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NEIL D. PATTERSON FONDS

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### NEIL PATTERSON FONDS. – 1894-1963. – 7 cm of textual records.

Neil David Patterson (1894-1963) was a United Church minister. He was born in Cape Breton. He studied at Westminster Hall, Queen's University (B.A., B.D., 1921). He was ordained in 1921 in the Presbyterian Church in Canada, subsequently he attended the University of Chicago, receiving an M.A. in Church History. He served pastorates in several provinces, but particularly in Ontario. His interest in education led him to serve on the first Board of Directors of Trent University in Peterborough, Ontario. In 1954 Patterson received an honorary degree of D.D. from Queen's University.

Fonds consists of correspondence, 1920's-1940's, sermons, 1923-1935, and a personal register of Rev. Neil David Patterson containing a list of sermons, baptisms, 1921-1953; marriages, 1921-1954; burials, 1921-1953: includes Russell, Ontario, 1921-1924; Foxboro, Ontario, 1921, 1924; Sidney, Ontario, 1921; Windsor, Ontario, 1925; Moosomin, Saskatchewan, 1925-1931; Fleming, Saskatchewan, 1925; Walpole, Saskatchewan, 1926; Detroit, Michigan, 1927, 1929; Toronto, 1931; North Sydney, Nova Scotia, St. Matthew-Wesley Church, 1932-1943; Dundas, St. Paul's, 1943-1945; Granby, P.Q., 1945-1950; Brantford, Wellington St. Church, 1950-1953; Montreal, 1956; Peterborough, Mark St. Church, 1953-1954.

Acc. No.	Box-File	Title	Date(s)
86.246C	1-1	General Correspondence	1920-1940
	1-2	"Wealth" January 14, 1923	
	1-3	"What is the Christian Conception of Jesus" Jan. 17, 1926.	
	1-4	"of God" Oct. 28, 1928	
	1-5	"Revelation "	1928
	1-6	"of the Divine Purpose"	1928
	1-7	"of Creation and providence"	1928
	1-8	"40 Years Mission Work in China A Failure" Sept. 18, 1932	
	1-9	"The Oxford Group Movement" Feb. 5, 1933	
	1-10	Anniversary of St. Matthew Wesley. Feb. 26, 1933	
	1-11	"The character of a New war" Nov.12, 1933	
	1-12	"Why does God appear indifferent?" Sept.30 1934.	
	1-13	Watch Night Service-Dec. 31, 1935	
	1-14	"The Nature of Christian Life"	
	1-15	"Our Own Record"	