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Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention

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Biographical:

Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention appears to have been a convention for farmers who planted and sprayed their crops using aerial techniques.. The Manitoba Flying Farmers were organized in 1956 in Brandon, Manitoba. Organizational meetings were held in a hanger at the Brandon Flying Club. The first Regional 5 Flying Farmers Convention in Manitoba was held 1961. Nearly 200 people attended the first convention from various provinces and states including: Alberta, Saskatchewan, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnisota, Wisconsin, Montana and Colorado. Alberta and Saskatchewan had their own district leaving Manitoba in a district with North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnisota and Wisconsin. This photo was taken at the 11th Annual Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention on the weekend of April 7th, 1967.

Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

Image of convention attendants listening to the speaker. There is a large number of women in the audience. The large number of women in the photo could be attributed to Flying Farmers queens of each districts encouragement of women learning to fly. The image appears to have been taken at the Prince Edward Hotel.

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