Name	Township	original Co/2003 Co	History Records
1845	police village	-	•
	town		
	city		
	Merriton and Port Dalhousie To	wns and part of Grantham	Twp added
	part of Louth Twp added	1	P
	placed in new Niagara RM		
St Clair Be	-	Essex/-	
1914	village	•	
	amalgamated into Tecumseh To	own	
St Isidore	Plantagenet S		H2
form	erly Kerry	,	
	name changed to St Isidore de l	Prescott	
	village		
1989	name changed to St Isidore		
	amalgamated into Nation M		
St Marys	Blanshard	Perth	H01234 R2
formerly Lit	tle Falls		
1844	name changed to St Marys		
1855	village		
1863	town		
1864	separated town		
	name changed from St Mary's t	o St Marys	
St Thomas	Yarmouth	Elgin	H01234 R2
formerly Ke	ttle Creek		
1852	village		
1861	town		
1881	city		
Sandwich	Sandwich	Essex/-	
1817	police established		
1851	town with no municipal status		
1857	town		
1935	amalgamated with the city of W	indsor	
Sarnia	Sarnia	Lambton	H01234 R1
1857	community of Port Sarnia incor	porated as Sarnia Town	
	city		
1991	Clearwater Town added		
Saugeen Sl		Bruce	
1999	town, formed by amalgamation	of Saugeen Twp, and Port I	Elgin and
	Southampton Towns	A1	1101024
Sault Ste M		Algoma Dist	H01234
	town		
	city		
	Steelton Town added	طام ما	
	Korah and Tarentorus Twps add	Metro Toronto/-	H134
Scarboroug	name changed from Scarborous	·	
	part of Pickering Twp annexed	511 I wp to ocarborough bor	Jugii
	city		
1998	amalgamated into Toronto City		

Name	Township	original Co/2003 Co	History	Records
Seaforth		Huron/-	H124	
Tuckersmith	n/McKillop			
formerly The	Four Corners, then Steenes Cor	ners		
1868	village			
1875	town			
2001	amalgamated into Huron East I	M		
Shallow Lal	_	Grey/-	H24	
1899	police village	<i>5</i> .		
	village			
	part of Keppel Twp added			
	amalgamated into Keppel Twp			
Shelburne	Melancthon	Grey/Dufferin	H1234	R3
formerly Jell	lvs Corners	3 ,		
•	police village, Grey Co (it was or Cos)	n the border between Grey	and Well	ington
1877	village, Wellington Co			
	moved from Wellington to Grey	Co		
	moved from Grey Co to Dufferin			
	part of Melancthon Twp annexe			
1976	town			
Simcoe		Norfolk/-	H0234	R3
Charlottevill	e/Townsend/Windham/Woodho	use		
	own as Birdtown			
•	town with village powers			
	town			
1974	parts of Charlotteville, Townsen	ıd, Windham, and Woodhou	ise Twps	i
	annexed	,	•	
1974	placed in new Haldimand-Norfo	lk RM		
	amalgamated into re-formed No			
Sioux Look	out Drayton	Kenora Dist	H123	
1912	town			
2001:	><2002 name changed to Sioux I	Lookout M		
Smiths Fall		Lanark	H0134	
formerly Wa	rdsville, then Smythes Falls			
-	village			
	town			
1902	separated town			
	name changed from Smith's Fal	lls to Smiths Falls		
Smooth Ro		Cochrane Dist		
1929	town			
1975	Kendrey Twp added			
Southampte		Bruce/-	H1	R2
formerly Sau	9	•		
	village			
	town			
	amalgamated into new Saugeen	Shores Town		
South Bruc	~	Bruce		
1999	town, formed by amalgamation	of Albermarle and Amabel	Twps, Wi	iarton
	Town, and Hepworth Village		- '	
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Name		Township	original Co/2003 Co	History	Records
South River	r	Machar	Parry Sound Dist		
1907	village		· ·		
Springfield	Ü		Elgin/-	HO	
Dorchester S	S/Malahide		3 ,		
	rns Creek, the	en Clunas			
	village				
1998	amalgamate	d into Malahide Twp)		
Stayner	<u> </u>	Nottawasaga	Simcoe/-	H124	
•	tawasaga Sta	_	·		
		ed to Dingwall			
		ed to Stayner			
	village	,			
	town				
		w Clearview Twp			
Steelton	r	_	Algoma Dist/-		
	town, formed	d from part of Sault	•		
		ult Ste Marie City	1		
Stirling	1	Rawdon	Hastings/-	H124	
_	lars Mills. Sh		Mills (order uncertain)		
_	village		(,		
	-	d into new Stirling-F	Rawdon Twp		
Stittsville	arrangarran o	Goulbourn	Carleton/-	H2	
	police village				
	village				
	•	w Ottawa-Carleton F	RM		
	•	d into Goulbourn Tv			
Stoney Cre	•	Saltfleet	Wentworth/-	H014	R1
_	village		,		
	town				
	Saltfleet Tw	o added			
		w Hamilton-Wentwo	rth RM		
1984					
	•	d into Hamilton City	7		
Stouffville	J	Markham/Whitchu		H124	R13
1877	village	•	,		
	_	ed to Whitchurch-St	touffville Town		
Stratford		Easthope S	Perth	H0124	R2
formerly Litt	le Thames	-			
•	village				
	town				
1885	city				
Strathroy	v	Adelaide/Caradoc	Middlesex/-	H134	R2
_	village	·			
1870	town				
2001	amalgamate	d into new Strathroy	y-Caradoc Twp		
Streetsville	•	Toronto	Peel/-	H1234	R13
1858	village				
	town				
		d into new Mississa	uga City		
··	<u> </u>	101			

