

S. J. McKee Archives



Brandon College library - Director of library services

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4293

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: 15.2

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1957-1963

Physical Description: 13 cm

Scope and Content:

These records were created by the Director of Library Services from the year 1957 until 1963. It is mainly business correspondence and memorandums. The files include correspondence between the Director of Library Services and various people regarding the library. There are also memorandums to the faculty.

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 14: Brandon College Library

Related Material: RG 6 (Brandon University fonds), sub-series 8.1 (Director of Library

Services).



Brandon College library - accession records

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4294

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: 15.3

GMD: textual records
Date Range: 1899-1965

Scope and Content:

Sub-series consists of accession records listing the accession number, author, title, publisher, cost and "source" for each book accessioned into the Brandon College Library. It includes a total of 10 accession catalogues covering the period December 1899 - June 1965: 2 accession catalogues (12x18x5) and 8 accession catalogues (9x12x .75 cm)

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 15: Brandon College Library



Minutes

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4253

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 8.3

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1919-1967, 1948-1965

Physical Description: 9 cm

Scope and Content:

These are the minutes of meetings of the Literary Board.

Subject Access: literary board

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 8: Brandon College Students Association



Senate minutes

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions146

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 6.1

Accession Number: 14-1998

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1967-1987

Physical Description: 2.5 m

History / Biographical:

See series level description (RG 6 Brandon University fonds, series 6: Brandon University Senate) for history/bio information.

Custodial History:

Records were transfered to the McKee Archives from the Senate Office in 1998.

Scope and Content:

Accession 14-1998 includes minutes, related materials, and committee reports considered during meetings of the Brandon University Provisional Senate from January 1967 to June 1967, as well as Senate minutes, related reports and materials from meetings of Senate in the years 1967 to 1987. In addition, the Senate records include an Index to topics in Senate minutes for the years 1967 to 1977, minutes of the Senate Planning Committee 1970-73, and minutes of the Senate Executive Committee (1969-1987).

Box 1

Files 1-3 Minutes only 1967-1971.

Files 4-5 Provisional Senate January 1967-June 1967.

Files 6-13 Minutes regular Senate meetings August 10, 1967 - October 8, 1970.

Box 2

Senate Index A-Z 1967-1977

Senate Minutes and materials (9 files) October 4, 1970 - January 4, 1973 Minutes Senate Planning Committee February 10, 1970 - February 7, 1973.

Box 3

Senate Minutes and materials (13 files) December 22, 1972 - December 10, 1974. Senate Only (2 files) 1972-1976

Box 4

Senate minutes and materials (13 files) February 4, 1975 - January 18, 1977 Senate minutes only (2 files) 1977-1981.

Box 5

Senate minutes and materials (12 files) March 29, 1977 - May 6, 1980.

Box 6

Senate minutes and materials (13 files) September 30, 1980 - December 4, 1984

Box 7

Senate Executive Committee minutes (13 files) October 6, 1969 - August 12, 1987.

Box 8

Senate minutes and materials (12 files) January 1985 - October 27, 1987.

Notes: Senate minutes for 2001-2005 are available online on Brandon

University's webpage under Faculty and Staff: Senate: Minutes.

Access Restriction: Closed Session minutes available only with the permission of the

University Archivist.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 6: Senate Office



Brandon College Inc.

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4338

Part Of: RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Company fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: MG 5 1.1

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1929-1968

Physical Description: 15.9 cm

History /
Biographical:

A.E. McKenzie was involved with Brandon College from its very beginnings. He was present at the cornerstone-laying ceremony of the Brandon College Building in July of 1900; he became a member of the Brandon College Endowment Committee in 1918; the following year he was on the Finance Committee. By the mid-1920's, he was a member of the Board of Directors of the College. In 1928, he was part of a group that convinced the Baptist Union of Western Canada, the principal funding body for the College, to provide money towards reducing the College's accumulated deficit. McKenzie and other members of the College Board had advised the Union that they were developing an endowment plan to provide continuing financial support for Brandon College.

