

# S. J. McKee Archives



# William Muir General Grocer building

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13757

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.68
Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date Range: post-1888

Physical Description: 4.5" x 7.5" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Matting is bent and has a thumbtack hole.

History / Biographical:

According to G.F. Barker (Brandon: A City, 1977, 291), William (Billy) Muir worked at Coombs & Stewart's on Pacific Avenue until he opened his own grocery store in 1888. The shop was located at 143-6th Street, Brandon, and was demolished for a parking lot in 1952.

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by Allena Strath (nee Coombs).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the "Wm. Muir General Grocer" building on 6th Street. Two men pose in the doorway of the store. The man on the left is likely William Muir. Barrels are lined on the boardwalk in front of the store. Apples and mason jars can be seen in the shop's windows.

Notes: Front of photograph reads: Sixth Street between Rosser - Princess. Back

of photograph reads: Billy Muir's Store, 143 6th Street Brandon - 57 years in business in this location. An address label affixed to the back of

the mat reads: Mrs. James Strath, Box 421, Souris, Man.

Name Access: Coombs & Stewart

Pacific Avenue

6th Street

Wm. Muir General Grocer

Subject Access: Pioneers

general stores building exteriors store exteriors grocery stores

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1E18

## **Images**





# E.E. Lehigh Ltd.

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13796

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photograph: C.J. Smith

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.105

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1929-1931]

Physical Description: 9.5" x 7.5" (b/w)

Material Details: On matting

History / Biographical:

The 1901 Canadian Census places the Lehigh family near Brockville, Ontario, where Everett E. Lehigh (b. 19 May 1881) was farming with his widowed father Solon (b. 20 Aug 1849) and younger sister, Edna (b. 08 Feb 1884). The findagrave.com genealogical website identifies a Mary Wickware as marrying Everett E. Lehigh in Alqonquin, Ontario, on 04 April 1905.

E.E. Lehigh appears in the Henderson's Brandon City Directories in 1919. By 1923, he was Vice-President of Motors Ltd., which had its shop on 151-7th Street. By 1925, Lehigh had taken over the garage, renaming it Lehigh Motors, which became the sole agent for McLaughlin Motor Cars. By 1927, Lehigh Motors had opened a second branch on 12th Street and Princess Avenue, which was formerly the Brandon Auto Garage. Lehigh had become the exclusive dealer for McLaughlin-Buick, Pontiac, and Oldsmobile motor cars.

It appears Lehigh moved his business, E.E. Lehigh Ltd., to 799 Pacific Avenue by 1929. By then, Lehigh had a head office in Winnipeg at 640 Portage Avenue where he served as president and was the provincial distributor for Rugby trucks and Durant cars. Although E.E. Lehigh had a residence in Brandon (325 - 14th Street), Mr. S.G. Cunningham was listed as the Brandon representative for Lehigh Motors Ltd. in the Henderson Directories. By 1931, E.E. Lehigh Ltd. had moved once again, this time to 151-153 - 9th Street.

E.E. Lehigh disappears from the Henderson's Brandon City Directory by 1933 and a Mrs. E.E. Lehigh (possibly Mary (Wickware) Lehigh, d.21 July 1943) is listed under the 14th Street residence. The 9th Street garage address is divided between Munns Taxi (151-9th Street) and Wheat City Auto Wreckers (153-9th Street.)

#### Custodial History:

Photograph was in possession of Mrs. Ruby Miles, who passed the image on to Fred McGuinness. McGuinness makes reference to Mrs. Miles and this photograph in his Sunbeams column (Source: F.A. Rosser, "Another interesting chat with a daughter of the plains," Brandon Sun 18 Aug 1981).

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group portrait of 33 individuals standing and seated in front of the business E.E. Lehigh Ltd., Brandon. The storefront window has a sign that reads: Durant Motor Cars, E.E. Lehigh Ltd., Brandon. The door to the business has Lehigh Motors stencilled on the window. The men are wearing jackets and ties, and there are three women, possibly clerical staff, wearing 1920s era dresses. The elderly man seated in the centre of the photograph, wearing a long-sleeved white dress shirt might be Everett E. Lehigh.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph is embossed: C.J. Smith

Name Access: E.E. Lehigh
Subject Access: garages
Transportation

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

store exteriors

Storage Location: McGuinness oversize storage drawer (1-2015)

Related Material: Ruby Miles collection 14-2003

#### **Images**





## McDiarmid & Clark Lumber

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13989

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.60
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [c.1905]

Physical Description: 4.75" x 3.75" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard) of Lac du Bonnet, MB.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of 24 males alongside a wood-framed building. The individuals are likely employees of McDiarmid Lumber. The ages of employees range from children to middle-age. The men appear to be wearing their "Sunday-best." Some men have smoking pipes, another man is holding a dog.

