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## Harlem in Havana - duo

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Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.141

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

According to the website [www.harleminhavana.com](http://www.harleminhavana.com), The Harlem in Havana revue was the largest touring attraction in Royal American Shows' North American traveling carnival exhibition from 1936 to 1967. Amateur and professional performers from Harlem's Cotton Club and Havana's Tropicana Nightclub performed comedy, dance, music, and theatre routines as part of the revue.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Harlem in Havana band performing behind a pair of dancers. A man leaps over his female dance partner who is partially seated in the splits.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee  
Harlem in Havana

Subject Access: entertainers  
musical acts

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

Arrangement:

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## Harlem in Havana - troop

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14069>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.139

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

According to the website [www.harleminhavana.com](http://www.harleminhavana.com), The Harlem in Havana revue was the largest touring attraction in Royal American Shows' North American traveling carnival exhibition from 1936 to 1967. Amateur and professional performers from Harlem's Cotton Club and Havana's Tropicana Nightclub performed comedy, dance, music, and theatre routines as part of the revue.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a band and dance troop. Centre stage are a couple dressed in white.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Harlem in Havana

Subject Access: entertainers

musical acts

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

Arrangement:

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## Harlem in Havana - troop

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14073>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.143

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

### Custodial History:

According to the website [www.harleminhavana.com](http://www.harleminhavana.com), The Harlem in Havana revue was the largest touring attraction in Royal American Shows' North American traveling carnival exhibition from 1936 to 1967. Amateur and professional performers from Harlem's Cotton Club and Havana's Tropicana Nightclub performed comedy, dance, music, and theatre routines as part of the revue.

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Harlem in Havana band and dance troop. A pair of drummers are featured at centre stage.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee  
Harlem in Havana

Subject Access: entertainers  
musical acts

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

### Arrangement:

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## Harlem in Havana - soloist

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14074>



Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.144

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

According to the website [www.harleminhavana.com](http://www.harleminhavana.com), The Harlem in Havana revue was the largest touring attraction in Royal American Shows' North American traveling carnival exhibition from 1936 to 1967. Amateur and professional performers from Harlem's Cotton Club and Havana's Tropicana Nightclub performed comedy, dance, music, and theatre routines as part of the revue.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Harlem in Havana band backing up a male soloist wearing tattered clothes.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Harlem in Havana

Subject Access: entertainers

musical acts

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## Harlem in Havana - piano

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14075>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.145

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

According to the website [www.harleminhavana.com](http://www.harleminhavana.com), The Harlem in Havana revue was the largest touring attraction in Royal American Shows' North American traveling carnival exhibition from 1936 to 1967. Amateur and professional performers from Harlem's Cotton Club and Havana's Tropicana Nightclub performed comedy, dance, music, and theatre routines as part of the revue.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a musician at a keyboard while a female dancer sits atop the piano. The Harlem in Havana band is in the background.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee  
Harlem in Havana

Subject Access: entertainers  
musical acts

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

Arrangement:

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## Harlem in Havana - trio

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14076>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.146

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

According to the website [www.harleminhavana.com](http://www.harleminhavana.com), The Harlem in Havana revue was the largest touring attraction in Royal American Shows' North American traveling carnival exhibition from 1936 to 1967. Amateur and professional performers from Harlem's Cotton Club and Havana's Tropicana Nightclub performed comedy, dance, music, and theatre routines as part of the revue.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a trio of dancers at centre stage. The Harlem in Havana band is in the background.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers  
musical acts

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

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## Showgirls

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14077>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.147

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows 15 dancers wearing elaborate headdresses, bikini tops, and long skirts.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers  
musical acts

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

Arrangement:

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## Showgirls

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14078>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.148

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows 15 dancers wearing elaborate headdresses, bikini tops, and long skirts.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers  
musical acts

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

Arrangement:

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## Showgirl

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14064>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.134

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a showgirl wearing a feathered headdress and skirt.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers

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

Arrangement:

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## Showgirl "Leslie"

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14065>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.135

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a showgirl wearing a feathered headdress and wristcuffs. The woman appears to be a part of the entertainment duo Leslie and Laurence (see 1-2015.136).

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers

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

### Arrangement:

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## Entertainers Leslie & Laurence

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14066>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection  
Creator: Photographer: David Workman  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
Item Number: 1-2015.136  
Accession Number: 1-2015  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1952  
Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a tuxedoed man contorted with his leg around his head while a female looks on as she sits beside him. The pair are likely the entertainers Leslie and Laurence. The back of the photograph is stamped: Leslie and Laurence.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers

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

### Arrangement:

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## Entertainers Leslie & Laurence

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14067>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.137

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a tuxedoed man holding a woman in a dance lift. The pair are likely the entertainers Leslie and Laurence.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers

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

Arrangement:

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## Entertainers Leslie & Laurence

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14068>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.138

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a tuxedoed man holding a woman in a dance lift. The pair are likely the entertainers Leslie and Laurence.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers

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

Arrangement:

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## Glitter-encrusted dancers

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14072>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.142

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1952

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a pair of female dancers covered in glittered body paint.

