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Minute book, 1893-1915; and miscellaneous papers, 1855-1926, of the Municipal Council of the Township of Masham; Poll Tax and Valuation Roll records, 1857-1863. Attendance records and daily register sheets, 1860-1885; cash book, 1913-1927 and miscellaneous papers 1857-1886, of the Masham School Commission. Deposited in 1974 by Mrs. H. Dodds of Ottawa.

Local records of Masham and Wakefield containing proceedings of the Municipal Council of Masham, 1857-1931; returns, 1858-1867; voters lists, 1861-1906; papers relating to roads, 1855-1911 and other miscellaneous papers.

Papers of the Masham School Commissioners, 1859-1950. Deposited in 1975 by Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Geggie of Wakefield, Quebec.

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3	91	Account Book	1887-1892	M-7499	424-580
	92	Minute Book Also contains list of Township Councillors, 1892-1898, oaths of office taken by councillors and mayors, 1893-1913, minutes of meetings of the ratepayers or electors of the municipality, 1893-1913 and copies of some public notices.	1893-1915	M-7500	1-220
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	111	School Registers pp. 1-258 pp. 259 to end	1896-1901	M-7501 M-7502	614-643 1-66
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		Petition of Thomas Knox, James Shouldice and James Bryce, requesting renewal of contract of Edward Obie as teacher at No. 6 school	19 October 1863	M-7502	
		Letter from James Dunkin to Robert Shannon, concerning No. 6 School	5 December 1865	M-7502	
		Jamie McDowell to the School Commissioners, complaining of the condition of No. 3 school	26 January 1880	M-7502	
		Cash statement of the Secretary treasurer of the School Commission, Draft of Statement of cash on hand to June 1886	September 1, 1882- June 30, 1883	M-7502	
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