

I.O.D.E. Niagara Rangers Chapter Minutes, 1991-1994, n.d.

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- Extent:** 5 1/2 cm (1/8 box) of textual material
- Abstract:** This archive is comprised of minute books relating to activities of the Niagara Rangers Chapter of the I.O.D.E.
- Materials:** Minute books and some loose pages
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History: The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire was founded by Margaret Polson Murray in 1900 following the outbreak of the second Boer War. The organization gave charitable aid to soldiers and it assisted the dependents of deceased soldiers. The federation of women was formed to promote patriotism, loyalty and service to others. The mayors of Canada's major cities were urged to call together the prominent women of their communities to join in this endeavor.

In 1979, the name I.O.D.E was officially adopted. The organization is federally chartered not-for-profit. The focus is on improving the quality of life for children,

youth and the underprivileged through educational, social service and citizenship programs.

The membership list for this chapter lists 1917 as the beginning date and 1994 as the end date. The Niagara Rangers Chapter was located in Niagara Falls, Ontario.

Sources: [http://www.iode.ca/our history.html](http://www.iode.ca/our%20history.html)

<http://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.ca/en/article/imperial-order-daughters-of-the-empire/>

Scope and Content:

The fonds contains minute books from the Niagara Rangers Chapter of the I.O.D.E. Also included are some loose pages. Original order was maintained where possible and where no order existed, like records were brought together.

Organization: Loose pages have been placed in folder

- 1.1 Niagara Rangers Chapter membership lists for 1917-1994. The list is not complete, n.d.
- 1.2 Minute book (hardcover), January 1986 – February 1991
- 1.3 Minute book (hardcover), April 1, 1991 – March 7, 1994

Related Material:

McComb, Isabel. Isabel McComb Brighty Fonds. 17 RG. 1876-1941.

Earl Mountbatten Chapter. I.O.D.E. Earl Mountbatten Chapter Fonds. RG 311. 1945-2007.

Second Dragoons Chapter. I.O.D.E. Second Dragoons Chapter Fonds. RG 310. 1967-1983.

Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. Who Called? 1949. Special Collections FC 3164.2 N85 1949

Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. Who Called? 1946. Special Collections FC 3164.2 N85 1946

Duke of Kent Chapter. I.O.D.E. Duke of Kent Chapter Fonds. RG 311. 1934-1980.

Col. Kerby Chapter. I.O.D.E. Col. Kerby Chapter Minutes. RG 548. 1920-1989, n.d.

Stamford Chapter. I.O.D.E. Stamford Chapter Minutes. RG 550. 1991-1994, n.d.