Notes: Date range based on establishment of McDiarmid & Clark and

employment periods for members of the Chalmers family based on

Henderson's Brandon City Directory.

Name Access: McDiarmid & Clark

Subject Access: lumber

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

dogs

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

#### **Images**





# Hanbury Manufacturing Company

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13990

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.61
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic

Date Range: [c.1913-1919]
Physical Description: 7.5" x 4.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Custodial History:

 $Photograph\ was\ given\ to\ Fred\ McGuinness\ by\ Linda\ Bilkoski\ (nee\ Lepard)\ of\ Lac\ du\ Bonnet,$ 

MB.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of 17 men stading in a lumber yard.

Notes: This picture is the same as the negative in the Lawrence Stuckey

collection. Stuckey obtained a copy of the photo from George Lepard, father of Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard). Date range based on employment dates of Edward Chalmers. Ed Chalmers was the brother of Catherine Harden (nee Chalmers), mother to Edith Harden, who in turn, is the wife

of George Lepard.

Name Access: Hanbury Manufacturing Co.

Subject Access: lumber

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

dogs

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1H15

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

#### **Images**





# Hanbury Manufacturing lumber yard

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13979

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.50
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: c.1900

Physical Description: 3.25" x 2" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

History / Biographical:

The Hanbury Manufacturing Company was located at 600-698 Assiniboine Avenue.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of men standing in front of a pile of lumber in the yard of Hanbury Manufacturing. A horse is hitched to a buggy in the background and a dog stands in the foreground.

Name Access: Hanbury Manufacturing Co.
Subject Access: lumber manufacturing

dogs

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1H14

Arrangement:

McG RR #3 Order of Manitoba envelope

### **Images**





# W.F. McGuinness at the Dominion Express Co.

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14019

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.89
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1900s]

Physical Description: 2.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is folded and torn

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of four men standing on a platform at the entrance of the Dominion

Express Company. William Frederick McGuinness stands on the left.

Name Access: William Frederick McGuinness

W.F. McGuinness

**Dominion Express Company** 

Subject Access: Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

building exteriors

Conservation: on matting

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family pictures

#### **Images**





## Churches of Brandon postcard

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13871

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Published by Christie's Bookstore, Brandon, Man.

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.181Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphic

Date Range: 1910s

Physical Description: 3.5" x 5.5" (colour)

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows exterior views of five Brandon churches: Baptist Church, Presbyterian Church, St. Matthew's Church, Catholic Church and Monastery, and Methodist Church.

Notes: Part of "Christie's Brandon Series of Six Colored Picture Postcards of

Brandon, Manitoba, The Crown Series, Published by Christie's

Bookstore, Brandon, Man." [note: missing sixth postcard]. Writing on the front of the photograph reads: Baptist Church, Presbyterian Church Brandon Man., St. Matthew's Church, Catholic Church and Monastery,

Methodist Church.

Name Access: St. Matthew's Church

St. Augustine's Church First Baptist Church Presbyterian Church

Methodist Church

Subject Access: churches

building exteriors

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 File 9

#### **Images**





# Brandon College viewbook postcard

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13882

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

1920s

Creator: Printed by Photogelatine Engraving Co. Ltd., Ottawa

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.192Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphic

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

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Date Range:

Photograph shows a southwestern view of Clark Hall and the Brandon College Original Building. The Citizen Science Building is absent from the campus grounds.

Notes: Part of "Souvenir of Brandon, Manitoba, Canada [viewbook], Printed by

Photogelatine Engraving Co. Limited, Ottawa." Dates obtained from the Burchill's Music Store Henderson's Brandon City Directory listings (1927-1929). Writing on the front of the photograph reads: Brandon College,

Brandon, Man.

Name Access: Brandon General Hospital

Subject Access: Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

hospitals

building exteriors

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 photos

### **Images**





## City Hall and YMCA viewbook postcard

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13885

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Printed by Photogelatine Engraving Co. Ltd., Ottawa

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.195Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphic

Date Range: 1920s

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

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows two separate views. One is of the main entrance of (Old) City Hall on Princess Avenue. The other view shows the ediface of the YMCA building as well as the adjacent St. Paul's United and First United Churches on 8th Street.

