

MENNONITE-RELATED FILES IN PUBLIC  
ARCHIVES OF CANADA

(As collected or identified by Frank H. Epp  
for Mennonite History Project)

A. Record Group Subject Headings

01 Executive Council of Upper Canada -  
Upper Canada State Papers  
02 Privy Council Office  
04 (Quebec Gazette)  
05 Upper Canada Sundries  
06 Secretary of State  
07 Governor General Files  
08 British Military Records  
10 Upper Canada  
13 Department of Justice  
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15 Department of the Interior  
17 Department of Agriculture  
18 RCMP Records  
19 Department of Finance  
22 Northern Affairs/National Resources  
24 Department of National Defense  
25 Department of External Affairs  
26 Citizenship and Immigration  
27 Department of Labour  
28 Munitions and Supply Department  
29 National Health and Welfare  
30 Canadian National Railway Records  
33 B & B Commission  
35 Interdepartmental Committees  
39 Mines and Resources  
68 Registrar General  
76 Immigration Branch  
80 Board of Grain Commissioners  
88 Surveys and Mappings  
National Parks

B. Key

RG -- Record Group  
MG -- Manuscript Group  
Vol -- Volume Number  
M\* -- Microfilm copies  
X\* -- Photocopies  
N\* -- Notes  
O.C. -- Order-in-Council

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been acquisitioned by the Project in the given form.

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01	E3	7	1797				Richard Beasley
01	E3	8	1797-1809				Richard Beasley
01	E3	68	1798				Richard Beasley
01	E3	60	1799				Richard Beasley
01	E3	32	1802-3				Richard Beasley
01	E3	12	1804-18				Richard Beasley
02	65	1043B	1872,1880				Sir John A. Macdonald Papers - Immigration
02		C313	1873				+ O.C. - Immigration from Russia
02		142D	1875				+ O.C. - Immigration from Russia
02		C337	1875				+ O.C. - Immigrants from Germany
02		747	1877				+ O.C. - Aid to flood victims in Manitoba
02		251	1883				+ O.C. - Payment of land patents
02		188	1895				+ O.C. - Creation of Prince Albert reserve
02		2521	1918				+ O.C. - Publications in enemy languages
02		2139 2140 2141	1918				+ O.C. - Sentencing of non-Mennonite COs
02		2693	1918				+ O.C. - Publications in enemy languages
02		703	1919				+ O.C. - Publications in enemy languages
02		4019	1941				+ O.C. - Amendments to National War Services Regulations, AS, COs

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02	S1	65	1043		+	+	O.C. - Immigration from Russia
02	S1	75	226		+	+	O.C. - Creation of reserve in Manitoba
02	S1	78	497		+	+	O.C. - Manitoba reserves
02	S1	83	957		+		O.C. - Immigration from Russia
02	S1	95	560		+	+	O.C. - J.Y.Shantz, settlement in Manitoba
02	S1	108	445		+	+	O.C. - Immigration aid to J.Y.Shantz
02	S1	126	614		+	+	O.C. - Loan for Russian Immigration
02	S1	123	397		+	+	O.C. - Expansion of Mennonite reserve
02	S1	142	323		+	+	O.C. - Mennonite Loan
02	S1	148	786		+		O.C. - Conditions of land patents
02	S1	150	952		+	+	O.C. - Loan to poorer Mennonite settlers
02	S1	151	987		+	+	O.C. - Mennonite Loan
02	S1	205	182		+		O.C. - Sale of land in Manitoba
02	S1	214	1123		+	+	O.C. - Sale of land in Manitoba
02	S1	208	381		+	+	O.C. - Sale of land in Manitoba
02	S1	216	1270		+	+	O.C. - Sale of land in Mennonite reserve

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02	S1	268	2370	1883		+	O.C. - Timber cutting license	
02	S1	269	2426	1883		+	+	O.C. - Mennonite Loan, land patents
02	S1	285	1355?	1884		+	O.C. - Min. of Treasury Board meeting	
02	S1	298	2309	1885		+	+	O.C. - Expansion of Mennonite reserve
02	S1	308	937	1885		+	+	O.C. - Exclusivity of Mennonite reserve
02	S1	347	1848	1886		+	+	O.C. - Exclusivity of Mennonite reserve
02	S1	397	1696	1888		+	O.C. - Exclusivity of Mennonite reserve	
02	S1	394	1147	1888		+	O.C. - Mennonite Loan	
02	S1	415	572	1889		+	O.C. - Mennonite Loan	
02	S1	420	1149	1889		+	O.C. - Mennonite Loan	
02	S1	422	1317	1889		+	O.C. - Exclusivity of Mennonite reserve	
02	S1	428	1938	1889		+	+	O.C. - Conditions of Mennonite reserve
02	S1	450	1421	1890		+	O.C. - Exclusivity of Mennonite reserve	
02	S1	479	1047	1891		+	O.C. - Exclusivity of Mennonite reserve	
02	S1	508	447	1892		+	O.C. - Naturalization, oath of allegiance	
02	S1	644	2462	1896		+	O.C. - Land settlement in Manitoba	

