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Summary information

Repository:	Dalhousie University Archives
Title:	Florence Seeley Knowles fonds
Reference code:	MS-2-543, SF Box 44, Folders 16-19
Date:	1800-1824 (date of creation)
Language:	English
Physical description:	1 cm of textual records (4 folders)
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Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Florence Seeley Knowles was born in 1852 in Liverpool, Nova Scotia, to Caleb Seeley and Elizabeth Perkins Fairbanks. She was the great-grand-niece of the celebrated Nova Scotia painter Gilbert Stewart Newton (1794-1835). In 1927 she married widower Thomas Parkinson-Knowles. She died in 1940 in Cow Bay, Nova Scotia.

Custodial history

Records were donated to the Archives in 1985 by John Bigelow of Halifax.

Scope and content

Fonds comprises family papers, including an 1821 deed to the Perkins family of Liverpool, an 1824 royal land grant to Enos Collins of Liverpool, an 1845 letter of appointment of Samuel P. Fairbanks, Queen's Council, signed by Queen Victoria, and the last will and testament of Henry Newton.

Notes

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Restrictions on access

There are no access restrictions on these materials. All materials are open for research.

Conditions governing use

Materials do not circulate and must be used in the Archives and Special Collections Reading Room. Contact departmental staff for guidance on reproduction.

Accruals

No further accruals expected.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published

Access points

- Collins, Enos, 1774-1871 (subject)
- Fairbanks, Samuel Prescott, 1795-1882 (subject)
- Newton, Gilbert Stewart, 1794-1835 (subject)
- Newton, Henry, 1731-1802 (subject)
- Textual record (documentary form)
- Deeds (subject)
- Families--Nova Scotia (subject)
- Land grants (subject)
- Personal archives (subject)
- Wills (subject)
- Liverpool (N.S.) (place)

Collection holdings
