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**DIAMOND JUBILEE LADIES ORANGE BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION  
#762 FONDS**

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**FONDS DESCRIPTION**

**Dates**

1927-1957

**Extent**

1 volume of textual records

**Administrative History**

The Ladies Orange Benevolent Association is a Protestant Christian women's organization, affiliated with the Orange Association. According to the Grand Orange Lodge of Canada, the Ladies Orange Benevolent Association was founded in 1894 to give women an opportunity to advance the principles of the Orange Order and to contribute toward community charity.

Diamond Jubilee Ladies Orange Benevolent Association #762 was formed on May 26, 1927 with the assistance of two London, Ontario associations. Diamond Jubilee lodge met at the Parish Hall in Greenway, north-west of Parkhill, Ontario.

The inaugural officers were:

Lena Smith – Worshipful Mistress  
Ethel Mellin – Deputy Mistress  
Mabel Hutchinson – Recording Secretary  
Marie Hodgins – Treasurer

No meetings were held between November, 1954 and January, 1957. Diamond Jubilee Loyal Orange Lodge #762 ceased operations sometime after 1958.

**Scope and Content**

This fonds contains the minutes of monthly meetings of Diamond Jubilee Ladies Orange Benevolent Association #762.

**Arrangement**

The fonds is arranged into the following series:

Series 1: Minutes of meetings

**Finding Aids**

Item list is available.

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Purchased.

**Note**

Material was originally stored in box B4575-002.

**Conditions Governing Access**

No restrictions on access.

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This series contains minutes of meetings, including the inaugural meeting, of Diamond Jubilee Ladies Orange Benevolent Association #762.

**Item List**

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