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02	S1	770	1266				1898 + O.C. - Exclusivity of Mennonite reserve
02	S1	769	1627				1898 + O.C. - Expansion of Mennonite reserve
02	S1	783	2747				1898 + + O.C. - Doukhobor immigration from Russia
02	S1	807	1676				1899 + + O.C. - Military exemption to Hutterite immigrants
02	S1	826	441				1900 + O.C. - Settlements at Prince Albert district
02	S1	962	1605				1904 + O.C. - Reinland colony at Swift Current
02	S1	1055	2624				1907 + O.C. - Doukhobor land settlement
02	S1	1082	1859				1908 + O.C. - Doukhobor land settlement
02	S1	1069	1048				1908 + O.C. - Doukhobor land settlement
02	S1	1092	2738				1908 + O.C. - Doukhobor land settlement
02	S1	1103	729				1909 + O.C. - Purchase of land
02	S1	1111	1468				1909 + O.C. - Doukhobor land settlement
02	S1	1141	1273				1910 + O.C. - Doukhobor land settlement
02	S1	1157	2578				1910 + O.C. - Doukhobor land settlement
02	S1	1184	1967				1911 + O.C. - Doukhobor land settlement

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02	S1	1216	1861		+		O.C. - Doukhobor bridge over Kootenay River
02	S1	1263	1905		+		O.C. - Doukhobor lands
02	S1	1324	2758		+		O.C. - Registration of alien enemies
02	S1	1326	2920		+		O.C. - Registration of alien enemies
02	S1	1324	2721		+		O.C. - Aliens of enemy nationality
02	S1	1313	2118		+		O.C. - Investigation of improper transactions amongst Doukhobors
02	S1	1326	2875		+		O.C. - Doukhobor lands
02	S1	1333	171		+		O.C. - Permission for use of firearms for self-protection
02	S1	1337	518		+		O.C. - Termination of Doukhobor reserve
02	S1	1340	645		+		O.C. - Doukhobor lands
02	S1	1340	646		+		O.C. - Termination of Doukhobor reserve
02	S1	1494	1013		+		O.C. - Enforcement of Military Service Act
02	S1	1497	1226		+		O.C. - Enforcement of Military Service Act
02	S1		2381		+		O.C. - Publications in enemy languages
02	S1	1518	2622		+		O.C. - Military exemption

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02	S1	1504	1658	1918		+		O.C. - Doukhobor lands
02	S1	1539	768	1919		+		O.C. - Hutterite immigration
02	S1	1541	923	1919		+		O.C. - Prohibition of Menn., Douk., and Hutt. immigration
02	S1	1546	1204	1919		+		O.C. - Prohibition of Menn., Douk., and Hutt. immigration
02	S1	1676	1181	1922		+		O.C. - Cancellation of prohibition on immigration
02	S1	1733		1924		+		O.C. - Refund to David Toews
02	S1	1768	418	1926		+	+	O.C. - Cancellation of prohibition on immigration
02	S1	2069	5155	1940		+		O.C. - Military exemption
02	S1	2299	601	1946		+		O.C. - Sale of Hutterite lands
02	S3	7	1183	1876		+	+	O.C. - Mennonite Loan
02	S3	8	754	1877		+	+	O.C. - Mennonite Loan
02	S3	155	2303	1905		+		O.C. - Private schools
02	S3	229	136	1936		+		O.C. - statement of Church of Christ re military service
04	D1	22		1803		+		Richard Beasley activities in Quebec Gazette
05	A1	143		1766-1840		+		Letters, petitions, reports

