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Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds: Mayoral interests

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4789>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 1

File Number: 1-13

Accession Number: 5-1998

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1961-1969

Physical Description: 13 cm

History /

Biographical:

See fonds-level description of the Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds.

Custodial History:

See fonds-level description of the Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds.

Scope and Content:

Series consists of inaugural speeches, quarterly reports, documents about the closure of CFB Rivers, documents about Magnacca's proposal to build a new road to CFB Shilo, and documents about military and governmental celebrations in Brandon during the 1960s.

Storage Location: Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds - Box 1

Storage Range: Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds - Box 1

Arrangement:

Box 1

- 1.1 Clipping: "City Getting Black Eye in Rural Areas?" [1963]
- 1.2 Notes from the mayor's office 1964-5
- 1.3 Mayoral speeches 1964-5
- 1.4 Documents re: closure of CFB Rivers 1966-9
- 1.5 Papers of the Special Committee of the Future of CFB Rivers 1966-1968
- 1.6 Minutes of meetings re: closure of CFB Rivers 1966
- 1.7 Clippings re: closure of CFB Rivers 1966-75
- 1.8 Correspondence re: closure of CFB Rivers 1963-9
- 1.9 Mayor's office notes re: CFB Rivers [1966]
- 1.10 Documents re: proposal to build road to CFB Shilo 1962-9
- 1.11 Correspondence re: aircraft displays 1969
- 1.12 Documents re: Freedom of the City Ceremony 1967
- 1.13 Documents re: Squadron 408 1962



Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds: Military interests

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4791>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Description Level: Series
Series Number: 3
File Number: 3.1-3.9
Accession Number: 5-1998
GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1916-1978
Physical Description: 6.5 cm of textual records and audiocassettes

History /

Biographical:

See fonds-level description of the Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds.

Custodial History:

See fonds-level description of the Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds.

Scope and Content:

Series consists of clippings about military activities, especially those of soldiers; audiocassettes of speeches and radio broadcasts; documents about celebrations at Shilo; and newsletters of the Brandon Flying Club.

Storage Location: Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds - Box 2

Storage Range: Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds - Box 2

Arrangement:

Box 2

- 3.1 Audiocassettes of British broadcasts and local mayoral speeches [196-]
- 3.2 Photocopies of The Quill [1916 and 1919] and a speech to university students about the military [196-]
- 3.3 Clippings re: S. A. Magnacca and soldiers 1961-75
- 3.4 Clippings re: military activities 1935-75
- 3.5 Clippings re: military activities 1956-75
- 3.6 Documents re: governmental celebrations 1964-9
- 3.7 Programs of military functions 1967-78
- 3.8 Brandon Flying Club newsletters 1974
- 3.9 Posters and documents of Shilo celebrations 1967-75.1



Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4788>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Creator: Stephen Adolph Magnacca
Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 5-1998
Date Range: 1884-1981; predominant 1955-1975

Physical Description: 32.5 cm of textual records
21 photographs, various sizes

Material Details: Includes 5 audiocassettes, 1 scrapbook, 2 maps, 2 theatre programs, ca. 40 postcards, ca. 25 brochures and programs, ca. 20 posters

Physical Condition: Very good

History /
Biographical:

Stephen Adolph Magnacca was born in Winnipeg, Manitoba, on 12 October 1902. He joined the Winnipeg Highland Cadets at the age of twelve. In 1940 he was posted to Brandon, Manitoba, where he opened the A4 Training Camp. After the Second World War, Magnacca was transferred to the militia from active service and became a hospital manager with the Department of Veteran Affairs. He resigned in 1947.

Although he left the service, Magnacca remained interested in military matters. For the next three decades, he attended functions at CFB Rivers and CFB Shilo. He also collected clippings about the activities of the Canadian militia. As well, Magnacca was interested in civic affairs. In 1961 he was elected mayor of Brandon, a position he held until 1969. Many of his mayoral projects were connected with the military, including an attempt to build a new road to CFB Shilo, an effort to prevent the closure of CFB Rivers, and the coordination of a Freedom of the City Ceremony. In 1967, Magnacca was made honorary colonel of the 26th Field Regiment of the Royal Canadian Artillery.

A construction boom in the city marked Magnacca's term as mayor. Throughout the sixties, Magnacca was instrumental in the building of the Keystone Centre, the Western Manitoba Centennial Auditorium, a new city hall, and the residential subdivisions of Riverheights and Kirkcaldy Heights. Magnacca's business interests aided the development of these subdivisions—during this time he was president of Magnacca Real Estate and general manager of the Magnacca Housing Project.

