

S. J. McKee Archives



Margaret Menzies collection

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Part Of:	MG 4 Brandon University Students
Description Level:	Collection
Accession Number:	13-2012
GMD:	multiple media
Date Range:	1959-2007; predominant 1983-2001
Physical Description:	18 cm textual records 1 photograph

History /

Biographical:

Margaret Menzies was born on July 30th, 1920, at a family farm located in Oakburn, Manitoba. She grew up on the family farm and attended school in both Oakburn and Shoal Lake. She married Donald Menzies on June 4th, 1941. Together they had four children. In 1959, the family moved to Brandon, Manitoba, where they lived for the rest of their lives.

Margaret Menzies was a longtime and active member of the International Toastmistress Club (ITC), and was also involved in the Consumers Association of Canada, Seniors for Seniors, as well as being a member of the Liberal Party of Canada and the Central United Church. Menzies did not graduate from high school in her early years, but managed to continue her education and receive a bachelor of arts degree from Brandon University at the age of 70.

Margaret Menzies passed away on June 9th, 2012.

Custodial History:

Records in the collection were brought to the S.J McKee Archives on July 13, 2012, by Gerald Brown, on behalf of the family of Margaret Menzies.

Scope and Content:

Collection contains of two scrapbooks created by Margaret Menzies. The scrapbooks contain various cards, itinerary's, and other documents associated with Menzies' membership in the International Toastmistress Club. The items in the scrapbooks date from the mid 1980's to the late 1990's.

Also included in the collection are four local history books. The first is a 100 year history of the town of Oakburn, Manitoba, from 1870 to 1970, published during celebrations of Manitoba's centennial in 1970. Next is a book about the history of the town of Shoal Lake, Manitoba, which was published in 1959 on the 50th anniversary of the founding of the town of Shoal Lake in 1909. The last two books are the first and second volumes of Ripples on the Lake, which cover the history of the Shoal Lake municipality from 1884. The first volume covers the first 100 years of the history of the Shoal Lake region, being published in 1984. The second volume was published in 2007, covering the history of Shoal Lake since 1984, as well as including new information that was not published in the 1984 version of the book.

Finally, the collection contains one photograph of Margaret Menzies receiving her bachelor of arts degree from Peter Hordern, dean of arts of Brandon University.

Notes: Biographical information provided by obituary entry in the Brandon Sun, June 16, 2012. Description by Tyler Warren (October 2012).

Name Access: Shoal Lake
Oakburn
International Toastmistress Club
Urban Acres Toastmistress Club

Subject Access: women's organizations
public relations
Leadership
communication
local histories

Storage Range: 2012 accessions

Related Material: International Toastmistress Club-Land O' Lakes Region fonds (15-2002)



Aerial view of 10th Street facing south from Princess Avenue

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8420>

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Creator: Photographer: Jerrett Photo

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.42

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c.1940

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Red ink stain is on the front right corner of postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows 10th Street facing south from Princess Avenue. Visible landmarks and businesses include: Manitoba Power Commission (MPC)'s power sub-station, First Baptist Church, Wheat City Arena, and the grand stand at the Exhibition Grounds.

The partial sign visible at the bottom of the photograph on the east side of 10th Street reads Yates and Neale, which refers to a plumbing and heating company that dissolved in 1943 to be replaced by Neale, Stothard and Chapman.

Businesses on the west side of 10th Street include: Dominion Tire & Radio Co., Bolts Barber Shop, Elviss T.E. Co. Stables.

Notes: Information concerning Yates and Neale courtesy Jack Stothard. Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Brandon, Looking S.W., Jerrett Photo. This photograph shows a rare view of the 200-block of 10th Street.

Name Access: Manitoba Power Company
10th Street
Dominion Tire & Radio Co.
T.E. Elviss Co. Stables
First Baptist Church

Subject Access: downtowns
street scenes
Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940
aerial views
building exteriors
residences
churches

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Frontenac and the Iroquois : the fighting governor of New France

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections691>

Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator: Swayze, J. F. (James Frederick), 1907-1967
Description Level: Item
Item Number: FC 362.S9
Archives 11-999-10-279
Item Number Range: FC 362.S9
Archives 11-999-10-279
Standard number: System Control Number 76252862
Responsibility: by Fred Swayze ; illustrated by Huntley Brown
Start Date: 1959
Date Range: 1959
Publication: Toronto : Macmillan
Publisher Series: Great stories of Canada
Physical Description: 158 p. : ill., maps ; 22 cm
Notes: Maps on lining-papers
Name Access: Frontenac
Louis de Buade comte de Palluau et de
1620-1689
Subject Access: Canada History
Storage Location: Box 10 - Stories
Storage Range: Box 10 - Stories



Great books as life-teachers : studies of character, real and ideal

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1304>

Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator: Hillis, Newell Dwight, 1858-1929
Livingstone, David, 1813-1873
Description Level: Item
Item Number: Archives 11-999-28-724
Item Number Range: Archives 11-999-28-724
Responsibility: by Newell Dwight Hillis
Start Date: c1899
Date Range: c1899
Publication: Chicago ; New York : Fleming H. Revell company
Physical Description: 6, [4], 15-339 p. ; 19 cm

Name Access:	Ruskin
	John
	1819-1900. Seven lamps of architecture
	Eliot
	George
	1819-1880. Romola
	Hawthorne
	Nathaniel
	1804-1864. Scarlet letter
	Hugo
	Victor
	1802-1885. Mis©rables
	Drummond
	Henry
	1851-1897
	Browning
	Robert
	1812-1889. Saul
	Shaftesbury
	Anthony Ashley Cooper
	Earl of
	1801-1885
	Willard
	Frances Elizabeth
	1839-1898
	Gladstone
	W. E. (William Ewart)
	1809-1898
Subject Access:	Literature
	Modern History and criticism
	Character
Storage Location:	Box 28 - Research, methods and manuals
Storage Range:	Box 28 - Research, methods and manuals