Name	Township	Original Co/2003 Co	History Records
Sturgeon Falls	Springer	Nipissing Dist/-	H034
1881 settled			
1884 townsite l	aid out		
1896 town			
1999 amalgama	ated into West Nipi	issing M	
Sturgeon Point	Fenelon & Ven	ulam Victoria/-	H0 R1
1899 village			
2001 amalgama	ated into Kawartha	Lakes City	
Sudbu ry		Sudbury Dist/-	H01234 R1
1892 town			
1930 city			
1960 McKim Tv	vp and Frood Mine	e Town added	
1973 Copper Cl	iff Town added		
1973 placed in	new Sudbury RM		
2001 amalgama	ated into new Grea	ter Sudbury City	
Sudbury, Greater – see	e Greater Sudbury		
Sundridge	Strong	Parry Sound Dist	H34
1890 village			
Sutton	Georgina	York/-	H4
1877 police villa	age		
1891 village			
1971 amalgama	ated into Georgina	-	
Swansea		York/-	H0
1925 village			
	m York Co to Metr	=	
9	ated into Toronto C	_	
Sydenham	Derby/Sydenh	am Grey/-	
<1857 village	10	1.00	
	nged to Owen Sou		11104
Tara	Arran	Bruce/-	H124
formerly Eblana			
1881 village		lanalia M	
Tavistock	ated into Arran-Elo		H14
1909 village	Easthope 5/20	orra E Oxford/-	П14
_	d from Perth Co to	Outord Co	
•		Zorra - Tavistock Twp	
Tecumseh	Sandwich E	Essex	H4
1921 town	Sandwich E	Losca	117
	South Two and St	t Clair Beach Village added	
Teeswater	Culross	Bruce/-	H01 R2
1875 village	Cunoss	Bruce/ -	1101 172
•	ated into new Tees	water-Culross Twp	
Thamesville	Camden	Kent/-	R2
1874 village		/	112
_	ited into Chatham	-Kent M	
Thedford	Bosanquet	Lambton/-	H14 R3
1878 village	 - 1 •-• •		112
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Name	Township	Original Co/2003 Co	History Records
200	1 amalgamated into Lambton	n Shores M	
Thessalor	Thessalon	Algoma Dist	H4
187	Os settled		
189	2 town		
Thornbur	7 Collingwood	Grey/-	H013 R2
188	7 town		
199	8 amalgamated into new Blu	e Mountains Town	
Thornloe	Armstrong	Timiskaming Dist	H2
191	6 village		
Thorold	Thorold	Welland/Niagara RM	H0134 R2
185	0 village		
	5 town		
197	0 parts of Crowland and Tho	rold Twps added	
197	0 placed in new Niagara RM		
197	5 city		
Thunder l	Bay	Thunder Bay Dist	H1234
197	0 city, formed by amalgamat	ing Fort William and Port Ar	thur Cities, and
	McIntyre and Neebing Twp	s	
Tilbury	Tilbury E	Kent/-	H134
formerly T	ilbury Centre		
188	7 village		
189	6 name changed to Tilbury		
191	0 town		
199	8 amalgamated into Chathar	n-Kent M	
Tillsonbu	g Dereham	Oxford	H234
formerly D	ereham Forge		
183	6 name changed to Tillsonbu	ırg	
186	5 police village		
187	2 town (by error it was incor)	porated as one-l Tilsonburg)	
190	2 name changed from Tilson	burg to Tillsonburg	
197	4 part of Middleton Twp ann	exed	
	5 part of Dereham Twp anne		
197	5 placed in restructured Oxf		
	ing Shores	Timiskaming Dist	
200	4 city, formed by amalgamat	ing Haileybury and New Lisk	ceard Towns, and
	Dymond Twp		
Timmins		Cochrane Dist	H034 R1
	2 town		
197	3 city, formed by amalgamat Whitney Twps	ing Timmins Town and Mou	ntjoy, Tisdale, and
Tiverton	-	rdine Bruce/-	H012
	8 village	,	
	8 amalgamated into Bruce T	qw	
Toronto	York	York	H1234 R12
	4 city, name changed from Y	ork	
	3 Yorkville Village annexed		
	4 Brockton Village annexed		
	9 Parkdale Town annexed		

