

# S. J. McKee Archives



## RG 2 Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba Association fonds

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Part Of: RG 2 Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba Association fonds

Description Level: Fonds

GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1884-1992

Physical Description: 9.46 m textual records; 1919 photographs & graphics

History / Biographical:

Brandon, Manitoba was incorporated as a city in 1881. In 1882, led by Charles Whitehead and a small Board of Directors that included J.W. Vantassel, Charles Pilling, George Halse, J.E. Smith, William Johnson, R.T. Evans, and Thomas Lockhart, it was decided to hold an agricultural exhibition. These men were all involved in the farm business in one way or another, and they wanted an opportunity to help residents realize the agricultural potential of the region. In October of that year, the fledgling community held its first agricultural exhibition. The fair was held in downtown Brandon at what was known as "Market Square." Market Square was two acres of land located on Princess Avenue between Eighth and Ninth Streets. Due to poor weather, and the fact that not many people were ready to show animals and grain, there was a relatively small turnout. The following year was much improved. There were 730 entries into the exhibition. By 1884, the Board of Directors of the Brandon Agricultural Society, which was in charge of the exhibition, realized that they were in poor financial shape, to the point of being personally out of pocket. It was realized that October was not the best time for farmers to be leaving their farms to go to an exhibition. In 1888, it was decided to move the exhibition to the summer time, when it was much easier for people to attend.

The first Brandon Summer Fair was held in July 1889, and it was a resounding success. The Board of Directors had added many items of interest to appeal to the entire public, not just agricultural people. In 1892, the Western Agricultural and Arts Association (WAAA) was formally established to take over duties from the Brandon Agricultural Society. However, it was not until 1897 that the WAAA held its first meeting. There is no explanation as to why there is a five year gap between the formation and the first meeting of this organization. 1897 was the turning point of the Brandon Exhibition. The fair was now firmly established in Brandon, and the Board of Directors was instrumental in ensuring that it remained so. This was done by petitioning to both the municipal and provincial governments for grant money. As well, the Board booked midway and grandstand acts that would bring the city dwellers to the agricultural exhibition.

There were also early attempts at holding an agricultural exhibition in the winter. The first such attempt was in 1884. There was also a Spring Stallion show held in 1891. By 1904, however, a petition by J.D. McGregor had gone out to formally establish a winter exhibition. This effort also failed, but by 1906, it was decided by businessmen, politicians, and farm representatives in Brandon, including McGregor, to organize a winter fair. Rather than seeing this new fair as competition, the Board of Directors of the summer fair felt that it would complement their exhibition. The new fair would remain primarily agricultural. The first winter fair was held in 1906. While the two fairs were not amalgamated, they did share the same secretary-manager. The secretary-manager was responsible for the day to day management of the fair, as well as

keeping track of meetings and decisions reached by the various fair boards and committees. In 1907, the Brandon Winter Fair and Livestock Association (BWFLA) was formed to act primarily as a land-holding joint stock company. The following year the Provincial Winter Fair and Fat Stock Association (PWFFSA), an entirely separate organization from the BWFLA, was formed to manage the activities of the winter fair. The PWFFSA name was soon changed to the Manitoba Winter Fair and Fat Stock Association (MWFFSA).

By 1906, Brandon could boast two full size exhibitions, one in the summer and one in the late winter, both of which were considered to be premiere events. In 1908, the Brandon summer fair was renamed the Inter-Provincial Exhibition, and in 1912 it held it's first Traveller's Day, an event which would soon become an important addition to the fair and is still in existence today. It is thought that the name "Traveller's Day" came from the fact that it was held on a Saturday, a day when many people could travel to Brandon for the exhibition.

In 1913, Brandon was bestowed with the honour of hosting the Dominion Exhibition. This was a national exhibition sponsored by the federal government. It was held in a different city every year. There were several cities vying for the 1913 Dominion Exhibition, but it was Brandon that impressed the sponsors the most. With the government funds received for this honour, the Board of Directors supervised the building of a new grandstand, display buildings, and racetrack, as well as the general expansion and improvements to the fairgrounds.

In the spring of 1912, it was decided by the Board of Directors of the winter fair that the facilities they were currently housed in were inadequate for their needs. The mayor and city clerk of Brandon went to the provincial legislature in order to request that there be an amendment added to the Brandon city charter. This amendment would allow the city to guarantee bonds issued by the winter fair board to help pay for the construction of a new facility. This request was granted, and a \$70 000 addition was built next to the original winter fair building. The new building was opened in 1913.

Throughout the First World War, both the winter fair and Provincial Exhibition buildings were used for the war effort. There was one distinct difference however. The summer fair Board was able to negotiate a deal with the army that enabled it to reclaim the fair buildings during fair week. The winter fair, however, had to give up the idea of holding fairs in 1915 and 1916. It was not until 1917, that the winter fair was able to resume.

During this time, due to the financial problems that had beset the winter fair, the two exhibitions considered amalgamation. The Board of Directors of the winter fair felt that because they were the smaller of the two fairs, their interests would be swallowed up by the summer fair. The winter fair withdrew from the negotiations to amalgamate. With this rather sudden turn of events, the Board of Directors of the summer fair petitioned the government to be allowed to incorporate. This was granted, and in 1920, the WAAA was incorporated as the Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba. From 1920, the summer fair was officially known as the Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba. This was the first time that the summer fair was incorporated, and received the "status and financial assistance" that came with incorporation.

More problems beset the winter fair in the 1920s. In 1920, a fire burned down the winter fair pavilion, located at the south end of the winter fair buildings, and caused the Board to cancel the 1921 winter fair. It was not until 1922, that a new building was completed. By 1929, both fairs were well regarded throughout Canada. In 1929, a decade long Depression hit the west. While many fairs closed during this time, Brandon struggled to keep its open. The Directors of both fairs felt that the agricultural shows "encouraged excellence at a time when faith and enthusiasm were at a low ebb." The summer fair proved to be quite successful during the Depression, likely as a result of the few moments one was able to forget one's troubles while there. The winter fair was not quite as successful, although both fairs received government grants and work relief projects. There was little new entertainment in these exhibitions.

There were changes about to manifest themselves at the summer fair, however. While the

winter fair had representatives from various associations on its Board of Directors, the summer fair Board of Directors was a small close-knit group of men. Citizens saw entry into this elite group as elusive and difficult. To ward off the possibility of the Board becoming a "self-sustaining clique," that only chose Directors from within, it was decided by several citizens to try and elect some new blood into the fair Board. In 1933, there was a general election for the Board. Instead of the usual men shuffling positions, there were forty-four nominations for the twenty positions. When the voting was all over, seven new men sat on the Board. Despite some inner rumblings, especially on the summer fair Board over the next few years, both exhibitions survived the Depression.

During the Second World War the fairs once again were forced to operate under adversity. Once again, the buildings were requisitioned for the army, although they were released during fair week. The summer fair was forced to make several concessions, and the winter fair was relocated to the summer fair grounds for the duration.

The winter fair did not survive the Second World War intact. Due to financial reasons, in December of 1945, the Board of Directors turned the winter fair buildings over to the City of Brandon. By 1946, the BWFLA, which was the joint-stock land holding company, had ceased operations because the city now controlled the winter fair land and buildings.

The next fifteen years would be a time of rebuilding for both of Brandon's exhibitions. Children especially were more active participants in the agricultural exhibitions. The summer fair continued to diversify and look for new ways of entertaining the public at large. The winter fair remained primarily agricultural. By the end of the 1950s the winter fair, which was used to struggling, was now both successful and stable; and the summer fair, a perennial success, was starting to fade.

By 1969, both the winter and summer fair Boards had realized that amalgamation was the best possible decision, both practically and financially, for the future of the two fairs. On 29 October, 1969, the two exhibitions amalgamated to become the Manitoba Exhibition Association. The reconstituted Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba was now responsible for both the winter and summer fairs. A new building was erected on the summer fair grounds to house both of the exhibitions. On 2 April 1973, the Keystone Centre was officially opened at the winter fair, although it had been in use since October of the preceding year.

In 1970, Manitoba's Centennial, it was decided that an organization in Manitoba would receive the title of "Royal," as a way to celebrate the centennial. Although many organizations applied for the honour, it was the Brandon winter fair that received the accolades. The winter fair was bestowed with the title "Royal", and became known as the Royal Manitoba Winter Fair.

In 1975, a third exhibition was added, this time a purely agricultural fall show known as the Agricultural Exhibition, or AgEx. This fair was partly organized on behalf of the cattle growers, who found that the summer and winter fairs did not give them adequate time and space to properly show their cattle. The return to a fall show, which had not existed since 1888, would be the return to a purely agricultural exhibition. This show was to be primarily a show and sale event. On 3 November 1975, the first AgEx was opened to resounding success.

The Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba, the Royal Manitoba Winter Fair and AgEx are all still in existence in Brandon. They are regarded as three of the most important events to take place annually in the city.

## Custodial History:

These files were housed with the Manitoba Exhibition Association until c1986 when they were transferred to the S.J. McKee Archives at Brandon University.