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05	A1	173	1766-1840				Letters, petitions, reports
05	A1	71	1766-1840				Letters, petitions, reports
05	A1	72	1766-1840				Letters, petitions, reports
05	A1	74	1766-1840				Letters, petitions, reports
05	A1	93	1766-1840				Letters, petitions, reports
05	A1	97	1766-1840				Letters, petitions, reports
06		116-c-5	1917-19				+ Press Censor - Der Christliche Bundesbote
06		116-H-1	1915				+ Press Censor - Zionsbote
06		119-D-1	1916				+ Press Censor - Die Deutsche Presse
06		119-D-2					+ Press Censor - Der Schulfreund
06		119-S-2	1917-18				+ Press Censor - Steinbach Post
06		269-90	1918				+ Press Censor - Lonetree pamphlet
06		370-G-A-14	1919				+ Press Censor - Steinbach Post
06		370-G-A-25	1919				+ Press Censor - Der Mitarbeiter
06		311-M-1	1919				+ Press Censor - Scottdale
07	G20	142-4 2522	1872			2590	Agric., Mennonites in Russia



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07	G21	653	37523	1872-3 1921-39	2518		+ Emigration from Russia, Canada, to Paraguay, Mexico
08	c	1701		1812			+ Richard Beasley
08	c	688b		1812			+ Richard Beasley
08	c	688d		1814			+ Richard Beasley
08	c	703e		1815			+ Richard Beasley
08	c	89		1815			+ Richard Beasley
10		26		1797-1804			+ Richard Beasley
10		27		1806			+ Richard Beasley
13	A2	232	353	1919	2518		Complaint over fines for private schools
13	A2	307	1388/26	1926	2518		Exodus to Mexico
13	A2	308	1600	1926	2518		CMBC complaint made by judge
14		214	178	1928-30			+ Immigration from Russia
15		233	3129	1872-1945			+ + Dominion Lands Branch, western land settlement, education rights
15		246	27630 (1)	1873-85			+ + Land settlement in Manitoba
15		246	27630 (2)	1885-92			+ + Land settlement in Manitoba
15		246	7665	1877			+ + Payment of fees for land patents, settlement
15		246	8974	1877			+ + Conditions of application for land patents, naturalization

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17	A1	62 6550- 26021	1872-79				+ Immigration from Russia, land settlement
18		585 682	1919				+ Latin American and Mennonites - RCMP
18	B1	R119	WWI				+ Investigation of Mennonite books and publications
18	B5	44	WWI				+ Investigation of Mennonite books and publications
19	E20	589 155-0-347	1941-46	2518			+ Sale of Dominion of Canada Securities to Menn.- Victory Bonds
19	E5A	3740	1813-23				+ Richard Beasley
19	E5A	3746	1815-23				+ Richard Beasley
22		82 Docket 517	1941	2590			Manual of Instruction for AS work camps
24		741 32-40	1944-47	2590			National relief agencies, includ. CMRC
24	C1	115 7168-1	1908-40	2518			+ Military exemp., Klaas Peters case
24	C1	5953 HQ 1064- 30-67	1914-45	2030			Conscientious Objectors
24	C1	2029 HW 1064- 30-95	1918	2030			Conscientious Objectors
24	C1	2028- 2029 HQ 1064- 30-67	1918-19				Treatment of Conscientious Objectors
25	A2	183 C/17/85	1921	2518			Scheme to remove to Paraguay
25	Aw	203 144/80	1922-23	2590			Migration from Ukraine to Canada

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25	G1	1166	1882	1915	2518		Appreciation for religious privileges
25	G1	1187	3029	1916	2518		Emigration from Russia
25	G1	1224	570-18	1918	2518		Emigration from U.S. to Canada
25	G1	13-1	1152	1921-23	2518		Est. in Paraguay and Mexico
25	G1	1472	416 C	1926-35	2518		Migration to Paraguay, and land titles
25	G1	1558	44C	1929-30	2518		Immigration from Russia
25	G1	1723	930	1934-35	2518		Relief for Russian famine sufferers, CMBC
25	G1	1724	5CB	1935-38	2518		Return to Canada from Mexico
25	G1	1879	720	1938-39	2518		Publication of Despatches of emigration from Russia
26		122	3-32-4	1930-60s	2518		Douk., Amish(Ont), Menn.(Mexico, Bolivia), Hutt.(Can), WWI, etc.
26		122	3-32-4 pt 1,2	1938-66			Doukhobors, Mennonites and Hutterites
27		1501	2-N-101-1	1941-42	2518	+	Conscientious Objectors, Mennonites
27		991	2-101-1	1942-43	2518		Conscientious Objectors, Mennonites

