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**Simcoe Family
Papers
1655-1931**

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Simcoe Family Papers

Date(s):
1655-1931

Extent:
36 boxes (4.55 m)
110 maps

Biographical note:

The Simcoe family was part of the landed gentry of Great Britain. The family first came to prominence during the 1750s when Captain John Simcoe commanded the British vessel *HMS Pembroke*, which took part in the British military's expedition to Quebec. Simcoe died of pneumonia on the vessel prior to the sieges of Louisbourg and Quebec. During his career he established connections with leading naval officers including Admiral Samuel Graves, who served as godfather for his eldest son, John Graves Simcoe.

John Graves Simcoe

John Graves Simcoe was born at Cotterstock, England in 1752 as the only surviving child of John and Katherine Simcoe. He was educated at Oxford and entered the army as ensign of the 35th Foot in 1770. He was posted to Boston at the beginning of the American Revolution in 1775, arriving two days after the Battle of Bunker Hill. His agitation for the creation of a special formation of light infantry led to the creation of the Queen's Rangers in 1777, which he commanded with the rank of Major. The Rangers were active in campaigns in Pennsylvania, Richmond and Yorktown. He was invalided home in 1781 as a Lieutenant-Colonel.

Simcoe married Elizabeth Posthuma Gwillim in 1782. He spent nine years as a half-pay officer, during which time he managed the newly-purchased Wolford Lodge, pursued military promotions and appointments, and corresponded with members of his former command about land claims and problems faced by loyalists. He briefly served as a member of British Parliament from 1790 until 1791 but took little part in debates. On September 12, 1791, Simcoe received a commission to become the first Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada. The position was established following the Constitutional Act of 1791, in which the western portion of the Province of Quebec was established as a separate entity—Upper Canada—with its own Lieutenant-Governor and Assembly. Simcoe, however, was still made subordinate to Guy Carleton, who was commissioned as governor-in-chief of both Upper and Lower Canada.

Simcoe arrived in Newark (now Niagara-on-the-Lake), the capital of Upper Canada at the time, in 1792. In his capacity as lieutenant-governor of Upper Canada, Simcoe was instrumental in organizing the first civil government of the colony. In his first

legislative session, he passed bills establishing British civil law, trial by jury, and a provision for jails and courthouses. Additionally, Simcoe began the process of road construction and the survey of town and rural lots on which British settlement were to be based. Simcoe passed the *Act Against Slavery* on July 9th, 1793, aimed at ending the sale of enslaved people by Canadians to Americans, and liberating freedom seekers entering from the United States. It did not, however, free adults who were enslaved already residing in Canada. Simcoe's other duties included maintaining good relations with the Indigenous nations in territory ceded to the United States in 1783.

In 1796, Simcoe returned to England on leave, and in 1797, was appointed as commander of a British expeditionary force dispatched to capture the French colony of Saint-Domingue (present day Haiti) during the Haitian Revolution. In Saint-Domingue, he was tasked with fighting against the rebellion of the island's enslaved population that was working with the French Republic. He only spent eight months in this position and returned to England in the same year. In 1799, Simcoe accepted command of the Western District, where he organized and planned defensive measures against an expected invasion from France. In 1806, he was then appointed as commander-in-chief of India but became seriously ill during a diplomatic mission to Portugal and died shortly after returning to England.

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https://www.biographi.ca/en/bio/simcoe_john_graves_5E.html

Elizabeth Posthuma Simcoe

Elizabeth Posthuma Simcoe was born in 1762, the daughter of Thomas Gwillim and Elizabeth Spinkes. Her father died seven months prior to her birth, and her mother died in childbirth. She was in the care of her mother's sister, Margaret, who was married to Admiral Samuel Graves. Through this connection, she met John Graves Simcoe. Through a sizeable inheritance from her mother and father, she was able to purchase and restore Wolford Lodge, which would serve as the Simcoe family estate. She accompanied her husband to Upper Canada in 1791, alongside her two youngest children, Sophia, aged 2, and Francis, aged 3 months.

Throughout her five years in Upper Canada, Elizabeth Simcoe maintained an active social and artistic life. She was a leader in the social life of the province and served as an unofficial secretary and cartographer for her husband. She was an

accomplished artist, and the time spent in Upper and Lower Canada was well-documented through her sketches and water colours. She was also an avid diarist, recording many of her experiences in the province.

In 1796, she returned to Wolford Lodge, where she would live for the remainder of her life. She remained active as an artist, and although she maintained active correspondence with friends in Upper Canada, she never returned. She died in 1850 at the age on 87.

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Francis Gwillim Simcoe

Francis Gwillim Simcoe was born in 1791, accompanying his parents—John Graves Simcoe and Elizabeth Posthuma Simcoe—to Upper Canada, where he spent his infancy and early childhood. In 1793, John Graves Simcoe purchased a tract of land east of the town of York, and built a summer residence, naming it Castle Frank in his son's honour. At age 17, he entered the British army as an Ensign, and in 1809, he was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant and assigned to Wellington's army in Iberian Peninsula. He took an active part in the campaigns in Portugal and Spain and was fatally wounded during the assault on the Portuguese town of Adajos in 1812.

Eliza (Elizabeth) Simcoe

Eliza Simcoe was the eldest daughter of John Graves and Elizabeth Posthuma Simcoe. She was born ca. 1784 and lived until 1865. She resided at Wolford Lodge throughout her life, alongside her three younger sisters born before Simcoe's term in Upper Canada. Simcoe took an active part in the promotion of the careers of other members of the family, particularly John K. Simcoe, an officer in the Royal Navy. She also worked to preserve the papers and memory of her parents. Eliza may have been responsible for the arrangement of her mother's sketches into binders and scrap books.

Scope and content:

This accession consists of textual and cartographic materials documenting the lives of several members of the Simcoe family in the United Kingdom and Canada. It covers the activities of four members of the Simcoe family, John Graves Simcoe, Elizabeth

Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe, their son Francis Gwillim Simcoe, and their eldest daughter, Eliza Simcoe. The fonds also contains material documenting the activities of various other members of their extended family and descendants.

Materials documenting the activities of John Grave Simcoe include correspondence, reports and cartographic material documenting his service in the British army in North America and England, his five years as Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada and his unofficial activities as a landowner managing Wolford Lodge throughout his professional career.

Elizabeth Simcoe's activities are documented through several diaries that predominantly cover her time accompanying her husband in Upper Canada. Her life after this, spent in England, is also represented through a significantly smaller extent of diaries and correspondence with relatives and friends. Her diaries are accompanied by a large extent of watercolour sketches and maps that illustrate scenes in Upper and Lower Canada represented in the diaries.

The military activities of Francis Gwillim Simcoe in the early 19th century are represented by a single series of correspondence and a personal journal. Similarly, the activities of Eliza Simcoe are captured in a single series containing correspondence with friends and relatives.

Materials related to other members of the Simcoe family, including Captain John Simcoe, and John K. Simcoe, the father and grandson of John Graves Simcoe, respectively, are included in a single series. This series also includes genealogical information related to the Creed, Cole, and Hubert families, descended from Simcoe.

The fonds also includes three series of oversized materials that document the same activities as other series in the fonds, but for reasons of size, have been kept separate from the series to which they correspond.

Contains series:

1. John Graves Simcoe – Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada – Chronological files
 - Background material on Canada
 - Correspondence and administrative files
2. John Graves Simcoe – Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada – Letter books
 - Henry Dundas, Secretary of State for Home Affairs
 - Lord Dorchester, Governor in Chief
 - Duke of Portland, Secretary of State for Home Affairs
 - Lieutenant Governor's Office
 - Brigade Major's Department
 - General orders
 - General letter books

3. John Graves Simcoe – Military appointments
 - American Revolution
 - Saint-Domingue
 - Devonshire
4. John Graves Simcoe – Subject files
 - Military
 - Commissions and appointments
 - Miscellaneous papers
5. John Graves Simcoe – Maps and plans
 - Upper Canada
 - Quebec and British North America
 - United States
 - North America
 - Saint-Domingue
 - French military plans
 - Celestial charts
 - Plans of galleys
 - Oversized maps from other series
 - Notes accompanying maps
6. John Graves Simcoe – Wolford Lodge
7. John Graves Simcoe – St. Clair's expedition to the Ohio
8. Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Diaries
9. Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Correspondence
10. Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Subject files
11. Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Sketches
 - Loose sketches
 - Sketchbook
 - Miscellaneous sketches and fragments
12. Francis Gwillim Simcoe – Correspondence
13. Eliza Simcoe – Correspondence
14. Simcoe estate – Wolford Chapel
15. Simcoe estate – Genealogy
16. Simcoe estate – Property and finances
17. Simcoe estate – Family papers
18. Oversized documents
19. Oversized sketches
20. Mounted sketches

Custodial History:

Material was donated to the University of Toronto Library in 1945 by R. Samuel McLaughlin. Prior to this, the Simcoe Family papers were held by the descendants of John Graves Simcoe. His eldest daughter, Eliza Simcoe, retained possession of them until her death in 1865. Between 1859 and 1861, a portion of the records were loaned to the Canadian Library of Parliament for arrangement and partial copying. Upon Eliza's death, the records passed to the children of Reverend Henry Addington Simcoe, Eliza's only surviving brother. McLaughlin purchased the records from these descendants and donated them in their entirety to the University of Toronto Library.

In 1952, the Simcoe Papers and three other collections belonging to the University of Toronto Library, were sent on indefinite loan to the Archives of Ontario, as the University of Toronto Library did not have the proper facilities to care for them at the time.

In 2024, the material was transferred back to the Rare Books and Special Collections Department at the University of Toronto and kept at the Thomas Fisher Rare Book Library.

Note: A column has been added to the listing of files in each series indicating the accession number used by the Archives of Ontario. This is intended to help convert the old accession number into the new Box:Folder Number identifiers now being used for the materials.

Arrangement: The arrangement mostly reflects how the materials were received upon transfer from the Archives of Ontario. It is unclear how this arrangement was settled upon. The arrangement has only been altered in cases where items have needed interfiling, materials lacked accession numbers, or files were physically separate from the rest of their series. The latter of these conditions has resulted in 3 new series for oversized materials (see Series 18, 19, and 20 for notes on these) and one new sub-series (see "Oversize maps from other series" sub-series in Series 5).

Access: Material may be requested in person at the Fisher Library Reference Desk, or in advance using our online stack retrieval request form: <https://aeon.library.utoronto.ca>.

For conservation purposes, the entirety of Series 11, "Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Sketches" is restricted from public use. Digital scans of the contents of this series can be found

at https://commons.m.wikimedia.org/wiki/Category:Images_from_Archives_of_Ontario_-_Series_F_47-11_Elizabeth_Simcoe_sketches.

Series 1: John Graves Simcoe – Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada – Chronological files

Date(s):

1762-1807

Extent:

54 folders of textual material (68.5 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of chronologically arranged correspondence, reports, government documents, returns, and statements. They provide information on John Graves Simcoe's administration of Upper Canada as its Lieutenant-Governor.

The material has been divided into two sub-series, entitled "Background material on Canada," and "Correspondence and administrative files."

The "Background material on Canada" sub-series consists of correspondence, reports, copies of treaties, and other documents arranged in chronological order. Simcoe collected these after his appointment to the Lieutenant-Governorship of Upper Canada. Simcoe likely acquired this material to provide himself with a source of reference material on conditions in Upper Canada. For the most part, the documents are copies of material sent to England and Quebec as part of the official administration. Correspondents include Sir William Johnson, Joseph Brant, Colonel John Butler and deal with settlement, relations with the United States and Indigenous nations, and Loyalist claims. The material from 1790-1791 includes correspondence to and from Simcoe reflecting his active efforts to obtain information on the province.

The "Correspondence and administrative files" sub-series consists of the body of official correspondence, reports, and other records created during John Graves Simcoe's tenure as Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada. The records include information relating to the establishment of the legislature and the first years of civil administration in Upper Canada. This includes correspondence relating to the conduct of surveys, problems faced by surveyors and settlers in laying out farming and town lots, and the problems of developing an agricultural and trade economy with limited roads and a small population. These concerns reflect the active role Simcoe took in studying and recording the resources of Upper Canada, including taking extensive inspection tours, ordering the survey and construction of roads, and the improvement of water communications.

This sub-series also reflects Simcoe's role in the military affairs of Upper Canada and the related topics of Indigenous nations and the United States. During the period, Simcoe's responsibilities included the military posts retained by Britain in territory ceded

to the United States under the Treaty of Paris, 1783. Simcoe's term of office coincided with the final transfer of these posts to American control under Jay's Treaty, 1793. It was part of Simcoe's responsibility to ensure that British political and economic relations with the Shawnee, Wandát (Wyandot), Myaamiaki (Miami), and other nations were not affected by the withdrawal. It was also his responsibility to organize the defence of the province, including maintaining its alliance with First Nations, and to avoid any act that would lead to conflict with the United States.

Note:

Much of the material found in this series has been published in: Cruikshank, E.A. ed. *The Correspondence of Lieut. Governor John Graves Simcoe, with allied documents relating to his administration of the government of Upper Canada*. (Toronto: Ontario Historical Society). While this work provides historical context to the material, it contains edited versions of the notes and omits routine military and administrative matters.

