

# S. J. McKee Archives



## RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4795

Part Of:	RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds
Description Level:	Fonds
Accession Number:	1-2002
GMD:	multiple media
Date Range:	1849-2001 (predominant 1935-2001)
Physical Description:	<ul><li>1.2 m of textual records;</li><li>c. 2700 photographs Primarily black and white;</li><li>c. 42,500 stamps</li></ul>

History / Biographical:

> Lawrence Adne Stuckey was born in Brandon, Manitoba in 1921 to Adne and Catherine Stuckey, and was the grandson of a Brandon pioneer family, the Gilmours. Stuckey attended both Fleming and Earl Oxford schools, as well as the Brandon Collegiate Institute. In May 1941, he began working for the CPR as a wiper/fireman. In October of the following year he joined the RCAF. During World War II, Stuckey served overseas as a Navigator/Bomb Aimer and was promoted to the rank of Flight Sergeant. He continued his work with the CPR after the war, and was promoted to fireman/engineer in 1950. Stuckey left the CPR in January of 1958 to purchase Clark-Smith Photo Studio in Brandon.

> Stuckey and his wife Mavis, whom he married in 1946, ran the studio until their retirement in the mid 1980s. Throughout his life Stuckey pursued a number of interests, such as botany, history, photography and politics and was active in many local, provincial and national organizations. He was a member of the Brandon Stamp Club, the Allied Arts Council, Brandon Horticultural Society, Brandon Model Railroad Club, the Brandon Historical Society, and the Fort Whyte Centre. Stuckey was also the author of four books, as well as numerous articles on horticulture, railways, and Brandon area history. In 1987 he received the Manitoba Order of the Buffalo Hunt and in 1997 he was awarded an honorary Doctorate of Laws Degree from Brandon University. Lawrence Stuckey passed away on June 13, 2001.

Custodial History:

The entire collection was housed in Mr. Stuckey's residence at 658 11th St. Brandon, Manitoba, prior to its transfer to the McKee Archives. A portion of the stamp collection was donated to the Archives in August 2001. The balance of the materials were deposited in the Archives following Mr. Stuckey's death. Scope and Content:

Collection consists of a variety of materials, both textual and graphic.

The philately collection is the largest part of the Stuckey Collection and covers a wide geographical and temporal range. The majority of the stamps are from the United States, the British Commonwealth, France and the French Empire. There are also a number of stamps portraying animals, art and flowers.

The slide collection includes approximately 10,000 images of various topics, such as landscapes, flora and fauna of North America and Expo 1967.

The Stuckey photograph collection is perhaps the best collection of Brandon and Southwestern Manitoba photographs in one place. Images include grain elevators and historical buildings of the northern United States and western Canada, railways, the City of Brandon, as well as ships and boats, sporting activities, portraits, animals, flora and fauna, landscapes and farming/homestead photographs. This series also includes a large number of negatives, including glass plate negatives.

The textual materials within the collection include personal journals written by Stuckey covering the years 1935-2001. These journals are autobiographical and act as a key to the rest of the collection in that they provide general time frames and the motivations behind Stuckey's activities. In addition to the journals, the collection consists of copies of Stuckey's four books and a few papers he wrote for the committees and clubs he belonged to. Other textual materials included are a small amount of personal correspondence, and research materials on a number of topics such as the CPR and Brandon area history. There are also three scrapbooks created by Stuckey dealing with his various interests. The collection also contains certificates presented to Stuckey by a number of the organizations he belonged to, as well as his honorary degree from Brandon University and his Order of the Buffalo Hunt award. A number of books, newspapers and articles on various topics, such as stamp collecting and horticulture are included in the collection.

 Notes:
 CAIN No. 202573. Description by Christy Henry.

 Name Access:
 Ed Radcliffe

 Clark-Smith Studios - Brandon

Subject Access:	Mavis Stuckey (nee Vanstone)
	George Harris
	Doug Bottley
	Georges Cesari
	Clark-Smith Studios
	City of Brandon
	Canadian Pacific Railway
	Canadian Northern Railway
	Manitoba and Northwest Railway
	Expo 1967
	Manitoba Naturalists Society
	Brandon Historical Society
	Brandon University
	Assiniboine Community College
	Manitoba Pool Elevators
	Austin Agriculture Museum
	Brandon Camera Club
	Canadian National Railway
	Royal Canadian Air Force
	Kellock Royal Commission
	Millwood Family
	Natural History Photography
	Railway Photography
	Landscape Photography
	Personal Journals
	Brandon Photography
	Railway History
	Brandon History
	Horticulture
Repro Restriction:	The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey material
Finding Aid:	A copy of the photograph inventory is in the blue binder on the refere shelf in the reading room.
Related Material:	Alf Fowler collection 6-1999 (Brandon photographs) and the BU Art Exhibitions Committee fonds 69-1997 (Georges Cesari).