Name	Township	Original Co/2003 Co	History Records
	East Toronto Town annexed		
	West Toronto City annexed		
	North Toronto Town annexed		
	placed in new Metropolitan Toro	onto	
	Forest Hill and Swansea Villages		
	city (single tier), reformed by am		Etobicoke,
1990	North York, Scarborough, Toron		
	Borough	,	
Toronto Ju	nction – see West Toronto		
Tottenham		Simcoe/-	H234
	village	,	
	placed in new New Tecumseth T	own	
Trenton	Sidney	Hastings/-	H0124 R1
formerly Tre	•	<u> </u>	
•	village, name changed to Trento	n	
	town		
	separated town		
	city		
	amalgamated into new Quinte W	Vest City	
Trout Cree		Parry Sound Dist/-	
1913	town	-	
2001	amalgamated into Powassan M		
Tweed	Hungerford	Hastings/-	H013
formerly Hu	ngerford Mills		
1891	village		
1998	amalgamated into Tweed M		
Uxbridge	Uxbridge	Ontario/-	H024 R1
1873	village		
1886	town		
1974	amalgamated into Uxbridge Twp		
Valley East		Sudbury RM/-	
1973	town, formed from Valley East T	`wp, Lumsden Twp (geogra	phic) and part
	of Neelon & Garson Twp		
	placed in new Sudbury RM		
	><1999 city		
2001	amalgamated into new Greater S	-	
Vanier		Carleton/-	H13
	city, name changed from Eastvi		
	placed in new Ottawa-Carleton	RM	
	amalgamated into Ottawa City	_	***
Vankleek H	· ·	Prescott/-	H2
	town		
	amalgamated into new Champla		
Vaughan		York RM	
1971	town, formed by renaming Wood	ibridge Village and annexi	ng parts of
	King and Vaughan Twps		
	placed in new York RM		
1991	city		

Name		Township	Original Co/2003 Co	History R	ecords	
Victoria Ha	rbour	Tay	Simcoe/-	H34		
	formerly Hoggs Bay					
	village					
	-	d into Tay Twp				
Vienna	G	Bayham	Elgin/-	H024	R2	
1853	village	J	3 ,			
	•	d into Bayham M				
Walden	S	ŭ	Sudbury RM/-			
1973	town, formed	d from Drury Deniso	on & Graham Twp, Waters '	Γwp, Livel	y	
		<u> </u>	ouise geographic twps, and	=	-	
		vling, and Hyman Tv		•		
1973		w Sudbury RM	•			
2001	-	d into new Greater S	Sudbury City			
Walkerton	C	Brant	Bruce/-	H01234	R1	
formerly Bra	ınt		·			
1857	village, name	e changed to Walker	ton			
1871	town					
1999	amalgamated	d into Brockton M				
Walkerville			Essex/-	H1	R2	
1890	town					
1935	amalgamated	d with the city of Wi	ndsor			
Wallaceburg	g	Chatham	Kent/-	H0124	R2	
formerly The	Forks					
1875	village					
1896	town					
1998	amalgamated	d into Chatham-Ken				
Wardsville		Mosa	Middlesex/-	H13		
forme	rly Wards Sta	tion, then Mosa				
1867	village					
	•	d into Southwest Mi				
_		Sunnidale	Simcoe			
	police village					
		removed, made an	Improvement District			
	village		C.D.I. N			
1974	ŕ	by annexing parts	of Flos, Nottawasaga, and	Sunnidale	2	
	Twps	T) 1	***	110101	DO	
Waterdown	.11	Flamborough E	Wentworth/-	H0134	R2	
	village	1	T.			
1974	amalgamated	d into Flamborough	-	11010	D10	
Waterford	:11	Towsend	Norfolk/-	H012	R13	
	village					
	town	d into na Ntia-1	Nitro			
	amaigamated	d into new Nanticok		H1234	R13	
Waterloo	village	Waterloo	Waterloo/Waterloo RM	111234	KIS	
	village					
	town					
1948	-	1 has Witch are an Oiter				
1973	part annexed	d by Kitchener City				