Arrangement:

Three files originally from this series were arranged into Series 18, "Oversized documents" to account for their existing physical arrangement. Files 34:1, 34:2, and 34:3 were physically separate from the rest of this series upon transfer from the AO, and the intellectual arrangement has been altered to reflect this.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession number
	<u>Background Material on Canada</u>		
1:1	Correspondence, Reports and Returns	1762-1787	F 47-1-1-1
1:2	Report on the Forts, Locations, Vessels etc. around the lakes	1788	F 47-1-1-3
1:3	Various Documents: extracts, speeches, treaties	1788-1789	F 47-1-1-4
1:4	Letters, returns, reports, January to September	1790	F 47-1-1-5
1:5	Letters, returns, reports, October to December	1790	F 47-1-1-6
1:6	Letters, returns, reports, January to February	1791	F 47-1-1-7
1:7	Letters, returns, reports, March	1791	F 47-1-1-8
1:8	Letters, returns, reports, April to August	1791	F 47-1-1-9

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession number
1:9	Letters, returns, reports, September	1791	F 47-1-1-10
1:10	Letters, returns, reports, October	1791	F 47-1-1-11
	<u>Correspondence and Administrative Files</u>		
2:1	Official Correspondence [?] to March	1792	F 47-1-2-1
2:2	Official Correspondence, April	1792	F 47-1-2-2
2:3	Official Correspondence, May to July	1792	F 47-1-2-3
2:4	Official Correspondence, August	1792	F 47-1-2-4
2:5	Official Correspondence, September	1792	F 47-1-2-5
2:6	Official Correspondence, October	1792	F 47-1-2-6
2:7	Official Correspondence, November to December	1792	F 47-1-2-7
2:8	Official Correspondence	1793	F 47-1-2-8
2:9	Official Correspondence, January to February	1793	F 47-1-2-9
3:1	Official Correspondence, March to April	1793	F 47-1-2-10
3:2	Official Correspondence, May	1793	F 47-1-2-11
3:3	Official Correspondence, June	1793	F 47-1-2-12
3:4	Official Correspondence, to July 22	1793	F 47-1-2-13
3:5	Official Correspondence, July 23 to July, 31	1793	F 47-1-2-14
3:6	Official Correspondence, August	1793	F 47-1-2-15
3:7	Official Correspondence, September	1793	F 47-1-2-16
3:8	Official Correspondence, October	1793	F 47-1-2-17
3:9	Official Correspondence, November to December	1793	F 47-1-2-18

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession number
3:10	Official Correspondence, to February 10	1794	F 47-1-2-19
4:1	Official Correspondence, February 17 to April 29	1794	F 47-1-2-20
4:2	Official Correspondence, May	1794	F 47-1-2-21
4:3	Official Correspondence, June	1794	F 47-1-2-23
4:4	Official Correspondence, July	1794	F 47-1-2-24
4:5	Official Correspondence, to August 8	1794	F 47-1-2-25
4:6	Official Correspondence, August 10 to August 31	1794	F 47-1-2-26
4:7	Official Correspondence, September	1794	F 47-1-2-27
4:8	Official Correspondence, October	1794	F 47-1-2-28
4:9	Official Correspondence, November	1794	F 47-1-2-29
4:10	Official Correspondence, December	1794	F 47-1-2-30
5:1	Official Correspondence, to February	1795	F 47-1-2-31
5:2	Official Correspondence, March to May	1795	F 47-1-2-32
5:3	Official Correspondence, June to July	1795	F 47-1-2-33
5:4	Official Correspondence, August	1795	F 47-1-2-34
5:5	Official Correspondence, September to October	1795	F 47-1-2-35
5:6	Official Correspondence, November to December	1795	F 47-1-2-36

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5:7	Official Correspondence, January	1796	F 47-1-2-37
5:8	Official Correspondence, February to March	1796	F 47-1-2-38
5:9	Official Correspondence, April	1796	F 47-1-2-39
6:1	Official Correspondence, May	1796	F 47-1-2-40
6:2	Official Correspondence, June	1796	F 47-1-2-41
6:3	Official Correspondence, July to December	1796	F 47-1-2-42
6:4	Correspondence on Upper Canada	1797-1807	F 47-1-2-43
6:5	Transcriptions, fragments and drafts	1791? - 1796?	F 47-1-2-44
6:6	Transcriptions, fragments and drafts	c.1780 - c.1800	F 47-1-2-45

Series 2: John Graves Simcoe – Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada – Letter books

Date(s):

1763-1797

Extent:

31 folders of textual material (46 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of letter books kept by John Graves Simcoe during his tenure as Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada. The deal with subjects such as relations with Indigenous nations, military preparations, civilian settlement, and the general administration of the province. They have been grouped into 7 sub-series according to the individual correspondent, by function, or by office. Wherever possible, the original divisions established by Simcoe and his staff have been retained.

The 7 sub-series are "Henry Dundas, Secretary of State for Home Affairs," "Lord Dorchester, Governor-in-Chief," "Duke of Portland, Secretary of State for Home Affairs," "Lieutenant-Governor's Office," "Brigade Major's Department," "General Orders," and "General Letter Books."

The "Henry Dundas, Secretary of State for Home Affairs" sub-series consists of dispatches from Simcoe to Henry Dundas during the latter's term as Secretary of State for Home Affairs, with responsibility for the administration of colonies. The correspondence relates primarily to the defence of the province and the state of relations with Indigenous peoples in Canada and the United States.

The "Lord Dorchester, Governor-in-Chief" sub-series consists of Simcoe's correspondence with Lord Dorchester, Sir Guy Carleton, Governor-in-Chief of Upper and Lower Canada. Under the terms of the *Constitutional Act, 1791*, the Lieutenant-Governor was the subordinate of the Governor at Quebec in military affairs but managed civil administration directly under the authority of the home government. These letters relate to general discussions of relations with Indigenous peoples, settlement, and the overall administration of Upper Canada. A copy of Lord Dorchester's instructions concerning his appointment as Governor-General are included here.

The "Duke of Portland, Secretary of State for Home Affairs" sub-series consists of Simcoe's correspondence with the Duke of Portland, Secretary of State for Home Affairs, responsible for colonial administration. The correspondence deal with relations with Indigenous nations, the United States, military affairs, and the progress of settlement in the province.

The "Lieutenant-Governor's Office" subseries consists of outgoing correspondence from E.B. Littlehales, Simcoe's Aide de Camp and Brigade Major. For the purposes of the Office of the Lieutenant Governor, Littlehales served as a personal secretary to Simcoe. The bulk of the letters deal with routine matters of provincial administration. They include surveys, responses to memorials and petitions, and correspondence regarding supplies and equipment required for the administration of the province.

The "Brigade Major's Department" sub-series consists of outgoing correspondence by Captain E.B. Littlehales in his capacity as Simcoe's Brigade Major. This official functioned essentially as a military secretary for the Lieutenant-Governor. The letters include subjects such as the prevention of desertion from frontier posts, questions of supply, discipline, and the maintenance of fortifications in the province.

The "General Orders" sub-series consists of chronological copies of General Orders issued by Simcoe, Littlehales, and other senior officers in Upper and Lower Canada. The material relates to the conduct of troops in the various posts scattered through the province, appointments, commissions, and promotions.

The “General letter books” sub-series consists of letter books maintained by Simcoe and Littlehales between 1792 and 1796 that do not relate to any function or office. They include correspondence on general topics relating to the development and administration of the province.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
	<u>Henry Dundas, Secretary of State for Home Affairs</u>		
6:7	Letters to and from Mr. Dundas, General Clarke and Mr. Hammond, Irregularly entered	1792-1793	F 47-2-1-1
6:8	Dispatches to the Right Hon'ble H. Dundas Commencing in August 1783 and ending in November 1783 from No.'s 16 to 20 inclusive and a letter from Mr. Dundas Marked # 1,	1793	F 47-2-1-2
6:9	Dispatches to the Right Hon'ble H. Dundas as commencing in July and ending in September from No.'s 30 to 37 inclusive,	1794	F 47-2-1-3
	<u>Lord Dorchester, Governor in Chief</u>		
7:1	Lord Dorchester's Commission Sundry Instructions how his Government was to be carried out	1791	F 47-2-2-1
7:2	To and from Lord Dorchester commencing with His Excellency's first letter, October 31, 1793 and ending the 30th of April, 1794	1793-1794	F 47-2-2-2
7:3	To and from Lord Dorchester commencing with His Lordship's No. 7 & ending with His Excellency's Letter 5, September, 1794	1794	F 47-2-2-3
7:4	To and from Lord Dorchester commencing with His Lordship's No. 15 and ending with His Excellency's No. 70	1794-1795	F 47-2-2-4
	<u>Duke of Portland, Secretary of State for Home Affairs</u>		
7:5	No. 1 To and from His Grace the Duke of Portland - commencing with his Grace's Circular letter and ending with His	1794	F 47-2-3-1

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
	Excellency's Dispatches from No.'s 1 to 27 inclusive, with a few letters not numbered		
7:6	No. 2 To and from His Grace the Duke of Portland Commencing with His Excellency's No. 28	1795	F 47-2-3-2
7:7	[Simcoe-Portland Correspondence]	1796	F 47-2-3-3
	<u>Lieutenant Governor's Office</u>		
8:1	No. 1 Lieutenant Governor's Office Commencing March 13th, 1793,	1793	F 47-2-4-1
8:2	No. 2 Lieutenant Governor's Office Commencing September the 8th	1793-1794	F 47-2-4-2
8:3	No. 3 Lieutenant Governor's Office, October to December,	1794	F 47-2-4-3
8:4	No. 4 Lieutenant Governor's Office Commencing 12th July, 1795	1795-1796	F 47-2-4-4
8:5	No. 5 Lieutenant Governor's Office Commencing 15 February	1796	F 47-2-4-5
	<u>Brigade Major's Department</u>		
8:6	No. 2 Major of Brigades Department Commencing 24th July	1793	F 47-2-5-1
8:7	No. 3 Major of Brigades Department Commencing November 26, 1793	1793-1794	F 47-2-5-2
8:8	No. 4 Major of Brigades Department Commencing January, 1795	1795	F 47-2-5-3
8:9	No. 5 Brigade Major's Department Commencing June 17th, 1795, and ending 20th October, 1795	1795	F 47-2-5-4
8:10	Major of Brigades Office	1794-1795	F 47-2-5-5
8:11	Captain Green Military Secretary Letters to His Excellency & E.B. Littlehales Commencing 13th May, 1795	1795	F 47-2-5-6
	<u>General Orders</u>		
8:12	No. 1 Copies of General Orders of Lower and Upper Canada Commencing with the Appointment of Brigade Major Littlehales	1792-1794	F 47-2-6-1

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
8:13	No. 2 Copies of General Orders of Lower and Upper Canada Commencing in August, 1794	1794-1796	F 47-2-6-2
8:14	Sundry Returns and General Orders Etc. Incorrectly entered	1792-1793	F 47-2-6-3
	<u>General letter books</u>		
9:1	Extracts [various letter books]	1792-1793	F 47-2-7-4
9:2	From Gen'l Simcoe's first Return from England containing Most Valuable Information relative to the prospects of the Country	1791-1796	F 47-2-7-1
10:1	General Simcoe's Personal Narrative of his Service - Valuable Documents - His Father with General Wolfe	1794-1797	F 47-2-7-2
10:2	Correspondence with Colonel McKee, Indian Department	1794-1796	F 47-2-7-3
11:1	Letter Copy Book	1791-1792	F 47-2-7-5
11:2	To Mr. Hammond From Nos. 1 to 9 Inclusive with sundry records not numbered and to Mr. Bond His Majesty's Charge d'Affaires commencing 5th October, 1795	1794-1795	F 47-2-7-6
11:3	Governor Simcoe to the Lords of the Committee of His Majesty's Council for Trade and Plantations	1794	F 47-2-7-7
11:4	Indian Affairs (copy book)	1763-1791	F 47-2-7-8

Series 3: John Graves Simcoe – Military appointments

Date(s):

1768-1806

Extent:

43 folders of textual material (70.5 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of documents related to Simcoe's military career from his enlistment as an ensign until his death shortly after his appointment as Commander of British forces in India in 1806. It includes correspondence and reports relating to his command activities and military life.

The series has been divided into three sub-series based on the major periods of Simcoe's active military service. They are entitled "American Revolution," "Saint-Domingue" and "Devonshire."

The "American Revolution" sub-series consists of chronological correspondence files relating to Simcoe's military career between 1768 and 1781. The files include correspondence received, copies of proclamations and speeches relating to the American Revolution, and documents acquired during his American service.

The bulk of the papers deal with his activities during the American Revolution including the Siege of Boston and Burgoyne's invasion from Canada in 1777. Following his experience during the latter of these campaigns, Simcoe supported the creation of light infantry units raised locally, using the same military tactics as the Americans. As a result, he was commissioned as a Colonel in command of the Queen's Rangers, operating out of New York and Virginia between 1777 and 1781. Shortly before Lord Cornwallis was compelled to surrender at Yorktown, Simcoe received permission to return to England for reasons of health.

The "Saint-Domingue" subseries consists of incoming correspondence to Simcoe and copies of documents sent to him prior to his posting to Saint-Domingue (present day Haiti) in 1797. The series includes reports on the service of the local French planters in the British Legion, general conditions of life on the island, and a local force raised to fight against both formerly enslaved freedom seekers and Revolutionary France.

The "Devonshire" sub-series primarily deals with Simcoe's commands in Devonshire, initially as a Major-General in command at Plymouth and then as Lieutenant-General in command of Devonshire throughout the period of apprehended invasion from France. The correspondence and supporting documentation found in this sub-series detail military preparation, training, and supply during the middle period of the French Revolutionary and Napoleonic Wars. The sub-series contains a large number of returns and schedules detailing human and material resources available. These reflect Simcoe's duty in these positions to identify and safeguard the resources of the county. Additionally, the sub-series contains information related to routes for moving civilians and livestock away from threatened areas, discussions of the types of defence required for the coast and interior, and information relating to the training and equipment of "yeomen" and militia forces, and their relationship to regular troops in garrison at Plymouth and the Isle of Scilly.