#### Scope and Content:

The fonds consists of textual records and photographs comprised of the records from the three annual exhibitions that are held in Brandon, Manitoba: the Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba, the Royal Manitoba Winter Fair, and the Agricultural Exhibition (Ag-Ex). The textual records include prize lists, programs, minutes, financial, administrative files, original results, scrapbooks, tickets, news releases, contracts, by laws, documents as well as a miscellaneous section. There are approximately 1846 photographs that include scenes from these three exhibitions. These records provide a unique perspective on the development of agriculture and rural life in southwestern Manitoba. Fairs such as these have been and remain prime media of farm improvement, technological and scientific advancement in rural Canada, and the promoters of country living. These fairs also reflected the long tradition inherited from Britain and Europe of country fairs as centers of entertainment, social interchange and diversion. These records are a principal source of information about the most broadly based vocational, entertainment and social events held on an annual basis in southwestern Manitoba over the last century. The records are vital to academic research on agriculture or fairs, individual biography, or community history.

Notes: The RG 2 Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba Association finding aid was

created by Karyn (Riedel) Taylor with the exception of Series 9 and the accompanying database, which were created by Donica Belisle. This

finding aid was created in August 1999.

Name Access: Charles Whitehead

J.W. Vantassel Charles Pilling George Halse

Subject Access: Brandon Agricultural Society

Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

Agricultural Exhibition

Brandon Manitoba

AgEx

Repro Restriction: Researchers are responsible for observing Canadian copyright

restrictions.

Finding Aid: Available

Storage Location: RG 2 Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba Association fonds
Storage Range: RG 2 Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba Association fonds

Related Material: Additional records regarding the Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba, the

Royal Manitoba Winter Fair, and AgEx are housed at the Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba Association offices. To gain access to these records, it is necessary to contact the general manager of the Provincial

Exhibition of Manitoba Association.

#### Arrangement:

The fonds is divided into sous-fonds by exhibition. There is a Provincial Exhibition sous-fonds, a Royal Manitoba Winter Fair sous-fonds, an Ag-Ex sous-fonds, and a Miscellaneous sous-fonds that holds information that could not be easily broken down into one exhibition. The arrangement is as follows:

## RG 2 Provincial Exhibition Association of Manitoba fonds

## RG2SF1 Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

- 1.1 Documents
- 1.2 Minutes
- 1.3 Financial Records
- 1.4 Administrative Files
- 1.5 Prize Lists and Programs
- 1.6 News Releases
- 1.7 Original Results
- 1.8 Tickets
- 1.9 Photographs
- 1.10 Scrapbooks
- 1.11 Miscellaneous

### RG2SF2 Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

- 2.1 Documents
- 2.2 Minutes
- 2.3 Financial Records
- 2.4 Administrative Files
- 2.5 Prize Lists and Programs
- 2.6 News Releases
- 2.7 Original Results
- 2.8 Tickets
- 2.9 Photographs
- 2.10 Scrapbooks
- 2.11 Miscellaneous

## RG2SF3 AgEx

- 3.4 Administrative Files
- 3.5 Prize Lists and Programs
- 3.6 News Releases
- 3.7 Original Results
- 3.9 Photographs

## RG2SF4 Miscellaneous

- 4.1 Documents
- 4.2 Minutes
- 4.3 Financial Records
- 4.4 Administrative Files
- 4.9 Photographs
- 4.10 Scrapbooks
- 4.11 Miscellaneous

## Keystone Centre development and construction fonds

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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.

Notes: CAIN No. 202608

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

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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



## Jack Stothard collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4231

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 1-2003, 12-2006, 8-2007, 8-2008, 18-2008, 11-2009, 4-2012, 4-2013,

8-2016

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: ca. 1900s, 2001-2003, 2007, 2008, 2016

Physical Description: 30 cm textual records

9 b/w photograph

Physical Condition: Good

History / Biographical:

Jack Stothard was born on February 16, 1932 in Brandon, MB. He attended public schools in the city (Central School, Park School, and Earl Oxford) and graduated from Brandon Collegiate Institute (BCI). Stothard married Velma Pollock in 1957 and together they had two daughters: Debra and Kimberly. Stothard was employed in the plumbing and heating business until 1960, when he joined Manitoba Hydro. In the course of his employment with Manitoba Hydro, he became Station Superintendent of the Brandon Generating Station. Stothard retired in 1995. Stothard was a member of the Canadian Numismatic Association, the Canadian Association of Token Collectors and the Toronto Postcard Club. Jack Stothard died on November 3, 2021 in Brandon, MB.

#### Custodial History:

Accession 1-2003 was in the possession of Stothard until donated to the McKee Archives in 2003. Accession 12-2006 was acquired by Lawrence Stuckey at some point after the photograph was taken. Stuckey later sold a copy of the photograph. This copy was later acquired by Jack Stothard in the course of his collecting of Brandon postcards. Stothard donated the image to the McKee Archives in 2004. Accession 8-2007 was prepared by Jack Stothard in the course of 2007. He provided a copy to the Archives upon its completion. Accession 8-2008 was in the possession of Fred McGuinness until he gave jit to Jack Stothard in February 2008. Stothard donated the records to the McKee Archives on February 12, 2008. Accession 18-2008 was donated to the McKee Archives by Stothard on August 18, 2008. Accession 11-2009 was donated to the McKee Archives by Stothard on February 20, 2009. Accession 4-2012 was donated to the McKee Archives by Stothard on August 24, 2011. Accession 4-2013 was donated to the McKee Archives by Stothard in March 2013. Accession 8-2016 was donated to the McKee Archives by Stothard on January 21, 2015.

## Scope and Content:

Accession 1-2003 contains brief research reports prepared by Stothard on various topics concerning historical Brandon. These include: a listing of hotels, inns and motels that have operated in Brandon since the 1880s; reports dealing with the Café Aagard, Central United Church, the 1913 Dominion Exhibition, Brandon, the Empire Hotel, Brandon's Central Steam Heating System, the Post Office and the Clement Block. It also contains one booklet: Facts About Brandon: An Industrial Survey of the City of Brandon. Winnipeg: Department of Industry and Commerce [n.d.]

Accession 12-2006 consists of one photograph of the Great Northern Engine 208, built by Rogers Locomotive Company 1887. Cylinders 18 x 24, Drivers 63". G.N. line Church's Ferry, N.D. to Brandon, Manitoba. Opened 1906, Closed 1936.

Accession 8-2007 consists of a brief typed report entitled "The Day the Lights Went Out in Brandon - Strike of 1919" by Jack Stothard. Document provides an account of the sources and delivery of hydro electric power to Brandon beginning in the early 1900s and the brief power outage at the beginning of the Brandon General Strike May 25, 1919.

Accession 8-2008 consists of "The Brandon Sun Challenge Cup" ledger, which contains two b/w photographs, newspaper clippings and information on the history and first race (1908) of the cup; 3 additional b/w photographs of different races; and the Brandon Old Timers Association record book (c. 1900).

Accession 18-2008 consists of a copy of Stothard's Brandon Postcards index. The index is divided into various sub-headings and consists of colored reproductions of postcards in Stothard's collection. The index contains pages that were discarded by Stothard as he updated his inventory, therefore the index is only up to date as of August 18, 2008.

Accession 11-2009 consists of a typed research report entitled "Brandon Police Department Stations and Locations" by Jack Stothard. The report outlines the location of the Brandon

Accession 4-2012 consists of pages for Stothard's Brandon Postcards index (18-2008) and a photocopy of a Brandon Municipal Railway ticket.

Accession 4-2013 consits of eight binders of handwritten notes/facts about Brandon compiled by Jack Stothard. The notes are a collection of names, places, things, events and items related mostly to the first 100 years of Brandon (1882-1982), although the notes continue into the 2000's. Some notes centre on the late 1930's to early 1950's during the period of Stothard's youth. The information in the binders was taken from a variety of publications, while some notes are Stothard's own comments. A list of sources, as well as a cross reference index for all eight binders, can be found in Book No. 1.

The accession includes: Book No. 1 - Notes of Brandon (A to B); Book No. 2 - Notes of Brandon (C to F); Book No. 3 - Notes of Brandon (G to O); Book No. 4 - Notes of Brandon (P to Z); Book No. 5 - Notes of Brandon: Churches, Hostpitals, Hotels; Book No. 6 - Notes of Brandon: Police Department, Fire Department; Book No. 7 - Notes of Brandon: Brandon City Council, City of Brandon etc.; Book No. 8 - Notes of Brandon: Brandon College/University, Brandon Schools, ACC, Brandon School Board. Accession also includes pages from Stothard's Brandon Postcards index (18-2008).

Accession 6-2016 consists of local history books, pamphlets, bakery tokens, local magazines, one binder containing handwritten notes/facts about Brandon compiled from the Brandon Sun's "Looking Back" column, and an accordian file box containing newspaper clippings about Brandon.

The accession includes the following local history books: Betty Watson's "One Day in Brandon Manitoba 9/9/99" (Brandon, Manitoba: Bart Art Books, 1999); P.N. Breton's "Popular Illustrated Guide to Canadian Coins, Medals, &. &.," (Winnipeg: Canadian Numismatic Publishing Institute, 1963 [reprint]); "Facts About Brandon: An Industrial Survey of the City of Brandon," (Province of Manitoba: Department of Industry and Commerce, [1946]); The Polish Gymnastic Association Sokol's "75th Anniversary: From the Past to the Future!" ([Brandon, Manitoba: Polish Gymnastic Association Sokol, 1988]); and Brandon Kinsmen Club's "'Together...Once Again': A History of the Kinsmen Club of Brandon, Manitoba, 1925-1975 (Brandon, Manitoba: The Historical Committee of the Kinsmen Club of Brandon, 1975).

