

# S. J. McKee Archives



## Original Fire Hall

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13933>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.5

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1903-1905

Physical Description: 5.75" x 7.5" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

History /

Biographical:

The Original Brandon Fire Hall was located on the east half of the north side of the 600-block of Princess Avenue. The hall was in operation from 1884 to 1911.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Brandon's first fire hall on Princess Avenue facing east. The hose tower and stables are visible. The three horse-drawn ladder wagon is parked on the right. Pairs of horses are harnessed to two hose wagons. A dog sits on the street before the parked wagons.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: 1903 or 1905, "First Fire Hall," Princess Avenue, Brandon, Man.

Name Access: Brandon Fire Department  
Brandon Fire Department Ladder Wagon  
Original Fire Hall  
Early B.F.D. Ladder Wagon

Subject Access: fire halls  
fire engines  
fire departments  
early transportation  
horses  
dogs  
fire protection  
Brandon Fire Department Stations & Equipment

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1F4

Arrangement:

From loose photos, funny trunk

## Images



## Original Fire Hall with Ladder Wagon

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9588>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1F3

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [ca. 1900]

Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

In use from 1884 until 1911

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

Original fire hall and hose drying tower

Notes: Located on the east half of the north side of 600 block of Princess Avenue.

Shows three-horse ladder wagon with ladder raised.

Also housed municipal offices until new City Hall opened.

See also F1, F2, and F6

Name Access: Original Fire Hall

Early B.F.D. Ladder Wagon

Subject Access: fire protection

fire halls

fire engines

Brandon Fire Department Stations & Equipment

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

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## Original Fire Hall with Three Horse-Drawn Engines

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9589>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1F4

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [ca. 1890]

Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

In use from 1884 until 1911

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

Brandon's original fire hall

Notes: Located on the east half of the north side of 600 block of Princess Avenue.

Shows three horse-drawn engines, including three-horse ladder wagon. No steamer.

Photo courtesy of G. Lepard

Name Access: Original Fire Hall

Early B.F.D. Ladder Wagon

Subject Access: fire protection

fire halls

fire engines

Brandon Fire Department Stations & Equipment

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

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## Three-Horse Ladder Wagon

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9594>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1F9

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [ca. 1911]

Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

### History /

#### Biographical:

The vertical wheel at the front of the wagon raised the telescoping ladder.

The horizontal wheel at the rear was used for steering the wagon.

This unit, with a small motor truck tractor, remained in service until at least 1942.

One of these horses was sold to a local deliveryman. Every time a fire brigade passed, the horse went to the fire - whether [the deliveryman] did or not! (Info: BFD driver Ted Harden - "Squeek"'s uncle)

#### Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Scope and Content:

Three-Horse Ladder Wagon [in front of new Fire Station]

Notes: Additional information provided by the Fred McGuinness collection (20-2009).

Name Access: Fire Station No. 1

Early B.F.D. Ladder Wagon

Subject Access: fire protection

fire engines

fire halls

Brandon Fire Department Stations & Equipment

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

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