

S. J. McKee Archives



Images of a prairie city display

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions7983

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: Photographs by Davidson & Gowen; reproductions by Brandon

Photographics.

Description Level: Sub sub series

Series Number: 8.2.4
File Number: 2

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 21 b/w photographic prints

History / Biographical:

Images of a Prairie City was a photography display of early Brandon circa 1912. The exhibition presented images of Brandon in the years immediately prior to the Great War when the city had moved beyond a pioneer stage and taken on the features of a modern North American urban centre, boasting parks, exhibitions, paved streets, and the latest trends in architecture and transportation.

Custodial History:

These photographic images were drawn from the Alfred Fowler collection held at the S.J. McKee Archives. They were used in an exhibit entitled "Images of a Prairie City" in March 2004. The exhibit was located on The Curve Gallery in the John E. Robbins Library and curated by Christy Henry.

Scope and Content:

Consists of 21 photographic prints (in frames) used by the Archives.

Notes: Seven photographs and the information page are on display in Student

Services, McKenzie Building, Room 102. Six are on dislay in McKenzie Building, Room 117 and two are on display in McKenzie Building, Room 104. The remainder of the display is in storage at RG 6 Brandon

University fonds

Series 8: Library Services 8.2, S.J. McKee Archives. The prints stored in

the Archives should be handled with great care.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

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Wonder city of the northwest information boards

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Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: Reproductions by Brandon Photographics; mounting by Frame Ups.

Description Level: Sub sub series

Series Number: 8.2.4
File Number: 3

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 2007

Physical Description: 8 display boards (28 cm x 39 cm)

History / Biographical:

In celebration of Brandon's 125th Birthday, the McKee Archives organized the photo exhibit "Wonder City of the Northwest," on display from June 28 until the end of August 2007 in the Curve Gallery, located on the second level of BU's John E. Robbins Library. The photographs in the exhibit marked various passages in the history of Brandon from 1882 to the beginning of the Great War in 1914. A special opening for "Wonder City of the Northwest," sponsored by the President's Office, was held on Thursday, June 28 at 2:00 p.m. in the Curve Gallery.

Custodial History:

These images were selected from the collections of Lawrence Stuckey and Alfred Fowler held in the S. J. McKee Archives. The exhibit was curated by Tom Mitchell and Christy Henry.

Scope and Content:

Consists of the 8 information display boards used by the Archives for the Wonder City of the Northwest exhibit.

Notes: The actual photographic prints used in the exhibit were sold via silent

auction at the close of the exhibit in August 2007.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

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