This sub-series, additionally, contains a block of files from the spring of 1801 that deal with a period of civil unrest and the use of the military as an aid to civil power. During food riots and protests over high costs of living, Simcoe performed a dual role as commander of the forces responsible for the suppression of unrest and as magistrate investigating the disturbances.

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	<u>American Revolution</u>		
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12:1	Correspondence	1796	F 47-3-2-1
12:2	Correspondence	1797	F 47-3-2-2
12:3	Notes Relating to Saint-Domingue	1795-1796	F 47-3-2-3
12:4	Accounts and Military Organization in Saint-Domingue	1797	F 47-3-2-4
	<u>Devonshire</u>		
12:5	Correspondence, January to April	1798	F 47-3-3-1
12:6	Correspondence, May 14 th to 27 th	1798	F 47-3-3-2
12:7	Correspondence, May 27 th to 30 th	1798	F 47-3-3-3
12:8	Correspondence, May, undated	1798	F 47-3-3-4
12:9	Correspondence, May to July	1798	F 47-3-3-5
13:1	Correspondence, July to October	1798	F 47-3-3-6
13:2	Correspondence, October to December	1798	F 47-3-3-7
13:3	Correspondence, January to May	1799	F 47-3-3-8
13:4	Correspondence, May to September	1799	F 47-3-3-9
13:5	Correspondence, September to December	1799	F 47-3-3-10
13:6	Correspondence	1800	F 47-3-3-11
14:1	Correspondence, January to March	1801	F 47-3-3-12
14:2	Correspondence, March	1801	F 47-3-3-13

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14:3	Correspondence, March to April 4 th	1801	F 47-3-3-14
14:4	Correspondence, April 4 th to 11 th	1801	F 47-3-3-15
14:5	Correspondence, April 12 th to 20 th	1801	F 47-3-3-16
14:6	Correspondence, April 21 st to 30 th	1801	F 47-3-3-17
14:7	Correspondence, May to July	1801	F 47-3-3-18
15:1	Correspondence, July to August	1801	F 47-3-3-19
15:2	Correspondence, September to December	1801	F 47-3-3-20
15:3	Correspondence	1802	F 47-3-3-21
15:4	Correspondence, January to June	1803	F 47-3-3-22
15:5	Correspondence, July to September	1803	F 47-3-3-23
15:6	Correspondence, September to October	1803	F 47-3-3-24
15:7	Correspondence, October to November	1803	F 47-3-3-25
16:1	Correspondence, November to December	1803	F 47-3-3-26
16:2	Correspondence, December	1803	F 47-3-3-27
16:3	Correspondence, January to March	1804	F 47-3-3-28
16:4	Correspondence, March to May	1804	F 47-3-3-29
16:5	Correspondence, May to July 12 th	1804	F 47-3-3-30

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16:6	Correspondence, July 13 th to September	1804	F 47-3-3-30
16:7	Correspondence, September to October	1804	F 47-3-3-31
16:8	Correspondence, November to December	1804	F 47-3-3-31
16:9	Correspondence, January to April	1805	F 47-3-3-32
17:1	Correspondence, April to May	1805	F 47-3-3-33
17:2	Correspondence, June to July	1805	F 47-3-3-33
17:3	Correspondence, August to September 12	1805	F 47-3-3-33
17:4	Correspondence, September 12 to October	1805	F 47-3-3-33
17:5	Correspondence, October to December	1805	F 47-3-3-34
17:6	Correspondence, January to August	1806	F 47-3-3-35
17:7	Correspondence, August to November	1806	F 47-3-3-35

Series 4: John Graves Simcoe – Subject files

Date(s):

c.1765-1819

Extent:

20 folders of textual material (21.5 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of files relating to Simcoe's military career and personal attainments. Many of the statistical returns relating to the defence of southern England are similar to those found in the chronological correspondence (Series 3). However,

they are not connected with any covering letters or other documentation like those found in chronological files. Other materials found in this series appear to have been set aside because of the particular interest or correspondent involved.

The series is divided into three sub-series named “Military,” “Commissions and appointments,” and “Miscellaneous papers.”

The “Military” sub-series consists of correspondence, returns, and related documents dealing with various aspects of Simcoe’s military career, primarily during his period of command in southern England.

The “Commissions and appointments” sub-series consists of certificates, appointments, and commissions primarily relating to Simcoe’s military career. It includes copies of Simcoe’s appointment as Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada in 1791.

The “Miscellaneous papers” sub-series consists of correspondence and documents collected by Simcoe during his military and political career. It includes additional correspondence relating to the riots in Devonshire in 1801 and a selection of correspondence with Admiral, Earl St. Vincent.

Arrangement:

The file in 34:4 contains returns that were initially included in this series upon transfer from the AO. This file has been moved to Series 18, “Oversized documents” to allow for its intellectual arrangement to correspond with its physical arrangement.

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	<u>Military</u>		
18:1	General Orders Issued By Simcoe	1798-1800	F 47-4-1-3
18:2	Notes – Military Planning	[ca.1799-1806]	F 47-4-1-5
18:3-4	Schedules of Supplies – Devon	[ca.1799-1806]	F 47-4-1-6
18:5	Signals – Communications	[ca.1799-1806]	F 47-4-1-7
18:6	Returns of Troops and Supplies in the Western District	1799	F 47-4-1-8
18:7	Reports and Returns Relating to Coastal Defence	[ca.1799-1806]	F 47-4-1-9
	<u>Commissions and appointments</u>		
18:8	Subscription certificate, Oxford University	1769	F 47-4-2-1

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18:9	Simcoe's Commission as Adjutant to the 35th Regiment of Foot	1772	F 47-4-2-2
18:10	Appointment of Simcoe as Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada [copies]	1791	F 47-4-2-3
18:11	Appointment as Deputy Lieutenant for Devonshire	1799	F 47-4-2-4
18:12	Simcoe's Appointment to Command At Plymouth	1799	F 47-4-2-5
	<u>Miscellaneous papers</u>		
19:1	Correspondence between Simcoe and Admiral, the Earl of St. Vincent	1801	F 47-4-3-1
19:2	Remarks on the W. District & Letters on the Riots	1801	F 47-4-3-2
19:3	Printed Proclamations and related documents	1784-1791	F 47-4-3-3
19:4	Miscellaneous Notes	[ca.1796-1806]	F 47-4-3-4
19:5	Latin copy book	[ca.1765-1770]	F 47-4-3-5
19:6	Copy book	[1770-1806]	F 47-4-3-6
19:7	Notes and Draft Correspondence	[ca.1780-1806]	F 47-4-3-7
19:8	Catalogue of Mineralogy Specimens	18--?	F 47-4-3-8
19:9	Miscellaneous Letters between John Graves Simcoe and Elizabeth Simcoe	[ca.1780-1819]	F 47-4-3-9

Series 5: John Graves Simcoe – Maps and plans

Date(s):

1757-1843

Extent:

105 maps

5 technical drawings

1 folder of textual material (0.3 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of manuscript and printed maps collected by John Graves Simcoe and members of his family, reflecting their personal, political, and administrative interests.

The series consists of ten sub-series. Most sub-series are formed on the basis of a shared subject matter. They are: "Upper Canada," "Quebec and British North America," "United States," "North America," "Saint-Domingue," "French military plans," "Celestial charts," "Plans of galleys," "Oversized maps from other series," and "Notes accompanying maps."

The "Upper Canada" sub-series consists primarily of manuscript maps, the majority of which were prepared for or acquired by John Graves Simcoe during his tenure as Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada. The sub-series includes the work of prominent colonial surveyors and officials such as Alexander Aitken, Joseph Bouchette, William Chewett, Augustus Jones, Patrick McNiff, and D.W. Smith. In addition, a number of plans have been attributed to Elizabeth Simcoe.

The maps reflect Simcoe's interest in colonial planning and are closely linked to his administration's pre-occupation with settlement and defence against invasion from the United States. They document his travels throughout Upper Canada and his efforts to create strategic communications and defensive infrastructure through the construction of roads and the establishment of settlements and fortifications throughout the colony. These maps have been arranged chronologically.

The "Quebec and British North America" sub-series consists of manuscript and printed maps and plans of Quebec and British North America. Simcoe's father, Captain John Simcoe, a naval officer, died in 1759 during the Quebec campaign of the Seven Years War. Simcoe, consequently, had an interest in that campaign. In addition, Simcoe's ongoing interest in colonial settlement and defence is reflected in a number of surveys of the St. Lawrence, particularly between the Richelieu Rapids and Quebec, and in a survey of the Fredericton area in New Brunswick.

The "United States" sub-series consists of manuscript and printed maps of the United States. A number of maps date to the period of the Seven Years War and the American Revolution, reflecting Simcoe's interest in these two conflicts.

The maps and plans originating during Simcoe's tenure as Lieutenant Governor are concerned with the southern Great Lakes region and reflect his preoccupation with the defense of Upper Canada and his responsibility for overseeing the transfer of British border posts to the United States under Jay's Treaty (1793). In addition, a number of the maps relate to Simcoe's efforts to preserve British influence in the Ohio Valley and

maintain relations between the British government and the Shawnee, Wa'ndát (Wyandot), Myaamiaki (Miami) nations.

The “North America” sub-series consists of maps of North America published by the Society for the Diffusion of Useful Knowledge. The maps were enclosed in a folder (Map 75) (dated 1840) advertising various map series produced by the Society. The first 14 items were published as part of the British North American and United States component of “A Series of Maps, Modern and Ancient,” engraved by J. & C. Walker and published for the Society by Baldwin & Cradock. An 1843 Map of North America (Map 91) was also included in this folder and has been described as part of the unit. The sub-series did not originally contain Sheet III of the series of maps. A negative reproduction of Sheet III, however, was included in a group of seemingly randomly selected reproduction included with the greater “Maps and plans” series. Thus, this negative reproduction has been included in this series to account for the missing original. Annotations on the maps suggest they were collected by Eliza Simcoe.

The “Saint-Domingue” sub-series consists of one map, prepared for Simcoe during his tenure as Lieutenant Governor of Saint-Domingue (now known as Haiti).

The “French military plans” sub-series consists of plans of the coast of France showing military routes and fortifications during the Seven Years War.

The “Celestial charts” sub-series consists of three celestial charts. It is unclear which member of the Simcoe family collected these charts.

The “Plans of galleys” sub-series consists of plans for battle ships and naval configurations attributed to Captain John Simcoe.

The “Oversize maps from other series” sub-series consists of maps physically included alongside the rest of Series 5. The received finding aid lists them, however, as a part of other series in the fonds. They have been arranged into a sub-series here so that their intellectual arrangement matches their physical arrangement. It includes material from Series 1 (John Graves Simcoe - Chronological Files), 3 (John Graves Simcoe - Military Appointments), and 12 (Francis Gwillim Simcoe).

The “Notes accompanying maps” sub-series consists of a manuscript list of maps. It accompanies the maps at the time of their acquisition by the University of Toronto. While the authorship of the list cannot be determined, it evidently originated after the Simcoe period.

Map Number OR Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
	<u>Upper Canada</u>		
Map 1	Plan of Toronto	1788	F 47-5-1-0-1
Map 2	Plan of Toronto; [Verso: "Toronto or York Harbour"]	1788	F 47-5-1-0-2
Map 3	[Sketch of the eastern part of Upper Canada]	[1790]	F 47-5-1-0-3
Map 4	[Sketch of the Great Lakes area] [Verso: "Course of vessels from Detroit to Lachine, from Detroit to the entrance of Huron..."]	[ca. 1790]	F 47-5-1-0-4
Map 5	A Plan of part of the District of Hesse commencing near Point Pelê in the North Shore of Lake Erie and extending from thence along the waters edge to the entrance of River La Tranche on the East Shore of Lake St Clair and from the entrance of the said River up to the 2d Fork of the same delineated from actual survey made in the years of 1789 and 1790 [Recto: "No 1"]; [Verso: "Detroit shore"; "Bois Blanc"; "L. Erie & the La Tranche"; "L. Erie Shore"; "River la Tranche its mouth to the [?]"]	January 1791	F 47-5-1-0-5
Map 6	A Plan of Lake Erie Detroit River, part of Lake St. Clair and River La Tranche from Actual Surveys made in the Years 1789, 1790, & 1791, That part of Lake St. Clair Coloured Yellow is Copied from Capt Henry Ford's Coasting Survey; The Inland parts Coloured Yellow are inserted from Indian and other Sketches; The uncoloured part from Long Point to Fort Erie Copied from old French Surveys [Verso: "L. Erie Part Survey"]	May 1791	F 47-5-1-0-6

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Map 7	Plan for the better regulating and laying out the Town of Cornwall, formerly called New Johnstown, in the District of Luneburg, shewing the projection which it was [first settled] and that approved by the Board for the Land Office Department in the Year 1790, making it nearly correspond with the Plan ordered by His Excellency Guy Lord Dorchester in Councill the 17th February 1789, in consequence of which, an Investigati[on] was ordered but which was never carried into execution, the Board having business of more importance under consideration	7 February 1792	F 47-5-1-0-7
Map 8	Plan of the Town of Johnstown situated in the Township of Edwardsburgh in the District of Luneburg, with the Town Parks laid out to the end thereof in the year 1790. To...Governor Simcoe This Plan is most humbly presented... [Verso: "Johnstown in Cornwall"]	7 February 1792	F 47-5-1-0-8
Map 9	General Plan of the District of Luneburg, Compiled from the several plans in my possession, on which are laid down the names of the Officers who have drawn Land in this District, formerly belonging to the Corps serving in the Province of Quebec. To...Governor Simcoe, This Plan is most humbly presented... Verso: "District of Lunebourg and 3 maps Gananoqui, Iles au Baril, & Bay of Quinte & Presq'isle"]	7 February 1792	F 47-5-1-0-9
Map 10	Plan shewing the Town and Fort Proposed to be made opposite the Isle au Bois Blanc near the entrance of Detroit River and	April 1792	F 47-5-1-0-10