In 1931. Mr. McKenzie organized the Brandon Board of Trade to help save the College when the Baptist Union indicated its intention to withdraw financial support to the College. When efforts to have the City of Brandon provide finacial resources to the College failed, A.E. McKenzie organized the Brandon Citizen's Campaign to raise enough money to enable the College to open the next year.

In 1938, when the Baptist Union did withdrew support from the College, McKenzie offered to establish a \$100,000 endowment, which he later raised to \$300,000, to ensure the continuation of the College. On August 1 of the same year, the Board of Trade, of which McKenzie was a member, set out to raise \$15,000 to match the offer the government had made to the College. In September 1938, McKenzie increased his endowment again, this time to \$500,000. As a result, of McKenzie's endowment and the fundraising efforts of the Board of Trade the charter establishing Brandon College Incorporated was approved on April 17, 1939.

Custodial History:

See fonds level description of custodial history of A.E. McKenzie Seed Co. Ltd.

Scope and Content:

This sub-series includes correspondence between McKenzie and Lowes with various government officials - Duff Roblin, Hon. George Johnson, Hon. Stewart E. McLean and Comptroller-General George D. liffe. There is also correspondence with the company lawyer, William Johnston. Documents within the series consist of the Act to Incorporate Brandon College, Inc. and Bill 86, as well as an indenture and an agreement between C.S. Eaton, G.C. Edwards, A.E. McKenzie, D.H. Hudson and E.J. Tarr. There are also a number of documents written by McKenzie that were presented to the Brandon College Board of Directors. Brandon College Inc. resolutions regarding the McKenzie Foundation are also included.

The sub-series has one sub sub series: MG 5 1.1.1 History of Brandon College Inc.

Storage Location: RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Seed Co. Ltd. fonds

MG 5 A.E. McKenzie fonds



Brandon College Bulletin

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4735

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 12.4

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1917-1937 (not inclusive)

Physical Description: 1.5 cm

History / Biographical:

The Brandon College Bulletin was a forerunner to the current Brandon University annual report. Nothing else is known about its origins. The publication was a product of the Brandon College Board of Directors.

Scope and Content:

Sub-series consists of copies of the Brandon College Bulletin for: 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1931, 1934, 1935, 1936 and 1937.

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 12: Brandon College publications



The Brandon College Gazette

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions5088

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: 12.7

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1937-1938

Physical Description: 1 file

Scope and Content:

Sub-series consists of copies of The Brandon College Gazette, including: Vol. 1, No. 4 (May 11, 1937); Vol. 2, Nos. 1-4 (May 2, May 5, May 9, and May 11, 1938). It also includes a document entitled "Hand 'Bill' The Stick." This document is an endorsement of Bill Potoroka as a nominee for the position of Senior Stick.

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 12: Brandon College publications



Reference library

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4322

Part Of: RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Company fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: McS 2 2.6

GMD: textual records

Physical Description: 20 titles; 39.7 cm of records

1905-1978

History /

Biographical:

Date Range:

See series level description of the administrative history of the Office of the President/General Manager

Custodial History:

See fonds level description of custodial history of A. E. McKenzie Seed Co. Ltd.

Scope and Content:

This sub-series includes publications covering a variety of topics related to the seed industry and/or McKenzie Seeds. Publications include:

- 1. Building Bigger Business/by Charles Austen Bates. Winnipeg, 1925, 4 pp.
- 2. Business Correspondence/ by C.A. Burt. Chicago, 1905, 221 pp.
- 3. The Production of Timothy Seed in Alberta/ by H. A. Craig. Edmonton, [no date], 8 pp.
- 4. Sweet Peas for All Purposes/by A. J. Macself. London, [no date], vi, 84 pp.
- 5. Growing Quality Beans in Manitoba/by the Manitoba Department of Agriculture, 1976, 12 pp.
- 6. 1979 Field Crop Recommendations for Manitoba/by the Manitoba Department of Agriculture. Winnipeg, 1979, 69 pp.
- 7. The Canada Year Book 1915/by the Minister of Trade and Commerce. Ottawa, 1916, xvi, 707 pp.
- 8. 1974 Vegetable Production Recommendations/by New York State College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, 36 pp.
- 9. Lawn Care: A Bulletin Service for Turf Enthusiasts/by O. M. Scott & Sons Co. Marysville, Ohio, August 1928 1943(?), plus index
- 10. 1965 Guide to Chemical Weed Control/by the Ontario Department of Agriculture. Toronto, 1965, 67 pp.
- 11. 1968 Ontario Vegetable Production Recommendations/ by the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food. Toronto, 1968, 47 pp.
- 12. 1978 Vegetable Production Recommendations/by the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food. 72 pp.
- 13. The Canadian Newspaper Directory, seventh edition. Montreal, 1911, xx, 138 pp.
- 14. The Shareholders' and Directors' Manual/by J. D. Warde. Seventh edition. Toronto, 1907, 617 pp.

