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Summary information

Repository:	Victoria University Archives
Title:	Victoria University (Cobourg, Ont.). Department of Medicine fonds
Reference code:	2083
Category [alternative]:	Administrative Bodies
Date:	1855-1892 (date of creation)
Physical description:	18 cm of textual records
Dates of creation, revision and deletion:	Added by MO: May 31, 2016Revised by ECN: April 27, 2017Updated by JT: March 12 2019
Note [generalNote]:	For student records see also Victoria University (Toronto, Ont.) Registrar's Office fonds (Fonds 2049, Series 2, Subseries 1 - Registers, Directories, Marks).
Note [generalNote]:	For research into the history of medicine at Victoria, see also Lorna Fraser fonds (Fonds 2116).

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

The Department of Medicine was established in 1854 when John Rolph's medical school in Toronto became attached to Victoria College. In 1866, L'École de médecine et de chirurgie de Montréal also became affiliated with Victoria College. No classes were actually given in Cobourg, however the medical diplomas were issued by Victoria College/University because neither medical school was empowered to grant degrees on their own. The Department's Medical Board of Examiners was established in 1875 to examine students with certificates from medical schools who wished to obtain M.D. degrees. Dr. Uzziel Ogden taught on the Toronto Faculty for many years. The name of the Department was changed when Victoria University was constituted in 1884, and the Department ceased to exist when Victoria University became affiliated with the University of Toronto.

Scope and content

Fonds consists of register of students in the Department of Medicine, 1858-1875; register of students examined by the Medical Board of Examiners, 1880-1892, including Uzziel Ogden's account with

Victoria University; announcements (calendars), 1857-1883 (incomplete, and includes Montreal, 1878-1879 to 1881-1882); correspondence, reports and other records, 1855-1881 (includes Montreal 1878-1881); examinations, 1857; and medical diploma for James Edward Forfar, 1889.

Notes

Title notes

- **Source of title proper:** Title based on contents of the fonds.

Immediate source of acquisition

Transfer
1987.144V
1997.034V
2011.23V

Alternative form available

- Some material is available on microfilm.
- Scanned copies of microfilm are also available - see file level descriptions for links.

Accruals

No further accruals are expected.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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Access points

- Textual records (documentary form)
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Series descriptions

Reference code	Title	Dates	Physical description
2083-1987.144V-10S	File - Student Registrar	1858-1875	1 oversized register
2083-1987.144V-10S	File - Register of students examined by the Medical Board of Examiners	1880-1892	1 oversized volume
2083-1997.034V-1-1	File - Announcements (calendars)	1864-1868 1862 1861 1859 1857	

2083-1997.034V-1-2	File - Announcements (calendars)	1878-1883 1870-1873
2083-1997.034V-1-3	File - Correspondence, reports and other records	1855-1856
2083-1997.034V-1-4	File - Correspondence, reports and other records	1857-1859
2083-1997.034V-1-5	File - Correspondence, reports and other records	1860-1873
2083-1997.034V-1-6	File - Correspondence, reports and other records	1874
2083-1997.034V-1-7	File - Correspondence, reports and other records	1875-1880
2083-1997.034V-1-8	File - Correspondence, reports and other records	1878-1881
2083-1997.034V-1-9	File - Examinations	1857
2083-2011.23V-OS-1	File - Medical diploma for James Edward Forfar	1889