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FINDING AID FOR

Richard Scougall Cassels fonds

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Summary

The "Richard Scougall Cassels fonds" Fonds contains:

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0 File parts

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Richard Scougall Cassels fonds. -- [189-?]-[193-?]. -- 8 cm of textual records (2 v.)

Biographical/Sketch/Administrative History

Richard Scougall Cassels was born at Holland House, Québec, on October 5th, 1859. He attended the University of Toronto, and was admitted as a student-at-law by the Law Society of Upper Canada in 1879. Cassels was called to the Bar in 1883 and practiced in Toronto with the firm of Cassels, Cassels and Brock, later Cassels, Brock, Kelly and Falconbridge. He was appointed a King's Counsel in 1910.

Cassels served as a lieutenant with the Queen's Own Rifles and was stationed in Manitoba in 1885. He later founded the 48th Highlanders of Canada and was promoted to captain. Cassels was a gifted amateur photographer specializing in portraits and wildflowers. He died on July 17th, 1935.

Scope and Content

Fonds consists of a case book and a precedent book maintained by Richard Scougall Cassels, a lawyer in Toronto.

Restrictions

No restrictions on access.

Arrangement

The fonds is arranged in the original order.

Title Notes

Title based on contents of fonds.

986008-001 Case book. -- [189-?]-[193-?]. -- 2 cm of textual records (1 v.)

Scope and Content

Item is a case book created by Richard Scougall Cassels, containing hand-written notes of court cases with an index and annotations. The volume contains several newspaper clippings and two letters on legal matters.

Restrictions

No restrictions on access.

Title Notes

Title based on content of the item.

986008-002 Precedent book. -- [188-?]-[193-?]. -- 6 cm of textual records (1 v.)

Scope and Content

Item is a precedent book maintained by Richard Scougall Cassels. The volume contains cases and legal documents glued to pages with hand-written annotations and index. There are some cases and documents interleaved within the volume.

Restrictions

No restrictions on access.

Title Notes

Title based on content of the item.