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Subject: FW: St. Clair Sliverthorne Public Library

From: Diana Fancher [REDACTED]
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To: Anne Bailey
Cc: David Wencer; Denise Harris
Subject: St. Clair Sliverthorne Public Library

Hello Anne Bailey,
I have completed the research to establish the building date for the library:

Building permit #58662 was issued to J. Small (probably the owner Wm J Small, possibly a relative) on May 2, 1922 for 3 stores at 1744, 1746, 1748 St. Clair Ave. [West] at a value of 15000. This from the 1922 Index to Building Permits for Signs, Stables, Stores. Unfortunately the building permit itself no longer exists.

The assessment roll made in 1922 for 1923, Ward 7 Division 1 shows vacant lots for Plan 1760 Lots 56, 57 & 58.

In the 1923 for 1924 roll made on May 4th the 3 stores are built and occupied, indicating that the building was put up in the summer of 1922.

However, the 5 stores east to Silverthorne Ave., were constructed prior to 1918 as indicated by the Toronto city directory for 1918 and subsequent assessment rolls. I did not take the time to find a more precise date, since these stores are not the subject of inquiry.

I did not have time to do a photo search, but if I find an historical photo, I will let you know.

I have photocopied the permit index, assessment pages and directory listing cited and will be happy to send you copies via interoffice mail if you wish.

Yours sincerely,
Diana Fancher