Pamplets and magazines include: Brandon Generating Station (1957) and (1969), The Brandon Quota Club presents...A Century in Revue (1982), Canadian Rail No. 168/July-August 1965 [featuring Brandon Municipal Railway], Prairie City Issue No. 3/1994, and Prairion May/June 1997.

The binder is titled Book No. 9 - "Year by year: miscellaneous items from 1969 to 2000"; an asterik (\*) indicates notes have been made on each subject or item in the other Books. Each section is housed in

The files in the accordian file box have been rehoused and include the following topics: banks, Brandon 125 beer, Behlen Industries, breweries, Brandon Shoppers' Mall, calendars, Canadian Motors Ltd., Canexus/Nexen, Canada Games - Summer and Winter, Canadian Tire, CKX Radio & TV/CKLQ, Corral Centre, flour mills, hospitals, Keystone, Maple Leaf, Fred McGuinness, miscellaneous, A.E. McKenzie, people, railways, Simplot, Westman Recycling (new facility), weather-storms-floods, and extra copies of postcards.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry. Accession 4-2013: Book No. 1 contains a

photocopied photograph of Aagaard's Cafe, photographs of the Dominion Bank and Barney's Drive Inn and a photo reproduction of the

Bass Building. Book No. 2 contains a photograph of the Provincial Goal. Book No. 3 contains photographs of T. Eaton Company (4 construction photos) and a photo reproduction of tents on the Exhibition grounds (c. 1940). Book No. 4 contains photoraphs of the Oak Theatre and Western

Motors. There are also photopied photographs of The Fun Shop.

Name Access: Jack Stothard

Cafe Aagard

Great Northern Railway

Aagaard's Cafe

Lunch Counter

A-4 Military Camp

Alcoholism Foundation of Manitoba

Amberwood Village

Anglo Canadian Oils Ltd.

Applebee's Neighbourhood Grill & Bar

The Brandon Armoury

Army & Navy Store

Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba

Assiniboine River

Atom-Jet Industries Ltd.

Aub's B.A. Service Station

Frederickson's B.A. Service Station

A&W Restaurant

A&W Drive-In

Ayerst Organics Ltd.

Bank of British North America

Bank of Hamilton

Bank of Montreal

Bank of Nova Scotia

Canadian Bank of Commerce

Canadian Imperical Bank of Commerce (CIBC)

Dominion Bank

Imperial Bank of Canada

Merchants' Bank of Canada

The Northern Bank

Royal Bank of Canada

Toronto Dominion Bank (TD Bank)

Union Bank of Canada

Barney's Drive Inn

Barney's Shoe Shine

Bass Building

Bass families

Beacon Lunch

Behlen Industries/Behlen-Wickes Co. Ltd.

Belair Chinese Restaurant

Belvedere Apartments

Beresford Lumber Co.

Bertrands Block

Bertrand & Company

Beverage Services Limited

Coca-Cola Bottling Company

Dr. Wilfred Bigelow

Bing Juckes Drive Inn

**Binkley Motors** 

Donald "Tiny" Bird

Blackwood's Ltd.

Blackwood Beverages Ltd.

Borbridge Block

**Boreham Park Apartments** 

Bower's Esso Service

The Brandon Bowl

Recreation Bowling Alleys and Billiard Room

Thunderbird Bowl

Marsh Varcoe

Woodbine Alleys Ltd.

Box Brothers Ltd.

**Braecrest Estates** 

Brandon Airport

Brandon Aero Club

Brandon Flying Club

Brandon Allied Arts Centre

Brandon Automobiles (1959) Limited

**Brandon Binder Twine Company** 

Brandon Brewing Co.

Brandon Business College

Brandon Chamber of Commerce

Brandon Clinic

First Street Plaza

The Brandon Club

Brandon Consumer Co-operative Ltd. (Co-op)

Brandon Construction Company Ltd.

**Brandon Correctional Institute** 

Brandon Jail

Brandon Creamery & Supply Co. Ltd.

Brandon Creamery & Supply Co.

Brandon Curling Club

Brandon Eagles Gymnatics Centre

Brandon Electric Light Company

Manitoba Power Company

Brandon Felt Works

Brandon Fire Engine Co.

The Brandon Fruit & Procude Co. Ltd.

Brandon Gallery Shopping Centre

Town Centre

Brandon Golf & Country Club

Brandon Hardware Co. Ltd.

Ashdown's hardware

Stylrite Hardware

Brandon Heating and Plumbing

Brandon Houseing Co-operative Ltd.

Aspen Woods

**Brandon Humane Society** 

**Brandon Machine Works** 

Brandon Municipal Street Railway

Brandon Museum Inc.

Daly House Museum

**Brandon Musical Supply Company** 

Brandon Packers Ltd.

Brandon Scrap Iron & Metal Recycling Ltd.

Brandon Ski Club

Mt. Glenorky Ski Club

Brandon Stock Car Club

Brandon Sun

The Sun Printing Co.

Brandon Tennis Club

**Brandon Tourist Camp** 

Brandon Transit Ltd.

**Brandon Transit System** 

Handi Transit

Brandon Woolen Mills

Metev Woolen Mills

Bliss Building

**Brazzell Motors** 

Brentwood Village Moble Home Court

Breslauer & Warren Jewelers

First Street Bridge

1st Street Bridge

Eighteenth Street Bridge

18th Street Bridge

**Daly Overpass** 

Thompson Bridge

Eighteenth Street Overpass

18th Street Overpass

8th Street Bridge

9th Street Bridge

Eighth Street Bridge

Pedestrian Bridge

British Commonwealth Air Training plan

British Commonwealth Air Training Plan Museum

Bockie-Donovan

Roy Brown

La Plant Block

Fraser Block

Syndicate Block

Laplont Block

Johnson & Company Hardware

Zink Block

Yukon Block

**Burchill & Howey** 

Burns Foods Ltd.

Burns Meats Ltd.

**Bus Depot** 

Greyhound Bus Lines

Grey Goose Bus Lines

MacArthur & Son Ltd.

CDC Home & Leisure Centre

Campbell & Campbell Building

Campbell & Ferguson Building

Canada Safeway Ltd.

Canada Summer Games

Canada Winter Games

Canadian Brown Steel Tank

Canadian Steel Tank Ltd.

Canadian Mental Health Association

Canadian Motors Ltd.

Canadian National Railway (CNR)

Canadian Order of Foresters

Canadian Pacific Railway (CPR)

Canadian Phoenix Insurance Co.

Canadian Stover Gasoline Engine Co.

Canadian Tire Store

Cancade Co. Ltd.

Cancade Bros.

Cancade Bros. Ltd.

Cancade Company

Cando Contracting Ltd.

Cargill Grain Company

Central Community Centre

Central Park Lodge

Valleyview Care Centre

Central Sheet Metal Works

Child & Family Services of Western Manitoba

The Children's Aid Society

Chrest's Dry Cleaners

Chrest family

Christie's Bookstore

Christie's School Supply

**Christie Grant Store** 

Sir Winston Churchill Park

Circle Eight Drive Inn

City Cafe

City Golf Course

CKLQ

CKX

Clark Leatherdale Funeral Home

Clement Block

Cockshutt Plow Co.

Codville & Co.

Commodore Bakery Ltd.

Trent's Bakery

Coldwell Block

Coronation Park

Jubilee Park

Corral Centre

The Country Kitchen Restaurant

Aunt Sarah's Family Restaurant

Country Style Donuts

Court House

Crane Limited

Crane Steel Structures Ltd.

Crang's Grocery & Confectionery

Dairyworld Foods

Creelman's Shoe Store

Cumming & Dobbie

Curran Park

Curtis Block

Yaeger Block

Daymin Court

Bell Block

De Bruyn & Verhoef Woodworks Ltd.

De Fehr Furniture

Denis Prefab Ltd.

Diamond Waterworks

Dinsdale Cartage & Storage (1968) Ltd.

Dinsdale Park

Doig & Robertson

Rankin & Co.

Doig, Rankin & Robertson

Doig's Store Ltd.

Double Bar S Burger & Dairy Ranch

The Drewry's Ltd.

Alexander Brown

Brown's Drug Store

**Dufresne Furniture & Appliances** 

**Dutch Mill Bakery** 

East End Community Centre

Eastern Access Route (Highway 110)

Eaton's of Canada

T. Eaton Company

Edrans Brandon Pressed Brick Co.

Eleanor Kidd Park

Eleanor Kidd Gardens

W.A. Elliott

T.E. Elviss Company

Empire Brewing Co. Ltd.

Bell Bottling Co.

Esquire Dance Hall

Connaught Hall

Evans, Matheson & Associates

Experimental Farm

Brandon Research Station

Fairview Personal Care Home

Feed Rite Mills Ltd.

Federal Pioneer Ltd. (FPE)

Federated Co-operatives Ltd.

Fedoruk Groceteria

Flash Barber Shop and Beauty Salon

Alexander Fleming

Fleming's Drug Store

Fleming Block

Fleming's Well

Fort Brandon Museum

A.C. Fraser & Co.

Fraser & Ross

Fred's Dry Cleaners

Frost & Wood

Brockie Funeral Home

Campbell & Campbell

Vincent & Macpherson

Galaxy Computer Systems

George's Food Bar

George Jimas

Gidding's Store

Gillis & Warren Ltd.

Golden Gate Cafe

Gooden's Men's Wear

**Grand Stand** 

**Grand Valley Place** 

The Great West Coal Copmany Ltd.

Great Western Outerwear & Sportswear Ltd.

