

CENTRE D'ARCHIVES DE LA GRANDE ZONE ARGILEUSE
Archival description

Title: Collection Clément Groleau (CG)

Dates: 1951-1956, 1958-1960, 1968-70.

Extent of descriptive unit: 0.06 m of textual documents.

Administrative history or biography: Born in 1936, Clément Groleau grew up on the family farm, in Coppell. He then became the owner of that farm. Coppell, a village along the Algoma Central Railway, located 22 kilometres south of Hearst, was once home to approximately 125 families. It had several services, including a separate school under the responsibility of the RCSS No.1 Lowther school board. When the school closed in 1960, Clément Groleau, then a school trustee, preserved some of the minutes related to the management of the school. *Le Club des Loisirs de Coppell* then used the remaining portion of these school registers to record its minutes.

Scope and content: The fonds contains the minutes of the RCSS No.1 Lowther school board in Coppell from 1951 to 1956 and from 1958 to 1960. It also includes the records of *Le Club des Loisirs de Coppell*, from 1968 to 1970.

Sources of information:

1. Clément Groleau.
2. Tremblay, Pierre-Mathieu. « Clément Groleau retourne au village de Coppell où il a grandi », *Radio-Canada*, page consultée le 30 novembre 2017, <http://ici.radio-canada.ca/ontario/les-batisseurs-du-pays/a-la-une/document/nouvelles/article/1026866/clement-groleau-retourne-au-village-de-coppell-ou-il-a-grandi>

Physical description: The collection includes two bound volumes.

Immediate source of acquisition: The collection, a donation from Clément Groleau, was acquired in 2014.

Language: French.

Restriction on access: No restriction imposed by the donor.

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Finding aids: None.

Associated materials: Collection Brisson/Girard.

Accruals: No further accruals expected.

General Note: The minutes of the RCSS No.1 Lowther school board in Coppell were written in two volumes. To consult the documents in chronological order, it is necessary to alternate from one volume to another.

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