Cyr family music and songbook, 1990

MCC-00308

Finding Aid

Prepared by Kathryn Donahue, September 2010 Revised by Anne Chamberland, September 2010 Acadian Archives/Archives acadiennes University of Maine at Fort Kent Fort Kent, Maine Title: Cyr family music and songbook

Creator/Collector: Cyr family

Collection number: MCC-00308 Shelf list number: UM-308, AA-308, AJ-308

Dates: 1990

Extent: 1 folder (.15 cubic feet)

Provenance: Material was acquired from Mr. and Mrs. Leo Poitras, 1994.

Language: French, English.

Conservation notes: The songs have been recorded from the original audiocassette onto a compact disc for listening and preservation purposes.

Access restrictions: No restrictions on access.

Physical restrictions: None.

Technical restrictions: A compact disc player is required to access a portion of this collection.

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Separated materials: Not applicable.

Related materials: Not applicable.

Location of originals: Not applicable.

Location of copies: Not applicable.

Published in: Not applicable.

Biographical information: No biographical information is available.

Scope and content:

This collection consists of a music recording made in 1990 for a Cyr family reunion, possibly held in New Brunswick, Canada. The included songs are sung by Aimé Leblanc

and his wife Pauline (Pauline Poitras) and the chorale St-Georges of Grand-Sault, New Brunswick. Also included in the collection is a songbook, entitled *Chants de la famille Cyr*, containing the lyrics to the recorded songs. The included songs, all but one of which in French, are "La Chanson Des Cyr," "Les Trois Choches," "Le Pêcheur Acadien," Dear Hearts and Gentle People," "Viens Voir L'Acadie," "Les Cyr's Siegas," "Mon Village," "Au Fond Des Campagnes," "Y'a Une Etoile Pour Vous," "Unissons Nos Voix," and "Mots de Remerciement" (capitalization depicts that used in the table of contents).

Inventory:

Folder 1: 1 compact disc, 1 audiocassette (original) and 1 songbook.

Order and arrangement:

The content of the original cassette was transferred on archival gold compact disc with shelf list number MCC-00308 AJ-308 1/1 and is located in the collection room of the Acadian Archives.

The audio cassette was given shelf list number MCC-00308 AA-308 1/1 and is located with the archival audio cassettes in the Archives collection room.

A white label compact disc was copied for patron use and is located in the stack section of the Acadian Archives with LCCN: ACADIAN A-V CDisc C997cy.

The song booklet is in an archival folder and has shelf list number: UM-308.