Green Acres Community Centre

Green Acres Lodge

Green Acres subdivision

Habitat for Humanity

B.J. Hales Natural History Museum

Hamilton and Jones Ltd.

Hanbury Manufacturing Co.

Hanbury House

T.M. Harrington

Harry's Ukrainian Kitchen & Steak House

Hedges Trucking

Heise Block

Heritage Co-op 1997 Ltd.

Highland Park Mobile Home Estate Ltd.

Hillcrest Place Personal Care Home

Hillside Town Houses

Manitoba Infrastructure & Transportation

Highways Deparment

**Hobbs Manor** 

Home Development Co. Ltd.

Home Estates Ltd.

Home Hardware

Hopkins Bakery

Horner's Busy Corners

Hornor's Busy Corners

Paterson House

Matheson House

Villa Louise

Row House

Hudson House

Casa Maley

Hughes & Long

Hughes & Co.

Husky Oil & Refining Ltd.

Husky Travelcentre

Husky House

Locomart

North Hill IGA

West End IGA

Sobey's

Immigration Hall

Imperial Square

Indian and Metis Friendship Centre

International Harvester Co. of Canada Ltd.

Inventronics Ltd.

Jacobson and Greiner Ltd.

J&G

The Jo-Ann Accessory Shop

John Deere Plow Company

Johnson's Cafe

Johnson's Hardware Store

Kam Lung Restaurant & Cocktail Lounge

Martin Kavanagh

Keg Steakhouse & Bar

Kelly Block

Kelly & Co.

P.A. Kennedy Co. Ltd.

Keystone Centre

Kinsmen Club

Kinsmen Kiddies Korner

Kinsmen Centennial Swimming Pool

Kinsmen Outdoor Skating Rink

Kinsmen Memorial Stadium

Kinsmen Little League Stadium

Kin Village

Kinsmen Zoo

Kip's Service Station

Brigadier General James Kirkcaldy

Kirkcaldy Heights (North Hill) sub-division

Kiwanis Club

Kiwanis Swimming Pool/Paddling Pool

Kmart

Knowlton's Boot Shop

S.S. Kresge Co. Ltd.

Kullberg's Furniture Store

Lake Brandon

Land Titles Office

Lark Hill sub-division

Larry's Studio

Lawson Lodge

Prairie Oasis

Frank Lawson & Sons

Leech Printing

Lee's Implements Ltd.

Brandon Public Library

Centennial Library - Arts Centre

Western Manitoba Regional Library

Lindenberg Brothers Limited

Linden Lanes

Lions Club

Lion's Manor

Westman Lion's Manor Inc.

Linden Lanes Shopping Centre

Red & White Store

Lyceyn Tea Room

MacArthur Transportation Co.

Soo-Security Motorways Ltd.

M.F. MacDonald

Macey Foods Ltd.

G.C. (Curly) MacKay

MacLeods Store

Magnacca Enterprises

Manitoba Centennial 1970

Manco

Manitoba Cooperative Dairies Ltd.

Manitoba Dairy and Poultry Cooperative Ltd.

The Manitoba Hardware & Lumber Co. Ltd.

Manitoba Emergency Services College

Manitoba Engines Ltd.

Manitoba Felt & Yarn Works - Brandon

Manitoba Government Building

Manitoba Housing & Renewal Corporation

Manitoba Housing Authority

Manitoba Motor Transit Ltd.

Manitoba Pool Elevators

Agricore

Manitoba Public Insurance Coproration

Autopac

MPI

The Manitoba Windmill & Pump Co. Ltd.

Brandon Gas & Power Co. Ltd.

Maple Leaf Flour Mills

Maple Leaf Pork

Maple Leaf Meats

Maple Leaf Foods

The Maples

Mark's Work Wearhouse

D. Marshall

Massey-Harris Co. Ltd.

Massey-Feguson Building

Massin Furs

Frank Massin & Son Hide & Furs

Masonic Temple

Dr. J. Murray Matheson

McCallum Jewellers

McCallum Nursing Home

McCall Frontenac

Texaco

McDiarmid & Clark

McDonald & Foreman

John A. McDonald & Son

McDowell & Doke Tinsmiths'

McGregor's Livery Sale & Boarding Stable

J.D. McGregor

Malcolm McAdam McGregor

Fred McGuinness

A.E. McKenzie Seed Co. Ltd.

A.E. McKenzie House

Meadowlark Campground

Memories Chapel and Pre-planning Centre

Metropolitan Cafe

Metropolitan Store

Meyers Norris Penny

Miladi's - The House of Ladies' Quality Apparel

Mitrou Cafe & Candy Company

Modern Dairies

Monterey Estates

Sunridge Homes Ltd.

Morgon Motors

Moxie's

Blue Hills restaurant

Perkin's Restaurant

William Muir General Grocer

Murray Chev Olds-Cadillac Ltd.

Mutter Brothers

Nation & Shewan

National Store

Neale, Stothard & Chapman

The Newmount Medical Clinic

Nexen Chemicals Inc.

Canexus Ltd.

New System Store

North End Community Centre

Northside Mazda

Oddfellows Corner

Ogilvie Co.

Old Men's Home

Charlton Lodge

Olympia Cafe

Orange Hall

Grand Orange Lodge

Orchard Hardware Co.

Oshkosh Filter and Softener Co.

Pacific 66 Service Station

Palladium Dance Hall

Park Community Centre

Parker's Restaurant

Charlie Coyote's

Park View Apartments

George A. Paterson

Patmore's

Paul's Hauling Ltd.

A.E. McKenzie

Jack Hawson

Christopher David Mitrou

A. Reginald McDiarmid

Tony Macialek

Alex Mowat

**David Weiss** 

Joseph Whitehead

Steward Shultz

Harry Cater

Charles Pilling

Robert Coombs

William Henderson

Arthur Johnson

George W. Noble

T.J. Beaubier

Harry Brown

Frank Massin

H.L. Patmore

Jack MacArthur

Flora Cowan

P.A. Kennedy

George Fitton

William Ferguson

Jack Coleman

A.E. Smith

J.C.P. Mitchell

Joseph Boyarski

W.T. "Bud" Higgins

Colonel Charles Whillier

Benjamin Hales

Fred Young

Wilfred Bigelow

Gabriel Charles (Barney) Mollot

E.J. Tyler

Pierre Cancade

George Sykes

G.R. Rowe

George Bass

Ritchie (Bob) Macpherson

Leslie Alexander McKay

Herbert Samuel Sharpe

Tom Ryles

Harold George Dinsdale

Paul Leon Regis Cancade

Eleanor Kidd

Cecil Webb

Edmond Fotheringham

Roy B. Hunter

Jack Donnelly

lan M. Brown

Charles Goucher

Lenton James Rust

Harold B. Smith

Milton Tinline

Keith Hurst

**Ernest Jerrett** 

Pearl Treleaven

Hugh Rice

Cec Leech

William Gooden

William Samuel Gooden

Sam Wong

George Mason Henderson Bain

William Webster Fotheringham

Alex McPhail

Richard Patmore

Sandy Patterson

J.R.C. Evans

John Shurb

Joseph Frederick

Ronald Relf

William Speakman

**David Norris** 

Myheer Crystal

Mrs. Joseph Whitehead

Gus Hendzel

Stuart Craig

Krug Crawford

Walter Hutchings

Lorne Duncan McDonald

Max Szturm

Henry Perdue

Samuel Harris

Charles Lightbody

**Boom Cristal** 

Russell Fedoruk

James Creighton

Jack Kullberg

D.R. MacKay

W. Norman Hargreaves-Mawdsley

Reg Poole

Stephen William Bass

A.B. Downing

**Ernestine Whiteside** 

Albert St. Clair Rumball

Alfred Veale

Clive Porteous

G.T. McNeil

J. Stuart Thompson

William Bertrand

Stephen Magnacca

Charles Unicume

Franklin Williamson

P.J. Harwood

Donn Mitchell

David Brownridge

George Mutter

J.E. Matthews

Mary Waddell

Alfred James Eamer

Herbert Stuart

Curly MacKay

Betty Gibson

Louisa Eagle

**Ewart Murray** 

Marion Doig

Arthur Gordon Buckingham

Ernest Christie Whitehead

**Daniel Cristall** 

Gordon Sefton

Robert Brockway

H.O. McDiarmid

Glen Fowler

Arthur Augustus Harris

James Munro

Thomas Stark

Howard B. Smith

Reginald Edward Unicume

Elwood Gorrie

James "Skip" McFarlane Mitchell

Turk Broda

Henry Neudorf

John Boyd Craig

Walter Dinsdale

A.B. Knowlton

John R. Brodie

Walter Shillinglaw

Zena Hurst

H. Vincent Kidd

People's Market Place

Perkins Family Restaurant

Pizza Hut

Pizza Place

Planet KIA

Ponderosa Steak House

**Pool Packers** 

The Porteous Manufacturing Company

Princess Auto Ltd.

Princess Park Apartments

**Princess Towers Apartments** 

**Provincial Building** 

Federal Building

Pue's Interior Furnishings Ltd.

Quality Groceteria

Queen's Court

Queen Elizabeth Park

Ravenscourt Apartments

R.C.A.F. No. 2 Manning Depot

R.C.A.F. No. 12 Service Flying Training School

**Brandon Rec Centre** 

Red Cross Drug Store

Rehab Industries of Western Manitoba

Reliance Machine and Motor Company

Rendering Plant

Ressor's Jewellery Store

Richmond Gardens Apartments Ltd.