THE BUSINESS MAN'S LIBRARY:

15. The Business Man's Library, volume II - Business Correspondence/ by Glenn S. Noble, et al. Chicago, 1907, 221 pp.

- 16. The Business Man's Library, volume III Cost of Production/ by Alexander H. Revell, et al. Chicago, 1907, viii, 196 pp.
- 17. The Business Man's Library, volume V Book on Buying/ by H.T. Kett, et al. Chicago, 1907, 216 pp.
- 18. The Business Man's Library, volume VI Organizing a Factory/ by Clinton E. Woods. Chicago, 1907, 190 pp.
- 19. The Business Man's Library, volume VII Book on Advertising/ by Truman A. DeWeese. Chicago, 1907, v, 165 pp.
- 20. The Business Man's Library, volume X Accounting and Office Methods/ by W. Vernon Booth, et al. Chicago, 1907, v, 136pp, plus 45 p. index.

Storage Location: RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Company fonds

McS 2 Office of the President/General Manager



Brandon College/University calendars

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions151

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 6.6

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1900-2005

Physical Description: 1.40 m

Physical Condition: Generally good

History / Biographical:

The University Calendar is the authoritative statement of the institutional structure, faculty and staff, and academic program of Brandon University. Since the creation of the College in 1900, calendars have been produced annually, with only a few exceptions, by the Registrar's Office.

Up until 1991-1992, the calendar was called the general calendar. In 1991-1992, it was called the undergraduate general calendar. Beginning in 1992, the calendar was produced every two years instead of annually, except for 1998-1999, until 2003. The 1992-1994 calendar contains both the undergraduate and graduate general calendars, and starting in 1994 a separate undergraduate and graduate calendar was produced.

Custodial History:

The Brandon College/University calendar was produced by the Registrar's Office. Individual copies of the calendar were held by the Registrar's Office until their transfer to the University Archives.

Scope and Content:

The sub-series consists of general calendars, general undergraduate and graduate calendars, as well as calendars for the School of Music, the Faculty of Education, and for spring and summer sessions. It has been divided into three sub sub series, including: (1) Calendars - bound archival copies; (2) Calendars - researcher's copies; and (3) Calendars - miscellaneous.

Notes: The Registrar, acting in his/her capacity as Secretary of Senate, is

responsible for the production of the University calendar.

Subject Access: Academic programs

departments

administrative staff board members

history faculty

Accruals: Further accruals are expected.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 6: Senate

Arrangement:

Chronological



Brandon College Ministerial Association

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4268

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

1919-1921

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: 8.17

GMD: textual records

Physical Description: 1 cm

Scope and Content:

Date Range:

This book contains the minutes from meetings of the students' ministerial association.

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 8: Brandon College Students Association



Brandon College miscellaneous publications

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4737

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: 12.6

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1914-1929

Physical Description: 1 cm

History / Biographical:

This is an artifically created sub-series.

Scope and Content:

Sub-series Brandon College track and field programs for 1920 and 1922; two copies of Brandon College songs and yells, along with a typed copy of the class song for the class of 1929; a copy of the Brandon College students' directory for 1914-1915; and a donations pamphlet for the Brandon College Students' Memorial Gymnasium ca. 1918.

Notes: Located on the front page of the Memorial Gymnasium pamphlet is a

proposed campus development plan showing the site of the proposed gymnasium, with other additional facilities including: a science building, a

library/chapel, a conservatory, and a new women's residence.

