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From Warehouse to Powerhouse: Toward an Archival System in Ontario. ANNE MACDERMAID, ed. Ontario Council of Archives. Kingston: Queen's University Printing Services, 1989. 57 p. ISBN 0-9693786-0-2.

From Warehouse to Powerhouse is the Ontario Council of Archives' planning document for the future of Ontario's archives. This report may be considered as the logical extension of the *Needs Survey* conducted by the Ontario Association of Archivists and published in 1988. Based on the results of that survey, and on other contemporary reports and sources, the present document analyzes the archival infrastructure of Ontario. It offers an extensive list of recommendations, which are supported by detailed discussion, a limited bibliography, and a helpful descriptive list of the participants in Ontario's archival system.

Of the two discussion sections in this report, "Ontario's Archives — A Profile" and "An Archival Development Strategy," the latter offers the most concrete and useful discussion upon which general recommendations may be based. The former, aside from covering subjects of operational interest, contains an implicit explanation of the basic reasons for having and supporting archives. This discussion may prove to be valuable in winning support for the development of Ontario's archival system.

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The Central Okanagan Records Survey, Part 1 of the Okanagan-Similkameen-Shuswap Records Survey. KATHLEEN BARLEE, ed. Kelowna: Okanagan College Press, B.C., 1988. 123 p. ISBN 0-9691047-8-2 \$15.00

The Central Okanagan Records Survey identifies for scholars and the general public the records of a significant part of the southern interior of British Columbia, the Central Okanagan. The survey covers archival material regardless of media held by public repositories as well as, to a lesser extent, records in the possession of private agencies and the general public. This research tool was created in both automated and hard copy format. One of the advantages of this computer-based inventory is that it makes possible periodic updates as additional archival material becomes known. The descriptions contained in the guide are also formatted in such a way as to permit