Richmond Shoe Store

Ricki's Ladies' Ready to Wear Store

The Ricksha Restaurant

Rideau Park

Rideau Park Personal Care Home

Ritz Cafe

Riverbank Discovery Centre

Riverheights Terrace

Riverview Curling Club

Robins Donuts

Rosenman's Furniture

Royal Canadian Legion Brandon Branch No. 3

Royal Canadian Legion Wheat City Branch No. 247

**RCMP** 

Safety Service Station

Don Gamble

Sander's Drug Store

Wellman's Drug Store

Scotia Towers

Scott Fruit Company

Security Building

Seniors for Seniors

Tony's Shamrock Lunch

Vic Sharpe

Shaver's Furs Ltd.

Simpson Sears/Sears Canada

Shoppers Mall Brandon

Brandon and Distric Shriner's Club

Shur-Gro Farm Services Ltd.

Simplot Canada Ltd.

Koch Fertilizer Canada

Thomas Sinclair

Sixteenth Street Beach

John E. Smith Block

Smith & Burton

Smith Carter Searle Associates

Smith's Lumber Ltd.

Smith's Tobacco Shop

Smitty's Restaurant

Snye Bridge/Snye River

Sokol Hall

Sokol Manor

Somerville & Co.

Soo's Chop Suey House

South End Community Centre

Spin Well Woolen Mills Co. Ltd.

Sportsplex

Harold Spratling

The Spruce Woods Housing Cooperative Ltd.

Stanley Park

West End Park

Stan's IGA/Stan's Fine Foods

Staples Business Depot

O. Stark & Son

Steel Store

Strand Theatre

Strathcona Apartments

Isaiah Strome

Stuarts News & Cigar Store

Lawrence Stuckey

Suburban Restaurant

Sun Cafe

The Sun Printing Company

Superstore

Super Thrifty Drugs

Sykes Slide

Ted Hill's Meat Market

MTS

Texaco-Lone Star Service Station

Allen Theatre

Bijou Theatre

Capital Theatre

Landmark Cinema

Empire Theatre

Green Acres Drive-In Theatre

Lucky Star Drive-In Theatre

Oak Theatre

Orpheum Theatre

Palace Theatre

**Princess Theatre** 

Sherman Theatre

Starland Theatre

Town Cinema

Willis Theatre

The Avenue Groceteria

The Fun Shop

Thomas Mall

**Thompson Grocery** 

Train Drive-In & Dairy Bar

Trans-Canada Highway

Travellers Day Parade

**Trotter & Trotter** 

Tuberculosis Act

United Commercial Travellers of America

UCT

United Grill

**United Cafe** 

United Pacific Company Ltd.

United Services Recreation Centre

**Upton Apartments** 

Valleyview Subdivision

Velvet Dip

Venice House Restaurant

Victoria Curling Club

Victoria Rink

Victory Cafe

The Vogue

Waddell's Children's Store

Wade & Sons Ltd.

Wally Byam Caravan Club International

Watt's Men's Wear

Welder Supplies Ltd.

Wendy's Restaurant

West End Community Centre

Westbran Stadium

Neil Andrews Field

Western cooperative Fertilizers Ltd.

Western Concrete Products Ltd.

Western Grocers Ltd.

Western Manitoba Centennial Auditorium

Western Medical Clinic

Western Motors Ltd.

Westman Communications Group

Westman Media Cooperative

Westman Kiwanis Courts

Westoba Credit Union

Wheat City Arena

Winter Fair Building

Wheat City Business College

Wheat City Curling Club

Wheat City Motors

Whyte's Pantry Grocery

White Rose Service Station

Willingdon Apartments

Willson Stationery Company

Wilton Motors Ltd.

Winnipeg House

F.W. Woolworth Store

Wright & Wightman

Yaeger's Furs

YMCA

YWCA

Zenith Paving Ltd.

Zeller's

Zink's Grocery

First Baptist Church

**Bethel Temple** 

Pentecostal Tabernacle

Bethel Christian Assembly

McDiarmid Drive Alliance Church

Calvary Temple

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church

St. Paul's United Church

Central United Church

First Church of Christ Scientist

Church of the Nazarene

First Christian Reformed Church

First Church United

First Methodist Church

Methodist Church

First Presbyterian Church

Full Gospel Church

Four Square Gospel Church

Grace Lutheran Church

Grace Mennonite Church

Grand Valley Community Church

Jewish Synagogue

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah Witnesses

**Knox United Church** 

Knox Presbyterian Church

First Lutheran Church

Lutheran Redeemer Church

Madison Crescent Baptist Church

Mennonite Mission Church

Mevlana Canadian Heritage Islam Society

Richmond Park Mennonite Brethren Church

Saint Andrews Presbyterian Church

St. Augustine's Church

St. George's Anglican Church

St. Hedwig's Catholic Church

St. Joseph's Polish National Catholic Church

St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church

St. Matthew's Cathedral

The Salvation Army

**Brandon Citadel Corps** 

Eventide Home

**Bullock-Booth Home** 

Dinsdale Personal Care Home

St. Mary's Anglican Church

Southminster Presbyterian Church

Trinity United Church

Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Holy Ghost

Victoria Avenue Methodist Church

Brandon General Hospital

Assiniboine Hospital

Brandon Regional Health Centre

Brandon Regional Health Authority

A4 Military Training Camp

Fort Brandon Barracks

Brandon Mental Health Centre (BMHC)

Child & Adolescent Treatment Centre

Albion Hotel

American House

Arlington Hotel

Barney's Motel

Beaubier House

**Beaubier Hotel** 

Mr. Bee's Inn

Best Western Brandon Inn

Brandon Hotel

Brandon House

Brunswick House

Canad Inns

Canadian Inn

Knights Inn

Casa Blanca Motel

Cecil Hotel

Chalet Inn Motel

Central Hotel

Chester House

City Hotel

Coachman Inn Motel

City Centre Hotel

Colonial Inn

Comfort Inn Motel

Journey's End Motel

Crystal Hotel

Crystal's Grand View Hotel

Days Inn

Douglas House

**Empire Hotel** 

Edie House

**Grand Central Hotel** 

**Grand Union Hotel** 

Harris House

Highland Park Motor Lodge

Hillcrest Motel

Imperial Hotel

Kelly House

King Edward Hotel

Keystone Motor Inn

Lakeview Inn & Suites

Lamp Lighter Motor Lodge

Lambton House

Langham Hotel

Little Chalet Inn Motel

Merchant's Hotel

Midway Motel

Motel Rambler

Motel 6

New Pacific Hotel

Nite Rest Cabins

North Hill Motel

Ottawa Hotel

Ontario House

One & Ten Motel

Pacific Hotel

Palace Hotel

Prince Edward Hotel

Queens Hotel

Ramada Inn

Red Oak Inn

Redwood Inn

Redwood Motor Inn

Redwood Travelodge

Reno Hotel

Rodeway Inn Motel

Roseland Hotel

Royal Arms Hotel

Royal George Hotel

Royal Hotel

Royal Oak Inn

The Scotsman Motel

Shore House

Star & Garter Hotel

Sunset Motel

Starlight Motel

Super 6 Motel

Super 8 Motel

Trails West Motor Inn

Transit House

Travelodge

Twin Pines Motel

Victorial Hotel

Victoria Inn

Western Motel

Wheat City Hotel

Windsor Hotel

G.W. Alexander

E.G. Wiswell

John Richards

Thomas Hudson

John Melhuish

Alexander Mowat

George Bain

Jack Carey

**Edward Polnick** 

**Gary Winters** 

Rick Gregoire

**Brent Dane** 

Archibald McMillan

Peter Duncan

Jack Foster

Watson Boyd

E.G. Berry

Joseph Robert Hardy

Charlie Goucher

Harry Bernard Everett

John Little

Harry Collister

Roger Hines

David McNamee

Ken Elliott

Keith Buizer

**Brian Scott** 

Dick Scott

Richard Bruce

Harley Bryson

Keith Atkinson

lan Grant

City Hall

Brandon City Council

City of Brandon

**Brandon Cemetery** 

Brandon School Board

**Brandon School Division** 

Alexandra School

Assiniboine Community College

Assiniboine School

Betty Gibson School

Brandon Collegiate Institute (BCI)

Central School

Crocus Plains Regional Secondary School

David Livingstone School

Earl Haig School

Earl Oxford School

East Ward School

Fleming School

George Fitton School

Green Acres School

Harrison High School

Harrison Middle School

Christian Heritage School

Indian Industrial School

Indian Residential School

King George School

Kirkcaldy Heights School

Linden Lanes School

Lions School

McLaren School

Meadows Elementary School

Neelin High School

New Era School

**Brandon Normal School** 

Brandon Agricultural & Homemaking School

Agricultural Extension Centre

North Ward School

Park School

J.R. Reid School

Riverheights School

Riverview Elementary School

Sacred Heart School

St. Augustine's School

St. Joseph's Academy

St. Michael's Convent

St. Michael's Academy

Technical School

Valleyview Centennial School

Subject Access:

Vincent Massey High School Dominion Exhibition Brandon (1913) Waverly School armouries West Ward School bakeries Brandon College bowling allays

bowling alleys Brandon University

breweries Brandon Generating Station

bricks Brandon Quota Club

brickyards Polish Gymnastic Association Sokol

bridges Sokol Buildings

bus transportation

Canada's centennial

circuses

creameries

dairies

druggists

drug stores

Grain elevators

fairs

exhibitions

Flour mills

funeral homes

funeral chapels

gasoline

garbage dumps

landfills

recycling

Transportation

houses

ice houses

ice wagons

IGA stores

grocery stores

infantile paralysis

polio

laundries

manufactured gas

street names

natural gas

newspapers

public utilities

Brandon General Strike

hydro

police department

parking

parking meters

population

post offices

prohibition

alcohol regulations

rationing

roller rinks

skate board parks

floods

telephone services

theatres

highways

Housing

waterworks

sewers

weather

snowstorms

churches

hospitals

military hospitals

hotels

fire chiefs

fire department

police chiefs

judicial system

city boundaries

salaries

mayors

city engineers

city managers

Brandon's 75th Anniversary

Brandon's centennial

tokens

Storage Location: 2003 accessions

4-2013 with 2013 accessions

Storage Range: 2003 accessions, 2013 accessions; loose photographs from the 8-2008

accession are located in the RG 5 photograph storage drawer.



