

# S. J. McKee Archives



# City Hall and YMCA viewbook postcard

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13885

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection	
Creator:	Printed by Photogelatine Engraving Co. Ltd., Ottawa	
Description Level:	ltem	
Series Number:	McG 9	
Item Number:	20-2009.195	
Accession Number:	20-2009	
GMD:	graphic	
Date Range:	1920s	
Physical Description:	3.5" x 5.5" (b/w)	
Material Details:	postcard	

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows two separate views. One is of the main entrance of (Old) City Hall on Princess Avenue. The other view shows the ediface of the YMCA building as well as the adjacent St. Paul's United and First United Churches on 8th Street.

Notes:	Part of "Souvenir of Brandon, Manitoba, Canada [viewbook], Printed by Photogelatine Engraving Co. Limited, Ottawa." Dates obtained from the Burchill's Music Store Henderson's Brandon City Directory listings (1927- 1929). Writing on the front of the photograph reads: City Hall - Brandon, Man; YMCA, St. Paul's United & First Church United, Brandon, Man.
Name Access:	YMCA
	St. Paul's United Church
	First United Church
	City Hall
	Old City Hall
	8th Street
Subject Access:	Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940
	churches
	building exteriors
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)
Arrangement:	
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From 20-2009 photos





### Brandon train station

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14273

Part Of:	Joseph H. Hughes collection
Creator:	Photographer: Frank Gowen
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	3-1997.1
Item Number:	3-1997.1.75
Accession Number:	3-1997
Other Numbers:	Hughes #71
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	[1905-1911]
Physical Description:	9.5" x 7.5" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph is stained

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a CPR passenger trains at the old Brandon train station. Carts/trolleys appear to be loaded with wooden crates and metal milk containers. Photograph was likely taken from the 8th Street Bridge. The ramp to the 8th Street Bridge can be seen on the ride of the photograph, where residences line Assiniboine Avenue.

Name Access:	Assiniboine Avenue - Early Scene
	8th Street Bridge
Subject Access:	residences
	building exteriors
	residential streets
	railway stations
	railroads
Storage Location:	Hughes oversize drawer





# Wright & Wright, Brandon

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13949

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	1-2015.21
Accession Number:	1-2015
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1882
Physical Description:	5" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details:	reproduction

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows four men posing in front of a wood-framed shop on 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. The men are wearing three-piece suits or vests and long-sleeved shirts. A painted sign above the shop reads: Wright & Wright, Hamilton Stove & Tin Store. Hanging from the exterior walls are various tin items for sale: lantern, ladel, dust pan, pots and pans.

Notes:	Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Corner of 8th & Rosser. Photograph is stamped Public Archives Canada.
Name Access:	8th Street
	Rosser Avenue
Subject Access:	Pioneers
	store exteriors
	Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)
Related Material:	LAC, Mikan 3194057
Arrangement:	

See McG 4.1 File 51 William R. Morrison correspondence dated 14 January 1985

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# Interior of Cafe Aagaard

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http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13732

Part Of:

Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level:

Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.42
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	[1903-1923]
Physical Description:	5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)
Material Details:	postcard
History /	

Biographical:

Opened 1903. Closed 1923. Building became the Oak Theatre ca. 1930. Reopened as Towne Cinema ca. 1980 after being closed for many years. The building has since been demolished.

Scope and Content:

Postcard shows the interior of the lunch counter and cashier register at Cafe Aagaard located at 29-8th Street Brandon.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Lunch Counter Cafe Aagaard, 29 Eigth St., Brandon, Man. The back of the postcard reads: Cafe Aagaard, Largest, Oldest and Best in Brandon. The postcard is addressed to Mrs. K.L. McGregor, 157-4th St.
Name Access:	Aagaard's
	Cafe Aagaard
	8th Street
Subject Access:	restaurants
	lunch counters
	building interiors
	store interiors
	restaurant interiors
	cafes
	Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)
Related Material:	Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1E9

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Rosser Avenue, north side 900 block http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13799



Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.108
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1882
Physical Description:	7.25" x 4.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	On matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph has pen markings and publishing mark-up notes on front and back of matting

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the north side of the 900-block of Rosser Avenue, facing west from 9th Street. All the shops appear to be woodframed buildings; the sidewalk has yet to be installed and wooden planks have been laid down in front of the shops. Visible storefronts include: (left to right): Leask & Rose, general merchants (at the 11th Street intersect); Fortier & Bucke - Manufacturers' Agents and CPR Express Co.; The New Era - real estate office; Imperial Bank of Canada; Durand & Macdonald Law Office, T.D. McLean - jeweller; Deacon & Hooper - grocers; and J. Barker Vosburgh - Surgeon & Dentist. The building in the foreground has Rosser Avenue and 9th Street street signs affixed above the entrance to the building. A chuckwagon is parked in front of Fortier & Bucke.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph reads: Brandon.