Name	Township	Original Co/2003 Co	History	Records
1973	part of Waterloo Twp added			
1973	placed in new Waterloo RM			
Watford	Warwick	Lambton/-	H014	R2
formerly Br	owns Corners			
1854	name changed to Watford			
1874	village			
1998	amalgamated into Warwick Twp			
Webbwood	Hallam	Sudbury Dist/-	H34	
1906	town			
1998	amalgamated into new Sables-Sp	panish Rivers Twp		
Welland	Crowland	Welland/Niagara RM	H0134	R1
formerly Aq	ueduct			
1842	name changed to Merrittsville			
1858	village, name changed to Welland	d		
1878	town			
1917	city			
1970	parts of Crowland, Humberstone	e, and Thorold Twps added		
1970	placed in new Niagara RM			
Wellesley	Wellesley	Waterloo/-		R2
1908	police village			
1962	village			
1973	amalgamated into Wellesley Twp			
Wellington	Hillier	Prince Edward/-	H14	
formerly Sn	nokeville			
1862	village			
1998	amalgamated into Prince Edward	i Co		
West Londo		Middlesex/-		
	village, name changed from Peter	rsville Village		
	annexed by London City			
West Lorne	S	Elgin/-	H134	
formerly Bis				
	village			
	amalgamated into West Elgin M			
Westminste		Middlesex/-		
	town, name changed from Westn placed in London City	ninster Twp		
Weston	_	York/-	H0124	R2
1882	village			
1914	town			
1954	moved from York Co to Metropoli	itan Toronto		
	amalgamated into York Borough			
Westport	Crosby N	Leeds	НЗ	R1
1900	police village			
1904	village			
West Toron	to	York/-	H2	
formerly We	st Toronto Junction			
1887	village			
1889	town			

Name		Township	Original Co/2003 Co	History R	ecords
18	891	name changed to West Toronto			
19	908	city			
19	909	annexed by Toronto City			
West Wi	nch	ester Winchester	Dundas/-		
18	887	village	•		
		name changed to Winchester Vi	llage		
Wheatle		Mersea & Romney	•	H02	
fo	rme	rly Pegtown	·		
19	914	village			
19	998	amalgamated into Chatham-Ker	nt M		
Whitby		Whitby	Ontario/Durham RM	H014	R1
•	854	town	,		
19	968	Whitby Twp added			
		placed in new Durham RM			
		-Stouffville	York RM		
19	971	town, formed by renaming Stou	ffville Village and annexing	parts of	
		Markham and Whitchurch Twps	_	1	
19	971	placed in new York RM			
Wiarton		Amabel	Bruce/-	H0124	
18	880	village	,		
		town			
		amalgamated into new South Br	ruce Peninsula Town		
Williams		_	Dundas	H1	
		police village			
		·<1998 village			
		amalgamated into Dundas Sout	h Twp		
Winches		Winchester	Dundas/-	H03	
18	890	village, name changed from Wes	•		
		amalgamated into Dundas Nort	_		
Windern		_	Muskoka Dist/-	H4	
		Svillage	,		
		placed in new Muskoka Lakes T	`wp		
Windsor		Sandwich	Essex	H01234	R2
		village			
		town			
		separated town			
		city			
		East Windsor City and Sandwic	h and Walkerville Towns ac	ded	
		Ojibway and Riverside Towns, a			
Winghar		Turnberry	Huron/-	H24	
_		village			
		town			
	001	amalgamated into new Huron N	orth Twp		
Woodbri		Vaughan	York/-	H14	R2
formerly	_	•	,		
_		name changed to Woodbridge			
		village			
		amalgamated into new Vaughar	n Town		
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Name	Township	Original Co/2003 Co	History Records
Woodstock		Oxford	H01234 R13
Blandford/C	Oxford E		
1851	town with village powers		
1857	town		
1901	city		
1975	placed in restructured Oxford Co	0	
Woodville	Eldon/Mariposa	Victoria/-	H02
formerly Iris			
	name changed to Woodville		
	police village		
	village		
	amalgamated into Kawartha Lak	· ·	
Wroxeter	Howick	Huron	
	village		
	dissolved into Howick Twp		
	police village		
Wyoming	Plympton	Lambton/-	H124 R2
	village	777 · m	
	amalgamated into new Plympton	ů Ú	110
York	r and Varis Darguah	York	Н3
_	y, see York Borough police established in Town		
	city, name changed to Toronto		
York (Borou	•	York/-	H12
•	name changed from York Twp to	,	П12
	Weston Town added	Tork Dorough	
1983			
	amalgamated into Toronto City		
Yorkville		York/-	
	village	,	
	annexed by Toronto City		
Zurich	Hay	Huron/-	H124
1896	police village	•	
1960	village		
2001	amalgamated into Bluewater M		