# Canadian Union of Public Employees (Brandon, Manitoba) fonds

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4826

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 22-2003, 30-1999
GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1956-1890; predominant 1964-1980

Physical Description: 5.2 m

History / Biographical:

The Canadian Union of Public Employees came into existence in September 1963, during a convention in Winnipeg when The National Union of Public Employees and the National Union of Public Service Employees merged. In 1964, the Manitoba Division of CUPE (now CUPE Manitoba) held its founding convention in The Pas. At that time, there were 12 affiliated local unions and a total membership of 1,300. The Canadian Union of Public Employees is Canada's largest union. Public service employees formed CUPE to protect their rights, to negotiate wages and working conditions, and to achieve dignity in the workplace.

#### Custodial History:

Fonds was in the possesssion of the Brandon CUPE Office until its donation to the S.J. McKee Archives in 1995.

## Scope and Content:

Fonds contains general administrative files of the CUPE including agreements, newspaper clippings, correspondence, and convention records. In addition, fonds includes records for many CUPE locals in southwestern and north-central Manitoba. These includes files for each local containing agreements, lists of officials, correspondence and financial records. An extensive body of records dating from 1956 exists for CUPE local #69. This local began its existence as the Brandon Civic Employees Federal Union formed in April 1919.

Notes: CAIN No. 202610

Subject Access: Canadian Union of Public Employees

Brandon Civic Employees Federal Union Local 69

collective bargaining public sector unions industrial relations

Storage Location: 2003 accessions
Storage Range: 2003 accessions



## Greenway fair fonds

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4711

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 35-2006

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1923, 1945-1990

Physical Description: 12.5 cm

History / Biographical:

Greenway was located seven miles east of Baldur in southwestern Manitoba. The hamlet started out as a branch point in a railway spur and took its name from Thomas Greenway, one of the early premiers of Manitoba. The Greenway Fair was held annually in Greenway until 1973, when it was moved to Baldur where better facilities were available.

## Custodial History:

The records were donated to the Archives by Glen Olmstead prior to 1997 (approximately 1990). The fonds was originally in the possession of Doris Stone.

## Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of newsclippings, a membership to the Greenway Agricultural Society, a paper napkin from the 60th Anniversary (1914-1974) of the Greenway United Church, "The History of Greenway 1889-1975", the program for the Manitoba Centennial Service 1970 held at Glenora Anglican Church, Greenway Agricultural Society prize lists from 1923, 1945-1951, 1953-1954, 1957-1990, two publications on the standards for judging foods, clothing and handicrafts at fairs and exhibitions and a copy of the program for the Greenway cairn dedication.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Storage Location: 2006 accessions Storage Range: 2006 accessions



## Chater Protestant School District fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4851

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 45-1997

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1892-1959

Physical Description: 22 cm

History / Biographical:

The Chater Protestant School District was established in 1883, with the arrival of settlers in southwestern Manitoba. In 1890, it became the Chater School District following school reform in Manitoba. The original Protestant District school was a wooden structure constructed in the village of Chater a few miles east of Brandon, Manitoba. In 1906, funds were raised for the building of a cement structure to replace the original wooden one. The Chater School District was dissolved in 1966, but the school house continued to serve as a community center until 1973, when it was demolished.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Fonds includes minutes of the School Trustees (1891-1931, 1940-1959), teaching contracts (1937-1957), financial records of the school (1939-1958), a booklet titled "The Public School Act, The Education Department Act, The School Attendance Act, The Teachers Retirement Allowances Act" (1954), and a collection of school registers (1912-13, 1915-49, 1954-55, 1957-58) from the Chater School District. Included within the minute books of the Chater School District are financial records for the "Chater Association of Patrons of Industry, charter # 3532" (1891-1895). Also included is an ink stamp reading "Chater Protestant School District, No. 181, Manitoba Canada."

Notes: CAIN No. 202640

Subject Access: Chater

Patrons of Industry
Public Schooling
Public Schools

Agrarian organizations

Storage Location: 1997 accessions Storage Range: 1997 accessions



# Margaret Menzies collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12723

Part Of: MG 4 Brandon University Students

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 13-2012

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1959-2007; predominant 1983-2001

Physical Description: 18 cm textual records

1 photograph

History / Biographical:

Margaret Menzies was born on July 30th, 1920, at a family farm located in Oakburn, Manitoba. She grew up on the family farm and attended school in both Oakburn and Shoal Lake. She married Donald Menzies on June 4th, 1941. Together they had four children. In 1959, the family moved to Brandon, Manitoba, where they lived for the rest of their lives.

Margaret Menzies was a longtime and active member of the International Toastmistress Club (ITC), and was also involved in the Consumers Association of Canada, Seniors for Seniors, as well as being a member of the Liberal Party of Canada and the Central United Church.

Menzies did not graduate from high school in her early years, but managed to continue her education and receive a bachelor of arts degree from Brandon University at the age of 70.

Margaret Menzies passed away on June 9th, 2012.

**Custodial History:** 

Records in the collection were brought to the S.J McKee Archives on July 13, 2012, by Gerald Brown, on behalf of the family of Margaret Menzies.

Scope and Content:

Collection contains of two scrapbooks created by Margaret Menzies. The scrapbooks contain various cards, itinerary's, and other documents associated with Menzies' membership in the International Toastmistress Club. The items in the scrapbooks date from the mid 1980's to the late 1990's.

Also included in the collection are four local history books. The first is a 100 year history of the town of Oakburn, Manitoba, from 1870 to 1970, published during celebrations of Manitoba's centenniary in 1970. Next is a book about the history of the town of Shoal Lake, Manitoba, which was published in 1959 on the 50th anniversary of the founding of the town of Shoal Lake in 1909. The last two books are the first and second volumes of Ripples on the Lake, which cover the history of the Shoal Lake municipality from 1884. The first volume covers the first 100 years of the history of the Shoal Lake region, being published in 1984. The second volume was published in 2007, covering the history of Shoal Lake since 1984, as well as including new information that was not published in the 1984 version of the book.

Finally, the collection contains one photograph of Margaret Menzies receiving her bachelor of arts degree from Peter Hordern, dean of arts of Brandon University.

Notes: Biographical information provided by obituary entry in the Brandon Sun,

June 16, 2012. Description by Tyler Warren (October 2012).

Name Access: Shoal Lake

Oakburn

International Toastmistress Club Urban Acres Toastmistress Club

Subject Access: women's organizations

public relations
Leadership
communication
local histories

Storage Range: 2012 accessions

Related Material: International Toastmistress Club-Land O' Lakes Region fonds (15-2002)



## Frank Robb fonds

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions5133

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 22-2007

GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1956 - c.1965

Physical Description: 0.5 cm textual records; 155 slides

History / Biographical:

Frank Robb was Assistant Secretary Treasurer for School District of Brandon No. 129 and Curator of the B.J. Hales Natural History Museum exhibition for Brandon's 75th Anniversary (1957). Robb left Brandon ca. 1969 and relocated to Minaki, Ontario.

Custodial History:

Frank Robb sent the slides to Fred McGuiness ca. 1986. McGuiness gave them to Eileen McFadden at the McKee Archives in April 1986.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of 155 slides taken by Frank Robb, an inventory for the slides prepared by Robb and a letter from Robb to Fred McGuiness regarding the slides and memories of Brandon ca. 1950s.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Name Access: Albert Hepinstall

John Bojarski Frank Robb

Doreen Walton (nee Rookes)

Lily Harrison

Subject Access: B.J. Hales Museum

Brandon 75th Anniversary Brandon Camera Club Royal Beardede Ballet

ladies' auxiliary
First United Church

School District of Brandon No. 129

flooding summer fair

T.A. Neelin High School
Vincent Massey High School

dam

Experimental farm
Bedford Drive

Souris' swinging bridge Highway No. 1 by-pass

School Teacher night classes

18th Street

Storage Location: 2007 accessions Storage Range: 2007 accessions

Arrangement:

Original order and numbering system.



