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TITLE: Poisson Family Fonds

EXTENT: 17 cm of textual records.

Biographical Sketch: Alexis Eliahim Posson, J. Samuel Poisson, and J. Ed. Hercule Poisson, are members of the family of the seigneurs of Gentilly, Quebec, and related to the poet Adolphe Poisson, 1849-1922. They all studied medicine at Quebec, first at the Séminaire, and later at the Medical Department of Laval University. The elder, Alexis Eliahim Poisson either graduated at the Séminaire, or may have been one of the first students at Laval University, together with F.-A.-H. Larue.

Custodial History: Purchased

Scope and Content: The fonds contains 14 medical study notes (1854-1877) by medical doctors of Poisson family

Source of supplied title proper: Title based on the documents in the fonds.

Language: French

Finding Aids: Inventory list available

2 Boxes

Box 722

Folder 1

- [Anonymous]. [Medical and pharmaceutical terminology]. Gentilly, Quebec, 1854-55. Aprox. 200p. 8vo, bound in contemp. Vellum with printed bookplate “Alexis Eliahim Poisson”, also bears signature of a “Dr. Frémont” and date Gentilly, 1845. Appears to be in at least two different handwritings, indicating Poisson may have added to the notebook that originally belonged to Dr. Frémont. The medical terminology is accompanied by descriptions of the methods of treatment, and pharmaceutical products indicate what illness they are being used for.

Folder 2

- Landry, L. cours de chirurgie, pathologie externe. 1er terme. 1876-77. 149p., sm. 4to (continuous pagination, on recto, starting upside down on verso of pages), half-leather and marbled boards (bit rubbed), Ms., notes taken by J. Ed. Hercule Poisson.

Folder 3

- Landry, Jean Étienne. Chirurgie. Volume I. 1864-65. 95 p., 4to (continuous pagination on recto, starting upside down on verso of pages), marbled boards, leather back (bit rubbed), Ms. Notes by L.B. [?], presented to J. Sam. Poisson.

Folder 4

- Landry, Jean Étienne. Chirurgie ou pathologie externe. Volume II. 1864-65. 73, [1] p., sm. 4to (continuous pagination on recto, starting upside down on verso of pages), marbled boards, Ms. Notes by J. Samuel Poisson.

Folder 5

- Landry, Jean Étienne. Chirurgie ou Pathologie externe. Volume III. 1864-65. 71, [7] p., sm. 4to (continuous pagination on recto, starting upside down on verso of pages), marbled boards, Ms. Notes by J. Samuel Poisson.

Folder 6

- Simard, L. Pathologie générale. 1er terme. 1874-75. Aprox. 150p. [pages not numbered], sm. 4to (as above, but without numbering), stiff marbled boards, cloth black, Ms. Notes by J. Ed. Hercule Poisson.

Folder 7

- Simard, L. Pathologie générale. (4eme Cahier). 1874-75. [84] unnumbered pages, as above, sm. 4to stitched without wrappers. Ms. Notes by J. Ed. Hercule Poisson.

Folder 8

- La Rue, F.-A.-H. Histologie Pathologique. 1875. [32], 169p., 4to (continuous pagination on recto, starting upside down on verso of pages), marbled boards, cloth-backed (spine gone, signatures detached), Ms. Notes by J. Ed. Hercule Poisson.

Folder 9

- Sewell, J. Pathologie interne ou pratique de médecine. Volumes I-II. 1864-65. 2v. sm. 4to: 68; 84, [1] p., marbled wrappers (rubbed, v.I spine nearly splitting), Ms. Notes by J. Samuel Poisson.

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Folder 10

- Simard, L. physiologie. (1er-2e Cahier). 1875. First approx. 200 unnumbered pages, second 94, [94] p (continuous pagination on recto, starting upside down on verso of pages), sm. 4to, boards, cloth-back (binding rubbed and bottom corners worn). Ms. Notes by J.Ed. Hercule Poisson.

Folder 11

- Simard, L. *Maladies des yeux et des oreilles*. 1876-77. 159p. (Continuous pagination on recto, starting upside down on verso of pages), sm. 4to, half leather and marbled boards (bit rubbed). Ms. Notes by J. Ed. Hercule Poisson.

Folder 12

- La Rue, F.-A.-H. *Cours de Chimie*, 1874. (approx. 75p.) (with upside down on verso:) Dupont, E. *Instructions dogmatiques* (Collège des Trois-Rivières, 1871-72), and *Notes géographiques*. Sm. 4to, boards, cloth backed (bit rubbed). Ms. Notes by [J.Ed.] H. Poisson.

Folder 13

- La Rue, F.-A.-H. *Notes sur la Chimie Organique*, 1864. 43, [3, Appendice], 23p. (with, upside down, starting at end): Sewell, J. *Pathologie interne* (auscultation). 1864. sm. 4to, marbled wrapper (back wrapper missing). Ms. Notes by J. Samuel Poisson.

Folder 14

- [anonymous]. *Matière Médicale*. [1874-75]. Approx. 250 p., (continued upside down on verso of pages), obl. Sm. 4to, cloth-backed marbled boards (front cover recovered with old newspaper but broken). Ms. Notes appear to be in hand of J. Samuel Poisson.