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### McCormick Family Records: 1688-1945

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# $Reel \ 1 :$

<u>Item Numbers</u>	<u>Contents</u>
1 - 25	Miscellaneous business and legal records, 1822-1881, including: Mail Courier's Oath, n.d.; cashbook, 1822-1833; typescript copy of case, <u>Regina vs.</u> <u>McCormick</u> regarding Point Pelee Island, 1859; cashbook, Pelee Island, 1852- 1855; summonses; and correspondence.
26 - 36	Personal papers relating to vital events, e.g. property, including, <u>Regulations</u> for Point Pelee Island, 1864-1921 and n.d.
37 - 154	Land papers relating mainly to settlement of title to Point Pelee Island, including: petition, grants, maps, deeds of partition, summonses, deeds, court documents, field notes, etc., 1847-1913.
155 - 171 & 172 - 307	Legal papers, 1849-1888, including: wills of Lucinda and David McCormick (Pelee Twp., 1888), and letters and documents regarding the settlement of the estate of David McCormick (d.1808), Ballylisbredan, Ireland, 1808-1830.
308 - 411	Military papers, 1818-1842, relating to recruiting and supplying Essex County Militia. The correspondence is mainly between the Adjutant-General's Office and Colonel N. Coffin.
412 - 479A	Marine records, 1807-1875, including: daybook of schooner, <u>Resolution</u> , 1851; memorandum of courses from and to different ports on Lakes Ontario, Erie and Huron, 1842-1850; account book of schooner, <u>Adelaide</u> , 1835-1836; and daybook of the steamer, <u>Champion</u> , 1873-1875.
480 - 2809	Papers and records of individual family members, 1792-1943, as follows:
480 - 495	<b>Alexander McCormick</b> , business letter from his brother at Port Stanley, 6 Sept. 1841; manuscript copy of assignment of land in Colchester Township; personal letters, 1792-1823.
496 - 501	Ann McCormick, personal, 1869-1893. Two letters and three accounts with Pelee Island Wine & Vineyards Co. Ltd.

502 - 561	Arthur M. McCormick, postmaster's records, bills, accounts, personal and business letters, 1843-1890; crown grant, abstracts of title, letters, description, 1867-1913; personal letters from his son and nephew, 1914.
562 - 568	<b>Charlotte McCormick</b> , personal accounts, 1888, 1891; papers relating to land holdings, 1884, 1887.
569 - 657	David McCormick and Henry Leighton, business daybook, Point PeleeIsland,20 May 1845 - 30 May 1848.
658 - 1024	<b>Capt. David McCormick</b> , personal accounts, correspondence, appointment as Sub-Collector of Customs at Southport, Pelle Island, 1879, 1849-1886; waste books, 2 vols., 1832-1840. <b>Reel 1 ends with waste books, December 1833.</b>

# Reel 2 : (beginning item 770)

658 - 1024	<b>Capt. David McCormick</b> , continuing waste books, 2 vols. 1832-1840, after December 1833; land papers relating to Point Pelle Island, 1866-1884, including bill to incorporate, 1868; personal letters, 1845-1859, including correspondence from Mary McCormick to son David, and from Charles Gale to David.
1025 - 1030	<b>Elizabeth McCormick</b> , letter to Dr. Hawkins regarding the estate of her brother William; appointment as administrator of her husband's estate, 1803.
1031 - 1043	<b>Francis Burwell McCormick</b> , letter from his brother M. Talbot McCormick of Chicago regarding their father's estate, 1866; deed of partition of land at Point Pelee Island, 1867.
1044 - 1076	<b>John McCormick</b> , personal accounts, correspondence regarding declaration of efectment [eejectment] from Point Pelee Island; appointment as Coroner, Counties of Essex and Lambton, 1835-1855; personal letters; commission as coronet, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Essex Militia; will of James Howard, Colchester Township, 1828; letters regarding militia career, 1839-1856.
1077 - 1128	Lucinda McCormick, bond of indemnity; bill; crown land grant; deeds of partition; descriptions, 1867-1891; personal letters, 1860.
1129 - 1444	<b>Mary McCormick</b> , letters and papers relating to personal business matters, assessment, etc., 1842-1879; grant, deed of partition, and letters relating to land sales, 1847-1867; copy of last will and testament, 1860; personal letters, n.d., and 1816-1884.
1445	Peregrine McCormick, receipt, 1888.
1446 - 1498	Sarah A. McCormick, letters from her brother David, 1865-1869.
1500 - 1568	<b>Thomas McCormick</b> , statements and correspondence relating to personal and business matters, 1862-1882; deed of partition for land at Point Pelee Island, 1867; agreement to which he was witness, 1874; personal letters, 1863-1864, three items.
1569 - 2797	comprise the next section, with items 1569 - 1800 on reel 2 and items 1801 - 2797 on reel 3.