Appendix 6 Modern Municipalities

This appendix lists that twentieth century oddity, the municipalities named Municipality. To save space I have shortened "Municipality" to "M."

The first line gives name, county or Regional Municipality at establishment/county or RM in 2003. A "-" indicates that the Municipality no longer exists.

Source

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Arran-Elderslie M

Bruce

1999 formed by amalgamation of Arran and Elderslie Twps, Chesley Town, and Paisley and Tara Villages

Bayham M

Elgin

1998 formed by amalgamation of Bayham Twp, and Port Burwell and Vienna Villages

Bluewater M

Huron

2001 formed by amalgamating Hay and Stanley Twps, and Bayfield, Hensall, and Zurich Villages

Bobcaygeon-Verulam M Victoria/-

2000 formed by amalgamating Verulam Twp and Bobcaygeon Village

2001 amalgamated into Kawartha Lakes City

Brighton M

Northumberland

2001 formed by amalgamating Brighton Twp and Brighton Town

Brockton M

Bruce

1999 formed by amalgamation of Brant and Greenock Twps, and Walkerton
Town

Callander M

Parry Sound Dist

2002 name changed from Himsworth North Twp

Campbellford/Seymour M

Northumberland/-

1998 formed by amalgamating Seymour Twp and Campbellford Town

2001 amalgamated into Trent Hills M

Central Elgin M

Elgin

1998 formed by amalgamating Yarmouth Twp, and Belmont and Port Stanley Villages

Charlton & Dack M

Timiskaming Dist

2002><2003 formed from Dack Twp and Charlton Town

Chatham-Kent M

Kent

1998 single tier, formed by amalgamating everything in Kent Co: Kent Co; Camden, Chatham, Dover, Harwich, Howard, Orford, Raleigh, Romney, Tilbury East, and Zone Twps; Chatham City; Blenheim, Bothwell, Dresden, Ridgetown, Tilbury, Wallaceburg Towns; Erieau, Erie Beach, Highgate, Thamesville, and Wheatley Villages,

Clarington M

Durham/Durham RM

1993 name changed from Newcastle Town

Dutton/Dunwich M

Elgin

1998 formed by amalgamating Dunwich Twp and Dutton Village

French River M

Sudbury Dist

1999 name changed from Cosby Mason & Martland Twp

Greenstone M

Thunder Bay Dist

2001 formed by amalgamating Beardmore and Nakina Twps, and Geraldton and Longlac Towns

Grey Highlands M

Grev

2001 formed by amalgamating Artemesia, Euphrasia, and Osprey Twps, and Markdale Village

Hastings Centre M

Hastings

1998 formed by amalgamating Huntingdon Twp and Madoc Village

Hastings Highlands M

Hastings

2001 formed by amalgamating Bangor, Wicklow & McClure Twp, Herschel Twp, and Monteagle Twp

Highlands East M

Haliburton

2001 formed by amalgamating Bicroft, Cardiff, Glamorgan, and Monmouth

Huron Central M

Huron

2001 formed by amalgamating Goderich and Hullett Twps, and Clinton Town

Huron East M

Huron

2001 formed by amalgamating Grey, Mckillop, and Tuckersmith Twps, Seaforth Town, and Brussels Village

Huron Shores M

Algoma Dist

1999 formed by amalgamating Day & Bright Additional Twp, Thessalon Twp, Iron Bridge Village