Notes: Part of "Souvenir of Brandon, Manitoba, Canada [viewbook], Printed by

Photogelatine Engraving Co. Limited, Ottawa." Dates obtained from the Burchill's Music Store Henderson's Brandon City Directory listings (1927-1929). Writing on the front of the photograph reads: City Hall - Brandon, Man; YMCA, St. Paul's United & First Church United, Brandon, Man.

Name Access: YMCA

St. Paul's United Church

First United Church

City Hall

Old City Hall

8th Street

Subject Access: Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

churches

building exteriors

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 photos

#### **Images**





# Syndicate Block fire 1916

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13999

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.69
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1916

Physical Description: 4.25" x 2.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph has hole in bottom right corner

Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard) of Lac du Bonnet, MB.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the remains of the Syndicate Block after the fire in January 1916. The building is situated on the southwest corner of Seventh Street and Rosser Avenue. Ice from the firefighting process covers the building. The tailor shop J.S. Laughton & Son (701 Rosser Avenue) can be seen on the north side of Rosser Avenue.

Name Access: 7th Street

Syndicate Block J.S. Laughton & Son

Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: fires

building exteriors

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Storage Location:

RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

#### **Images**



## Nation & Shewan store window

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14003

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection



Description Level: **Item** Series Number: McG9 Item Number: 1-2015.73 Accession Number: 1-2015 GMD: graphic 1914

Physical Description: 6.5" x 4.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Top left corner is bent

History / Biographical:

Date Range:

Erected in 1889, on the southeast corner of Rosser Avenue and 7th Street at 806 Rosser Avenue, this block was designed by Brandon architect W.H. Shillinglaw. At the time of its construction the structure housed the Nation & Shewan Department Store, one of Brandon's largest and most successful drygoods businesses, owned and operated by Fred Nation and Alexander Shewan.

Major improvements were made to the store and an annex was added in 1910. Some of the renovation additions included, but were not limited to, an updated frontage with new copper sash windows and prismatic glass tops, plate glass windows, new fixtures and carpet. With the renovations the floor space of the business was to be almost doubled. The stock of the business also increased, with the Brandon Weekly Sun reporting that when finished, Nation & Shewan would be a "store of which the citizens of Brandon will be justly proud." The drygoods firm operated until Nation's death 1926, when it became known as A. Shewan Limited. From 1933 to 1944, the business was known as Shewan and Son. Shortly thereafter, the Metroplitan Stores Ltd began operating out of the Nation & Shewan Block.

In 2000, the Town Centre prepared to knock down the Red Apple Building, formerly the Nation & Shewan Block. The demolition was to make way for the new atrium and entrance for the mall, and begin a new period of redevelopment at the downtown shopping centre.

[History/Bio written by Christy Henry (SJ McKee Archives) and Eileen Trott (Daly House Museum), researched by Morganna Maylon, for 2015 photographic exhibition "Gowen's Brandon: Then and Now".]

Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard) of Lac du Bonnet, MB.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a display of women's clothing and accessories in the window at Nation & Shewan. A sign reads: 1914 Spring Opening commences on Wednesday March 25th.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Mrs. E. Harden, 33-10th St.,

> City. According to the Henderson's Brandon City Directories, Catharine "Kate" Harden (nee Chalmers) worked as a cashier at Nation & Shewan

from 1913 to 1914.

Name Access: Nation & Shewan

Kate Harden

Subject Access: building exteriors

advertising

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Storage Location:

RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

## **Images**





# Coombs & Stewart general store c. 1881

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13756

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.67Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphic

Date Range: c.1881

Physical Description: 6.5" x 5" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph is stained and water damaged. A newspaper clipping about

William (Billy) Muir is glued to the top left hand corner of the mat. The image is exfoliated in the right hand corner. The negative has been

reverse printed.

History / Biographical:

Coombs & Stewart opened the first general store in Brandon in 1881, which was located on 6th Street and Pacific Avenue. According to G.F. Barker (Brandon: A City, 1977, 291), William (Billy) Muir worked at the store until he opened his own grocery store in 1888.

**Custodial History:** 

Donated to Fred McGuinness by Allena Strath (nee Coombs).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Coombs & Stewart general store located on the corner of Pacific Avenue and 6th Street. A group of men pose in front of the wood-framed store.