Name Access:

Rosser Avenue Leask & Rose Fortier & Bucke Commision Agents The New Era Imperial Bank of Canada T.D. McLean W.A. McDonald soliciter J. Barker Vosburgh Deacon & Hooper 9th Street

Subject Access:	Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940
	store exteriors
	street scenes
	jewellers
	jewelry stores
	jewelry stores
	signs and signboards
	grocery stores
	general stores
	banks
	surgeons
	dentists
	lawyers
	grocery trade
	hardware stores
	wagons
Storage Location:	McGuinness oversize storage drawer (1-2015)
Related Material:	Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1C18

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# A.E. McKenzie Seeds

Part Of:	RG 12 Brandon and Area Photograph Collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	2
Item Number:	BAPC 2.35
Accession Number:	3-2012
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	[between 1911 and 1913]
Physical Description:	3.5" x 5.5" (b/w)
Material Details:	Postcard
Physical Condition:	Some water damage and staining.

Custodial History:

Postcard was donated to the McKee Archives by Allen Drysdale, archivist at Beautiful Plains Archives in October 2011. Drysdale received the postcard as part of a larger donation to his archives.

Scope and Content:

Item is a colour postcard of the A.E. McKenzie Seed Company in Brandon, MB. The postcard was sent to John Dorset, Elphinstone, MB from his brother Sid (?).

Name Access:	A.E. McKenzie Co., Limited
	A.E. McKenzie Seed Company
	9th Street
Subject Access:	commercial buildings
	businesses
	downtown
Storage Location:	BAPC photograph drawer

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# A.E. McKenzie Co., Limited, Seedmen

Part Of:	RG 12 Brandon and Area Photograph Collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	2
Item Number:	BAPC 2.34
Accession Number:	17-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	c. April 8, 1912
Physical Description:	3.5" x 5.5" (b/w)

Material Details:

**Custodial History:** 

Postcard was sent to Chuck Wilson's aunt, Mrs. W.M. Wilson in Creelman, SK by the McKenzie Seed Company in 1912. Chuck Wilson found the postcard in some of his aunt's papers in 2009 and mailed it to the McKee Archives.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of a colour postcard of the McKenzie Seed Company building located on the west side of the 100 block of 9th Street. The card was sent to Mrs. W.M. Wilson of Creelman, SK to acknowledge her order.

Writing on the front of the card reads: A.E. McKenzie Co., Limited, Seedsmen, Brandon, Man

Name Access:	A.E. McKenzie Co., Limited
	A.E. McKenzie Seed Company
	9th Street
Subject Access:	commercial buildings
	businesses
	Agriculture
	downtown
Storage Location:	BAPC photograph drawer
Related Material:	RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Seed Co., Ltd. fonds

Postcard

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### Street scene 8th Street in winter

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13703

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection Description Level: McG 9 Series Number:

ltem

Item Number:	20-2009.13
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over
	time

#### History /

**Biographical:** 

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue in the winter. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio. Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton. The Imperial Hotel is visible on the west side of 8th Street. The 8th Street Bridge is visible in the background.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 338, November 1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.
Name Access:	Fleming Block
	Frank Gowen Photographer
	Liverpool House
	Hotel Imperial Annex
	8th Street
	Rosser Avenue
	Aagaard's
	R.S. Thompson
	8th Street Bridge
	Bank of Hamilton
	Imperial Hotel

Subject Access:	Street scene
	downtown
	storefronts
	store exteriors
	hotels
	boarding houses
	barber shops
	restaurants
	druggists
	photographers
	bridge
	banks
	winter
	land agents
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

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# 8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	Item
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.79
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	[1906]
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of the northeast intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are parked along the east side of 8th Street. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is standing on a soap box and is surrounded by a crowd in the middle of 8th Street. Another man can be seen standing behind a booth on the northwest street corner. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 297. One
	photograph (20-2009.80) is glued below the photograph. Another
	photograph is glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.
Name Access:	Fleming Block
	Fleming's Drug Store
	Frank Gowen Photographer
	Liverpool House
	Hotel Imperial Annex
	8th Street
	Rosser Avenue
	Aagaard's
	R.S. Thompson
	8th Street Bridge
Subject Access:	Street scene
	Transportation
	downtown
	storefronts
	store exteriors
	hotels
	boarding houses
	barber shops
	restaurants
	druggists
	photographers
	bridge
	horses
	dogs
	buggies
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)





# 8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13701

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.11
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	[1906]
Physical Description:	6.5" x 4.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are travelling on both roads. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is surrounded by a crowd adjacent to the Fleming Block, another man stands on a soap box in the middle of the intersection, while a third man is standing behind a booth. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 7th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes:

Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 296. One photograph (20-2009.12) is glued above and two others are glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access:	Fleming Block
	Fleming's Drug Store
	Frank Gowen Photographer
	Liverpool House
	Hotel Imperial Annex
	8th Street
	Rosser Avenue
	Aagaard's
	R.S. Thompson
	8th Street Bridge
Subject Access:	Street scene
	Transportation
	downtown
	storefronts
	store exteriors
	hotels
	boarding houses
	barber shops
	restaurants
	druggists
	photographers
	bridge
	horses
	dogs
	land agents
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

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# Street scene 8th Street in winter

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9

Item Number:	20-2009.14
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over
	time

#### History /

**Biographical:** 

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Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 340, after the storm November 1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.
Name Access:	Fleming Block
	Frank Gowen Photographer
	Liverpool House
	Hotel Imperial Annex
	8th Street
	Rosser Avenue
	Aagaard's
	R.S. Thompson
	8th Street Bridge
	Bank of Hamilton
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	sleighs
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	land agents
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photo

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