A description for the photograph collection has been entered as a separate series of the Lawrence Stuckey collection. The collection remains in original order.



## Brandon Women's Musical Club fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4810

 Part Of:
 RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

 Description Level:
 Collection

 Accession Number:
 13-2002

GMD:

textual records

Date Range: 1953-1965 Physical Description: 10 cm

History /

**Biographical:** 

The Brandon Women's Musical Club was formed in 1945 by Miss Peggy Sharpe and Miss Hilda Smith. Together with a group of women from around Brandon, they managed to form a large club for, according to the club's constitution, "the study of vocal and instrumental music, literature and related arts and the encouragement of promising Junior Artists under eighteen years of age." With these goals in mind, the club undertook to provide tuition for young music students and contributed to the formation of the Brandon Women's Musical Choral Club. The club held meetings during which club members listened to guest speakers and observed performances by local musical and dance groups, as well as some national musical stars. The group also sponsored performances of musicals, plays, and recitals, and held an annual Christmas party.

Custodial History:

This fonds was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 2002. Previous custodial history is unknown.

#### Scope and Content:

Notes:

Fonds is composed predominantly of two scrapbooks, one of which covers the years 1953-1960, the other the years 1960-1965. The scrapbooks contain newspaper clippings about the Musical Club's meetings and performances. There is also a file containing miscellaneous correspondence, the constitution and bylaws of the group, the club's membership lists from 1959-1964, and guestionnaires about the Women's Musical Club.

CAIN No. 202589 Subject Access: Peggy Sharpe Hilda Smith Lorne Watson **Eric Davies** Nona Mari Isabelle Coghlin Janine Theriault Peggie Sampson Howard Leyton-Brown Norman Chapman Peter Koslowsky Nora Needham Lucien Needham Brandon Women's Musical Club Brandon Women's Musical Choral Club Baroque Trio of Montreal Brandon College School of Music Wilson Trio City of Brandon women's clubs choral groups musical clubs scrapbooks

Storage Location:2002 accessionsStorage Range:2002 accessions



# Keystone Centre development and construction fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4854

Part Of:	RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Description Level:	Collection
Accession Number:	22-1998
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	1957-1974; predominant 1970-1974
Physical Description:	36 cm
History /	

Biographical:

The idea of the Keystone Centre was first mentioned in 1958, at a meeting of the board of directors of the Manitoba Winter Fair. The Manitoba Winter Fair wanted a new facility because the old Wheat City Arena had a leaking roof and a deteriorating west wall. The old facility also had limited space and the Winter Fair felt it needed more space for expansion. The Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba also had problems with their facilities, such as old barns and poor display areas. The idea of the Keystone Centre was put on hold until 1969, when the boards of the Provincial Exhibition and the Manitoba Winter Fair joined together as the Provincial Exhibition Association of Manitoba and the Wheat City Arena was sold and demolished. The original estimate for the cost of the Keystone Centre facilities was \$4.5 million and funding would be proportioned so that the federal and provincial governments would each put in one-third of the money, with the rest coming from local donations. The financial campaign for the Keystone Centre began in 1970, and construction began in November 1970. The grand opening of the Centre was in March 1973, and coincided with the Royal Manitoba Winter Fair of that year.

Custodial History:

This fonds was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 1998. Prior custodial history is unknown.

#### Scope and Content:

Fonds contains many folders full of correspondence, financial statements, meeting minutes and other documents relating to the development and construction of the Keystone Centre from 1970-1974, including those from the Keystone Executive Committee, as well as the Building Committee. Fonds also contains one folder that pertains to the Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey from 1959. This folder contains the names and locations of all farmers in the Brandon area in 1959. The Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey was created in 1959, in order to make farming in the Brandon area more profitable. The survey was aided by Doane Agricultural Service from St. Louis, Missouri, who had success creating agricultural development programs in the United States. Fonds also contains folders from the Provincial Exhibition with correspondence, pamphlets, estimates, and studies from the 1960's. There is also one folder belonging to the Manitoba Winter Fair, which contains correspondence and financial statements relating to the Wheat City Arena. Fonds also contains information pertaining to the proposals made in the 1960's, for the building of the Keystone Centre, as well as one folder about the Keystone campaign from 1970-73. There is also one folder about the opening of the Keystone Centre, which contains newspaper clippings and guest lists. Finally, the fonds contains information about a court case involving Albert Bobyk and Robert Stewart. Stewart was the project manager for the Building Committee and Bobyk worked on the Keystone Center. The fonds includes a report about the trial of the two men who were charged with fraud involving their work on the Keystone Centre.