Notes: Back of photograph reads: One of first stores in Brandon, Coombs...[?]

Name Access: Coombs & Stewart

Pacific Avenue

6th Street

Wm. Muir General Grocer

Subject Access: Pioneers

general stores
building exteriors
store exteriors

horses

grocery stores

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1E13

## **Images**





## Winter Fair Arena viewbook postcard

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13884

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Printed by Photogelatine Engraving Co. Ltd., Ottawa

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.194Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1920s

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

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the exterior of the Winter Fair Arena on 10th Street.

Notes: Part of "Souvenir of Brandon, Manitoba, Canada [viewbook], Printed by

Photogelatine Engraving Co. Limited, Ottawa." Dates obtained from the Burchill's Music Store Henderson's Brandon City Directory listings (1927-1929). Writing on the front of the photograph reads: Winter Fair Arena,

Brandon, Man.

Name Access: Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

Winter Fair Building

Subject Access: fairs

winter fairs street scenes building exteriors

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 photos

#### **Images**



# Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede - Parade Day 7

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14148

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Howard Heid, Medicine Hat News



Description Level: **Item** Series Number: McG9 Item Number: 1-2015.217 Accession Number: 1-2015 GMD: graphic 1962

10" x 8" (b/w) Physical Description:

History / Biographical:

Date Range:

The Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade Day was held on Thursday, July 19, 1962, at 9:30 a.m. The local newspaper reported that approximately 24,000 people were in attendance to see parade marshall Rod Ashburner leading 175 entries consisting of 90 floats, 75 horses, and 10 bands. There were 19 parade categories eligible for \$12,000 in prize money and included: junior and senior cowboys and cowgirls; fancy and Shetland ponies; sulky class open; comic, commercial, industrial and organizational floats; decorated cars; special ranch class; 4-H Clubs; and a non-competitive class.

The parade route started at Second St. and Allowance Ave., from Second St. to Ash Ave., north on Ash to First St. SE., from First St. S.E. to Fourth Ave., south to Second St. to South Railway St., south on South Railway St. to Third St., with a finish at McLeod Trail. A route map was published in the Medicine Hat News the day before the parade.

Aerial photographs of the parade were taken by Medicine Hat News photographer Howard Heid (1930-2005) from the private helicopter of John Bourn. Bourn was a pilot from Woodville, Wisconsin, who chartered his four-seater helicopter for sight-seers at exhibitions and stampedes across the county.

(Sources: Pat Currie, "Let 'Er Go!," Medicine Hat News, 19 July 1962,1; Harald Gunderson, "'Eye in the Sky' Best Parade View," Medicine Hat News, 19 July 1962,1; "Parade Starts at 9:30 Sharp," 18 July 1962)

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an aerial view of the Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade route with a focus on the First Street SE and Sixth Avenue intersection. A number of gas stations and garages are visible along this route and include Texaco, Shell, Ford, and B/A. A number of observers can be seen sitting on rooftops.

Notes: This photograph shows the neighbourhood before rezoning and

commercial development.

Name Access: Medicine Hat

South Saskatchewan River

Subject Access: parades

floats

aerial photography

aerial views street scenes

garages

Repro Restriction: Subject to Canadian Copyright Law

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family photos

#### **Images**





# Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede - Parade Day 8

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14149

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Howard Heid, Medicine Hat News

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.218
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1962

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

History /
Biographical:

The Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade Day was held on Thursday, July 19, 1962, at 9:30 a.m. The local newspaper reported that approximately 24,000 people were in attendance to see parade marshall Rod Ashburner leading 175 entries consisting of 90 floats, 75 horses, and 10 bands. There were 19 parade categories eligible for \$12,000 in prize money and included: junior and senior cowboys and cowgirls; fancy and Shetland ponies; sulky class open; comic, commercial, industrial and organizational floats; decorated cars; special ranch class; 4-H Clubs; and a non-competitive class.

The parade route started at Second St. and Allowance Ave., from Second St. to Ash Ave., north on Ash to First St. S.E., from First St. S.E. to Fourth Ave., south to Second St. to South Railway St., south on South Railway St. to Third St., with a finish at McLeod Trail. A route map was published in the Medicine Hat News the day before the parade.