## James Duncan McGregor collection

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4820

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 4-1998

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1899-1935; predominant c. 1899

Physical Description: 20 cm textual records; 51 lantern slides (measuring 22 cm x 20.5 cm); 44

photographs (41 measuring 17.5 cm x 23 cm and 3 measuring 26.5 cm x

35 cm)

History / Biographical:

J.D. McGregor was a leading agriculturist from Brandon who served as Lieutenant Governor in the province of Manitoba during the 1930's. The Hon. J.D. McGregor was born in Amherstburg, Ontario August 29, 1860. He came west with his father in 1877, and entered the horse and cattle trade. McGregor established Glencarnock Farm north of Brandon and created one of the finest Aberdeen-Angus cattle herds in North America. In 1912 and 1913, his cattle (Glencarnock Victor and Glencarnock Victor II) were selected Grand Champions at the Chicago International. McGregor was a Liberal in politics with close ties to Clifford Sifton. From 1897-99, he served as mines inspector in the Klondike during the gold rush in that region. He also served as Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba from 1929-1934. James Duncan McGregor died March 15, 1935.

### Custodial History:

This collection was donated to Brandon University in 1971 by McGregor's daughter Mrs. E.C. Harte. The collection was accessioned in 1998 by the McKee Archives.

### Scope and Content:

Collection consists of photos and slides, principally of the Klondike during the gold rush era (1897-1902); Government House seating plans and speeches from a wide variety of events (1912-1934); correspondence of McGregor's, primarily from his time as Lieutenant Governor (1912-1934); a (23.75 oz.) gold bag; a state publication "Instructions for Lieutenant Governors;" documents pertaining to the history of the Manitoba Winter Fair; and documents dealing with the early career of Winston Churchill.

Notes: CAIN No. 202634 Subject Access: Winston Churchill

Soapy Smith

L.T. Floyd

Manitoba Winter Fair Government House

Manitoba

Klondike gold rush Lieutenant Governor

Livestock

Storage Location: 1998 accessions
Storage Range: 1998 accessions



## Janet Louisa May More collection

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4858

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 2-2003

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1921-1947

Physical Description: 10 cm

History / Biographical:

Janet Louisa May More was born on the family homestead south of Hartney, Manitoba in 1896. She attended Chain Lakes School and Hartney High School prior to completing Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Education degrees at the University of Manitoba. Following her graduation, More taught in various Manitoba schools for fifty years. In addition, she was a member of the Manitoba Education Association, the Manitoba Library Association, the Turtle Mountain Teachers' Association (of which she was the first President), and the Manitoba Teachers' Society, which nominated her for a Life Mmembership. Janet Louisa May More retired in 1967, and resided in Winnipeg, Manitoba until her death.

Additional biographical information for Janet Louisa May More can be found in her profile as a "Memorable Manitoban" on the Manitoba Historical Society website (http://www.mhs.mb.ca/docs/people/more jlm.shtml).

### Custodial History:

Materials passed into the hands of Gerald Brown who donated them to the McKee Archives.

#### Scope and Content:

Collection contains curriculum materials related to the study and teaching of Chemistry, Algebra, Geometry, Mathematics, English and French language studies in Manitoba dating mostly from the 1940s. Collection also contains Christmas concert and dramatic materials; notes from the Manitoba Fine Arts Committee (April 1939); and notes concerning the Manitoba Camera Club, the Manitoba Drama League, Manitoba Society of Artists, Manitoba Adult Education Association, Winnipeg Sketch Club and the Manitoba Handicraft Guild.

Notes: CAIN No. 202568

Subject Access: Janet Louisa May More

Manitoba Fine Arts Committee
Adult Education Association

Winnipeg Sketch Club

Manitoba Drama League

Manitoba Society of Artists

Manitoba Society of Artists

Manitoba camera Club

public education

curriculum

fine arts

adult education

Storage Location: 2003 accessions
Storage Range: 2003 accessions



## Ward Watson collection

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4821

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 36-1997

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1935-1938

Physical Description: 2 cm

History / Biographical:

Ward Watson was born in Brandon, Manitoba and attended Brandon Collegiate Institute in the late 1930's. In 1937, he was chosen out of the student body to attend the Coronation of King George VI in London, England. Watson graduated from the University of Manitoba in 1942. Until his retirement, Watson was an executive with Cargill Grain Company.

### Custodial History:

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

### Scope and Content:

Collection contains yearbooks from Brandon Collegiate Institute - "The New Era" - for the years 1935 to 1938. The yearbooks include enrollment lists, pictures of classes and sports teams, short essays, editorial gossip, and local advertisments.

Notes: CAIN No. 202630

Subject Access: Brandon Collegiate

The New Era
Brandon
Coronation
high school

Storage Location: 1997 accessions Storage Range: 1997 accessions



## Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4857

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 2-1998; 3-2001

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1904-1993; predominant 1960-1970

Physical Description: 1.2 m

History / Biographical:

The Brandon Art Club was founded in November 1907, and operated in an art studio on the top floor of the Brandon College Women's Residence. The club appears to have been the creation of Miss. H. Hancock, who became the Director of the Department of Art at Brandon College c. 1907. The club moved to larger facilities made available at the First Methodist Church; the organization remained there until sometime during the Great War when the club relocated to St. Paul's Presbyterian Church and then in 1921, to the Prince Edward Hotel. The club's first public art exhibitions were held at the Prince Edward Hotel. Art classes were held for the first time in 1928. In 1968, the Brandon Art Club merged with the Allied Arts Center, which had been formed in 1959. The Allied Arts Center was located at 1036 Louise Avenue. In April 1984, the Allied Arts Center was moved to new facilities at the Arts Center of Western Manitoba located at 638 Princess Avenue. In 1989, it was renamed the Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba, and began to function as a "professional, regional art gallery." The Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba relocated to 2-710 Rosser Ave. c. 2001.

### Custodial History:

These records were created at different times between 1907 and 1993, and remained in the possession of the administration of the above mentioned organizations until May 2001, when they where donated to the McKee Archives.

#### Scope and Content:

Fonds contains administrative records, minutes, personal files, correspondence, newsletters, photographs, summaries of collections and exhibits, scrapbooks, programs, submitted papers, and other miscellaneous records. All are a record of the growth and evolution of the Art Club, its administration, and of the art community in Brandon.

Notes: CAIN No. 202584
Subject Access: H. Hancock

Brandon Allied Arts Council

Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba

**Brandon College** 

Storage Location: 1998 accessions
Storage Range: 1998 accessions

Related Material: The A.E. McKenzie Company fonds (RG 3 MG 1, 1.3) located in the

McKee Archives contains some records, primarily correspondence and

minutes, relating to the Brandon Allied Arts Council.



# Gerry Beaubier collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13541

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 11-2013

GMD: electronic records

Date Range: 1916-1917

Physical Description: 35 digital photographs

Material Details: JPEGs

History / Biographical:

Gerry Beaubier was born in Wainwright, Alberta to Beatty and Babe Beaubier. He completed his high school in Saskatoon, before receiving a BSc in Geography from Brandon University.

Before attending university Gerry served in the army as a special reserve, while working as a night clerk at the Bessbourough Hotel in Saskatoon. His post-graduate career consisted primarily of work for Canada Agriculture, under the PFRA Branch (Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration). Later he would work as an Executive Manager, helping develop forage and range management programs for several post secondary schools, including, Assiniboine Community College, as well as schools in Red Deer, Lethbridge, and Saskatoon.

Gerry Beaubier married Joyce Abercrombie, of Saskatoon. Together they had two sons: Neil and Dean. Neil, an Account Advisor for the Royal Bank, was born in Regina, and currently works in Swift Current. Dean was born in Swift Current, received his PhD in Education and currently lives in Forrest working at Elton Collegiate.

The Beaubiers, who were originally from Ireland, emigrated to the Canadian West, making Gerry part of the fourth generation of his family to call the region home. His great-grandfather, along with his grandfather and great uncle were amongst the first one hundred settlers in Brandon. Together they first built the Beaubier House, a boarding house for early settlers and travellers. After it burnt down they began construction on the Beaubier Hotel, which stood at the corner of 8th Street and Princess Avenue in Brandon until August 17th, 2008. His grandfather, David Wilson Beaubier, continued to build and operate hotels throughout the prairies, including the Empire Hotels (of Brandon and Saskatoon) and The Park (Moose Jaw).

David Wilson Beaubier served as a secretary of the Orange Lodge of Manitoba. As an Orange Lodge Colonel, he worked with other Orange Lodge members, to recruit throughout the prairies for the purpose of World War One. For his efforts, David was promoted to Leftenant Colonel, and later Captain of the 99th Manitoba Rangers. David's sons (Gerry's father, at University of Manitoba, and uncle at McGill), were both working towards undergraduate degrees when war broke out in 1914, and each would leave school to join their father at Camp Hughes.

Custodial History:

Gerry Beaubier collected these photos primarily in the years 2000-2011, largely from family and friends who knew of his interest in the topic. They were donated to the S.J. Mckee Archives in 2011.

#### Scope and Content:

Collection consists of digital photographs of those who trained for battle in World War I at Camp Hughes and in Brandon, Manitoba. It also includes a digital copy of the cover of the Nominal Roll of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, who departed from Brandon in 1917.

The photos, taken primarily at Camp Hughes, are of a number of battalions, including the 34th, 100th, 108th, 181st and 214th. The photo, PT in England, is a postcard sent home from Beaty Beaubier. The Massey Harris building seen on the right side of, WW1 B parade0001, was used to house troops throughout the war. The man standing alone at the front of the parade in, 181 Parade, is David Wilson Beaubier.

Notes: Information for the biographical and custodial histories was provided by

Gerry Beaubier on September 25, 2013. Description by Dustin Lane

(October 2013).