Besides being a colonel, a mayor, and a president of a real estate company, Magnacca held numerous other titles. These included at different times president of the Brandon Lions Club, president of the Royal Canadian Legion Brandon Branch No. 3, treasurer of the Brandon Progressive Conservative Association, and director of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind in Brandon. In recognition of these efforts, Magnacca was named a member of the Order of Canada in 1973. In the middle of the seventies, Magnacca was active in historical pursuits. He became president of the Assiniboine Historical Society and helped to establish the Brandon Daly House Museum. To prevent Brandon's Prince Edward Hotel from being demolished, he formed a protest group called "Save the Eddy." In his spare time, he wrote unpublished accounts of local political figures and collected various artifacts.

A member of St. Matthew's Cathedral, religion was important to Magnacca. Also important to him were hard work, efficiency, and hierarchy. He was a British loyalist and was devoted to public service and political life. As mayor, he prized industrial and urban development. Much of his public life was dedicated to furthering awareness of governmental and industrial activities.

Magnacca's wife, Grace, played an integral role in her husband's career, attending numerous networking and volunteer functions, and often organizing his activities. They had two children, Patricia (Coleman) and Allan. On 4 August 1980, at the age of seventy-seven, Stephen Adolph Magnacca passed away due to heart failure.

Custodial History:

Little is known of the custodial history of the fonds. On 1 May 1995 Magnacca's Thomas Mayne Daly collection and Magnacca's Manitoba Historical Society papers were deposited in the Archives.

Scope and Content:

The fonds consists of minutes of meetings; correspondence with politicians and military officials; newspaper clippings of military affairs; documents about governmental and military celebrations; notes on Louis Riel; a manuscript about Thomas Mayne Daly and other local politicians; papers of the Daly House museum; issues of nineteenth-century Brandon newspapers, and various historical artifacts.

The fonds is valuable for researchers interested in Brandon city council history 1882-1969, regional military history 1955-1975, and general Manitoba history 1882-1981. For social historians, this fonds is important because it demonstrates which actions and which beliefs gave Magnacca access to his many esteemed positions. Historians of gender will discover that Magnacca had a specific definition of masculinity that permeated all his activities in the public realm.

The fonds is divided into four series, including: (1) mayoral papers; (2) historical interests; (3) military interests; and (4) photographs.

Notes: Description by Tom Mitchell. Biographical sketch: Information in the biographical sketch comes from the fonds itself, as well as from two articles of the Brandon Sun: "Steve Magnacca warmly recalled," Tuesday, 5 August 1980, p. 1; and "Brandon loses one of its finest," 5 August 1980, p. 3. Biographical information about Stephen Adolph Magnacca is located in the Biography Files of the McKee Archives.

Associated material: Brandon Sun: "Man for the Sixties," 30 December 1969; "History Comes Alive," 15 June 1978; "Tenure Appointment," 18 October 1978; "Steve Magnacca warmly recalled," Tuesday, 5 August 1980, p. 1; "Brandon loses one of its finest," 5 August 1980, p. 3; and "Magnacca," 9 August 1980, p. 16, located on microfilm in the John E. Robbins Library at Brandon University.

Conservation: Original processing of records and preparation of finding aid by Donica Belisle (22 July 1999)

Finding Aid: Patricia Coleman, daughter of Stephen Adolph Magnacca, provided the funding for the creation of this finding aid.

Storage Location: 1998 accessions

Related Material: Twenty-four file drawers at the Brandon Daly House Museum contain records donated by Magnacca that deal with local political, military, and economic history.



Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds: Photographs

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4792>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Description Level: Series
Series Number: 4
File Number: 1-21
Accession Number: 5-1998
Date Range: 1916-1978
Physical Description: 21 black and white photographs, various sizes

History /

Biographical:

See fonds-level description Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds.

Custodial History:

See fonds-level description Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds.

Scope and Content:

Series consists of 21 photos. Included are pictures of Stephen Adolph Magnacca as mayor (1961-1969), Freedom of the City photos (1967), and a print of Thomas Mayne Daly (ca. 1880s).