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27		601.3(12)	1942-44			+	Alternative Service Camps
27	1514	60-31	1943	2518			Mennonite Agricultural Advisory Comm.
27	131	601.3-6	1943			+	Lacelle Files - Alternative Service, COs
27		601.3 (12-3)	1943			+	Alternative Service Camps in B.C.
27		601.3 (12-2)	1943-44			+	Org. and Admin. of the AS and COs Branch
27	132	601.3-6	1944			+ +	Lacelle Files - AS, COs, P.C.Locke article
27		601.3 (12-4)	1944			+	Amendments to Alternative Service Regulations
27		21-25-3	1945-46			+	AS and COs - Enquiries and Representations
27	285	1-26-25 pt 1,2	1950-55				Mennonites
28	A2 149	3-N-10	1943	2518			Altona Extraction of Soya Bean Oil
29	287	402-2-5	1922-39	2518			Admission to Canada (Immigration)
29	34	30-1-1	1959				Civil Defense and war activities, MDS
29	1765	32-8-2 pt 1	1966-71				Canada Pension Plan - Menn., Amish, Hutt.
30	5631	5163-1	1927			+	Mennonite movement to the Peace River country

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30	5631	5163-2	1928-9		+		List of Prospective Mennonite Families, Not Nominated
30	5631	5163-2	1930		+		List of Prospective Mennonite Families, Not Nominated
30	5631	5163-3	1927-29		+		Mennonite Families - Miscellaneous
30	5631	5163-3	1927-30		+		Mennonite Families Steamship Commission
30	5631	5163-4	1927-34		+		Mennonite Settlements at Reesor, Ont.
30	5631	5163-6	1927				Menn. Settlement Aid Board - members listed
30	5632	5163-5	1929		+		Reduced Fares for Movement of Mennonites
30	5632	5163-6	1927		+		Mennonite Immigration Aid, No.1
30	5632	5163-6	1927		+		Mennonite Immigration Aid, No.2
30	5632	5163-6	1928		+		Mennonite Immigration Aid
30	5633	5163-11	1928-34		+		Mennonite Credit Passengers - payments received
30	5634	5163-13a	1930		+		Mennonite Families - 1930 credit allotment forwardings
30	5634	5163-13b	1927-31		+		Mennonite Immigration Aid - minutes of meetings of Joint Mennonite Committee

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30	5634	5163-14	1931-33		+		Mennonite Immigration Aid - periodical reports
30	5642	7500-1	1929		+		Publicity - Misc.
30	5642	7500-1	1930		+		Publicity - Misc.
30	5698	H-5510	1958				Menn. Immigration Soc. of Wpg.
30	5746	5163-11	1941		+		Mennonite Credit Passengers - Payments Received
30	5746	5163-9	1941		+		Mennonite Movement to B.C.
30	5758	5163-11	1943		+		Mennonite Credit Passengers - Payments Received
30	5894	19	1928		+		Report on Mennonite Settlement at Reesor, Ont. on the lines of the CNR
30	5904	105	1940		+		Burns Lake - Mennonite Pictures taken
30 DP	5634	5163-12	1929-35				Credit Passengers Interest Debits
30 DP	5651	9045-6	1927-28				J.J. Hildebrand Personal File
30 DP	5698	H-5510	1958				Letter of Sympathy to family of Rev. J.J. Schulz
30 DP	5699	H-5535	1958				Mennonite Immigration Aid
30 DP	5723	K-5163-11	1938				Credit Passenger payments received
30 DP	5741	LSM 5163-9	1940				Movement to B.C.

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30 DP	5745	LSN 4115	1941				B.C. General
30 DP	5755	LSR 105	1943				C.N.S.A. Misc. - Mennonite Collections
30 DP	5903	105	1940				Burns Lake Mennonite Pictures
30 DP	5905	106	1940				Photos and data on settlement at Burns Lake
30 DP	5905	106A	1940				Data on settlement at Burns Lake
30 DP	5905	106B	1940				Mennonite Settlement in vicinity of Burns Lake
30 DP	5906	113	1942				Photos of families at Vanderhoof, B.C.
30 DP	5921	42	1930-35				Pictorial booklet of community progress competitions, Alta.
30 DP	5980		1931-42				Settlement at Swan Plains, Sask.
30 DP	5990	W211	1925				Western Settlement - transactions with CNLSA
30 DP	6055		1961				Settlements in Saskatchewan
33 S80	63	790-907					Menn. German Language Soc., B.C.
33 S80	58	760-600	1965				Brief - Man. Trustee Assoc. & Man. Educational Comm.
33 S80	59	760-604	1965				Menn. Soc. for the Promotion of the German Language in Can.

