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### Finding Aid - Simpson family fonds (MS-4-181)

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# Simpson family fonds

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## Summary information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Dalhousie University Archives
<b>Title:</b>	Simpson family fonds
<b>Reference code:</b>	MS-4-181
<b>Date:</b>	1929-1953 (date of creation)
<b>Language:</b>	English
<b>Physical description:</b>	4 pages (2 folders)

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## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

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### Note

The Simpson family lived in Simpson's Corner, Lunenburg County, Nova Scotia during the 20th century. Vernon Simpson (August 20, 1892-January 12, 1941) operated a general store. His wife, Olive Eliza Simpson, died in 1981.

### Custodial history

Materials were accessioned by the University Archives in 1982. The custodial history prior to that is unknown.

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## Scope and content

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Fonds contains a ledger from Vernon Simpon's general store in Simpson's Corner, Lunenburg County, Nova Scotia. The ledger book contains entries from 1929-1930. It was also used as a notebook, with miscellaneous notes entered until 1976. Fonds also contains a letter to Mrs. Vernon Simpson (Olive Eliza Simpson) from Robert H. Winters, Ottawa, November 30, 1953. The letter is a reply to Mrs. Simpson's letter about changes to mail delievery in Simpson's Corner, Lunenburg County, Nova Scotia. The file with the letter also contains an order form from Veribest Speciality Company and two copies of handwritten minutes of a Community Club meeting held on November 15, 1951.

## Notes

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### Title notes

### Restrictions on access

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

### Conditions governing use

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### Accruals

No further accruals expected.

### Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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## Access points

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- Textual record (documentary form)
  - Account books (subject)
  - Business records (subject)
  - Correspondence (subject)
  - General stores (subject)
  - Personal archives (subject)
  - Simpson's Corner (N.S.) (place)
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## Collection holdings

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### **File: MS-4-181, SF Box 45, Folder 41 - Letter to Mrs. Vernon Simpson from Robert H. Winters**

Title: Letter to Mrs. Vernon Simpson from Robert H. Winters

Reference code: MS-4-181, SF Box 45, Folder 41

Date: 1951-1953 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a letter to Mrs. Vernon Simpson from Robert H. Winters, Ottawa, November 30, 1953. The letter is a reply to Mrs. Simpson's letter about changes to mail delivery in Simpson's Corner, Lunenburg County, Nova Scotia. File also contains an order form from Veribest Speciality Company and two copies of handwritten minutes of a Community Club meeting held on November 15, 1951.

Physical description: 4 pages (1 folder)

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**File: MS-4-181, SF Box 63, Folder 11 - Ledger from Vernon Simpson's general store**

Title: Ledger from Vernon Simpson's general store

Reference code: MS-4-181, SF Box 63, Folder 11

Date: Bulk, 1929-1930 (date of creation)

Date: 1929-1976 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a ledger from Vernon Simpson's general store. The ledger contains entries from 1929-1930. It also contains miscellaneous notes from 1929-1976. Notes after 1941 (when Vernon Simpson died) are presumably made by his wife, Olive Eliza Simpson.

Physical condition:

The ledger is dog-eared and worn. The cloth on the cover is frayed.

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