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	Soundings as found in May 1790 [Verso: "A", "No. 1"; "Three Plans of Salt Springs upon Lake Ontario, J. Collins; Bois Blanc, Detroit River; A Map of Detroit within this"]		
Map 11	Plan of the Town of Detroit and Fort Lernoult, situated on the Strait between the Lakes Erie and Huron...Taken from Actual Survey, August 1st 1792 [Verso: "Detroit and part of Lake Erie"]	1 August 1792	F 47-5-1-0-11
Map 12	[Sketch Map of Eastern North America]	[1792?]	F 47-5-1-0-12
Map 13	[Sketch of the River St. Lawrence from the Cascades to Oswegathy] [Verso: "with plans of Lake Champlain...13"; "Part of the St. Lawrence"]	[ca. 1792]	F 47-5-1-0-13
Map 14	Sketch of the Communication from York on Lake Ontario to Gloucester or Matchidash Bay Lake Huron taken by Lt. Pilkington of the Royl Engineers & Alexr Aitken, Dpy Surveyor in Octr 1793	October 1793	F 47-5-1-0-14
Map 15	[Sur]vey of the Road from Burlington Bay to the River Ouse; opened by the Queen's Rangers; in September & October 1793.	15 December 1793	F 47-5-1-0-15
Map 16	[Plan of the L Erie shoreline from Fort Erie to Long Point] [Verso: Long Point]	1793	F 47-5-1-0-16
Map 17	[Sketch of Queen's Town Harbour]	[1793?]	F 47-5-1-0-17
Map 18	[Sketch Map of the Niagara Peninsula, Lower Grand River and part of the River Thames] [Verso: "Ontario"; "Grand River & Indian Land"]	[1793?]	F 47-5-1-0-18
Map 19	[Sketch Map of the Great Lakes and eastern United States] [Verso: "Canada"]	[1793?]	F 47-5-1-0-19

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Map 20	[Map of Part of Eastern North America]	[1793?]	F 47-5-1-0-20
Map 21	Sketch of the Harbour of Prisque Isle. in the County of Northumberland Upper Canada [Verso: "Presqu'isle in Northumberland"]	June 1794	F 47-5-1-0-21
Map 22	Sketch of les Isles au Barrel with the soundings taken in fathoms	July 1794	F 47-5-1-0-22
Map 23	Plan and Section of the Ganonnoque [Verso: "3 Maps Gannanoqui, iles du Baril, Bay of Quinte"]	4 August 1794	F 47-5-1-0-23
Map 24	[Communication between Long Point and the Thames River] [Verso: "Lake Erie by Chewitt"]	10 September 1794	F 47-5-1-0-24
Map 25	Sketch of the Ruins of Fort Levy with the Soundings taken in fathoms [Verso: "Ft. Levy"]	1794	F 47-5-1-0-25
Map 26	[Map showing part of Marysburgh Township]	1794	F 47-5-1-0-26
Map 27	A Survey of Part of The River Thames, called Chatham Upper Canada [Verso: "River Thames"]	1794	F 47-5-1-0-27
Map 28	Geometrical elevation and Plan, of a Block House, built at Chatham on the River Thames, Upper Canada	1794	F 47-5-1-0-28
Map 29	Plan of Castle Frank Farm [Verso: "Castle Frank Farm"]	[1793 or 1794?]	F 47-5-1-0-29
Map 30	[Section of the River Thames] [Verso: "River Thames"]	[1794]	F 47-5-1-0-27
Map 31	Plan of Ye North Shore of Lake Ontario from York to Oswegatchie [Verso: "North Shore of Lake Ontario"]	[1794?]	F 47-5-1-0-30
Map 32	Plan of the Tongue of Land laying between a part of the Ottawa River and part of the river	1 August 1795	F 47-5-1-0-31

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	St. Lawrence including the Seigniories of New Longueil, of Rigaud, Vaudreuil and Soulange [Verso: "Fr. Lord Dorchester, dated 10th Septr 1795 to Lieut Govr Simcoe"]		
Map 33	Plan of part of the Land laying between a part of the Ottawa River, and part of the River St. Lawrence, including the Seigniories of Rigaud, New Longueuil, and the Township of Newton.	7 October 1795	F 47-5-1-0-32
Map 34	Plan of the Harbour of Presque Isle de Quinté, Surveyed by Order of His Excellency Lieutenant Governor Simcoe in September 1795, with the Soundings laid down in feet	21 October 1795	F 47-5-1-0-33
Map 35	Plan of the River Thames from the Upper Forks to its entrance into Lake St Clair. Copied from the original Surveys of Messrs Jones and McNiff [Verso: "River Thames & four plans of Chatham"]	7 November 1795	F 47-5-1-0-34
Map 36	[Negative Copy of] Plan of Dundas Street, on the North Side of Lake Ontario, from Burlington Bay, to the River Trent	18 November 1795	F 47-5-1-0-35
Map 37	The Town of Chatham, situate on a fork, of the River Thames, in the Western District and the Province of Upper Canada...Copied from an Original. by Mr. Abram Iredell, Novr 1st 1795	24 November 1795	F 47-5-1-0-36
Map 38	[Sketch Map of Upper Canada showing the routes Lt Gov Simcoe took on journeys between March 1793 and September 1795] [Verso: "Upper Canada"]	[1795]	F 47-5-1-0-37

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Map 39	The front of Two Townships at Long Point [and] The front of three Townships on the North Shore of Lake Erie	[1795?]	F 47-5-1-0-38
Map 40	Untitled [Verso: "Part of the River Thames"]	[1795?]	F 47-5-1-0-39
Map 41	Untitled [Verso: "County of Lincoln"]	[1795?]	F 47-5-1-0-40
Map 42	Plan of Six hundred Acres of Land Appropriated under an Order of Council for Richd Barnes Tickell, Esqr. Verso: "Land near Lake Ontario"]	June 1795	F 47-5-1-0-41
Map 43	Plan of the Different Channels leading from the Lake into Kingston Harbour with the Rocks Shoals & Soundings thereof [Verso: "Kingston Harbour"]	[1796?]	F 47-5-1-0-42
Map 44	[Untitled] "James Bramwall Toosey copied this from an actual survey" [Verso: "Detroit and Lake Erie"; "Hesse Indian Claims J.G.S."]	[179-]	F 47-5-1-0-43
Map 45	Actual Survey of the Narrows betwixt the Lake Erie and Sinclair [Verso: "Detroit River including ? and Bois Blanc"] [Verso: "Two Plans of Detroit by P. McNiff"]	[179-]	F 47-5-1-0-44
Map 46	A Map of the Province of Upper Canada, describing all the New Settlements, Townships, Etc. With the Countries Adjacent, from Quebec to Lake Huron. Compiled at the Request of His Excellency Major General John G. Simcoe, First Lieutenant Governor [Verso: "Upper Canada"]	12 April 1800	F 47-5-1-0-45
Map 47	Upper Canada [Verso: "Map of Upper Canada copied by Frank Mr. Sibbald"]	[183-]	F 47-5-1-0-46

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	<u>Quebec and British North America</u>		
Map 48	A Map of the City and Fortifications of Louisburg. From a Survey made by Richard Gridley...in 1745. Published by Thos Jefferys at Charing Cross...Octobr 9 1758 [Inset: "A Plan of the City and Harbour of Louisburg with the French Batteries that defended it, and those of the English shewing that part of Gabarus Bay, in which they landed and the Grounds on which the encamped during the Seige in 1758"] [Inset: "A Map of Gabarus Bay adjoining to Louisburg"]	1758	F 47-5-2-0-1
Map 49	Explanation of a Fort Projected at Déchambeault, made by order of the Honorable General James Murray in the year 1761 by Capt. Saml Holland; of ye 60th Regt [Verso: " St. Lawrence near Richilieu"]	1761	F 47-5-2-0-2
Map 50	"Lower Fort" [Verso: "Citadel"]	[176-?]	F 47-5-2-0-3
Map 51	Plan of the Town of Quebec, the Capital of Canada in North America, with the Bason & a part of the adjacent country shewing the principal encampments & works of the British Army Commanded by Major General Wolfe, & those of the French Army commanded by Lieutn General, the Marquis of MontCalm, during the siege of that place in 1759. [Verso: "Quebec"; "Quebec and the River St. Lawrence at the Time of the Siege"]	[176-?]	F 47-5-2-0-4
Map 52	A Map of the Inhabited Part of Canada from the French Surveys, with the Frontiers of New York and New England from the Large	25 February 1777	F 47-5-2-0-5

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	Survey By Claude Joseph Sauthier. Engraved by Wm Faden [Verso: "Part of Canada, New York & New England"; "A Map of Quebec within this"]		
Map 53	[Sketch Map of the St. Lawrence Area from Montreal to Isle d'Orleans] [Inset: Entrance to St. Charles River] [Verso: "Orleans"]	[179-?]	F 47-5-2-0-6
Map 54	[Richelieu Rapids]	[179-?]	F 47-5-2-0-7
Map 55	[St. Lawrence River from Richelieu Rapids to Quebec]	[179-?]	F 47-5-2-0-8
Map 56	[St. Lawrence River from Richelieu Rapids to Quebec] [Verso: "St. Lawrence near Richelieu"; "Soundings above Quebec"]	[179-?]	F 47-5-2-0-9
Map 57	A Plan of the River St. John in the Province of New Brunswick laid down from Actual Survey [Inset: "Plan of Fredericton"] [Verso: "River of St. John, New Brunswick"]	[179-?]	F 47-5-2-0-10
Map 58	Plan of Shorne Mead Battery in Canada	[17-]	F 47-5-2-0-11
Map 59	The Provinces of Lower Canada and New Brunswick	[183-?]	F 47-5-2-0-12
	<u>United States</u>		
Map 60	Map of the Country from the 40th Degree of Latitude to Lake Ontario comprehending New York, Jersey and Pensilvania with the Residences of the Six Nations [Verso: " This map is copied from an original map, endorsed 'This is the map which was laid before the Indians when the boundary line was agreed upon by them at Fort Stanwix, November the 4th and 5th 1760, & marked	October 1768	F 47-5-3-0-1

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Map 61	General Arnold's march from Fort Halifax on the Kennebec to Quebec [Verso: "General Arnold's March to Quebec, 1776"; "No. 15", "JGS"]	10 June 1776	F 47-5-3-0-2
Map 62	A Survey of Lake Champlain Including Lake George, Crown Point and St. John. Surveyed by Order of His Excellency Major General Sr Jeffery Amherst...by William Brassier in 1752 [Inset: "A Particular Plan of Lake George. Surveyed in 1756 by Capt. Jackson"] [Verso: "Lake Champlain"]	1788	F 47-5-3-0-3
Map 63	March of the Army under Lieut General Earl Cornwallis in Virginia. From the Junction of Petersburg on the 20th May 'till their arrival at Portsmouth on the 12th of July 1781 [Verso: "Virginia"]	[178-?]	F 47-5-3-0-4
Map 64	A Map Exhibiting A General View of the Roads and Inland Navigation of Pennsylvania and part of the Adjacent State	[178-?]	F 47-5-3-0-5
Map 65	[Map of the eastern United States - Delaware River to Atlantic Coast] [Verso: "American Map"]	[178-?]	F 47-5-3-0-6
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Map 67	Survey of the South Shore of Lake Erie commencing at the Narrows at Fort Erie and Ending at the entrance of Detroit Rr taken in 1789 by Henry Ford, Naval Offr. Patk McNiffe, Asst Surveyor [Verso: "Survey of the south shore of Lake Erie"]	[ca. 1790]	F 47-5-3-0-8

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Map 68	DeWitt's State Map of New York, 1st Sheet [Verso: "Printed Map of the State of New York & Virginia with part of the Susquehanna and Ohio Rivers"]	[ca. 1793]	F 47-5-3-0-9
Map 69	Part of Lake Ontario and Oswego Harbour [Verso: "Part of L. Ontario"]	[179-?]	F 47-5-3-0-10
Map 70	Plan of the entrance to the Harbour at Oswego [Verso: "D", "No. 4"; "Plan of Oswego Harbour"]	[179-?]	F 47-5-3-0-11
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Map 73	[Great Miami River Area]	[179-?]	F 47-5-3-0-13.2
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Map 76	Sheet I, Nova Scotia with Part of New Brunswick and Lower Canada	1832	F 47-5-4-1-1
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Map 87	Sheet XII, Georgia, with Parts of North Carolina, Tennessee, Alabama & Florida	1833	F 47-5-4-1-11
Map 88	Sheet XIII, Parts of Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama & Florida	1833	F 47-5-4-1-12
Map 89	Sheet XIV, Florida	1833	F 47-5-4-1-13
Map 90	British North America	1834	F 47-5-4-1-14
Map 91	North America	1843	F 47-5-4-1-15
	<u>Saint-Domingue</u>		
Map 92	Carte Générale de la Partie Francaise d'Isle de St. Domingue. Assujettie aux observations Astronomiques de Messieurs du Puységur de Borda et de Verdun Dédiée a son Excellence Le Lieutt Général John Graves Simcoe Gouverneur-Général de	1797	F 47-5-5-0-1