Huron South M

Huron

2001 formed by amalgamating Stephen and Usborne Twps, and Exeter Town

Killarney M

Manitoulin Dist/Sudbury Dist 1999 name changed from Rutherford & George Island Twp

2000><2001 moved from Manitoulin Dist to Sudbury Dist

Kincardine M

Bruce

1999 name changed from Kincardine-Bruce-Tiverton Twp

Lambton Shores M

Lambton

2001 formed by amalgamating Bosanquet and Forest Towns, Arkona, Grand Bend, and Thedford Villages, and parts of Plympton and Warwick Twps

Leamington M

Essex

1999 formed by amalgamation of Mersea Twp, and Leamington Town

Magnetewan M

Parry Sound Dist

2000 name changed from Magnetewan Twp

Markstay-Warren M

Sudbury Dist

1999 formed by amalgamating Hagar Twp and Ratter & Dunnet Twp

Marmora & Lake M

Hastings

2001 formed by amalgamating Marmora & Lake Twp, and Marmora Village

McDougall M

Parry Sound Dist

2003 or 2004

name changed from McDougall Twp

Meaford M

Grey

2001 formed by amalgamating St Vincent and Sydenham Twps, and Meaford Town

Morris-Turnberry M

Huron

2001 formed by amalgamating Morris and Turnberry Twps

Nation, The M

PR

1998 formed by amalgamating Caledonia, Cambridge, and Plantagenet South Twps, and St Isidore Village

Neebing M

Thunder Bay Dist

1998 name changed from Neebing Twp

Northern Bruce Peninsula M

Bruce

1999 formed by amalgamation of Eastnor, Lindsay, and St Edmunds Twps and Lions Head Village

North Middlesex M

Middlesex

2001 formed by amalgamating McGillivray, Williams East, and Williams West Twps, Parkhill Town, and Ailsa Craig Village

Oliver Paipoonge M

Thunder Bay Dist

1998 formed by amalgamating Oliver and Paipoonge Twps

Port Hope M

Northumberland

2001 formed by amalgamating Hope Twp and Port Hope Town

Powassan M

Parry Sound Dist

2001 formed by amalgamating Himsworth South Twp, and Powassan and Trout Creek Towns

Red Lake M

Kenora Dist

1998 formed by amalgamating Golden and Red Lake Twps

St Charles M

Sudbury Dist

1999 name changed from Casimir Jennings & Appleby Twp

Sioux Lookout M

Kenora Dist

2001><2002 name changed from Sioux Lookout Town

South Bruce M

Bruce

1999 formed by amalgamating Mildmay-Carrick and Teeswater-Culross Twps

Southwest Middlesex M Middlesex

2001 formed by amalgamating Ekfrid and Mosa Twps, and Glencoe and Wardsville Villages

Temagami M

Nipissing Dist

1998 name changed from Temagami Twp

Thames Centre M

Middlesex

2001 formed by amalgamating Dorchester North and Nissouri West Twps

Trent Hills M

Northumberland

2001 formed by amalgamating Campbellford/Seymour M, Percy Twp, and Hastings Village

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Tweed M

Hastings

1998 formed by amalgamating Elzevir & Grimsthorpe Twp, Hungerford Twp, and Tweed Village

West Elgin M

Elgin

1998 formed by amalgamating Aldborough Twp and West Lorne Village

West Grey M

Grey

2001 formed by amalgamating Grey West Twp and Durham Town

West Nipissing M

Nipissing Dist

1999 formed by amalgamating Caldwell, Field, and Springer Twps, and Cache Bay and Sturgeon Falls Towns

West Perth M

Perth

1998 formed by amalgamating Fullarton, Hibbert, and Logan Twps, and Mitchell Town

Whitestone M

Parry Sound Dist

2000 name changed from Hagerman Twp

Appendix 7 Layout of Assessment Roll (1855–1925)

The assessor gathered a bewildering amount of information, some required by the colony/provincial government, some required by the county and some by the municipality. The appearance of the roll may vary from municipality to municipality, but the basic information is usually the same.

The first list below shows what is in an assessment roll from 1855 to 1925. If a date is followed by a question mark, I have not seen a copy of that roll and I am not sure that item is in it. City assessment rolls could be slightly different because of the need to gather information on businesses. The contents of the rolls for Hamilton are at the end of this appendix.