CAIN No. 202608 Notes: Subject Access: **Ray Forbes** Fred McGuinness Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey Doane Agricultural Service Inc Agricultural & Homemaking School of Brandon Royal Manitoba Winter Fair Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba South-Western District Agricultural Society 4-H Manitoba Department of Agriculture City of Brandon **Keystone Committee** Keystone Building Committee agriculture architecture exhibitions swine farming sheep farming cereal grain farming rural life winter fairs Storage Location: 1998 accessions Storage Range: 1998 accessions

### Brandon Business and Professional Women's Club fonds



### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4859

Part Of:	RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Description Level:	Collection
Accession Number:	10-2002
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	1932-1972
Physical Description:	20 cm
History /	

Biographical:

The Business and Professional Women's Club of Brandon was created in November 1932. The club grew out of a meeting of business and professional women who were interested in forming an association. Guest speakers at the meeting were Miss Hilda Hesson, the Vice President of the Federation of Canadian Business and Professional Women's Clubs, and Miss F. Ingram, the President of the Winnipeg Business and Professional Women's Club. The objective of the Brandon club, according to its constitution, was the "promotion of educational, service, and social facilities for the business and professional women." The club consisted of active and associate members and belonged to the greater Canadian Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club. The first President of the club was Miss Margaret Gemmell, with approximately 80 women attended the club's first meeting. The club established subcommittees on a variety of subjects including current events, sports, bridge instruction, public speaking, dress making, photography, stitch craft, manual training, and physical culture. The club also put on exhibitions, participated in drama festivals, held rummage sales and an annual Christmas party. During the Second World War, it established a War Effort Department. This department organized activities such as sewing and knitting in support of the war effort. The War Effort Department also raised money for charities such as the Red Cross. During its meetings, the club often heard local and national speakers or watched films. Women of many different vocations joined the club including florists, teachers, salesclerks, nurses, and housewives. Over the years, additional departments were added to the club including those named poetry, pottery, woodcraft, and drama.

Custodial History:

This fonds was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 2002. Previous custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

Fonds contains three small scrapbooks, which cover the years 1932-1939, 1939-1949, and 1950-1959, respectively. The scrapbooks contain newpaper clippings from the Brandon Sun, the Winnipeg Free Press, and the Flin Flon Daily Miner. The scrapbooks also contain exhibition and meeting programs from the Brandon Club. Fonds also contains meeting minutes for the years 1932-1972.

Notes:

CAIN No. 202576

Subject Access:	Miss Margaret Gemmel
	Miss Marjorie McKenzie
	Dr. Jane Turnbull
	Miss Muriel Bowen
	Miss Jessie Crawford
	Mrs. Robert Darrach
	Miss Margaret Clay
	Hilda Hesson
	Miss Jenny Gemmell
	City of Brandon
	Business and Professional Women's Club of Brandon
	Canadian Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs
	women's organizations
	women's clubs
	Manitoba women
	scrapbooks
Storage Location:	2002 accessions
Storage Range:	2002 accessions
Related Material:	Brandon Business and Professional Women's Club (10-2002); Minnedosa Business and Professional Women's Club (11-2002); Neepawa Business and Professional Women's Club (12-2002); Trilliam Business and Professional Women's Club (2-2006).



## RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4722

Part Of:	RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Description Level:	Fonds
Fonds Number:	RG 5
GMD:	multiple media
History /	

Biographical:

This record group was artifically created in January 2007 by Tom Mitchell and Christy Henry of the McKee Archives.

Scope and Content:

The record group consists of various fonds and collections concerned with the political, cultural, social, and educational life of western Manitoba. See the Subject Access field for a list of titles.

Notes:	Description written by Christy Henry (2007).
Subject Access:	Joseph H. Hughes
	Canadian Federation of University Women
	Verna Gamey
	Brandon Cinema Club
	Birtle Indian Residential School
	Brandon Assisted Passage Association