At the front of the Brandon College songs and yells is a copy of the

Brandon College Students' Association constitution.

The students' directory contains the constitution of the Literary Society, and a newspaper clipping regarding the death of Dorothy Nelson (nee Werthembach), former Dean of Women at Brandon College 1934-1935.

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 12: Brandon College publications



Board of directors - minutes/meetings

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4312

Part Of: RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Company fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: McS 1 1.2

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1958-1981

Physical Description: 1.8 cm

Custodial History:

See fonds level description of custodial history of A. E. McKenzie Seed Co. Ltd.

Scope and Content:

This sub-series includes minutes of the Board of Directors of McKenzie Seeds, extracts from minutes of the Board of Directors, information on shareholders of the company, notices of Board meetings, suggested meeting agendas, the President's annual report for 1967, and memos regarding Board meetings/business.

Storage Location: RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Company fonds

McS 1 Board of Directors

Related Material: Additional minutes for the meetings of the Board of Directors of

McKenzie

Seeds, dating from the mid 1930's, are held in the Provincial Archives of

Manitoba.

Minute excerpts for the Board of Directors are located in the Document

sub-series in the file titled By-Laws for 1940-1985.



Library special events

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions174

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 8.4

GMD: textual records

Scope and Content:

Sub-series of one sub sub series: (1) Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival.

Notes: Records for special events held in the S.J. McKee Archives can be found

in the Archives' sub-series: RG 6, 8.2 This sub-series is specifically for special events held under the auspices of the University Librarian.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 8: Library Services



Brandon College Student Association records

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4262

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 8.12

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1948-1957

Physical Description: 1.5 cm

Scope and Content:

Consists of the BCSA constitution, electoral procedure documents, nomination forms, the Brandon College Crests and Awards Board constitution, the Brandon College Finance Board constitution, the Brandon College Athletic Board/Athletic Council constitution, the Brandon College Board of Publications constitution, the Brandon College Literary Board constitution, the Sigma Mu constitution, and BCSA statistical summary of Committee meetings.

Subject Access: club constitutions

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 8: Brandon College Students Association



Brandon College Building and Clark Hall

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8273

Part Of: BUPC 2 Campus buildings

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 2.2
GMD: graphic

Date Range: c.1909 - 1996; predominant 1960s - 1996

Physical Description: 116 photographs

History / Biographical:

BRANDON COLLEGE BUILDING

The construction of the Brandon College Building, also known as the Original Building, was primarily financed by Mr. and Mrs. William Davies, a Toronto based Baptist meat packer, and his sister Mrs. Emily Davies, also of Toronto, who pledged \$5,000 a year for five years to the new Baptist College. Four city blocks between 18th and 20th streets were purchased for the College campus and the tender of Messrs. T.M. Harrington of Winnipeg was accepted in the spring of 1900; Mr. Hugh McCowan of Winnipeg appointed as architect. Mrs. Davies laid the cornerstone for the Brandon College Building on July 13, 1900.

The Brandon College Building was conceived as a substantial five story brick structure with a stone basement. The Tyndall Manitoba quarries, located thrity miles northeast of Winnipeg, supplied the stone and presented the College with the stone steps at the main entrance. The basement contained the dining room, kitchen, laundry, furnace room, a science laboratory, and maids' rooms. The first floor housed the reception room, office, library, four classrooms and the teachers' cloak rooms. The second floor had five classrooms, a reading room, five rooms for resident students and a resident teacher. Teachers' rooms and seventeen rooms for students comprised the third floor; and additional thirteen rooms for residents took up the fourth floor.

The recidence was to house 70 men. The total onet of the huilding and furnishings was

\$44,000. The Brandon College Building was ready for occupancy by October 1, 1901.

