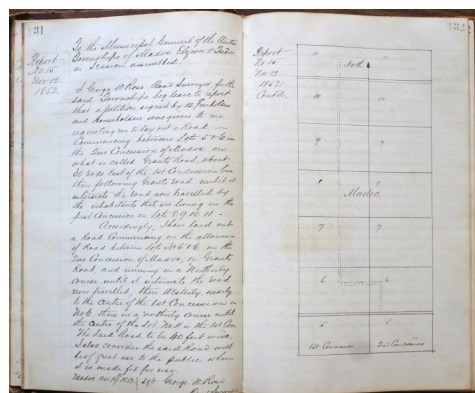
One of the early minute books contains a catalogue of the ear markings used between 1851 and 1868 to identify ownership of livestock by different farmers.

Another volume had a dual purpose: from 1851 to 1873 it was



CABHC: TM 1/2 List of earmarks in minute book

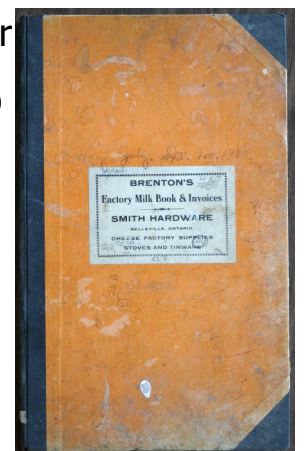
used to keep copies of the reports of the Surveyor of Highways for the Township. It includes sketches of the roads that the surveyors laid out in Madoc and Elzevir townships. The same volume was also used for recording the Township's by-laws between 1909 and 1947.



CABHC: TM 2/2 Road Surveyors' reports

One book in the group is not from the Township, but from the Springhill

Cheese factory. It logs the amounts of milk delivered to the factory and the quantities of cheese made and sent to grocers in 1928.



CABHC: TM 6/5 Cheese factory book

## Recent Additions to the Archives

2017-77 Tales and Trails North of Seven, 2017

2017-78 Lonsdale Then and Now, by Annie Margaret Farrell, 1969

2017-79 Belleville Utilities Commission collection, 1915-1969

2017-80 Township of Madoc records, 1840-1982

2017-81 Napanee, Tamworth & Quebec Railway reference book for Hungerford Township, 1888

2017-82 Alpha Dairies butter paper, c. 1950

2017-83 Miss Lockhart's Grade 1 class at Queen Alexandra School, Belleville, 1938

2017-84 City of Belleville staff telephone directory, 1968

2017-85 Desmond H. D. Lowry photographs, 1969-2006

## Hastings from the sky

The late Desmond H. D. Lowry (1926-2016) was a draughtsman and a keen amateur pilot. In September his family donated a small collection of photographs taken by him to the Community Archives. Several of the images were taken from the air, including this 1986 photograph of the open pit iron ore mine in Marmora.

## What's in the Display Case?

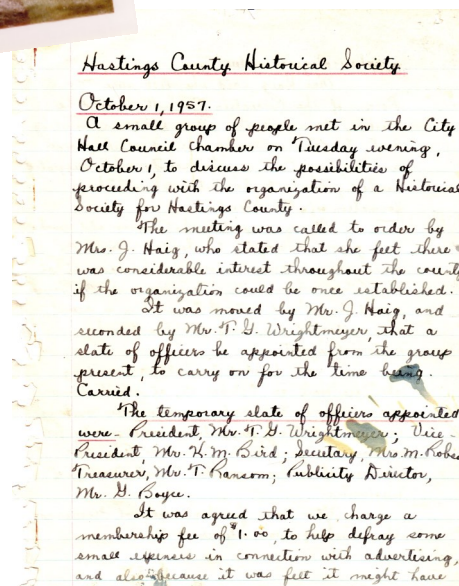
The first meeting of the Hastings County Historical Society took place on October 1st, 1957. This month we celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Society by looking at some of its many activities over the years.



CABHC: Fonds 667 — official opening of the Hastings County Museum at Glanmore House, 1973



CABHC: HCHS fonds, Box 1 — minutes of the first Hastings County Historical Society meeting, October 1st, 1957



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