

# S. J. McKee Archives



# Laurie East interview

# http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14456

Part Of: Westman Oral History collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: OH044.Eas
Accession Number: 35-1998

GMD: sound recordings

Date Range: December 4, 1981

Physical Description: 1 audio cassette [00:09:15]

History /
Biographical:

Laurence Overton "Laurie" East was born in the municipality of Odanah on the west half of 29-13-18, on March 13, 1911. He attended Tremaine and Roseneath schools and worked on the family farm, eventually leaving school to work due to his father's ill health and then taking over the operation in 1936, after his father died. Laurie retired from farming in 1976. Laurie married Bernice McDonald (1916-2006), a teacher, on July 4, 1942. They had no children. Laurie's hobbies were music, dancing and travel; he took part in local entertainment and taught square dancing classes. He was a member of the Hunterville United Church, serving on the board and volunteering as Sunday School Superintendent or teacher. In the 1940s, Laurie was part of local commmittees to secure telephone and postal service. From 1970-1983, he was a member of Elton Municipal Council. Shortly after joining the council, Laurie was appointed as a representive to the library board; he joined representatives from Minnedosa and Minto councils, as there was support in the region for the organization and establishment of a regional library. Laurie East died on April 18, 2003 in Brandon, MB and is buried at the Rapid City Cemetery.

#### Custodial History:

As part of the Westman Oral History Collection, this collection was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 1998. The original tapes from the Westman Oral History project were deposited in the Brandon Public Library. Copies of these originals were made by Margaret Pollex of the Brandon University Language Lab at the request of Eileen McFadden, University Archivist in the early 1990s. These copies compose the collection held in the McKee Archives.

# Scope and Content:

Item is an audiocassette tape containing an interview with Laurie East about the Minnedosa Regional Library. Interviewer is Mae Johnson.

Notes: History/bio information from the records and East's obituary. Transcript

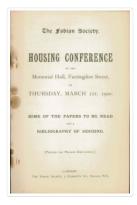
by Simon Richard (2020). Description by Christy Henry.

Language Note: English

#### **Audio Tracks**

#### Documents





# Housing conference at the Memorial Hall, Farringdon Street, March 1st, 1900

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Part Of: MG 2 2.16 Robert Dudley Howland Collection

Collection: Robert Dudley Howland Fabian Society Collection

Creator: Fabian Society (Great Britain)

Description Level: Item

Item Number: Archives 15-3-180
Item Number Range: Archives 15-3-180

Start Date: 1900 Date Range: 1900

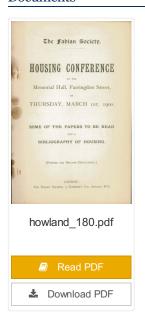
Publication: London: Fabian Society

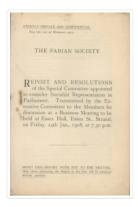
Physical Description: 36 p.; 21 cm

Notes: "Some of the papers to be read and a bibliography of housing" --cover

Subject Access: Socialism Great Britain

#### **Documents**





Report and resolutions of the Special Committee appointed to consider Socialist representation in parliament; Committee on amendments to the constitution; Fabian Society business meeting, March 8th, 1907; [Motion presented to] Fabian members' meeting January 8th [1909]

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Part Of: MG 2 2.16 Robert Dudley Howland Collection

Collection: Robert Dudley Howland Fabian Society Collection

Creator: Fabian Society (Great Britain)

Description Level: Item

Item Number: Archives 15-3-184
Item Number Range: Archives 15-3-184

Start Date: [1907-09]

Date Range: [1907-09]

Publication: London: Fabian Society

Physical Description: 5 parts; 21 cm

Subject Access: Socialism Great Britain

Storage Location: 2 copies of Fabian members' meeting Jaunary 8th [1909]
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#### **Documents**