CLARK HALL

The cornerstone of Clark Hall was laid by Mrs. A.P. McDiarmid, wife of the Principal of Brandon College, on May 24, 1906. The residence was officially opened on Thanksgiving Day, October 18, of the same year. The construction of the building grew our of a demand for a ladies' college. A canvass made in Eastern Canada had resulted in subscriptions totaling \$10,000. When Dr. McDiarmid reported the results of the canvass to the Chairman of the Board, Dr. C.W. Clark of Winnipeg, Clark proposed that he and his wife be allowed to provided the balance of the funds, some \$30,000. While presenting the building at the opening ceremony, Clark stated that the reason for his donation was his belief in the power of cultured womanhood - he believed "that refined and Christian mothers were the strength of a nation and that he wished to see in Brandon a chool of learning for women in which every Christian virtue and grace might be illustrated."

Clark Hall was built immediately north of the Brandon College Building and was connected to it by classrooms and the iron door with its door bell, which was rung by gentlemen before being admitted. It is a five story brick building, with fittings of imported Georgia pine. In the basement was the gymnasium, studios and maids' rooms. On the main floor was a spacious reception room furnished by the Honorable A.C. Rutherford, the Premier of Alberta and the Lady Principal's suite, furnished by Mrs. N. Wolverston, wife of the treaurer of the College Board. Music studios and the offices of the resident matron were also on the main floor. The second and third floors were dormitories. The fourth floor was meant to be art studios, but due to registration demands, it was divided into students' rooms. The residence was designed to house fifty students and seven teachers. Piano practice areas were also designated on the west side of the building and on the groundlevel half way between the basement and the first floor.

BRANDON COLLEGE BUILDING AND CLARK HALL RESTORATION PROJECT

By the early 1990s, it was clear that major reconstruction work on the Brandon College Building and Clark Hall was necessary if the buildings were to remain in use. The alternative was to demolish both buildings and construct a new central administrative structure for the campus. Because of the historic character of the two original campus buildings, the decision was taken to mount a complete restoration of the structures that involved a complete removal of everything except for the surrounding brick fascade and the construction of new buildings within the old external walls. This project was financed by the Provincial government of Manitoba, who granted the University approximatley 10 million dollars. The Chief Architect for the restoration was George Cibinal. Work began in 1996 and was completed by the fall of 1997. In addition to the restoration of the Brandon College Building and Clark Hall, a new entrance was built on the west side of the buildings, as well as an addition to Clark Hall, which included a skywalk connecting it to the A.E. McKenzie Building.

Scope and Content:

Sub-series consists of photographs of the Brandon College Building and Clark Hall.

Notes:

History/Bio information was taken from Brandon College: A History, 1899-1967 by C.G. Stone and F. Joan Garnett (Brandon, Manitoba: Brandon University, 1969), chapters 2 and 3. Tom Mitchell provided history/bio information on the restoration project.

Images





General Board of Governors agendas, minutes and packages http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions74

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions74

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 2.3

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1967-1991

Physical Description: 1.16 m

History / Biographical:

For administrative history see RG 6 (Brandon University fonds), series 2 (Board of Governors).

Scope and Content:

Sub-series consists of records related to Brandon University Board of Governors' general meetings. The sub-series has been divided into five sub sub series, including: (1) Agendas; (2) Minutes; (3) Packages; (4) Motion sheets; and (5) Index of motions.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 2: Board of Governors

2.3 Board agendas, minutes and packages



MPE B 3 Central Office Local Association Minutes

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9107

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: MPE B.3

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1925-1993

Physical Description: 3.13 m

History / Biographical:

A copy of a Local Associations (later the Local Pool Committees) would be sent to the Central Office, where it was stored until a microfilm copy could be made. Records were only transferred to microfilm until 1957.

Custodial History:

Local Association records recieved by the Central Office dating from 1925 to 1957 are on microfilm. Records subsequent to 1957 are hardcopies.

Scope and Content:

Sub-series MPE B.3 consists of Local Association records from the formation of the association until 1993 or said association's closure. See Box level entries for B.3 for detailed contents of records.

Notes: Description by Jillian Sutherland (2009). Records contained in Series B.3

on microfilm or in hardcopy may also be contained in Series A.