Notes: Stored in Box 1
Storage Location: Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds - Box 1
Storage Range: Stephen Adolph Magnacca fonds - Box 1



Stephen A. Magnacca

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9052>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds
Creator: L.A. Stuckey
Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1
Item Number: 1-2002.3.1A23(1)
Accession Number: 1-2002
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [196-?]
Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"
Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Magnacca served as Mayor of Brandon from 1962 to 1969.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Item is a portrait of Brandon mayor Stephen Magnacca.

Name Access: Stephen A. Magnacca

Subject Access: government
political figures
mayors
mayors of Brandon

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

Arrangement:

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Images



Stephen A. Magnacca

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9053>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds
Creator: L.A. Stuckey
Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1
Item Number: 1-2002.3.1A23(2)
Accession Number: 1-2002
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [196-?]

Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Magnacca served as Mayor of Brandon from 1962 to 1969.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Item is a portrait of Brandon mayor Stephen Magnacca.

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Stephen and Grace Magnacca

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14319>

Part Of: Brandon and Area Photograph Collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 5



Item Number: BAPC 5.12
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1967
Physical Description: 10.25" x 8" (b/w)
History /
Biographical:

Stephen Adolph Magnacca was born December 10, 1902 in Winnipeg, MB. He joined the Winnipeg Highland Cadets in 1914, and at the age of 15, he added two years to his age and joined the Winnipeg Light Infantry. He was commissioned as a Lieutenant on June 15, 1923. In 1933, he was promoted to the rank of Major. In 1956, he was made an honorary Lieutenant Colonel of the 26th Field Artillery Regiment; he was made a Colonel in 1967.

Magnacca married Grace Rosina Jones in 1927 and together they had two children: Patricia and Allan. Grace Jones was born in Cardiff, Wales on November 22, 1901. She came to Winnipeg as a child. For a few years before her marriage she worked as the circulation manager of The Nor'West Farmer. Members of St. Matthew's Church, Grace Magnacca was active in the Anglican Church Women of Canada (ACW). Following her husband's death she moved to Winnipeg. Grace Magnacca died in Winnipeg, MB on December 20, 2004.

The Maganacca family lived in Winnipeg until Magnacca's military career took him to Brandon in 1940; his family followed in 1942. The Magnacca's ran an Officer's Kit Shop and then in 1947, opened a real estate business named Magnacca Agencies.

Magnacca served two terms as Mayor of Brandon (1961-1969). He was also President of the Assiniboine Historical Society. For meritorious community service, Magnacca was given a Manitoba Golden Boy Award (1969) and a Queen Elizabeth II Silver Jubilee Medal.

Stephen Magnacca died on August 4, 1980 in Brandon, MB. He is commemorated by Magnacca Crescent in Brandon and the Magnacca Research Centre at the Daly House Museum. He was elected a Life member of the Union of Manitoba Municipalities and in 1973, he was made a Member of the Order of Canada.

Scope and Content:

Item is a photograph of Mayor Stephen Magnacca and his wife Grace Magnacca dressed in period costumes for Canada's Centennial in 1967.

Notes: History/Bio information taken from the Manitoba Historical Society website (http://www.mhs.mb.ca/docs/people/magnacca_sa.shtml) and the December 31, 1969 Brandon Sun article Experience of being the wife of the mayor has brought satisfaction to Mrs. Magnacca.

Name Access: Stephen Magnacca
Grace Magnacca

Subject Access: celebrations
centennials
mayors

Storage Location: BAPC photograph drawer

Images



Brandon University Historical Association

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4172>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 14.4

File Number: 40

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1984-1988

Physical Description: 1 file

Scope and Content:

File consists of the Brandon University Historical Association constitution, correspondence, applications for BUSU grants, minutes and financial information.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds
Series 14: Brandon University Students Union
14.4 BUSU clubs
Box 1



MPE B 16 Historical Topics

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10070>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MPE B.16

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1925-1996

Physical Description: 33 cm

History /

Biographical:

See fonds level description of RG 4 for history/bio of MPE

Scope and Content:

This sub-series consists of historical topics created by MPE:

1. P.F. Bredt Involvement with MPE and death 1935-1940
2. MPE history 1941-1973
- 3a. Manitoba Wheat Pool and MPE history 1930-1939
- 3b. Manitoba Wheat Pool and MPE history 1925-1929
4. Manitoba Wheat Pool history 1924-1971
- 5a. On to Ottawa and Manitoba Delegation Committee 1958-1960
- 5b. MPE Miscellaneous history 1934-1959
6. Manitoba Wheat Pool history 1925-1929
7. Manitoba Wheat Pool 1925-1931
8. Pool Grain Marketing after 1929 Overpayment 1928-1936
9. Historical Review of Grain Trade and MPE
10. MPE Library 1948-1952
11. Coarse Grain Handling 1948-1953
12. Canadian Wheat Board 1935-1960
13. Saskatchewan Wheat Pool 1949
14. 1929 Overpayment and Williams/Stamp Commission Newspaper Clippings 1929-1931
15. Leonard Harman 1972
16. Historical Publications 1995-1996; no dates
17. Miscellaneous Historical
18. Western Agricultural Conference and Farm Bureau 1963-1965
19. Canadian Co-operatives 1961-1969
20. Miscellaneous Historical Topics 1930
21. Miscellaneous Historical Topics 1934-1936
22. International Wheat Agreement 1941-1948
23. World War Two 1939, 1944
24. Canadian National Railway System
25. Overpayment Aftermath 1932-1938
26. Miscellaneous Pool History 1925-1931
27. Miscellaneous History
- 28a. MPE History (Acquisitions, Philosophy) up to 1979 1931-1979
- 28b. MPE History (Acquisitions, Philosophy) up to 1979 1931-1979

Notes: Description by Jillian Sutherland (2009-2010)

Name Access: P.F. Bredt
W.J. Parker
J.T. Hull
C.H. Burnell
Manitoba Wheat Pool
Manitoba Pool Elevators
On to Ottawa
Central Office
Williams Commission
Stamp Commission

Subject Access: Agriculture
Protest
Delegation

Storage Location: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Series B: Central Office records



Station biffy as historical marker, Hallboro Junction, Manitoba

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10536>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.3

Item Number: 1-2002.3.3.CNR[192]

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: June 18, 1983

Physical Description: 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Stuckey's notes: Where trains ran in four directions a few years ago there are now no tracks. CN trains to Rossuburn Substation have running rights on CPR from Gladstone to Neepawa. Inc. Bill McGuire.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Image of the station biffy as historical marker, Hallboro Junction, Manitoba, taken along the CNR line, Rapid City substation.

Name Access: CNR

Hallboro, Manitoba

Subject Access: railways

agricultural buildings

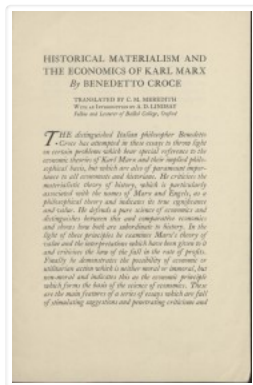
historical markers

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

Images



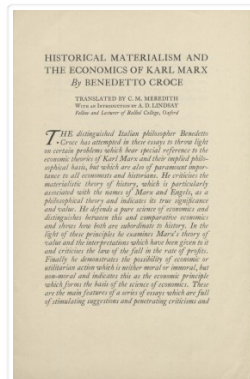


[Order form for] Historical materialism and the economics of Karl Marx

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections501>

Part Of:	MG 2 2.16 Robert Dudley Howland Collection
Collection:	Robert Dudley Howland Fabian Society Collection
Creator:	Croce, Benedetto, 1866-1952 Fabian Society (Great Britain)
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 15-3-92
Item Number Range:	Archives 15-3-92
Responsibility:	by Benedetto Croce ; translated by C. M. Meredith
Publication:	[London : Howard Latimer]
Physical Description:	[4] p. ; 22 cm
Subject Access:	Socialism Great Britain

Documents



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The study of history in schools : report to the American historical association

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1044>

Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator: American Historical Association. Committee of Seven
Description Level: Item
Item Number: Archives 11-999-15-411
Item Number Range: Archives 11-999-15-411
Responsibility: by the Committee of seven
Start Date: 1904
Date Range: 1904
Publication: New York : The Macmillan company ; London : Macmillan and co., ltd
Physical Description: ix, 267 p. ; 19 cm
Notes: Includes index
Subject Access: History Study and teaching
Storage Location: Box 15 - History
Storage Range: Box 15 - History



Outlines of history : illustrated by numerous geographical and historical notes and maps

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1077>

Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator: Willson, Marcius, 1813-1905
Description Level: Item
Item Number: Archives 11-999-17-448
Item Number Range: Archives 11-999-17-448
Responsibility: by Marcius Willson
Start Date: 1876
Date Range: 1876
Publication: New York : Mison, Blakeman, Taylor & Co
Physical Description: 2 v. in 1 (600 p.) : ill., col. maps ; 21 cm
Notes: Includes bibliographical references and index
pt. 1. Ancient history -- pt. 2. Modern history
Subject Access: World history
Outlines
Storage Location: Box 17 - History
Storage Range: Box 17 - History