## Reel 3: (beginning item 1801)

- 1569 2797
  William McCormick, business papers, including appointments to various posts, statements of account relating to several of his occupations, i.e. representative, lighthouse-keeper, etc., 1815-1849; business journals and daybooks, 6 vols., 1792-1795, 1821-1822, 1822-1823, 1823-1826, 1831-1834, and 1831-1838 (Point Pelee Island settlements of claims); ledger no. 2, Amherstburg, 1835-1840; letter from Major R. Laughlan, Sandwich, about property, 1836; inventory of the estate of John Cornwall, 1828; papers relating to the Thomas McLaren estate, 1828-1830; personal letters and records from his military career, 1804-1851; journal of a business trip to England and Ireland, 1823; <u>A Sketch of the Western District of Upper Canada by William McCormick, a native Canadian now in Ireland, written in 1824; n.s.f. cheques, 1864, 1866.</u>
- 2798 2809 William S. McCormick, letter from Manuscripts Division, Library of Congress, about archival techniques, 1938; correspondence with residents of Gulliver, Michigan about family history, 1943.

**Dr. William S. McCormick of Detroit**, files of collected material relating to the McCormick family history.

#### The files are numbered on microfilm with titles and topics as follows:

- 1. Hume, Mrs. Anne, Librarian.
- Fort Malden Museum, visit and gift by William S. McCormick. Article in, <u>Amherstburg Echo</u>, on 24 September 1942.Print of old Detroit, 1804.
- 3. Colchester Church. Newspaper articles.
- 4. List of members of parliament, Upper Canada, 1792-1856 by Helen Cornwall McCormick and article in, <u>Amherstburg Echo</u>.
- 5. Pelee Island, maps, narrative of battle, post cards.
- 6. Strouts, Felix and William, (brothers), 1888-1907.
- 7. Typed copy of will of Charlotte McCormick, 1921.
- 8. William McCormick's letters to his wife Mary, 1816-1818, 1830.
- 9. Family letters (originals), 1804-1870, 1875.
- 10. Typescript copies of crown grants to William McCormick, 1819.
- 11. Thomas Arnold McCormick, M.D., 1945.
- 12. Newspaper clippings. (End of Reel 3)

## Reel 4:

1. McCormick and Cornwall family genealogy, 1688-1934.14.

- 14. Pamphlet: <u>The New Settlement on Lake Erie</u> by George F. MacDonald, 1918.
- 15. Clipping: Battle of Pelee Island, 1923.
- 16.Court papers: Regina vs. McCormick, regarding Indian rights to Pelee Island,<br/>1865.
- 17. Marriage record of John McCormick and Martha Drake, 1837 (photostat copy).
- 18. Typescript copy of deed of land in Colchester from Joshua Cornwall to John Cornwall, 1818.
- 19. Typescript copy of will of Mary Benedict Cornwall, widow of John Cornwall, Colchester Township, 1833.
- 20. Manuscript and typescript copies of will of John Cornwall, Colchester Township, 1822.
- 21. John Cornwall, biographical. Letters from the Office of the Archivist, Ottawa, 1916.
- 22. Manuscript and typescript copies of the will of William McCormick, Point Pelee Island, 1839.
- 23. Will and estate papers of Charles Cornwall, Colchester Township, 1895.
- 24. Photostat copies of maps and documents relating to the McCormick family history, including page 1 of William McCormick's journal of his trip to Ireland, 1823-1825; part of a note written by Charlotte Louise McCormick, giving the name of the ship on which William McCormick sailed from Belfast and the date of departure.
- 25. Public notice of farm sale by William McCormick, Amherstburg, n.d. photostat.
- 26. Mary McCormick, obituary (original and typescript copy), 1891.
- 27. Alexander McCormick, family genealogy; power of attorney to Obediah Robins, 1781; deed from Francois LeClair, 1785.
- 28. Mary Cornwall McCormick, personal letters, 1833, 1835, 1838.

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