Notes: Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness, Premier's Office, Parliament Building, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from Harry B. Julius, Tampa, Florida. Photographs possibly sent to McGuinness for consideration for entertainment for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee.

Name Access: Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: entertainers

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

Arrangement:

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## Roy Rogers

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14085>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.155

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [c.1955]

Physical Description: 3" x 3" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

Roy Rogers (1911-1998) was an American singer and cowboy actor. Rogers career spanned radio, television, and film.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a close-up of Roy Rogers wearing his trademark white cowboy hat and fringed western shirt.

Name Access: Roy Rogers

Subject Access: entertainers

cowboys

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

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## Earl Haig Orchestra

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14001>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9



Item Number: 1-2015.71

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1930

Physical Description: 4.25" x 2.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is stamped on the back

Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard) of Lac du Bonnet, MB.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of young students holding violins standing on the steps in front of Earl Haig School.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Edith (Harden) Lepard, Russell Scott, Phyllis Howick, Miss Brown (conductor), Orville Studen, Pete Teresko, Beth McLean, and Andy Teva. "Earl Haig Orchestra" 1930.

Name Access: Earl Haig School

Edith Harden

Subject Access: music education

musical clubs

musicians

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

Related Material: See McG 9 1-2015.72

Arrangement:

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## Earl Haig Orchestra

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14002>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.72

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1930]

Physical Description: 4.25" x 2.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is stamped on the back

### Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard) of Lac du Bonnet, MB.

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of young students holding violins standing on the lawn in front of Earl Haig School. One musician holds a trophy or plaque.

Notes: Students in this photograph are consistent with another in this collection (1-2015.71), Edith (Harden) Lepard, Russell Scott, Phyllis Howick, Orville Studen, Pete Teresko, Beth McLean, and Andy Teva.

Name Access: Earl Haig School

Edith Harden

Subject Access: music education

musical clubs

musicians

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

Related Material: See McG 1-2015.71

### Arrangement:

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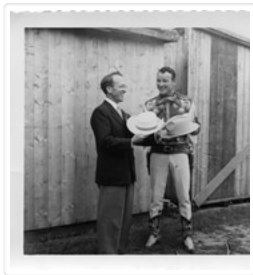
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## Roy Rogers with Tommy Douglas

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14086>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection



Description Level: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
Item Number: 1-2015.156  
Accession Number: 1-2015  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: [c.1955]  
Physical Description: 3" x 3" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

Roy Rogers (1911-1998) was an American singer and cowboy actor. Rogers' career spanned radio, television, and film.

Thomas "Tommy" Clement Douglas (1904-1986) was a Baptist minister and social democratic politician. In 1935, he became a member of parliament representing the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation (CCF). From 1944 to 1961, he served as Saskatchewan's seventh premier whose CCF party introduced the universal health care program. In 1961 Douglas returned to federal politics, where he served as the leader of the New Democratic Party (NDP). He remained in federal politics until 1979.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Tommy Douglas and Roy Rogers smiling together and holding cowboy hats.

Name Access: Roy Rogers  
Tommy Douglas  
Subject Access: entertainers  
cowboys  
hats  
politicians & civil servants  
Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)  
Related Material: City of Toronto Archives Fonds 1257  
Arrangement:  
Cigar box photographs

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## Roy Rogers with Tommy Douglas

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14087>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.157

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [c.1955]

Physical Description: 3" x 3" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

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Thomas "Tommy" Clement Douglas (1904-1986) was a Baptist minister and social democratic politician. In 1935, he became a member of parliament representing the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation (CCF). From 1944 to 1961, he served as Saskatchewan's seventh premier whose CCF party introduced the universal health care program. In 1961 Douglas returned to federal politics, where he served as the leader of the New Democratic Party (NDP). He remained in federal politics until 1979.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Tommy Douglas and Roy Rogers smiling together and wearing cowboy hats. It appears that Douglas is presenting Douglas with a new cowboy hat.

Name Access: Roy Rogers

Tommy Douglas

Subject Access: entertainers

cowboys

hats

politicians & civil servants

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

Related Material: City of Toronto Archives Fonds 1257

Arrangement:

Cigar box photographs

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## Roy Rogers with Tommy Douglas

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14088>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.158

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [c.1955]

Physical Description: 3" x 3" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

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Name Access: Roy Rogers

Tommy Douglas

Subject Access: entertainers

cowboys

hats

politicians & civil servants

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

Related Material: City of Toronto Archives Fonds 1257

Arrangement:

Cigar box photographs

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