The first two Philippic orations of Demosthenes : with notes, critical, explanatory and historical

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1163>

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Demosthenes Woods, Samuel
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-20-546
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-20-546
Responsibility:	by Samuel Woods
Start Date:	1888
Date Range:	1888
Publication:	Toronto : Copp, Clark Co
Physical Description:	xxiii, 111 p. ; 17 cm
Name Access:	Demosthenes
Subject Access:	Greek History
Storage Location:	Box 20 - Greek
Storage Range:	Box 20 - Greek



The elements of Euclid : books I to VI, with deductions, appendices and historical notes

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1293>

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Euclide Mackay, John Sturgeon, 1843-1914
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-25-676
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-25-676
Responsibility:	by John Sturgeon Mackay
Start Date:	1887
Date Range:	1887
Publication:	Toronto : Rose Publishing Company
Physical Description:	vi, 364 p. : ill. ; 18 cm
Subject Access:	Euclid's Elements Geometry Euclide El©ments d' G©om©trie
Storage Location:	Box 25 - Other
Storage Range:	Box 25 - Other



The elements of Euclid : books I to III, with deductions, appendices and historical notes

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1294>

Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator: Euclide
Mackay, John Sturgeon, 1843-1914
Description Level: Item
Item Number: Archives 11-999-25-677
Item Number Range: Archives 11-999-25-677
Responsibility: by John Sturgeon Mackay
Start Date: 1887
Date Range: 1887
Publication: Toronto : G. M. Rose & Sons
Physical Description: vi, 222 p. : ill. ; 18 cm
Subject Access: Euclid's Elements
Geometry
Euclide
El©ments d'
G©om©trie
Storage Location: Box 25 - Other
Storage Range: Box 25 - Other



WARUCC fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4867>

Other Title Info: Western Association of Registrars of the Universities and Colleges of Canada
Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 8-2006
GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1973-2003
Physical Description: 73 cm textual records; approx. 70 photographs with negatives
History /
Biographical:

The first conference of Western Canadian Registrars was held in January, 1952, at the University of Alberta. The four western Canadian Universities were represented by G.B. Taylor (Registrar, University of Alberta), C.B. Wood (Registrar, University of Saskatchewan) and A.D. Cairns (Assistant Registrar, University of Alberta). No attempt was made at this meeting to set up a formal organization or to plan regular meetings.

It was not until the University of Alberta and The University of British Columbia jointly hosted the "Second Triennial Conference of Registrars of Canadian Universities and Colleges" at the Banff School of Fine Arts in January 1962, that plans were made to establish a western

regional organization of registrars of degree granting universities and colleges. Since the national group would meet every two years, it was agreed that the western group would meet in the intervening year.

The first official meeting of the Western Universities Registrars was held at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, in 1963. The Association was established as a regional component of the Association of Registrars of the Universities of Canada (ARUC). The second meeting was held in January, 1965 at the University of Manitoba, Winnipeg.

Since the national group chose to forego its regular meeting in 1966 in order to hold it in Montreal during Expo 1967, the University of Calgary hosted the third western conference in June, 1966. This was the first conference to which delegates from non-degree granting colleges were invited.

The fourth western regional conference was hosted by the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, 1968; the fifth at the University of Saskatchewan, Regina Campus, 1970; and the sixth, hosted by the University of Alberta at Jasper, Alberta, 1972.

During the 1972 conference a steering committee was formed to develop a structure and constitution for a formal organization. The committee consisted of Barry Browning (Registrar, The University of Manitoba), Jerry Della Mattia (Director of Admissions, Douglas College, Vancouver), Len Semrau (Registrar, NAIT, Edmonton) and John Dorgan (Registrar, University of Saskatchewan).

The next meeting was held the following year in Brandon, Manitoba. At this time the constitution was approved and the name Western Canadian Association of Registrars of Institutions of Post-Secondary Education (WCARIPSE) was adopted for the newly formalized organization. Fred Bennett, Registrar of Camosun College, Victoria, BC was selected to serve as the first chair of WCARIPSE, serving a two year term.

Institutional membership was open to all provincial and federal institutions of post-secondary education located in the four western provinces of Canada. The 1973 membership roster consisted of 42 institutional members and 94 individual members.