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	L'isle de Saint Domingue, etc. / Major T. Pechon		
	<u>French Military Plans</u>		
Map 93	A Plan of Rochfort. Drawn by a French Engineer in 1751. Published by T. Jeffreys at Charing Cross Novr 22 1757	22 November 1757	F 47-5-6-0-1
Map 94	A Plan of Rochelle. Drawn by a French Engineer in 1751. Published by T. Jeffreys at Charing Cross Novr 22 1757	22 November 1757	F 47-5-6-0-1
Map 95	A Chart of the Road of Basque and the Coast between Rochfort and Rochelle With the Islands of Ree Oleron and Aix; A Plan of the Town & Fort of Aix; as it was Fortified when taken by the English, 23d Sep. 1757. Drawn by a Volunteer. Published by T. Jeffreys at Charing Cross, Novr 22 1757.	22 November 1757	F 47-5-6-0-2.1; F 47-5-6-0-2.2
Map 96	A Plan of Fort Lupin one of the Forts on the River Charente, Drawn by an Engineer to the French King. Published by T. Jeffreys at Charing Cross Novr 22 1757	22 November 1757	F 47-5-6-0-3
	<u>Celestial charts</u>		
Map 97	A Scheme of the Solar System with the Orbits of the Planets and Comments belonging thereto...N. 297...Wm. Whiston. / Published by T. Bowles, Robt Sayer and John Bowles and Son [Verso: "Compass"; "Comets"; "Pedigree of England"]	[17-?]	F 47-5-7-0-1
Map 98	[Celestial Chart] No. 5. Circumjacent the North Pole / Society for the Diffusion of Useful Knowledge [Verso: "Northern Hemisphere"]	1841	F 47-5-7-0-2

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Map 99	[Celestial Chart] No. 6. Circumjacent the South Pole / Society for the Diffusion of Useful Knowledge [Verso: "Stars"]	1841	F 47-5-7-0-3
	<u>Plans of galleys</u>		
Map 100	[Drawing of siege towers and ships]	[175?-18?]	F 47-5-8-0-1
Map 101	[Layout of theoretical configuration of ships for naval engagement?]	[175?-18?]	F 47-5-8-0-2
Map 102	[Roof plan of part of a bastion?]	[175?-18?]	F 47-5-8-0-3
Map 103	[Layout of theoretical configuration of ships for naval engagement?]	[175?-18?]	F 47-5-8-0-4
Map 104	Drawing depicting layout of unidentified objects	[175?-18?]	F 47-5-8-0-5
	<u>Oversized maps from other series</u>		
Map 105	Bird's eye view of the site of the Forks- with a project for a Town taken from /a/ Mrs. Simcoe's intended villa [Oversized from Series 1]	[1793]	F47-1-2-8
Map 106	[Plan of St. Mary's and vicinity] [Oversized from Series 3]	[1803]	F47-3-3-27
Map 107	Sketch of the Garrison of Scilly [Oversized from Series 3]	1803	F47-3-3-27
Map 108	Campaign Map of Portugal and Spain [1812] Oversize from Series 12]	[1812]	F47-12-0-6
Map 109	Campaign Map of Portugal and Spain [1812] Oversize from Series 12]	[1812]	F47-12-0-6
Map 110	Annotated Campaign Map of Portugal and Spain, Dec 12th 1810, September 29th, 1811 [Oversize from Series 12]	[1812]	F47-12-0-6
	<u>Notes accompanying maps</u>		
19:10	Notes accompanying maps	[18-?]	F 47-5-9-1

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Series 6: John Graves Simcoe – Wolford Lodge

Date(s):
1781-1795

Extent:
5 folders of textual material (6 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of correspondence and related documents pertaining to Simcoe's semi-retirement from the military and the management of his estate, Wolford Lodge. Much of the correspondence is linked to Simcoe's efforts to achieve recognition for his services in the American revolution and aid for the officers and men who had served under his command. There is some information relating to family matters, including his marriage, the birth of his children, and the building and management of his estate, Wolford Lodge. There is a small amount of information relating to his term in the House of Commons. The last file relates to the management of Wolford Lodge during his term of office in Upper Canada.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
19:11	Correspondence	1781-1783	F 47-6-0-1
19:12	Correspondence	1784-1785	F 47-6-0-2
20:1	Correspondence	1786-1788	F 47-6-0-3
20:2	Correspondence	1789-1790	F 47-6-0-4
20:3	Correspondence	1791-1795	F 47-6-0-5

Series 7: John Graves Simcoe – St. Clair's expedition to the Ohio

Date(s):
1791

Extent:
2 folders of textual material (3.5 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of two official United States Army documents relating to General St. Clair's unsuccessful expedition against the Myaamiaki (Miami), Shawnee, and Lenape

in the Ohio Valley, 1791. These items may have been captured during the battle and turned over to the British for the military intelligence contained in them or obtained by British officers from survivors of the defeat who reached Fort Miami or Detroit, which remained in British control until 1796. Simcoe's chronological material (series 1) contains significant amounts of information relating to St. Clair's Expedition.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
20:4	Orderly Book for Captain Jonathon Snowden's Company 2nd Rgt. US Levies, Camp Fort Pitt	1791	F 47-7-0-1
20:5	[General Plan of Campaign for General St. Clair]	1791	F 47-7-0-2

Series 8: Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Diaries

Date(s):

1791-1814

Extent:

17 folders of textual material (10 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of the diaries and journals of Elizabeth Posthuma Simcoe. They include many sketches, draft maps, and small water colours detailing her experience in Upper Canada, and to a lesser extent, at Wolford Lodge. Several of the volumes overlap in the dates covered and this seems to be the result of her habit of recopying entries from earlier diaries relating to special events, such as the trips to Niagara and Quebec in 1794 and 1796. This practice was likely done to provide Simcoe's children and friends with extracts relating to her experiences. To reflect this practice, the diaries have been arranged, first, in chronological order with those that seem to have been prepared later added on at the end. At some point after their preparation, notes were added to some of the volumes pointing out that the paper included water marks post-dating the dates of the diary.

Note:

Simcoe's diary materials here have formed the basis for two published editions, for which they are most well known. These include John Ross Robertson's 1911 *The diary*

of Mrs. John Graves Simcoe, wife of the first lieutenant-governor of the province of Upper Canada, 1792-6 (Toronto: W. Briggs) and Mary Quayle Innis' 1965 Mrs. Simcoe's diary (New York: St. Martin's Press).

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
20:6	Diaries, September to December,	1791	F 47-8-0-1
20:7	Diaries, June,	1792	F 47-8-0-2
20:8	Diary, From Quebec to Niagara, October to December,	1792	F 47-8-0-3
20:9	Diary, March and October,	1793	F 47-8-0-4
20:10	Diary, September 1794 to June 1795,	1794-1795	F 47-8-0-5
20:11	Journal from York on Lake Ontario to Matchedash Bay on Lake Huron & from thence back to York,	1793	F 47-8-0-6
20:12	Diary, May to September,	1796	F 47-8-0-7
20:13	Diary, September to October,	1796	F 47-8-0-8
20:14	Diary, 30 April to 31,	1798	F 47-8-0-9
20:15	Journal,	1814	F 47-8-0-10
20:16	Diary, Quebec, (watermarked 1799), 1791-1792,	[1791-1792]	F 47-8-0-11
20:17	Diary, Voyage to and From Quebec, 1791; 1796,	[1791-1796]	F 47-8-0-12
20:18	Diary, Niagara, York, 1793; Voyage to Quebec, 1794,	[1793-1794]	F 47-8-0-13
21:1	Journey to Kingston from Quebec, 1795; Niagara, York return to Quebec, 1796,	[1795-1796]	F 47-8-0-14
21:2	Diary, June 15, 1795, to May 1, 1796,	[1795-1796]	F 47-8-0-15
21:3	Diary, June to December 1792 (watermarked 1799),	[1792]	F 47-8-0-16
21:4	Diary inscribed "This Belongs to Col. Simcoe", dated September 1791 through November 1791. It is a copy of Diary in 20:6	[1791]	F 47-8-0-17

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Series 9: Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Correspondence

Date(s):

1785-1844

Extent:

8 folders of textual material (5 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of Elizabeth Simcoe's private correspondence regarding family, her home, and life in Upper Canada. It includes letters from her aunt—Elizabeth Gwillim, M.A. Burgess—a friend, and several letters relating to her claims against the British government following the death of John Graves Simcoe.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
21:5	Simcoe-Hunt Correspondence	1792-1794	F 47-9-0-1
21:6	Simcoe-Burgess Correspondence [Spanish]	1789-1790	F 47-9-0-2
21:7	Simcoe-Burgess Correspondence	1793-1795	F 47-9-0-3
21:8	Correspondence from Elizabeth Gwillim	1785-1790	F 47-9-0-4
21:9	Correspondence from Elizabeth Gwillim	1791-1801	F 47-9-0-4
21:10	Correspondence Regarding John Graves Simcoe	1806-1844	F 47-9-0-5
21:11	Mrs. Simcoe's Memorial to the Lords of the Treasury	[ca.1806-1840]	F 47-9-0-6
21:12	Letter from Santa Domingo	1797	F 47-9-0-7

Series 10: Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Subject files

Date(s):

c.1780-1850

Extent:

7 folders of textual material (6 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of documents created or collected by Elizabeth Simcoe throughout the course of her life. They reflect the interests she pursued throughout her life such as her patronage of the arts, poetry, and writing.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
21:13	Mrs. E. Simcoe's Account of her visit to Hartwell to see the French Royal Family with associated correspondence re Louis XVI	1810	F 47-10-0-1
21:14	Copy book - poetry	[ca.1780-1850]	F 47-10-0-2
21:15	Transcription of Cicero de Amicitia (multi-lingual)	[ca.1780-1850]	F 47-10-0-3
22:1	Transcriptions and clippings of miscellaneous items	[ca.1780-1850]	F 47-10-0-4
22:2	Notebook - poetry and Biographical notes on Indians of North America	[ca.1780-1850]	F 47-10-0-5
22:3	Miscellaneous Notes - includes a copy of Ode to Major-General Simcoe	[ca.1780-1850]	F 47-10-0-6
22:4	Notes re: a journey in Upper Canada containing a suggestion to move the capital from York, and a description of the growing of wild rice	[ca.1780-1850]	F 47-10-0-7

Series 11: Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe – Sketches

Date(s):

1791-after 1854?

Extent:

274 sheets of watercolour, pencil or ink sketches

1 sketchbook

2 folders of sketch fragments (1.5 cm)

2 folders of textual material (0.5 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of sketches and watercolour paintings, most of which were

drawn/painted by Elizabeth Posthuma Simcoe. The Sketches consist primarily of landscapes, the majority of which are view of Upper and Lower Canada. Simcoe's primary purpose was to document the landscape as it appeared at the time. The sketches provide a visual compliment to her diaries (Series 8), which contain documentation regarding when the scenes were sketched. In cases where a date or descriptive caption have not been provided, the diaries have been used to supply this information. Additional sketches are with the diaries in Series 8.

The majority are pencil sketches coloured with watercolour wash. The use of grey, blue, and green is predominant throughout all the sketches, and the differences between water, sky, and trees are subtle. As a result, the sketches have little focus on detail, instead emphasizing documentation of the overall landscape.

This series consists of 4 sub-series. These are "Loose sketches," "Sketchbook," "Miscellaneous sketches and fragments," and "Miscellaneous notes."

The "Loose sketches" sub-series contains the majority of material in this series. It consists of pencil sketches and watercolours, most of which were drawn or painted by Elizabeth Simcoe. Most of the sketches portray Upper and Lower Canada and were sketched during the Simcoes' stay in the Canadas, though some of the more detailed watercolours were completed after their return to England in 1796. Some contain Simcoe's original captions and dates, while others, initialed "C.S.," were presumably captioned by Simcoe's daughter Charlotte during the 1840s. In a few cases, supplied captions on the backs of sketches may have been written by members of the Coles family or archivists. Other supplied caption and date information originates from John Ross Robertson's 1911 publication of *The Diary of Mrs. Simcoe*.

The sketches predominantly cover the St. Lawrence River, Lake Ontario, and Niagara region. In addition, there are views of Montreal, Quebec, and the Devon and Cornwall counties in England. While the material predominantly consists of landscapes, it also includes some portraits and drawings of flowers, birds, butterflies, or fish.

A number of sketches are the work of other artists. The name "Eliza" appears on the back of 23:12, suggesting the artist was Simcoe's daughter Eliza. 24:34–24:42 are all identified as being drawn by Lieutenant Robert Pilkington.

The sketches are arranged in chronological order, except for cases in which an additional sketch, completed later, can be found on the verso of an earlier-completed sketch. In these cases, the first date has been taken.

The "Sketchbook" sub-series consists of a single sketchbook containing 63 pencil and watercolour drawings done by Elizabeth Simcoe. Many of the sketches are rough views with few details. Some of the sketches are identified as portraying Fort Erie, 40 Mile Creek, Queenston, as well as the Huron and Chippewa. Additionally, there are a few sketches of flowers with accompanying notes. Some of the sketches contain dates.

The “Miscellaneous sketches and fragments” sub-series consists of watercolour and pencil sketches and fragments kept separately from those in the “Loose sketches” sub-series. The first unit, in 27:2, contains 13 fragment views of what appears to be Upper Canada, though most are smudged or unidentified. Two fragments contain no sketch but identify Kingston, suggesting that they were used as backing paper for a smaller, mounted drawing. The second unit, 27:3, contains 30 sketches of England and Europe, drawn after Simcoe’s return to England. Many of the sketches have some sort of identification. Differences in colours used and artistic style suggest that some were not drawn by Simcoe.

