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005 Superior Court
006 Kent County
140 Divorce Case Files
200 1832
210 1942
220 1832-1838, 1860, 1893-1894, 1899, 1903, 1908-1942
240 74.47 cf
241 55 cfb and 11 @ 0.47 boxes
261 Records presented to the court requesting the dissolution of a marriage.
270 Files contain petitions for divorce, and Decree Nisi (provisional
decree) from the presiding judge granting the divorce effective upon a
stated future date. Petitions show court term and case number, names
and addresses of petitioner and defendant, grounds for divorce,
signatures of petitioner and attorney, and date of petition. Decree
Nisi shows original case number and court term, date of the decree, date
of marriage, grounds of divorce, attorney's fee and court cost to be
paid by the defendant, and signature of judge. More divorce petitions
are in unworked Superior Court case files. Divorce decrees were
recorded in the Appearance Dockets through 1948. In 1948, divorce
decrees were recorded separately in a volume series entitled "Divorce
Dockets" (RG 1217.K01.262).

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329 WORK STATUS ARCHIVIST:
___ needs sorting ___ review for identification/
___ needs unfolding further determination
X needs foldering, processing
___ other: _____ ___ determine origin/purpose
___ other: _____

CONDITION: FILM:
___ totally disorganized ___ for security
___ order not apparent ___ destroy original
___ origin questionable ___ other: _____
___ other: _____

330 Arranged chronologically by court term; thereunder numerically by case
number.
331 No index.
332 Typed; form printed with typing.
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360 Fair/poor; acid damage; dirt damage; acidic envelopes.
370 CONFIDENTIAL, Anything newer than 60 years is available from the Court
only.

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420 2006157;
430 Reboxed 4879
990 8/06/1987
995 November 23, 1987; January 13, 1988; August 23, 1989; October 11, 1989;
November 8, 1989; December 22, 1995; April 23, 1997; August 7, 2002;
December 13, 2006; July 28, 2009; November 21, 2014;
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