Name Access: Manitoba Pool Elevators

Central Office

Subject Access: Local Association

elevator

Storage Location: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Series B: Central Office records



Miscellaneous ledgers and minute books

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4289

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 13.6

GMD: textual records
Date Range: 1898-1951

Scope and Content:

1. Sadie Northam Expenses (Dining Room?), 1898-1906

2. Endowment Income Accounts, 1903-1910

3. Sustaining Fund, 1904-1905

4. Mortgage and Agreement Register and Ledger, 1905-1921

5. Refunds Committee Minutes, 1914-1923

6. COTC Day Sheets, March-April 1915?

7. Record of Bond Issue, 1917-1919

8. Staff Salaries, 1918-1921

9. Endowment and Scholarships Accounts, 1923-1941

10. Salary Book, 1926-1928

11. Athletic Board Finance, 1951-1959

12. Brandon College Institute, Session 08, no year

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 13: Brandon College Ledger and Minute books



MPE B 1 Central office minute books

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9105

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: MPE B.1

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1923 - 1997

Physical Description: 1.65 m

History /
Biographical:

The Manitoba Wheat Pool and Manitoba Pool Elevators kept and preserved a chronological record of the meetings of the MPE Board of Directors and annual delegate meetings. The minutes were typed and bound, then placed in the MPE reference library so that employees and members could access them.

Scope and Content:

This sub-series consists of minutes of organizational meetings and later meetings held by the Central Office of the Manitoba Wheat Co-operative Producers, Ltd (later known as the Manitoba Wheat Pool) from 1923 until it went under in 1934, and of meetings held by the central office of Manitoba Pool Elevators from 1925 until 1997.

Notes: Description by Jillian Sutherland (2009)

Name Access: C.H. Burnell

W.J. Parker P.F. Bredt

Manitoba Pool Elevators

Manitoba Wheat Pool

Central Office

Subject Access: Minutes

Storage Location: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Series B: Central Office records

Document Not Available

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The Brandon Sun

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13662

Other Title Info: Title based on the contents of the subseries

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: McG 2.2
Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: textual records
Date Range: c. 1966 - 2010

Physical Description: Approximately 63.5 cm of textual records

History / Biographical:

In November 1966, McGuinness was hired as vice-president to the Brandon Sun. He moved to Brandon with his family and had a career with the paper until his death in 2011. During his years with the Sun, McGuinness wrote a tri-weekly "Sunbeams" (sometimes spelled "Sun Beams") column using the nom-de-plume F.A. [Fifth And] Rosser. Sunbeams was similar to McGuinness' "Lighthouse" column for The Medicine Hat News; commenting on a variety of current events, Sunbeams also included book reviews, local events, and reminiscences.

Upon his retirement in January 1987, McGuinness was made publisher emeritus of the Brandon Sun. A week after his retirement, he began writing a new column for the Sun, called the "Diary." Initially a bi-weekly column, which was made into a weekly column in 2009, McGuinness continued writing the "Diary" until his hospitalization in 2010. The Diary column was primarily a historical retrospective of Brandon, although it also touched on broader topics of interest to McGuinness during the time period.

Custodial History:

Accession 1-2015 contains records created and collected over the course of McGuinness' career as a newspaper journalist and freelance writer. The Estate of Fred McGuinness donated the materials to the SJ McKee Archives circa 2011. The Archives accessioned the records in 2015.

Scope and Content:

The subseries contains records created and collected by Fred McGuinness during his time as a journalist, editor, and freelance writer with the Brandon Sun. The records consist of scrapbooks of Sunbeams columns, Sunbeam drafts, Diary drafts, article proofs, column research, and correspondence.

Notes: Readers' correspondence pertaining to McGuinness' time with the

Brandon Sun can be found in Fred McGuinness' personal papers, subseries McG 1.2 Correspondence. Possible research for his Sunbeam and Diary columns may be found in McG 4.1 Local history research and

McG 2.3 Neighborly News (File 3)

Accruals: Closed

Finding Aid: A file level inventory is available

Storage Location: 2015 accessions

Arrangement:

Arrangement was artificially created by the Archives. Subseries has been re-arranged according to publication period

Documents

Document Not Available

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McG 2_2 Brandon Sun inventory.pdf