1855-1925

Names and Description of Persons Assessed	
The successive number on the roll	1855–1925
Jurors (on some)	1897–1920, 1921?
Name of occupant	1855–66
Name and Post Office Address of taxable party	1867-1925
Occupation	1855–1925
Spinster, Married Woman, or Widow	
(sometimes in Occupation)	1888–1889?, 1890–1925
Freeholder, Householder	1855–66
Freeholder or Tenant	1867–68
Freeholder, Householder, Tenant	1869–1877
Freeholder, Householder, Tenant, or Farmer's Son	1878–1887, 1888–1889?
Freeholder, Tenant, Farmer's Son	1888–1889?, 1890–1925
Manhood Franchise (sometimes part of above)	1888–1889?, 1890–1925
Age of the assessed party	1855–1925
Name and Address of the owner, where the party	
named in column 2 is not the owner	1855–1902, 1903–1905?
Non-resident (sometimes part of Occupation)	1855–1925
British Subject or Alien	1921?, 1922–1925
Description of Real Property	
School section	1855–1872
	1833–1872
School section and whether public or separate	1972 1005
school supporter	1873–1925

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Children over 5 and under 16 years of age	1873–1896, 1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Children over 16 and under 21 years of age	1873–1896
Children over 7 and under 13 years of age	1873–1896
No of children between 5 and 21 years of age	1897–1925
No of concession, street, square, or other designation	1855–1925
Residence under Manhood Suffrage Act	1888–1889?, 1890–1902,
	1903–1905?
No of lot, house, etc	1855–1925
No of acres or other measurement	1855–1925
No of acres cleared, or in village whether vacant	
or built upon	1868–1920, 1921?
No of acres cleared	1867, 1921?, 1922–1925
Street, square, or other designation	1855–66
No of lot or house, etc	1855–66
No of feet or other measurement	1855–1866
Value of the parcel of real property excluding buildings	1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Value of buildings	1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Value of each parcel of real property	1855–1925
Total amount of taxable real property	1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Total value of parcel if liable for School Rate only	1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Total value of property exempt from taxation	1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Total value of real property	1855–1902, 1903–1905?
Personal Property and Taxable Income	1002 10052 1006 1005
For business assessment	1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Value of personal property other than income	1855–1902, 1903–1905?
Taxable income	1855–1925
Total value of personal property and taxable income	1868–1902, 1903–1905?
Aggregate Value of all Property	1855–66
Total value of real and personal property	1833-00
Total value of real and personal property and taxable income	1867–1902, 1903–1905?
Total Assessment	1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Total Assessment	1903-1903:, 1900-1923
Quakers, Mennonites, or Tunkers	1855–1864, 1866
Statute Labour	
No of persons 21 to 60 years old (male)	1855–1925
Total number of days	1855–1925
Road division	1873–1925
Dogs	
Dogs	1855–1925
Bitches	1855–1925

2090	
Dogs	1855–1925
Bitches	1855–1925
Spayed bitches	1921?, 1922–1925

Statistics

No of persons in the family of persons rated as resident 1867-1925 Religion 1869-1925

No of cattle	1867–1902, 1903–1905?
No of sheep	1867–1902, 1903–1905?
No of hogs	1867–1902, 1903–1905?
No of horses	1867–1902, 1903–1905?
Date of delivery of notice	1869–1925
Birth	1871–1920, 1921?
Date of Births	1921?, 1922–1925
Death	1871–1920, 1921?
Date of Deaths	1921?, 1922–1925
Registered	1871–1902, 1903–1905?
Acres of woodland	1883–1925
Acres of slash land	1903–1905?, 1906–1925
Acres of swamp, etc	1883–1925
Orchard and garden, acres	1883–1902, 1903–1905?
No of acres of fall wheat	1883–1902, 1903–1905?
No of steam boilers (some also ask its use)	1889?, 1890–1902, 1903–05?
Militia Enrolment	
First class service militia roll	1864–1865
second	1864–1865
Reserve militia roll	1864–1865

City Assessment Rolls (for Hamilton)

The earliest assessment roll for Hamilton is for 1847. Because it is quite different, its headings are given below; those of later dates are below it. An interesting feature of the 1847 roll is that part of it was kept in decimal pounds. Some of the columns gave what the assessed value should be – those amounts are given below.