The “Miscellaneous notes” sub-series consists of a single file containing 5 items. It is not clear whether Elizabeth Simcoe was the author of the materials contained within it. Two items are caption lists for some of her sketches, two are scraps containing a few names and notes, and one is an annotated map of locations in York where Simcoe made sketches, prepared some time after 1854.

Note:

During the reprocessing of this material following its transfer from the AO to the Fisher Library, a number of supplied sketch titles were changed to avoid the employment of the term “Indian” to describe Indigenous people and to address their dehumanizing character. 26:77 was originally titled “[Indian heads and flowers]” and has been changed to “[Sketch of unidentified Indigenous men and flowers].” Both 26:79 and 26:80 were originally titled “[Indian head]” and have been changed to “[Sketch of unidentified Indigenous person].”

While the employment of the term “Indigenous” is not ideal when compared to identifying the portrait subjects as members of a specific nation, the lack of appropriate context surrounding the sketches makes it difficult to accurately identify the subjects’ identity.

Arrangement:

The entirety of the material in Series 19 and 20 (“Oversized Sketches” and “Mounted Sketches,” respectively) was originally included in this series upon transfer from the AO. Due to their physical characteristics—with sketches in Series 19 being too large to fit in boxes with the majority here, and the sketches in Series 20 being mounted onto hard particle board—the material in these series was physically separate from the rest of the sketches. Series 19 and 20 have been created to allow for their intellectual arrangement to correspond with their physical arrangement.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
23:1	October 29th, 1791, 4 o'clock P.M. Richmond I or Isle Madame near the Gut of Canso. Vessel coming out of Arishart Harbour, Green I.; off the Western Isles. 10th Octr 6 A.M. 1791; Lat. 39, Corvo S.S.E. 3 leagues Flores I. 6 leagues	29 October 1791; 10 October 1791	F 47-11-1-0-1; F 47-11-1-0-2
23:2	Octr 30th Flint Island Cap [Perce] Nord Island Lat. 46 5'; Long. 42; Amherst Is. Deedman Is.	30 October [1791]; 1 November 1791	F 47-11-1-0-3; F 47-11-1-0-4
23:3	I. of Entry, Novr 1st, 1791; Nov 2d 1791 the Liberty from Whitby	1 November 1791; 2 November 1791	F 47-11-1-0-5; F 47-11-1-0-6
23:4	I of Entry, Novr 1st, 1791; Nov 8th part of the Nova Scotia Coast above C Rosier called in the Charts Les Valles; Mons Camille & Riviere Matteaux - a few leagues below Nov 9 th ; Novr 10 Brandy Pott Is. in the River St. Lawrence	1 November 1791; 8 November 1791; 9 November 1791; 10 November 1791	F 47-11-1-0-7; F 47-11-1-0-8; F 47-11-1-0-9; F 47-11-1-0-10
23:5	Isle Amherst, Nov 1st Island of Entry; [Unidentified Island]	1 November [1791]; [1791?]	F 47-11-1-0-11; F 47-11-1-0-328
23:6	Is of Entry one of the Magdalen Is. in the Gulf St. Lawrence	[1 November 1791]	F 47-11-1-0-12
23:7	from the Ramparts Quebec	[18 November 1791]	F 47-11-1-0-13
23:8	[View of Quebec, Lower and Upper Towns from River]; 2 Children drawn in a Cariole by a dog	[December 1791?]	F 47-11-1-0-14; F 47-11-1-0-329
23:9	from Col. Caldwell's Garden; [Unidentified. Inscription "Mrs. S[im]coe's sketch"]	[2 or 18 December 1791]; [1791?]	F 47-11-1-0-15; F 47-11-1-0-330

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23:10	Near Quebec [From Wolfe's Cove?]; Near Quebec	[Winter 1791-1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-16; F 47-11-1-0-331
23:11	Near Quebec [From Wolfe's Cove?]	[Winter 1791-1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-17
23:12	officer's Carriole prettier & perpetually oversetting Canadian Carriole safe & pleasant	[Winter 1791-1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-18
23:13	a Snow Bird Quebec, Decr 15, 1791	15 December 1791	F 47-11-1-0-19
23:14	[St. Lawrence and Pt. Levis from Quebec?]; [Quebec?]	[Winter 1791-1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-20; F 47-11-1-0-332
23:15	[St. Lawrence and Pt. Levis from Quebec? Wider view "Huron CS" written on back Charlotte Simcoe?]	[Winter 1791-1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-21
23:16	Quebec; [Unidentified House and Landscape]	[8 January 1792?]; [1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-22; F 47-11-1-0-333
23:17	from above Quebec, Cape Tourment, Isle of Orleans, Pt. Levi	[8 January 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-23
23:18	[Road to the Provision Store Quebec]	[26 February 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-24
23:19	road to the Provision Store, Quebec	25 February 1792	F 47-11-1-0-25
23:20	Feby 26th 1792, Road to the Provision store, Officer going his rounds	26 February 1792	F 47-11-1-0-26
23:21	Cascade in Wolfe's Cove: April 23	23 April [1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-27
23:22	[Cascade in Wolfe's Cove]; Quebec, Heights of Abraham, 1792, where Gen'l Wolfe was killed	[23 April 1792?]; [April, May 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-28; F 47-11-1-0-29
23:23	[Moth]	May 1792	F 47-11-1-0-31

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23:24	Butterfly. Montreal June 1792	June 1792	F 47-11-1-0-32
23:25	View near Quebec	[Before 8 June 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-33
23:26	View of the River St. Lawrence, falls of Montmorenci from the Island of Orleans	[5 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-34
23:27	[Falls of Montmorenci]	[1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-35
23:28	Cascade in Wolfe's Cove	[April 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-36
23:29	Pt. Levy; [Bird]	[18 February or 1 March 1792?]; [1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-37; F 47-11-1-0-334
23:30	Wolfe's Cove	[13 April 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-38
23:31	[A Bend in the St. Lawrence]; [Unidentified]	[8 June 1792?]; [1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-39; F 47-11-1-0-40
23:32	Montmorency	[1-8 June 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-41
23:33	near Quebec	[1-8 June 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-42
23:34	Pt. au Trembles [en bas]; Lorette from the Ramparts Quebec '92	[8 June 1792]; [18 November 1791?]	F 47-11-1-0-43; F 47-11-1-0-44
23:35	Pt. au Trembles [en bas] 3 Leagues from Quebec	[8 June 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-45
23:36	Riviere du Loup [at Lake St. Peter]	[11 June 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-46
23:37	D'Autray 1792; A Post from Quebec	[12 June 1792?]; [1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-47; F 47-11-1-0-335a

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23:38	[D'Autray]	[12 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-48
23:39	from D'Autray June	[12] June [1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-49
23:40	D'Autray	[12 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-50
23:41	Varrennes	[13 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-51
23:42	Isle Gros bois just beyond Varrennes	[13 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-52
23:43	Varrennes – Chambly; [Partial manuscript of a trip description of Gov. and Mrs. Simcoe]	[13 June 1792?]; [1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-53; F 47-11-1-0-54
23:44	Montreal	[13-22 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-55
23:45	Montreal; [Unidentified Seascape]	[13-22 June 1792?]; [1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-56; F 47-11-1-0-336a
23:46	Montreal	[13-22 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-57
23:47	Montreal	[13-22 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-58
23:48	Montreal from the East	[13-22 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-59
23:49	after Montreal before du Lac, St. Lawrence next to M..[ontreal?] Cedars	[24 June 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-60
23:50	Pt. a Bodet	[24 June 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-61
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23:52	Mill on the Gananocouï	[1 July 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-63

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23:55	[Wild flower]	[2 July 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-66
23:56	Queenstown [From American side]	[18 August 1792 or 27 June 1793, or 22 July 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-67
24:1	[Queenston, from American side]	[22 July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-68
24:2	Queens Town Barracks	[22 July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-69
24:3	view of the Huts at Queenstown from a Hill much on the opposite side of the river	[22 July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-70
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24:5	Barracks at Queenstown	[August 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-72
24:6	Queen's Town on the Niagara River; [Unidentified Bridge and boating party]	[26 July 1792-29 July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-73; F 47-11-1-0-74
24:7	[Fort Niagara and Newark]; [Quebec]	[26 July 1792-29 July 1793?]; [8 August-10 September 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-75; F 47-11-1-0-76
24:8	Niagara, March 1793, a Duck celled Cawine	March 1793	F 47-11-1-0-77
24:9	Whirlpool	[23 or 24 April 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-78
24:10	Whirlpool	[23 or 24 April 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-79
24:11	[Whirlpool]	[23 or 24 April 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-80

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24:12	Whirlpool	[23 or 24 April 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-81
24:13	Whirlpool 4 miles below the Falls; [Whirlpool?]	[23 or 24 April 1793?]; [1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-82; F 47-11-1-0-335b
24:14	[Whirlpool]; [A House]	[23 or 24 April 1793?]; [9 July 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-86; F 47-11-1-0-87
24:15	Camp at Niagara; Camp at Niagara	[9 July 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-88; F 47-11-1-0-336b
24:16	[from the Camp on the heights above Queenston]	[9 July 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-89
24:17	from the Camp on the heights above Queenston; 7th Falls? from the Camp at Queenston	[9 July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-90; F 47-11-1-0-337
24:18	Landing Queens Town; Landing at Queens Town [inscribed C.S. 1840]	[June-July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-91; F 47-11-1-0-338
24:19	Queenstown	[June-July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-92
24:20	Queenstown	[June-July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-93
24:21	Queens Town	[June-July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-94
24:22	Queens Town	[June-July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-95
24:23	Queenstown on the Niagara - Camp	[June-July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-96
24:24	falls 93	[29 June 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-97
24:25	Queenstown on the Niagara	[June-July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-98

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24:26	Navy Hall, the light part is the canvass house b. the fort at Niagara; 27th June from the shore opposite Navy Hall	[June-July 1793?]; 27 June [1793]	F 47-11-1-0-99; F 47-11-1-0-100
24:27	Ft. Niagara from Navy Hall; [Unidentified ship, possibly at Niagara]	[June-July 1793?]; [1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-101; F 47-11-1-0-339
24:28	June 29th from the Falls Mountain	29 June [1793]	F 47-11-1-0-102
24:29	[Niagara River from Queenston Heights]	[June-July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-103
24:30	[Niagara River from Queenston Heights]; [Description by drawing and words of a caterpillar]	[30 July 1793?]; [April or 11 July 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-104; F 47-11-1-0-105
24:31	Lake Ontario; [Lake Ontario]	[30 July or 4 August 1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-106; F 47-11-1-0-341
24:32	River Don near York, [John Scadding's Dwelling]	[Autumn 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-107
24:33	[John Scadding's Dwelling]	[Autumn 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-108
24:34	[The Mohawk Village, Grand River, 1793, by Lieutenant Pilkington]; [Portrait of two women]	[After 25 October 1793?]; [1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-109; F 47-11-1-0-342
24:35	Huron [by Lieutenant Pilkington]; John Scadding's Cabin on Don River	[After 25 October 1793]; [1793?]	F 47-11-1-0-110; F 47-11-1-0-343
24:36	Sketch between Lake Huron & L. Simcoe by Lt. Pilkington of the Engineers	[After 25 October 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-111

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24:37	Miamis River [now known as the Maumee]. [by Lieutenant Pilkington]	[May 1794]	F 47-11-1-0-112
24:38	[Sparrow Lake Chute on the Severn River, below Bay] [by Lieutenant Pilkington]	[After 25 October 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-113
24:39	from Lt. Pilkington Engineers. [Georgian Bay-Severn]	[After 25 October 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-114
24:40	Sketch between Lake Huron and Lake Simcoe by Lt. Pilkington	[September-25 October 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-115
24:41	[Cascade on the Severn River, McDonald's Rapids, between Sparrow Lake and Ragged Rapids]. [by Lt. Pilkington]	[After 25 October 1793]	F 47-11-1-0-116
24:42	Falls between York and Lake Huron [Severn, McDonald's Rapids] [by Lt. Pilkington]	[19-?, original created 1793-1796]	F 47-11-1-0-117
24:43	[40 Mile Creek]; [40 Mile Creek?]	[10 May 1794]	F 47-11-1-0-118; F 47-11-1-0-344
24:44	40 Mile Creek [back inscribed C.S. 1840]	[10 May 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-119
24:45	near 40 Mile Creek	[10 May 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-120
24:46	near the 40 Mile Creek L. Ontario	[10 May 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-121
24:47	40 Mile Creek	[10 May 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-122
24:48	40 Mile Creek, 40 from Niagara towards the head of Lake Ontario	[10 May 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-123
24:49	40 Mile Creek; 40 Mile Creek. C.S.	[10 May 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-124; F 47-11-1-0-345

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24:51	40 Mile Creek, Ontario	[10 May 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-126
24:52	from a sketch of Lt. Pilkington - the spot I saw between York and the head of Lake Ontario. May 9th, 1794	9 May 1794	F 47-11-1-0-127
24:53	40 [Mile Creek]; [Unidentified Landscape]	[10 May 1794]; n.d.	F 47-11-1-0-128; F 47-11-1-0-346
24:54	20 Mile Creek	[10 May 1794]	F 47-11-1-0-129
24:55	20 Mile Creek, Ontario	[10 May 1794]	F 47-11-1-0-130
24:56	1796. [20 Mile Creek]; [Scene along lake with boat, village]	1796; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-131; F 47-11-1-0-347
24:57	[Niagara River]	[17 July 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-132
24:58	Queens Town; Queens Town [C.S. 1840]	[17 July 1794?]; [1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-133; F 47-11-1-0-348
24:59	[Queens Town]	[17 July 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-134
24:60	Queens Town; [Unidentified village]	[17 July 1794?]; [1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-135; F 47-11-1-0-349
24:61	Niagara River	[17 July 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-137
24:62	Queens Town; [Unidentified village]	[17 July 1794?]; [1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-139; F

