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JAMES R. AIKENHEAD FONDS. -- 1929-1945. -- 1 cm of textual records.

Rev. James Robert Aikenhead was born in Toronto in 1863, and died at the age of 83, June 16, 1946. Aikenhead entered the ministry at age 21 and his charges in Toronto included Westmoreland Avenue United Church, King Street United Church, Davenport Road United Church. Aikenhead's wife was Elizabeth Dimsdale who was the first woman evangelist to be appointed by the Toronto Conference of the Methodist Church in 1885. His daughter, Gertrude Aikenhead was superintendent of the Fred Victor home for Girls, and he also had a son, James Aikenhead.

Fonds consists personal marriage register of James Robert Aikenhead, which lists marriage ceremonies performed in Toronto from 1929-1945. Aikenhead's charges included Westmoreland Avenue United Church, King Street United Church, Davenport Road United Church.

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