Aerial photographs of the parade were taken by Medicine Hat News photographer Howard Heid (1930-2005) from the private helicopter of John Bourn. Bourn was a pilot from Woodville, Wisconsin, who chartered his four-seater helicopter for sight-seers at exhibitions and stampedes across the county.

(Sources: Pat Currie, "Let 'Er Go!," Medicine Hat News, 19 July 1962,1; Harald Gunderson, "'Eye in the Sky' Best Parade View," Medicine Hat News, 19 July 1962,1; "Parade Starts at 9:30 Sharp," 18 July 1962)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an aerial view of the Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade route, with a focus on Second Street SE. Visible store signs include: Gardener's Used Cars, Provincial Treasury Branch, Furvey's Furniture and Appliances, J.J. Moore & Son Furniture, Alberta Credit Jewellers, James Richardson & Sons, Medicine Hat Gas Power Water City Owned Utilities.

Notes: This photograph shows the neighbourhood before rezoning and

commercial development.

Name Access: Medicine Hat

South Saskatchewan River

Subject Access: parades

floats

aerial photography

aerial views street scenes garages

Repro Restriction: Subject to Canadian Copyright Law

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family photos

### **Images**





# Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede - Parade Day 4

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14145

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Howard Heid, Medicine Hat News

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.214

Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1962

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

History / Biographical:

The Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade Day was held on Thursday, July 19, 1962, at 9:30 a.m. The local newspaper reported that approximately 24,000 people were in attendance to see parade marshall Rod Ashburner leading 175 entries consisting of 90 floats, 75 horses, and 10 bands. There were 19 parade categories eligible for \$12,000 in prize money and included: junior and senior cowboys and cowgirls; fancy and Shetland ponies; sulky class open; comic, commercial, industrial and organizational floats; decorated cars; special ranch class; 4-H Clubs; and a non-competitive class.

The parade route started at Second St. and Allowance Ave., from Second St. to Ash Ave., north on Ash to First St. S.E., from First St. S.E. to Fourth Ave., south to Second St. to South Railway St., south on South Railway St. to Third St., with a finish at McLeod Trail. A route map was published in the Medicine Hat News the day before the parade.

Aerial photographs of the parade were taken by Medicine Hat News photographer Howard Heid (1930-2005) from the private helicopter of John Bourn. Bourn was a pilot from Woodville, Wisconsin, who chartered his four-seater helicopter for sight-seers at exhibitions and stampedes across the county.

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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an aerial view of the Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade route with a focus on the First Street SE. A number of gas stations and garages are visible along this route and include Texaco, Shell, Ford, and B/A. The Fraternal Order of Eagles lodge is also visible.

Notes: This photograph appeared on the front page of The Medicine Hat News

(19 July 1962).

Name Access: Medicine Hat

South Saskatchewan River

Subject Access: parades

floats

aerial photography

aerial views street scenes

fraternal organizations

garages

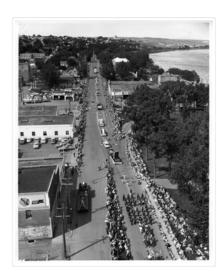
Repro Restriction: Subject to Canadian Copyright Law

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family photos

## **Images**





## Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede - Parade Day 6

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14147

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Howard Heid, Medicine Hat News

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.216

Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1962

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

History /
Biographical:

The Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade Day was held on Thursday, July 19, 1962, at 9:30 a.m. The local newspaper reported that approximately 24,000 people were in attendance to see parade marshall Rod Ashburner leading 175 entries consisting of 90 floats, 75 horses, and 10 bands. There were 19 parade categories eligible for \$12,000 in prize money and included: junior and senior cowboys and cowgirls; fancy and Shetland ponies; sulky class open; comic, commercial, industrial and organizational floats; decorated cars; special ranch class; 4-H Clubs; and a non-competitive class.

The parade route started at Second St. and Allowance Ave., from Second St. to Ash Ave., north on Ash to First St. S.E., from First St. S.E. to Fourth Ave., south to Second St. to South Railway St., south on South Railway St. to Third St., with a finish at McLeod Trail. A route map was published in the Medicine Hat News the day before the parade.

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(Sources: Pat Currie, "Let 'Er Go!," Medicine Hat News, 19 July 1962,1; Harald Gunderson, "Eye in the Sky' Best Parade View," Medicine Hat News, 19 July 1962,1; "Parade Starts at 9:30 Sharp," 18 July 1962)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an aerial view of the Medicine Hat Exhibition and Stampede Parade route with a focus on the First Street SE and and the South Railway Street merge. A number of gas stations and garages are visible along this route and include Texaco, Shell, Ford, and B/A. The Fraternal Order of Eagles lodge is also visible.