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33	S80	61	760-646				Brief - Can. Menn. Assoc., Manitoba
33	S80	129	1555				Brief by Man. Menn. School Trustee Assoc. and German Language Soc.
35	21	13	1942-46	2518			Dept. of Labour, Alternative Service
39	41	49855I	1941-42			+	AS work camps
39	A1	41	49810	2590			War effort, AS camps, COs, etc.
39	A1	41	49810 pt.1,2			+	AS work camps, COs, war effort
68		Gen Index	1924				Charter to "The Menn. Colonization Assoc. of North America Ltd."
68		Gen Index	1922				Charter to "The Menn. Colonization Assoc. of North America Ltd."
68		Gen Index	1925				Charter to "Canadian Mennonite Board of Colonization"
68		Gen Index	1926				Charter to "Mennonite Immigration Aid"
68		Index to Doc	1955				Charter to "The Western Canada Menn. Land Settlement Assoc."
68		Index to Doc	1960				Supp. charter to "CMBC" name changed to "CMRIC"
76	160- 161	40281- 41303	1872-1949	C-7317			Undesirable Mennonite emigrants from Russia



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76	173- 176	16 parts	1872-1949	C-7329- 50			Hutterites and Mennonites
76	7-13	58764	1873-1934		+	+	Emigration to Mexico, Immigration from Russia (20s), military exemp.
76	16-17	142-147	1891-1900	C-4674			Emigration from U.S., Julius Siemens
76	149- 50	35550- 36013	1897-1905	C-7307			Immigration work in Europe (G. Ens)
76	226	119181	1900-01	C-7376			Pamphlet - History of Mennonites in Manitoba
76	367- 368	481696- 491991	1906	C-10268			Amish Menn. to be located in Alberta
76	1,2,3 <i>vol. 129</i>	58764	1916-19		+		Immigration, military exemption
76	195- 197	75785- 79160	1921-46	C-7349- 50			Russian Immigration
76	358- 360	424060- 429515	1929-40	C-10262			Hutterite colonies in U.S., settlement in Canada
76	855	554-22	1949-66				Hutterites and Mennonites, General
80	22	T14-127	1943-44	2590			Labour situation of grain elevators
88	20	SE 3-29-3	1941	2590			Alternative Service work camps
88	41-42	U-1000	1941-43	2590, 2607			Conscientious Objectors
88	42	U-1000-334	1941-43	2607			Conscientious Objectors
88	43-47	U-1001	1941-47	2607, 2030			Conscientious Objectors

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88	33		1943-47				+ Rattray Memo etc.
Nat. Park	215- 218		1941-48				+ Alternative Service Work Camps

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26	J1	116	1920s	2518			Mackenzie King Papers - Immigration from Russia
26	J1	12	1909		+	+	King Papers - Resolution from Ont. Conference
26	J1	17	1911			+	King Papers - Mennonites and militarism
26	J1	35	1917			+	King Papers - Mennonites and the vote
26	J1	36	1917			+	King Papers - 1917 Election
26	J1	37	1917			+	King Papers - Menn. franchise
26	J1	38	1918-19		+	+	King Papers - Separate schools
26	J1	58	1921			+	King Papers - Immigration
26	J1	72	1922		+		King Papers - Immigration
26	J1	82	1922		+	+	King Papers - Immigration
26	J1	100	1924			+	King Papers - Letter of thanks from CMBC
26	J1	143	1927		+	+	King Papers - Immigration
26	J1	149	1927		+	+	King Papers - Immigration
26	J1	158	1928		+	+	King Papers - Immigration
26	J1	159	1928			+	King Papers - Gerhard Ens, immigration

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26	J1	162	1929			+	King Papers - Immigration
26	J1	169	1929			+	King Papers - Immigration, mentally insane
26	J1	183	1930			+	King Papers - Immigration, conditions in Russia, Rosthern school
26	J1		1929-36			+	King Papers - Immigration misc.
26	J4	117 872	1922-29			+	King Papers - Immigration
26			1906			+	Wilfred Laurier Papers - Manitoba settlements
26	G 1a	668 C-900	1911				Wilfred Laurier Papers - Correspondence (empty file)
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