The western association was originally established as a regional component of the Association of Registrars of the Universities of Canada (ARUC). However, a rather serious problem arose in 1966 when the western group agreed to include non-degree granting institutions in its membership even though ARUC membership was restricted to degree granting institutions. The issue, and some other problems closely related to it, was not settled until the ARUC Conference of 1974. At that time, the motion to extend membership to include non-university registrars was moved, subsequently carried and ARUC became the Association of the Registrars of Universities and Colleges of Canada (ARUCC).

The University of Saskatchewan hosted the 1979 WARUCC conference in Saskatoon. In 1981, at the conference in Winnipeg, the four founding members, Alex Cairns, Douglas Chevrier, Norm Cram and Jack Parnall were presented with honorary memberships in WARUCC.

Vancouver was the site for the 1983 conference, at which time Doug Burns, Edith Allen and Alan Wallis were honored as life members of the association.

Subsequent meetings were held in Lethbridge, 1985, and in Regina, 1987. By 1987 membership had grown to 65 institutional members and 225 individual members. The constitution was amended to extend membership boundaries from the four western provinces to 88 degrees (W) longitude, providing for participation by Lakehead University and colleges of the Northwest Territories and Yukon.

The 1989 conference was hosted by The University of Manitoba in Winnipeg. In 1991 Capilano College hosted the conference at Whistler in British Columbia. In 1993 the University of Calgary hosted the conference in Calgary. In 1995 the University of Saskatchewan hosted the conference in Saskatoon. In 1997 The University of Manitoba hosted the conference in Winnipeg. In 1999 the University of Northern British Columbia hosted the conference in Prince George, British Columbia.

Custodial History:

Records had been in the possession of various secretaries of WARRUC until their donation to the McKee Archives in 2006.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of minutes, financial records, membership records, photographs and miscellaneous documents.

Notes: History/Bio information taken from the WARRUC website at: http://www.brandonu.ca/emu/mcleod/warucc/web_pages/history.htm (February 2006). Some processing completed. Financial records (ie bank statements, invoices) were culled from the records. Description by Christy Henry.

Storage Location: 2006 accessions

Storage Range: 2006 accessions



Henry L. Adolph

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9040>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1A12(1)

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [19-]

Physical Description: 3 1/4" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Adolph served as mayor 1909-1910.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Item is a portrait of Brandon mayor Henry Adolph.

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey put two negatives in the same envelope. We have separated them and numbered them A12(1) and A12(2).]

Name Access: Henry L. Adolph

Subject Access: government
political figures
mayors
mayors of Brandon

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.
Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

Images



Henry L. Adolph

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9041>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1A12(2)

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [19-]

Physical Description: 3 1/4" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Adolph served as mayor 1909-1910.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Item is a portrait of Brandon mayor Henry Adolph.

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey put two negatives in the same envelope. We have separated them and numbered them A12(1) and A12(2).]

Name Access: Henry L. Adolph

Subject Access: government
 political figures
 mayors
 mayors of Brandon

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

Images





G.R. Rowe fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4799>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 60-1997

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1897-1984

Physical Description: 6 cm

History /

Biographical:

Gabriel Richard Rowe was born in Coleman, P.E.I. in 1897. In 1918, he enlisted in the Canadian Army. After the Great War, he moved to Viscount, Saskatchewan where he was principal of a high school. In 1924, Rowe moved to Brandon where he served as principal for various schools until his retirement in 1964. G.R. Rowe attended the University of Manitoba graduating with a Bachelor of Arts in 1935, a Bachelor of Education 1952, and a Master of Education degree in 1957. Rowe also studied at the University of Minnesota, Harvard, and the University of British Columbia. Rowe served as President of the Manitoba Teachers' Society from 1948 to 1949. He served as a member of the International School Master Association, the Brandon's Citizens' Committee of the Arts, and the Brandon General Hospital Board. He died in Brandon on January 6th, 1968.

Custodial History:

This fonds was accessioned in 1997 by the McKee Archives. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

Fonds includes photographs, certificates and diplomas, career resumes, testimonials, draft obituaries, and correspondence, relating to G.R. Rowe's professional teaching career, and in small part to his personal life.

Notes: CAIN No. 202649

Subject Access: Brandon School Division
history of education
educational administration
Earl Oxford Junior High

Storage Location: 1997 accessions

Storage Range: 1997 accessions