Notes: This photograph shows the neighbourhood before rezoning and

commercial development.

Name Access: Medicine Hat

South Saskatchewan River

Subject Access: parades

floats

aerial photography

aerial views street scenes gardens

fraternal organizations

garages

Repro Restriction: Subject to Canadian Copyright Law

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family photos

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# Brandon Fire Station No.2 with wooden exterior

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13995

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photography: J.W. Wilson Co., 143 Queen W., Toronto

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:1-2015.65Accession Number:1-2015GMD:graphicDate Range:[1913]

Physical Description: 7" x 5" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Matting is bent

Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard) of Lac du Bonnet, MB.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the wooden exterior of Brandon Fire Hall No. 2 before it was covered with a brick veneer. The firemen are standing outside the bay doors which are open and blocked with rope. The hose wagon and ladder wagon are parked inside the building. The harnesses for the horses are suspended from the ceiling.

Notes: Writing on the back of photograph reads: Mrs. Ed Harden. No. 2 Firehall,

600 Block 11th Street, Brandon, Man. This picture is the same as the negative in the Lawrence Stuckey collection. Stuckey obtained a copy of the photo from George Lepard, father of Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard).

Name Access: Brandon Fire Department

Fire Station No. 2

Brandon Fire Department Personnel

Brandon fire halls

Subject Access: Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Brandon Fire Department Stations & Equipment

fire halls

fire engines

building exteriors

firefighters

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1F6

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

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## Brandon Fire Station No.2

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13996

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Martel's Limited Brandon

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.66

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1913-1919]

Physical Description: 7" x 4.75" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard) of Lac du Bonnet,

Notes: Photograph shows two horse-drawn fire wagons in front of the Brandon

Fire Station No. 2. One wagon has a hose, the other wagon has an extension ladder. Fireman Ed Harden is on the reins of the ladder truck (right). Writing on the back of photograph reads: Contributed by Mrs. Ed Harden. 6th Street North, 11th & McTavish Ave, Fire Hall - now School Bd

office.

This picture is the same as the negative in the Lawrence Stuckey collection. Stuckey obtained a copy of the photo from George Lepard,

father of Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard).

Name Access: Brandon Fire Department

Fire Station No. 2

Brandon Fire Department Personnel

Brandon fire halls

Ed Harden

Brandon Fire Department Ladder Wagon

Subject Access: Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Brandon Fire Department Stations & Equipment

fire halls

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Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1F6

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

**Images** 





## Brandon Fire Department nominal roll

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13997

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: Clark J. Smith

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.67
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1912

Physical Description: 5" x 7" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski (nee Lepard) of Lac du Bonnet, MB.

Scope and Content:

According the 1911 Henderson's Brandon City Directory, the Brandon Fire Department - headquartered at Seventh Street and Princess Avenue - had 16 permanent firemen. For equipment the department had one steamer, two chemicals, two hose wagons, one hose reel, one aerial aldder, one hook and ladder wagon, and 10 horses. The city had 34 electric fire alarm boxes and 114 fire hydrants. The pumping station had a capacity of 3.5 million gallons in 24 hours. By 1913, the Brandon Fire Department had 19 permanent employees on its roster and added 2 more horses as well as an 80 horsepower combination motor truck.

Notes:

Photograph shows a pictorial nominal roll of the 18 members of the 1912 Brandon Fire Department. A logo of crossed hoses, axes, ladder, and helmet adorn the centre of the photo. The Cornell Trophy for the Brandon Fire Brigade is pictured at the top centre. Photos of two building fires are featured at the top corners. The Central Fire Hall and No. 2 Fire Hall are pictured at the bottom corners.

Members include: D. McDonald, T. Flowers, E. Harden, J. Adams, J. Daniel, Lt. A. Mowat, T. Calder, A.E. Elborne (secretary), F. Benson, A. Mair?, T. Dunnett, A. Flett, J. Todd, Lt. G. Taylor, M. Watson, A. Thomas [Calder?], Capt. R. Daley, Chief J. Melhuish, Eng. E. Boyes. Also pictured are Mayor J.W. Fleming and Alderman C.B.Coleman (chairman).

Name Access: Brandon Fire Department

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Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1F13

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

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