**Binscarth Women's Institute** Griswold School District Manitoba School Trustees Regional Association Riverbank/Berbank Red Cross A.C. Miller C.J. Barnes David Sommerville Charleson Southwest A Region Manitoba Women's Institute **Berbank Ladies Aid Berbank Church** Blyth Protestant School District #471 Crown Protestant School District #184 Ward Watson Laurie V. Smith Marion Doig Elm Creek/Wingham Branch United Farmers of Manitoba Roseland Church Fairfax United Church Humesville & Forrest Women's Missionary Society Chater Protestant School District William Wallace United Grain Growers G.R. Rowe Cecil Herbert Edward Johnston Western Manitoba Centennial Auditorium Brandon Art Club James Duncan McGregor Stephan Adolph Magnacca Harry "Hap" Fraser Leslie Victor Robson Bertha School District #861 Manitoba Genealogical Society Brandon Golf & Country Club Keystone Centre Development and Construction Manitoba Elevator Company **B.J. Hales** Brandon Council of Women Westman Oral History Mildred (Mollie) Kellet Gerald McKinney Janet Donnelly Minnedosa OddFellows Basswood OddFellows Archibald E. Wilson Audrey Silvius

Western Manitoba Philharmonic Choir Lawrence Stuckey Minnedosa Women's Institute Clanwilliam Women's Institute Cordova Women's Institute Crocus Women's Institute Rathwell Women's Institute Strathclair Women's Institute Manitoba Women's Institute Brandon Business & Professional Women's Club Minnedosa Business & Professional Women's Club Neepawa Business & Professional Women's Club Brandon Women's Musical Club International Toastmistress Club - Land O'Lakes Region Fred McGuinness **Reg Forbes** Jack Stothard Janet Louisa May More William J. Birtles **Ruby Miles** Manitoba Action Committee on the Status of Women Canadian Union of Public Employees Brandon & District Labour Council (CLC) Westman Multi-Cultural Council Westman Coalition on Equality Rights Martin Kavanagh James Buckley James Douglas Wall Brandon Women's Institute Trilliam Business & Professional Women's Club Westridge Senior Citizens Kodaly in Manitoba WARUCC - Western Association of Registrars of the Universities and Colleges of Canada Margaret Laurence Endowment Douglas Women's Institute Albert Angus Murray McPherson Edward Walker Alexander MacPhail Inventory of Archival Material in Western Manitoba Project Greenway Fair Brandon Hills Busy Bees Prairie Horizons Toastmistress Club Grand Valley School District #206 Douglas Brolund

	Norma Laird
	Brandon Square Dancing Club
	Tully McKenzie
	Basswood School District
	Anna Enns
	Frank Robb
	Bankburn School District
	John Crawford
	J.C. Cousins
	William Ridley Sheridan Wade
	Mary Schwalm
	Robert (Bert) Lane
	Ross Hume
	Quincy H. Martinson
	Helen Dutka
	Dorothy Frances Davidson
	Brandon Sno-Goers Snowmobile Club
	Brandon Folk, Music & Art Society, Inc.
	Baker family
	Brandon Daily Sun microfilm
	Western Manitoba Home Economic Association
	Hubert Weidenhamer
	Len Evans
	Henry Hlady
	Delta Kappa Gamma Society International
	Westman Recycling Council
	Herbert Goodland
Storage Location:	RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Storage Range:	RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Arrangement:	

The fonds and collections in RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript collection have been arranged primarily by accession number.



## The approach to Shakespeare

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections700

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Shakespeare, William, 1564-1616
	Shakespeare, William, 1564-1616. Paraphrases, tales, etc
	Lang, Leonora Blanche, comp
	Lamb, Charles, 1775-1834
	Lamb, Mary Ann, 1764-1847
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	PR 2877.L3
	Archives 11-999-4-110
Item Number Range:	PR 2877.L3
	Archives 11-999-4-110
Standard number:	System Control Number 87072429
Responsibility:	[containing an introd. by Mrs. Andrew Lang and selections from the plays and Lamb's Tales]
Start Date:	1925
Date Range:	1925
Publication:	London ; Edinburgh : Thomas Nelson and Sons Ltd
Physical Description:	256 p. : ill. ; 16 cm
Subject Access:	Shakespeare
	William
	1564-1616
Storage Location:	Box 4 - Plays (Archives copy)
Storage Range:	Box 4 - Plays (Archives copy)



## Battle for the rock : the story of Wolfe and Montcalm

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections918

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Schull, Joseph, 1910-1980
	Parker, Lewis
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-10-278
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-10-278
Responsibility:	by Joseph Schull ; illustrated by Lewis Parker
Start Date:	1963
Date Range:	1963
Publication:	Toronto : Macmillan
Physical Description:	158 p. : ill., maps ; 22 cm
Notes:	Maps on lining-papers
Name Access:	Wolfe
	James
	1727-1759
	Montcalm de Saint-V©ran
	Louis-Joseph
	marquis de
	1712-1759
Subject Access:	Qu©bec Campaign
	1759
	Canada History 1755-1763
Storage Location:	Box 10 - Stories
Storage Range:	Box 10 - Stories