1847

Name of party assessed Name of landlord Buildings (for each a column "Yearly value") Dwelling houses Merchants shops or stores Warehouses Manufactories or workshops Offices or counting houses Barns, stables or counting houses Sheds Cattle Stallions kept for covering mares for hire or gain (£40) Other horses, mares, or geldings (£3) Cows or other horned cattle (£1) Vehicles kept for pleasure only Close four wheeled carriage (£50) Phaeton or other four wheeled carriage (£30) Pleasure waggons or other carriages, buggys or gigs (£12–10) Every two horse sleigh (£25) Every one horse sleigh (£12–10)

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Vehicles kept for carrying passengers for hire or gain only

Four wheeled carriages (£12) Two wheeled carriages (£8) Two horse sleighs (£10)

Lands

Town lots under ½ acre (£5)

Lots over ½ acre and under one acre (£10)

Lots over one acre and under two acres (£20)

Over two acres, for each acre (£10)

For each acre over three acres, for the first (£5)

For each acre over four acres (£1-10)

Dogs Total Remarks

1860-1900

No	1860
No of house	1880–1885, 1900
Old no of house	1890
New no of house	1890
Occupant	1860-1900
Religion (P/S) Public or Separate school	1880-1900
Juror	1880-1900
F or H	1860-1870
When served	1870-1900
Occupation	1860-1900
Age	1860-1900
Manhood franchise	1890-1900
Tenant or Householder	1890-1900
WMS - Widowed, married, single (of women only)	1890-1900
Owner	1860-1900
Religion (P/S)	1880-1900
Juror	1880
When served	1870-1900
Occupation	1860-1900
Address	1860-1900
WMS	1890-1900
Block [of taxable property]	1860
No of house	1870
Lot	1860–1900
Street fronting on	1860–1880
Streets, block, bounded by	1860-1880
What building thereon	1860–1870
Value of real property	1860–1900
Annual value	1860
Rental	1860
Amount of income	1860–1900
Value of personal property	1860–1900

Total annual value of personal property or income	1860
Total value of personal property and taxable income	1900
Total amount of real and personal property	1860–1900
Machinery and plant	1900
Real property liable for school rates only	1900
Exemptions	
Real property	1900
Personal	1900
No of family	1870–1900
No of cattle	1870–1900
No of sheep	1870–1885
No of hogs	1870–1885
No of horses	1870–1900
No of dogs	1860–1880 but not in1881
No of bitches	1860–1880 but not in1881
Statute labor	1870–1890
Exemption	1860
No of children between ages of 16 and 21 years	1882–1900
7 and 13	1882–1890
5 and 16	1881–1900

Appendix 8 Layout of Collector Roll (1852–1920)

Collector Rolls are more consistent than Assessment Rolls, and contain less information. They seem to have a better survival rate, so they may be all that you can find for your time period. Although many Collector Rolls are in archives, some municipalities regard them as private documents since they indicate whether or not taxes were paid. If you meet this situation, a bit of diplomacy may result in a staff person checking the year in question to see if your person is there.

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Nos Names of parties assessed Address Freeholder, Householder Freeholder, Householder, Tenant, or Farmer's Son Freeholder, Tenant, Farmer's Son	1852-1920 1852-1920 1907-1920 1852-1876, 1877? 1877?, 1878-1906 1907-1920
Real Property No of concession, street, square, or other designation No of lot, part lot, or house No of acres, feet, or other measurement	1852-1920 1852-1920 1853-1920
Assessed Value and Amount Value of each parcel of real property exclusive of buildings Value of buildings Value of Real Property Business assessment Amount of taxable property or income Value of personal property and taxable income Amount of taxable income Total value of real and personal property and taxable income Total assessment	1907–1920 1907–1920 1852–1920 1907–1920 1852–1876, 1877? 1877?, 1878–1906 1907–1920 1852–1906 1907–1920
Taxes County rate Township, town, or village rate	1852–1920 1853–1920

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School section	1877?, 1878-1915
School rate	1852-1920
Separate school rate	1877?, 1878–1920
Special (usually several columns)	1852-1920
Lunatic Asylum rate	1852–1857, 1858?
Wild land assessments	1852
Municipal assessments	1852
Other assessments from 1836 to 1849 inclusive	1852
Quakers, Mennonites, or Tunkers	1852–1876, 1877?
Statute Labour	1050 1006
No of days	1852–1906
Commutation	1852–1920
Day Tau	
Dog Tax No of dogs	1852-1920
No of bitches	1907–1920
Rate	1852-1920
Rate	1002 17.00
Taxes in arrears	1864?, 1865–1906
Arrears of taxes on unoccupied lands	1907-1920
Total taxes	1852–1920
5% for non payment	1889–1906
Remarks	1852–1906
Date of demand or transmission of note	1907–1920
Date of Payment	1907–1920

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