Name Access: Gerald Beaubier

Gerry Beaubier

Beaubier family

Camp Hughes

Brandon, MB

Lieut. D. Slemin

Capt. C. Smith

Capt. J. Strong

Capt. Ridgeway

Lieut. W. Smith

Lieut. T. Williams

Lieut. H. Craig

Capt. S.R. Wallace

Lieut. D.H. Beaubier

David Wilson Beaubier

Capt. E.L. Abbott

Major E.R.C. Wilcox

Major N.F. McCahey

Lt.-Col. Sutherland

Lt.-Col. Foster

Major Lawless

Major Collier

Capt. J.D. Young

Capt. A.E. Vanderpump

Capt. J.E. West

Capt. Munro

Lieut. Watson

Lieut. Johnstone

Lieut. McIntosh

Lieut. Cherry

Lieut. Bryan

Lieut. J.L. Evans

Lieut. J. Kavanaugh

Lieut. I. Vipond

Capt. Rutherford

Lieut. Cluff

Capt. Maples

Lieut. Lane

Lieut. E.C. Whitehead

Lieut. R. Carleton

Lieut. B.F. Beaubier

Fincher

Lieut. Beaver

Lieut. McCool

Lieut. A.P. Milk

Lieut. Joseph Hardy

Lieut. K. Spencer

Lieut. J. Faulkner

Lieut. F. Keall

181st Battalion

181st Brandon Overseas Battalion Band

A. Gov. Lines 108th

No. 13 Platoon 108th Battalion

184th Battalion

34th Fort Garry

100th Battalion

214th Battalion

108th Signallers

Stretcher Bearer Section 108th

Machine Gun Section 108th Battalion

181st Brandon Overseas Battalion

Subject Access: armed forces

military personnel

barracks

public ceremonies

downtown
historic sites
railroads

military services

parades

regional parks
passenger trains

Veterans

railway stations train stations restaurants food services

war

World War I World War One First World War The Great War

Storage Location: T: drive/shared 02/web photos



# 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

Storage Location: Reference Annual 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.



## Manitoba Genealogical Society fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4814

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 9-1998

GMD: textual records

Date Range: c.1880 to c.1980

Physical Description: 30 cm

History / Biographical:

The Southwest Branch of the Manitoba Genealogical Society was established in 1978. The Branch was formed following a meeting with members of the Manitoba Genealogical Association formed in 1977. The organization was created to assist individuals interested in doing genealogical research through the provision of genealogical data and archival resources. Since its creation the Southwest Branch has also issued a newletter and published a series of cenusus summaries based on the 1901 Canadian census.

### Custodial History:

These records were donated to the McKee archives in 1990 by J.D. Wall on behalf of the Southwest Branch of the Manitoba Genealogical Society.

### Scope and Content:

Fonds includes transcripts of the records transcribed from cemetery headstones located in cemeteries throughout southwestern Manitoba. Each transcript includes details about the cemetery records and all details including names, dates, and inscriptions from each headstone. The collection includes a "Cemetery Transcript List" detailing those cemeteries for which transcripts exist. Transcripts include those for the following cemeteries: Alexander, Birdtail Sioux Indian Reserve, Blenheim Church, Glencoe, Boissevain, Brandon, Brandon Hills Church Cemetery, Brookdale, Carberry District, Coultervale, Elgin, Elkhorn, Humesville, Lauder, Kerfoot (Gregg Cemetery), Icelandic Gravesite (Tilston), History of Kingsley Cemetery near Somerset, Madford Cemetery, Old Medora Cemetery, Melgund, Millford Cemetery, Noble Cemetery, Methven, Millord Cemetery, Roseville Anglican Church Cemetery, St. Savior's Anglican Church, St. George's Anglican Church, Rounthwaite, Souris (Glenwood Cemetery), Skalholt, Wellwood, Woodville (Lund, Kola, Bennett, Two Creeks), Patterson (near Nesbitt), Sparling (near Justice), Tilston (near Sinclair), Royal Canadian Air Force Memorial (20 miles north of Rivers).

Notes: CAIN No. 202662 Subject Access: cemetary records

> Genealogy Brandon

Manitoba

Storage Location: 1998 accessions
Storage Range: 1998 accessions



# Audrey Silvius collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4841

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 21-2000

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1959-1988; predominant 1963-1974

Physical Description: 19 cm textual records; 4 photographs; 1 drawing

History / Biographical:

Born on February 10, 1924, in Elgin, Manitoba, Audrey Ellen Silvius (nee Honeyman) was raised in Fairfax, Manitoba on the Honeyman homestead. In 1964, she received her Indian name, Blue Star. Silvius completed her high school education in Fairfax before moving to Winnipeg in 1943, to earn her Nursing degree from Grace Hospital. She later completed her post-graduate degree in Psychiatric Nursing at the Brandon Mental Health Centre. Married to Merritt W. Silvius, Audrey Silvius raised four children, David, Kay, Lorna (Downie) and Gail (Campos) while working in her chosen field. In addition to her family and her career, she was also involved with the Brandon Council of Women and the United Church in Brandon. Silvius was the first executive director of the Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre, a founding member of the local branches of the Marquis Project and Amnesty International and initiated a project called Tools for Peace. She was also involved in various other peace and human rights organizations. In 1987, she received the Order of the Buffalo Hunt from the Province of Manitoba in recognition of her work relating to women's issues. In 1992, she was awarded a Confederation medal for community service.

### Custodial History:

The records found within the collection were collected by Audrey Silvius from a number of people, including Jean Halliday, Grace Godmaire and Norma Walmsley, involved in various projects with her throughout the years. Prior to their donation to the McKee Archives at Brandon University in October and November 2000, the records were stored at Mrs. Silvius' home.

## Scope and Content:

Collection consists of meeting minutes, agendas, speeches, correspondence, newsletters, brochures, written publications and newspaper clippings. Four photographs and one pencil drawing are also included within the collection.

The records deal with the creation, activities, and history of the Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre, as well as the activities of its Board of Directors. In addition, materials located within the collection can be divided into two areas: (1) those that relate to various organizations associated with the Friendship Centre itself, such as the Council of Christians and Jews and the Brandon Council of Women; (2) materials related to projects of important individuals involved with the Friendship Centre, such as the South Western Manitoba Recreation Council and the 4F Club of Minnedosa. Other records deal with general aboriginal issues in Canada during the time frame of the Audrey Silvius collection.

Notes: CAIN No. 202607. Description by Christy Henry (2000).

Subject Access: Council of Christians and Jews

Brandon Council of Women

4F Club

Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre

cross cultural relations
Aboriginal issues

community development

Storage Location: 2000 accessions
Storage Range: 2000 accessions

#### Arrangement:

The collection is divided into ten (10) series:

- 1. The Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre
- 2. The Scout Friendship Centre newsletter
- 3. The Brandon Council of Women
- 4. Council of Christians and Jews
- 5. Aboriginal Glee Club/Dancers
- 6. The South Western Manitoba Recreation Council
- 7. 4F Club of Minnedosa
- 8. Miscellaneous Publications related to Aboriginal Issues
- 9. Miscellaneous Newspaper Clippings related to Aboriginal Issues
- 10. Photographs and pencil drawing



# 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: 1.2 m of textual records;

c. 2700 photographs -- Primarily black and white;

c. 42,500 stamps

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 materials.

Finding Aid: A copy of the photograph inventory is in the blue binder on the reference

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).

### Arrangement:

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



## Griswold School District fonds

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4856

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 13-1997

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1907-1943

Physical Description: 2 cm

History / Biographical:

The Griswold Protestant School District was established on September 9, 1885, to provide schooling for children residents in the village of Griswold and the surrounding countryside. It became the Griswold School District following school reform in Manitoba in 1890. The District existed until the early 1960s, when it was incorporated first into Brandon School Division #40 and subsequently into Division #41 (La Bosse). The Griswold School was still in operation in 1967. The building is now used as a community center.

### Custodial History:

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

### Scope and Content:

The single minute book in this fonds contains minutes on meetings held by the Griswold School District, in Griswold, Manitoba from 1907 to 1943. The minutes deal with questions related to teacher hiring and general administration in the school district.

Notes: CAIN No. 202588

Subject Access: La Bosse School Division

**Brandon School Division** 

Rural schooling

Storage Location: 1997 accessions
Storage Range: 1997 accessions



## Brandon Golf and Country Club fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4846

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 11-1998

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1914-1948

Physical Description: 6 cm

History / Biographical:

The Brandon Golf and Country Club was created in 1914, to serve the recreational needs of Brandon's social and economic elite. Leading Brandon politicians, professionals, and businessmen belonged to the club and served on its executive. The club was a place for Brandon's elite to play golf and socialize, and was affiliated with the Royal Canadian Golf Association. The club included a separate Verandah Club composed of women. In 1926, the Brandon Golf and Country Club became a member of the Canadian Ladies Golf Union. The club sponsored dances and dinners for its members. Strict policies for non-members were enforced. Brandon residents that were not members of the club could only play golf once a week, had to pay daily green fees, and had to be invited and accompanied by a member.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of one scrapbook that runs from 1914-1948. The scrapbook contains minutes from director and shareholder meetings, as well as notices of upcoming meetings. There are also secretary and treasurer reports included in the scrapbook. Finally, there are a few newspaper clippings dealing with the club included in the scrapbook.

Notes: CAIN No. 202579

Subject Access: Brandon Golf and Country Club

Verandah Club men's clubs country clubs

Storage Location: 1998 accessions
Storage Range: 1998 accessions



## 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:

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 questionnaires about the Women's Musical Club.

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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

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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

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