



## Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede - Parade Day 4

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Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection  
Creator: Photographer: Howard Heid, Medicine Hat News  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
Item Number: 1-2015.214  
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GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1962  
Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

The Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade Day was held on Thursday, July 19, 1962, at 9:30 a.m. The local newspaper reported that approximately 24,000 people were in attendance to see parade marshal Rod Ashburner leading 175 entries consisting of 90 floats, 75 horses, and 10 bands. There were 19 parade categories eligible for \$12,000 in prize money and included: junior and senior cowboys and cowgirls; fancy and Shetland ponies; sulky class open; comic, commercial, industrial and organizational floats; decorated cars; special ranch class; 4-H Clubs; and a non-competitive class.

The parade route started at Second St. and Allowance Ave., from Second St. to Ash Ave., north on Ash to First St. SE., from First St. S.E. to Fourth Ave., south to Second St. to South Railway St., south on South Railway St. to Third St., with a finish at McLeod Trail. A route map was published in the Medicine Hat News the day before the parade.

Aerial photographs of the parade were taken by Medicine Hat News photographer Howard Heid (1930-2005) from the private helicopter of John Bourn. Bourn was a pilot from Woodville, Wisconsin, who chartered his four-seater helicopter for sight-seers at exhibitions and stampedes across the county.

(Sources: Pat Currie, "Let 'Er Go!," Medicine Hat News, 19 July 1962,1; Harald Gunderson, "'Eye in the Sky' Best Parade View," Medicine Hat News, 19 July 1962,1; "Parade Starts at 9:30 Sharp," 18 July 1962)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an aerial view of the Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade route with a focus on the First Street SE. A number of gas stations and garages are visible along this route and include Texaco, Shell, Ford, and B/A. The Fraternal Order of Eagles lodge is also visible.

Notes: This photograph appeared on the front page of The Medicine Hat News (19 July 1962).

Name Access: Medicine Hat  
South Saskatchewan River

Subject Access:       parades  
                              floats  
                              aerial photography  
                              aerial views  
                              street scenes  
                              fraternal organizations  
                              garages

Repro Restriction:    Subject to Canadian Copyright Law

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

Arrangement:  
                          BR #3 Family photos

## Images

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## Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede - Parade Day 6

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Part Of:               Fred McGuinness collection

Creator:              Photographer: Howard Heid, Medicine Hat News

Description Level:    Item

Series Number:        McG 9

Item Number:          1-2015.216

Accession Number:    1-2015

GMD:                  graphic

Date Range:           1962

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

## History /

### Biographical:

The Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade Day was held on Thursday, July 19, 1962, at 9:30 a.m. The local newspaper reported that approximately 24,000 people were in attendance to see parade marshal Rod Ashburner leading 175 entries consisting of 90 floats, 75 horses, and 10 bands. There were 19 parade categories eligible for \$12,000 in prize money and included: junior and senior cowboys and cowgirls; fancy and Shetland ponies; sulky class open; comic, commercial, industrial and organizational floats; decorated cars; special ranch class; 4-H Clubs; and a non-competitive class.

The parade route started at Second St. and Allowance Ave., from Second St. to Ash Ave., north on Ash to First St. SE., from First St. S.E. to Fourth Ave., south to Second St. to South Railway St., south on South Railway St. to Third St., with a finish at McLeod Trail. A route map was published in the Medicine Hat News the day before the parade.

Aerial photographs of the parade were taken by Medicine Hat News photographer Howard Heid (1930-2005) from the private helicopter of John Bourn. Bourn was a pilot from Woodville, Wisconsin, who chartered his four-seater helicopter for sight-seers at exhibitions and stampedes across the county.

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### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an aerial view of the Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade route with a focus on the First Street SE and and the South Railway Street merge. A number of gas stations and garages are visible along this route and include Texaco, Shell, Ford, and B/A. The Fraternal Order of Eagles lodge is also visible.

Notes: This photograph shows the neighbourhood before rezoning and commercial development.

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South Saskatchewan River

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