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24:63	Gananowui "from Fairchilds on the Gananowui River Sept. 1795".	[15] September [1794]	F 47-11-1-0-140
24:64	[Gananowui]	[15] September [1794]	F 47-11-1-0-141
24:65	His Majesty's Ship Mississagua, 13 Sept. 1794 [Mouth of the Niagara River]; [Unidentified house and lake scene. Initialed C.S. 1840]	13 September 1794; [1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-142; F 47-11-1-0-351
24:66	June 3rd, 1794. From the Fort of Niagara	3 June 1794	F 47-11-1-0-143
24:67	H.M. Ship Mississaga, Septr 13, 1794, A.M. 6 o'clock; [Camp by Lake (Ontario?)]	13 September 1794; [1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-144; F 47-11-1-0-352
24:68	Fairfield on the Gananocou	[15 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-145
25:1	Cap Rouge 3 leagues from Quebec by water, 1795	[24 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-146
25:2	Cap Rouge near Quebec	[24 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-147
25:3	[Cap Rouge near Quebec].	[24 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-148
25:4	Chimney Isles on the St. Lawrence. [now Bridge Island]; Head of Lake Ontario	[17 September 1794?]; [11 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-149; F 47-11-1-0-150
25:5	St. Anne, Grondines, Deschambault, Lorimie, St. Pierre de Bequet; [Unidentified]	[23 September 1794?]; [1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-151; F 47-11-1-0-353
25:6	Quebec, St. Andrey, Grondines, Deschambeau; [View of unidentified mountain, lake]	[23 September 1794]; [1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-152; F

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25:7	[Quebec, St. Andrey, Grondines, Deschambeau]	[23 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-153
25:8	on the River St. Lawrence: St. Sulpice [St. Anne's in 93] Grondines, Deschambeau, Lorimie, St. Pierre de Bequet	[23 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-154
25:9	Grondines, Deschembeau, St. Pierre de Bequet	[23 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-155
25:10	[Grondines, Deschembeau, St. Pierre de Bequet]; St. Pierre de Bequet	[23 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-156; F 47-11-1-0-355
25:11	[Grondines, Deschembeau, St. Pierre de Bequet]	[23 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-157
25:12	[Grondines, Deschembeau, St. Pierre de Bequet]	[23 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-158
25:13	[Grondines, Deschembeau, St. Pierre de Bequet]	[23 September 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-159
25:14	Appanee River Bay of Quinty. "Mr. Cartwright's Mill on the Appanee River on the Bay of Quinty 10th March 1795	10 March 1795	F 47-11-1-0-160
25:15	[Presqu'ile, Bay of Quinte]	[10 March 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-161
25:16	Presqu'ile, Bay of Quinte	[10 March 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-162
25:17	On the St. Lawrence River, Presqu'ile	[10 March 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-163
25:19	Niagara Falls from above	[17 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-166
25:20	[Fort Chippewa on the River Welland]	[25 July 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-167

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25:21	[Niagara Falls]; [Unidentified Forest Scene]	[24 August 1795]; [1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-168; F 47-11-1-0-356
25:22	[Niagara Falls]; Whirlpool [inscribed C.S. 1840]	[24 August 1795]; [1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-169; F 47-11-1-0-357
25:23	Mrs. Tyce's near the Falls	[11-24 August 1795]	F 47-11-1-0-171
25:24	on Lake Erie near Fort Erie August 28, 1795	28 August 1795	F 47-11-1-0-172
25:25	[Niagara Falls]	[24 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-175
25:26	[Niagara Falls from higher ground]; [Unidentified forest scene]	[24 August 1795?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-178; F 47-11-1-0-358
25:27	[Mrs. Tice's House near Queenston]	[12-24 July 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-183
25:28	[Mrs. Tice's House]	[12-24 July 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-184
25:29	[Site of Charlotteville at Long Point?]	[September 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-185
25:30	[Queenston?]	[1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-186
25:31	[Queenston?]	[1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-187
25:32	view from Mrs. Simcoe's Road leadg to the head of the Lake 10th June 1796; [Unidentified - possibly rough sketch of scene of reverse]	10 June 1796; [10 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-188; F 47-11-1-0-359
25:33	[Written caption for sketch in 25:32]	10 June 1796	F 47-11-1-0-189

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25:34	Lake Ontario. View from Mrs. Simcoe's road leading to head of the Lake 10th June 1796. Burlington Bay.	10 June 1796	F 47-11-1-0-190
25:35	White Fish, 19 inches long, 5 1/2 inches across the no teeth at all. Navy Hall, May 16th, '96	16 May 1796	F 47-11-1-0-193
25:36	[Pt. Morandiere]; new road cut at the head of Lake Ontario 1796	[28 July 1796?]; 10 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-197; F 47-11-1-0-198
25:37	head of Lake Ontario 1796 - entrance to Burlington Bay	[10 June], 1796	F 47-11-1-0-199
25:38	from Mrs. Simcoe's Road - leading to the head of the Lake	[10 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-200
25:39	head of Lake Ontario near Burlington Bay	[10-16 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-201
25:40	Head of Lake Ontario	[10-16 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-202
25:41	new road opened to the head of the Lake June 1796 - Burlington Bay; Burlington Bay	[10] June 1796; [10-16 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-203; F 47-11-1-0-204
25:42	Burlington Bay June 11th 1796	11 June 1796	F 47-11-1-0-205
25:43	head of L. Ontario; [Unidentified lake scene]	[11 June 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-206; F 47-11-1-0-361
25:44	[head of Lake Ontario]	[11 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-207
25:45	near the forty mile Creek. 9 June 1796	9 June 1796	F 47-11-1-0-208
25:46	Head of Lake Ontario	9 June 1796	F 47-11-1-0-209

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25:47	The Rocks where the wolves descend to the plain	9 June [1796]	F 47-11-1-0-210
25:48	Head of L. Ontario	[9 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-211
25:49	Head of Lake Ontario	[10-16 June 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-212
25:50	Burlington Bay [Coote's Paradise?]; [Unidentified]	[11 June 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-213; F 47-11-1-0-362
25:51	Coote's Paradise from the hill above Beasley's, June 11th, 1796. Upper Canada	11 June 1796	F 47-11-1-0-214
25:52	Burlington Bay [Coote's Paradise?]	11 June 1796	F 47-11-1-0-215
25:53	[from the high ground above Beasley's House?]	[11 June 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-216
25:54	[from the high ground above Beasley's House?]; [Group of men along shore, location unidentified]	[11 June 1796]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-217; F 47-11-1-0-363
25:55	[from the high ground above Beasley's House?]	[11 June 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-218
25:56	June 11, 1795 from the high ground above Beasley's House	11 June 1795[6]	F 47-11-1-0-219
25:57	[King's head Inn Head of L. Ontario]	[June 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-220
25:58	head of Lake Ontario, June 11, 1796	11 June 1796	F 47-11-1-0-221
25:59	[Head of Lake Ontario]	[11 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-222
25:60	[Head of Lake Ontario, with King's Head Inn]	[11 June 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-223

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25:62	[Tree]	[1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-226; F 47-11-1-0-364
25:63	June 12, 1796, head of L. Ontario	12 June [1796]	F 47-11-1-0-227
25:64	[Castle Frank]	[June-July 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-228
25:65	Skinner's Mill; Castle Frank near York	[4 July 1796?]; [June-July 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-229; F 47-11-1-0-230
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26:1	Playter's Bridge near York	[6 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-233
26:2	July 6th, 1796 Playter's Bridge near York	6 July 1796	F 47-11-1-0-234
26:3	York Harbour; [Unidentified]	[15 or 20 July 1796]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-235
26:4	View from York Barracks, 1796; York Harbour	[16 June-21 July 1796?]; [16 June-21 July 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-236; F 47-11-1-0-237
26:5	20th July 1796, Castle Frank near York	20 July 1796	F 47-11-1-0-238
26:6	Frame of Mill building at Pt. au Cardinal below the rapid called Les Goellettes. July 27th, 1796	27 July 1796	F 47-11-1-0-239

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26:8	Kingston, 1796	[25 July], 1796	F 47-11-1-0-241
26:9	Kingston; [Boats on Lake, Unidentified location]	[25 July 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-242; F 47-11-1-0-366
26:10	Kingston, July 27; [Boats on lake, near Kingston?]	[25 July 1796]; [25 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-243; F 47-11-1-0-367
26:11	1,000 Isles	[26 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-244
26:12	River St. Lawrence	[26 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-245
26:13	1,000 Isles; [Unidentified]	[26 July 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-246; F 47-11-1-0-368
26:14	Thousand Isles; 1000 Isles	[26 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-247; F 47-11-1-0-369
26:15	Rapids dangereuse, Long Sault; [Tree]	[28 July 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-248; F 47-11-1-0-370
26:16	[Mill at Pt. au Cardinal]; [The Sault Rapids]	[27 July 1796?]; [28 July 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-249; F 47-11-1-0-250
26:17	Pt. au Cardinal 27th July, St. Lawrence	27 July [1796]	F 47-11-1-0-251

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26:19	[The Sault Rapids]	[28 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-253
26:20	[The Sault Rapids]	[28 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-255
26:21	Pt. Morandiere July 1796	[28] July 1796	F 47-11-1-0-256
26:22	[Pt. Morandiere]	[28 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-257
26:23	Pt. Morandiere on the St. Lawrence River; [Unidentified]	[28 July 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-258; F 47-11-1-0-371
26:24	Morandiere on Lake St. Frances; [Coat of arms, lion]	[28 July 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-259; F 47-11-1-0-372
26:25	Pt. au Biron; [Unidentified]	[29 July 1796]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-260; F 47-11-1-0-373
26:26	Isle au Soeurs [mountain] near Montreal. [now St. Bernard's Island]; [Unidentified]	[29-30 July 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-261; F 47-11-1-0-374
26:27	Isle au Soeurs; I. au Soeurs 31 st July 1795	[29-30 July 1796?]; 31 July 1795	F 47-11-1-0-262; F 47-11-1-0-264
26:28	Isle au Soeurs near Chatagueay; [Unidentified, possibly Montreal or Quebec]	[29-30 July 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-263; F

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26:30	Point au Tremble [en haut]; [Unidentified miniature]; [1796?]	[2 August 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-266; F 47-11-1-0-267
26:31	3d August 1796, River Batiscan and St. Ann's seen from St. Pierre de Bequet	3 August 1796	F 47-11-1-0-268
26:32	Cap Sante Cap Platon	[5 August 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-269
26:33	I think near Quebec. [Belmont, Col. Caldwell's home]; [Trees]	[8 August 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-270; F 47-11-1-0-376
26:34	Belmont. Coll. Coldwell's; [Unidentified shoreline]	[8 August 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-271; F 47-11-1-0-377
26:35	[Unidentified village scene]; [Mouth of river, boat]	[1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-272; F 47-11-1-0-378
26:36	[Unidentified village scene]; Belmont	[1796?]; [8 August 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-273; F 47-11-1-0-274
26:37	Quebec; [Unidentified]	[8 August-10 September 1796?]; n.d.	F 47-11-1-0-275; F 47-11-1-0-379

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26:38	Quebec; [Unidentified]	[8 August- 10 September 1796?]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-276; F 47-11-1-0-380
26:39	Quebec	[8 August-10 September 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-277
26:40	Quebec	[8 August- 10 September 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-278
26:41	from Woodfield [Quebec]; [Unidentified]	[5 September 1796]; [1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-279; F 47-11-1-0-381
26:42	Woodfield; Near Quebec	[8 August-10 September 1796?]	F 47-11-1-0-280; F 47-11-1-0-281
26:43	[Unidentified scene, beach & houses]; [Unidentified tree by lake]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-282; F 47-11-1-0-382
26:44	[Small Church, England]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-283
26:45	Canise or Great Sail, Chippewa Chief	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-284
26:46	Canise or Great Sail, Chippewa Chief	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-285
26:47	Paccane, Miami Chief	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-286
26:48	Paccane, Miami Chief	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-287
26:49	[Indian Bark Lodge]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-288
26:50	from Richmond Hill August 19th, 1797 [London, England]	19 August 1797	F 47-11-1-0-289

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26:51	Coll. Talbot's Lake Erie	[1801-1806]	F 47-11-1-0-290
26:52	Bridge across the Rapids at Niagara, Manchester, Goat I.	1806	F 47-11-1-0-291
26:53	[Georgina Church, Lake Simcoe]; [Church]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-292; F 47-11-1-0-385
26:54	Georgina Church, Lake Simcoe	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-293
26:55	[Unidentified Landscape]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-294
26:56	[Unidentified Landscape, with castle ruins]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-295
26:57	Wolford Chapel	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-296
26:58	[Wolford Chapel]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-297
26:59	Mr. Berkin's Church, Trinity Church. (Forest?)	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-299
26:60	Copeland; [Unidentified]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-300; F 47-11-1-0-386
26:61	from Grove Park; Inchbrooke [a Country Home]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-301; F 47-11-1-0-302
26:62	[St. Michael]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-303
26:63	Whet Stone Pitts	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-304
26:64	Torquay	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-305

