

# S. J. McKee Archives



## Murray's Garage (Neepawa) - exterior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14337>

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: M

Item Number: 11-2010.M7a

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1954

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Murray's Garage opened in 1932 by Melvin Earl Murray. The business was later renamed Murray's of Neepawa in 1964.

Custodial History:

See Fonds level description for custodial history

#### Scope and Content:

Murray's Garage opened in 1932 by Melvin Earl Murray. Before it's opening in 1932 the building was used as a truck and storage facility, the business opened for automotive sales after Earl Murray had recieved a contract by General Motors in 1932. The first sale of a vehicle occurred in 1933 when a customer from Winnipeg bought a Pontiac vehicle. During the first few years of operation Earl Murray served as the Office Manager, Parts Manager, and Salesman. In 1934 an additional contract with the International Harvester Co. giving license to the additional sale of farm equipment. This new expansion resulted in the hiring of other staff to handle Parts and Service while the sales of the farm machinery remained Earl's responsibility.

The business aquired many contracts over the course of its existence as such new propoerties were aquired to allow for this expansions and new additions were added to the original building. When the new addition was near completion an explosion occured which resulted in 100% loss of the original building as well as all the contents it enclosed. Luckily, the fire department was able to save most of the new addition. A sizable loan was required for the buisness to rebuild after this disaster. Once the business was open again, car sales, need for parts, and service volume increased resulting in the complete recovery of the buisness.

In 1940 due to the war the purchase of new vehicles was limited to emergency service, it was at this time that General Motors added the Cheverolet-Oldsmobile to their contracts. Shortly after this a tornado hit the building causing substantial damage however it was soon repaired and business resumed.

Earl's son, Gerald, had worked in the business since his return from the war in 1945. He schooled in in Flint Michigan at a General Motors Business Institute to assist his father with the business. In 1960 Gerald took a course in Detroit Michigan in a Post Graduate School of Modern Merchandising and Management. After his completion of this course Gerald moved back to Neepawa and took of the position of Sales Manager at his fathers garage. The business was later renamed Murray's of Neepawa in 1964 when Earl handed the keys to the business over to his son Gerald.

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| Notes:             | Description by Jillian Combs. Information from Manitoba Hisotrical Society, |
| Name Access:       | D.R. MacKay                                                                 |
| Subject Access:    | building exteriors<br>downtown<br>Neepawa                                   |
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| Storage Location:  | CKX fonds - 2010 accessions                                                 |
| Related Material:  | D.R. MacKay fonds, Brandon College fonds, Brandon University fonds          |
| Arrangement:       |                                                                             |

Original order maintained. Series arranged alphabetically by letter (A-Z) but negatives not alphabetical within each series.

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## Shrine Circus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13024>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S150c  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: June 11, 1965  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative  
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of circus performers doing their act.

Name Access: CKX  
Shrine Circus  
Subject Access: building interiors  
Arenas  
persons  
performers  
Animals  
entertainment

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Shrine Circus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13023>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S150d  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: June 11, 1965  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of circus performers doing their act.

Name Access: CKX  
Shrine Circus  
Subject Access: building interiors  
Arenas  
persons  
performers  
horses  
Animals  
entertainment

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Shrine Circus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13025>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S150b  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: June 11, 1965  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

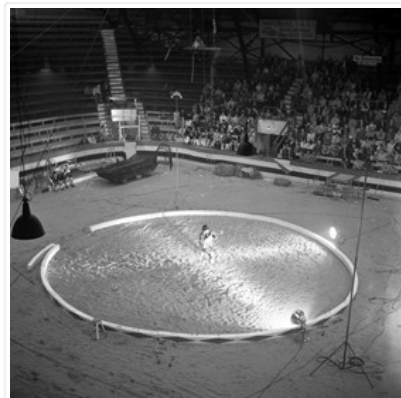
Image of a circus performer doing his act.

Name Access: CKX  
Shrine Circus  
Subject Access: building interiors  
Arenas  
persons  
performers  
entertainment  
musical acts

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Shrine Circus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13022>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S150e  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: June 11, 1965  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of circus performers doing their act.

Name Access: CKX  
Shrine Circus  
Subject Access: building interiors  
Arenas  
persons  
performers  
signs and signboards  
entertainment

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Shrine Circus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13026>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S150a  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: June 11, 1965  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of circus performers doing their act.

Name Access: CKX  
Shrine Circus

Subject Access: building interiors  
Arenas  
persons  
performers  
entertainment  
Animals  
signs and signboards

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12823>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W39e  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1962  
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a man and a cow (bovine).

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair  
Subject Access: persons  
Arenas  
cattle  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12799>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W42c  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1969  
Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a 6 horse team and wagon.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

Subject Access: persons  
horses  
Arenas  
wagons

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12800>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W42b  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1969  
Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a 2 horse team and wagon.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

Subject Access: persons  
horses  
Arenas  
wagons

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12801>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W42a  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1969  
Physical Description: 3.25" x 1.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of horse jumping.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair  
Subject Access: persons  
horses  
Arenas  
equestrianism  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair (general)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12802>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W41c  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1967  
Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a horse and carriage.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

Subject Access: persons  
horses  
Arenas  
carriage

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair (general)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12803>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W41b  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1967  
Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a car.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair  
Subject Access: persons  
cars  
Arenas  
displays  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair - heavy horse class

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12828>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W38  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1955  
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of horses standing in an arena.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair  
Subject Access: persons  
Arenas  
horses  
equestrianism  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12819>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W39i  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1962  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative  
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of two men holding harness.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair  
Subject Access: persons  
Arenas  
broadcasting equipment  
officials  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12821>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W39g  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1962  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative  
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of two guys calf wrestling.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair  
Subject Access: persons  
calves  
calf wrestling  
Arenas  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12824>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W39d  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1962  
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a man and a cow (bovine).

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

Subject Access: persons  
Arenas  
cattle  
ckx staff

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Selkirk hockey team (Intermediate) - Jim Want, manager

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13252>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S23  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: after 1954  
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a hockey team.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: team sports  
athletes  
persons  
Arenas

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair (general)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12804>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W41a  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1967  
Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a make making a speech.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

Subject Access: persons  
officials  
Arenas  
business and professional people

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12822>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W39f  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1962  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative  
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of livestock and horses pulling wagons and carriages.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair  
Subject Access: persons  
wagons  
carriages  
Arenas  
horses  
cattle  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Winter fair

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12825>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: W  
Item Number: 11-2010.W39c  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1962  
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of Frank Bird (CKX) interviewing Jimmy Moffatt, President of the Winter Fair Board.

Name Access: CKX  
Royal Manitoba Winter Fair  
Frank Bird  
Jimmy Moffatt  
Subject Access: persons  
Arenas  
cattle  
ckx staff  
interviews

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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