

Coaticook Historical Society

Finding Aid - Collection Françoise Maurice (C007)

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Collection Françoise Maurice

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Summary information

Repository:	Coaticook Historical Society
Title:	Collection Française Maurice
ID:	C007
Date:	[194-?]-2006 (date of creation)
Language:	English
Language:	French
Physical description:	3 cm of textual records

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Françoise Maurice was born in Coaticook on 17 December 1916. Her love for books and music developed during her childhood through access to many books in the family home and the pursuit of music lessons at the convent in Coaticook. Following the opening of a public library in Coaticook in 1959, Maurice began as a volunteer and eventually acquired a permanent position. Her passion for arts, culture and heritage showed through her organization of exhibitions of art, photographs, and antiques. The eventual outcome of an antique exhibition was the establishment of the Beaulne Museum. Maurice held a position at the library for 32 years but was also involved with setting up some of the first dance classes, volunteered for the Beaulne Museum and the Coaticook Historical Society, and taught piano, among other things. In 2003, the City of Coaticook honoured her years of service to the library and the community by renaming the library in her honour. Maurice passed away the 11 September 2009, at the age of 93.

Scope and content

Collection contains genealogical information on families in Coaticook from about the 1940s to 2006. It consists largely of handwritten notes and newspaper clippings. The collection is composed of the following files: Vincent family, Gendron family, Dionne family, Lebarré dit Genest and Beaulne families, and history.

Notes

Title notes

- **Source of title proper:** Title based on donor of collection.

Immediate source of acquisition

Collection donated by Françoise Maurice

Accruals

No further accruals are expected.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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Access points

- Coaticook (Quebec) (place)
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Collection holdings

File: C007-D001 - Vincent family

Title: Vincent family

ID: C007-D001

Date: [19--] (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents information on the Vincent family. It consists of handwritten notes.

Physical description: 5 textual records

Language of the material:

English

French

Publication status:

Published

File: C007-D002 - Gendron family

Title: Gendron family

ID: C007-D002

Date: 1985 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents information on the Gendron family. It consists of a handwritten history dated from 1985.

Physical description: 1 textual record

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: C007-D003 - Dionne family

Title: Dionne family

ID: C007-D003

Date: [194-?]-2006 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents information on the Dionne family. It consists of handwritten genealogical notes and an obituary for Paul-Émile Dionne from 2006.

Physical description: 3 textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: C007-D004 - Lebarré dit Genest family

Title: Lebarré dit Genest family

ID: C007-D004

Date: [194-?]-1990 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents information on the Lebarré dit Genest and Beaulne families from about the 1940s to 1990. It consists of handwritten genealogical notes on the Lebarré dit Genest and Beaulne families, an excerpt from the Dictionnaire Généalogique Genest, and newspaper clippings on anniversaries for Albertine Beaulne, a reunion of Beaulne brothers, and a history of the Raoul Beaulne family.

Physical description: 1 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: C007-D005 - History

Title: History

ID: C007-D005

Date: [198-?]-2001 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents historical summaries for the Coaticook area from about the 1980s to 1992. File presents historical summaries for the Coaticook area from about the 1980s to 1992. It consists of pamphlet from the Musée Beaulne, newspaper articles on Coaticook history, a pamphlet for the opening of the Pavillon des Arts et de la Culture in the old Sisco Memorial United Church, two newsletters "L'Avant-Courant" by the Coaticook Historical Society, and a book on three historical houses (Carrollcroft/Colby-Curtis Museum, Château Norton/Beaulne Museum, and Uplands) in the Eastern Townships.

Physical description: 6 textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Coaticook (Quebec) (place)
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File: C007-D006 - Françoise Maurice

Title: Françoise Maurice

ID: C007-D006

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the accomplishments and contributions of Françoise Maurice to the community in Coaticook. It consists of a collection of newspaper articles published in 2003.

Physical description: 0.5 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

Access points:

- Arts and culture (subject)
 - Coaticook (Quebec) (place)
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