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26:65	Worle	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-306
26:66	[A harbour boat scene]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-307
26:67	[A ruins with casement]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-308
26:68	River (?) [Hon. Robert Hamilton's Home?]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-309
26:69	[40 Mile Creek]; [Waterfall]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-310; F 47-11-1-0-387
26:70	[Coniferous forest river scene]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-311
26:71	[River scene with steep bank and a cabin]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-312
26:72	River [St. Lawrence?]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-313
26:73	[River scene, Huron country?]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-314
26:74	[Forest scene]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-315
26:75	Hon[oura]ble Coll. Grey. [A drawing of him with headdress and snowshoe]	[25 June 1792]	F 47-11-1-0-316
26:76	[A young child]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-317
26:77	[Sketch of unidentified Indigenous men and flowers]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-318
26:78	[A cottage] "built by My Brother Killaly 4 miles from London now residing at Kingston as President of the Board of Works. Jan '42."	January 1842	F 47-11-1-0-319
26:79	[Sketch of unidentified Indigenous person]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-320

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26:80	[Sketch of unidentified Indigenous person]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-321
26:81	[Niagara River from the Lake]; [Unidentified lake scene with boat, trees]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-322; F 47-11-1-0-388
26:82	[Unidentified Landscape - on back captioned "Canada"]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-325
26:83	[Unidentified portrait silhouette]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-326
26:84	[Unidentified house and grounds]	December 1810	F 47-11-1-0-327
26:85	Canise or Great Sail, Chippewa Chief	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-383
26:86	Paccane, Miami Chief	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-384
	<u>Sketchbook</u>		
27:1	Sketchbook	1795-1796	F 47-11-2-1
	<u>Miscellaneous sketches and fragments</u>		
27:2	Scraps - Upper Canada	[179-]	F 47-11-3-1
27:3	Miscellaneous sketches - England and Europe	[180-? - 183-]	F 47-11-3-2
	<u>Miscellaneous notes</u>		
27:4	Miscellaneous notes	[179-? -184-]	F 47-11-4-1
27:5	Map - Places at York drawn by Mrs. Simcoe; Modern Street and Shorelines on Plan of York after the survey by A. Aitkin- 1793.	[after 1854?]	F 47-11-4-2

Series 12: Francis Gwillim Simcoe – Correspondence

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Simcoe Family Papers

Date(s):
1809-1812

Extent:
5 folders of textual material (5 cm)

Scope and content:
This series consists of correspondence from Francis Gwillim Simcoe to his mother, Elizabeth Posthuma (Gwillim) Simcoe and a journal on the Spanish Campaign in the Peninsular War.

Arrangement:
Maps 108 to 110, now found in Series 5, "Maps and Plans" were initially included in this series upon transfer from the AO. These are all maps of Francis Simcoe's campaign in Spain. They have been moved to Series 5 so that their intellectual arrangement corresponds to their physical arrangement.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date Range	AO Accession Number
28:1	Francis Simcoe to Elizabeth Simcoe	1809	F 47-12-0-1
28:2	Francis Simcoe to Elizabeth Simcoe	1810	F 47-12-0-2
28:3	Francis Simcoe to Elizabeth Simcoe	1811	F 47-12-0-3
28:4	Francis Simcoe to Elizabeth Simcoe	1812	F 47-12-0-4
28:5	Francis Simcoe's Journal and Correspondence regarding his death	1809-1812	F 47-12-0-5

Series 13: Eliza Simcoe – Correspondence

Date(s):
1830-1893

Extent:
6 folders of textual material (7 cm)

Scope and content:
This series consists of correspondence received from friends and relatives of Eliza Simcoe. This correspondence includes a large set of letters received from Lieutenant John K. Simcoe relating his experiences in the Royal Navy during the Crimean War,

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and some later correspondence created by John K. Simcoe and his sister Elizabeth regarding the custody of the Simcoe Papers.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
28:6	Eliza Simcoe - Family	1830-1841	F 47-13-0-1
28:7	Eliza Simcoe - Family	1842-1848	F 47-13-0-1
28:8	Eliza Simcoe - Family	1849-1854	F 47-13-0-2
28:9	Eliza Simcoe - Family	1854-1859	F 47-13-0-3
28:10	Eliza Simcoe - Family	1849-1893	F 47-13-0-4
28:11	Eliza Simcoe's Notebook	1860-1862	F 47-13-0-5

Series 14: Simcoe Estate – Wolford Chapel

Date(s):

c.1800-1860

Extent:

6 folders of textual material (4 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of documents related to the Simcoe family's patronage of Wolford Abbey in Devonshire, England. Originally part of the Gwillim family estate, Lieutenant General Simcoe became a major benefactor of the Abbey after his return from Saint-Domingue. The documents include sermons, copies of scripture, and information on the management of Abbey lands.

Note:

Some information relating to the reconstruction of Wolford Chapel can be found in Series 16, "Property and Finances."

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
29:1	Wolford Chapel	[18--?]	F 47-14-0-1
29:2	Scriptures and Sermons	[18--?]	F 47-14-0-2
29:3	Dunkeswell Abbey	[ca.1800-1860]	F 47-14-0-3
29:4	Wolford Chapel - notes	[18--?]	F 47-14-0-4
29:5	Letters and Sermons	1801	F 47-14-0-5
29:6	Sermons at Wolford Chapel	1848	F 47-14-0-6

Series 15: Simcoe Estate – Genealogy

Date(s):

18--?

Extent:

5 folders of textual material (4 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of manuscript genealogical information relating to the Gwillim and Simcoe families. It includes some family trees and other genealogical charts.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
29:7	Notes on Descendants of John Graves Simcoe	[18--?]	F 47-15-0-1
29:8	Lineage of Hubert Family	[18--?]	F 47-15-0-2
29:9	Typed Manuscript of John Graves Simcoe's Life	[18--?]	F 47-15-0-3

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
29:10	Notes on John Graves Simcoe, as prepared by his great grandson Willoughby Philip Cole	[18--?]	F 47-15-0-4
29:11	Genealogy of Philip de Mornay	[18--?]	F 47-15-0-5

Series 16: Simcoe Estate – Property and finances

Date(s):

1782-1841

Extent:

10 folders of textual material (25 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of general information on the management and operation of Wolford Lodge after its purchase by John Graves Simcoe. It includes accounts, correspondence regarding tenants and use of land, and inventories of possessions for auction.

Arrangement:

The file in 34:6 contains leases that were initially included in this series upon transfer from the AO. This file has been moved to Series 18, “Oversized documents” to allow for its intellectual arrangement to correspond with its physical arrangement.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
30:1	Accounts - Simcoe Estate,	1782-1793	F 47-16-0-1
30:2	Account Book	1827-1829	F 47-16-0-2
30:3	Accounts for Work Done on Simcoe Estate	1782-1793	F 47-16-0-3
30:4	Cash Book	1791-1819	F 47-16-0-4

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
30:5	Simcoe's Account with Cox and Underwood	1799-1805	F 47-16-0-5
31:1	Family Accounts	1799-1841	F 47-16-0-6
31:2	Miscellaneous Bills and Receipts	1821-1829	F 47-16-0-8
31:3	Correspondence and Accounts	1807-1808	F 47-16-0-9
31:4	Correspondence and Accounts	1808	F 47-16-0-10
31:5	Correspondence and Accounts	1814-1821	F 47-16-0-11

Series 17: Simcoe Estate – Family papers

Date(s):

1662-1931

Extent:

11 folders of textual material (11.5 cm)

Scope and content:

This series contains records related to members of the Simcoe and Gwillim families and their antecedents, the Creeds. They range in date from the mid-17th century until the 20th century.

The provenance of the scrapbook in 33:4 is unclear; it includes one sketch by Elizabeth Simcoe, along with poems and other drawings. The photographs in 33:5 are: the Simcoe memorial in Exeter Cathedral, Elizabeth Simcoe's spinning wheel, and a wooden building with a plaque reading "Simcoe Erected 1794"—presumably John Scadding's cabin.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
32:1	Journal of John K. Simcoe of HMS Orion	1858-1861	F 47-17-0-2
32:2	A Statement of the Claim of Louisa Carolina Graves on the Bahamas Island	1814	F 47-17-0-3
32:3	Transcriptions of correspondence between Lord Sandwich and the Portuguese court	1662	F 47-17-0-4
32:4	D. William's Journal	1796-1797	F 47-17-0-5
32:5	Creed Family Correspondence,	1665-1745	F 47-17-0-6
33:1	Correspondence and writings of Captain John Simcoe	1758-1759	F 47-17-0-7
33:2	Mrs. [John K.] Simcoe's Correspondence,	1884-1911	F 47-17-0-8
33:3	Correspondence of Cole Family	1928-1931	F 47-17-0-9
33:4	Scrapbook/Sketchbook	[ca.1840-1860]	F 47-17-0-10
33:5	Photographs	[ca.1860-1918]	F 47-17-0-11
33:6	Returned documents	1791-1842	F 47-17-0-12

Series 18: Oversized documents

Date(s):

ca. 1655-1838

Extent:

11 folders of textual material (8 cm)

Scope and content:

This series consists of oversized materials separated from the rest of the Simcoe Papers. While the materials all belonged other series in the Simcoe Papers upon receipt from the AO (with their original series denoted in the listing below), this series has been

introduced so that their intellectual arrangement corresponds with their physical arrangement.

Arrangement:

Most of the material in this series was housed separately from the rest of its original series prior to transfer from the AO. Only the contents of 34:2 and 34:3 were rehoused after the transfer for conservation reasons. The contents of 34:8 were also included in the same box, but did not have an accession number from the AO, therefore, they did not belong to any series.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
34:1	Proclamations from John Graves Simcoe [Oversize from Series 1]	1763-1791	F 47-1-1-2
34:2	Journal and Proceedings of the Legislative Council of the Province of Upper Canada From Monday the second day of June to Monday the second day of July, [Oversize from Series 1]	1794	F 47-1-2-22
34:3	[Copy of Brant Tract, Treaty 3 3/4] [Oversize from Series 1]	24 October 1795	F 47-1-2-35
34:4	Returns [Oversize from Series 4]	1799	F 47-4-1-10
34:5	Miscellaneous Parchments [Oversize from Series 4]	ca. 1655	F 47-4-2-6
34:6	Leases [Oversize from Series 16]	1799-1838	F 47-16-0-7
34:7	Deed of Settlement of Thomas Gwillim & Barbara his Wife [Oversize from Series 17]	[16-?]	F 47-17-0-1
34:8	Loose map reproductions	1793-[ca.1795]	N/A
34:9	Census of Devon's Military Resources [Oversize from Series 4]	[1799?]	F 47-4-1-1
34:10	Devon - Return of the Volunteer Corps [Oversize from Series 4]	1799	F 47-4-1-2
34:11	[Highway Map - England] [Oversize from Series 4]	[ca. 1800]	F 47-4-1-4

Series 19: Oversized sketches

Date(s):

1792-1795

Extent:

10 watercolour sketches

Scope and content:

This series consists of Elizabeth Simcoe's sketches that are too large to fit in the same housing as the rest of Series 11, from which they originate.

Note:

The title of file 35:4, “[Indian Ladder and Mrs. Simcoe’s Ladder]” has remained the same despite the decision to redescribe other instances in the fonds where the term “Indian” has previously been used to mean “Indigenous.” This is to preserve the research value of its depiction of an “Indian ladder,” which was a cedar or pine tree with severed branches used by the Haudenosaunee to climb in and out of the Niagara Gorge. They were termed by European settlers as “Indian ladders,” and no other name exists by which they are widely known.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
35:1	[Whirlpool]; Whirlpool Niagara River; From above Quebec [with] Cape Tourment, Isle of Orleans, Pont Levi	[23 or 24 April 1793?]; [8 January 1792?]	F 47-11-1-0-83; F 47-11-1-0-84; F 47-11-1-0-85
35:2	Niagara River below Queens Town, Canada	[1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-138
35:3	Presqu'ile County Dundas	[10 March 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-164
35:4	[Indian Ladder and Mrs. Simcoe’s Ladder]	[24 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-173
35:5	[Niagara Falls]; [The Whirlpool]	[24 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-174; F

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
			47-11-1-0-176
35:6	[The Falls from higher ground]	[24 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-177
35:7	The Whirlpool	[24 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-179
35:8	The Whirlpool on Niagara River	[24 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-180
35:9	Sketch of Part of the Falls of Niagara	[24 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-181
35:10	[Niagara Falls]	[24 August 1795?]	F 47-11-1-0-182

Series 20: Mounted sketches

Date(s):

1792-1817

Extent:

8 watercolour sketches

Scope and content:

This series consists of Elizabeth Simcoe's sketches from Series 11 that were housed separately from the rest of the series. Each sketch in this series was mounted between two pieces of hard particle board. It is unclear why these sketches were separated from the rest of the collection, as they are all similar in size to those in Series 11.

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
36:1	[Moth]	May 1792	F 47-11-1-0-30
36:2	Near Niagara	[17 July 1794?]	F 47-11-1-0-136

Box:Folder Number	File title	Date range	AO Accession Number
36:3	[Niagara Falls]	[24 August 1795]	F 47-11-1-0-170
36:4	a young cat fish or Barbee - they often weigh ten and sometimes 20 pounds - have no teeth; wild cherry or plum leaves very finely sawed - 4 white 18 chives brown tips - empalement 5 - dark grass green	May 1796	F 47-11-1-0-191; F 47-11-1-0-192
36:5	Garfish. Navy Hall, May '96	May 1796	F 47-11-1-0-194
36:6	Rock Bass, Navy Hall, May '96; [Niagara River from Queenston Heights]	[30 July 1793? – May 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-195; F 47-11-1-0-196
36:7	[Yellow berries]	[after 1796]	F 47-11-1-0-323
36:8	A quail Nov. 16, 1817; [Trees - Unidentified location]	16 November 1817	F 47-11-1-0-324; F 47-11-1-0-389