

# 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**





# 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:graphicDate 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**





# Royal George Hotel

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13712

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.22Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1912

Physical Description: 9.75" x 7.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: photograph is torn and has scotch tape residue

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the exterior of the Royal George Hotel located at 142-6th Street, Brandon. Striped awnings cover the second and third storey windows of the hotel. Dogs roam the sidewalk in front of the hotel. Advertisements cover the fence adjacent to the hotel and include: Fort McMurray town site settlement; Mortgage sale for city property; Starland Theatre featuring Miss Amy Lawrence, Soprano; Sherman Theatre; 15th Annual Horticultural Exhibition

Notes: Date ascertained from 15th Annual Horticultural Exhibition advertisement

posted on fence adjacent to hotel. Address obtained from Henderson's

Brandon City Directory for 1913.

Name Access: Royal George Hotel

Starland Theatre
Sherman Theatre

Horticultural Exhibition

6th Street

Subject Access: hotels

building exteriors

advertising

dogs

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

#### **Images**





### Brandon train station

# http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14273

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection
Creator: Photographer: Frank Gowen

Description Level: Item

 Series Number:
 3-1997.1

 Item Number:
 3-1997.1.75

Accession Number: 3-1997

Other Numbers: Hughes #71

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1905-1911]

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

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph is stained

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a CPR passenger trains at the old Brandon train station. Carts/trolleys appear to be loaded with wooden crates and metal milk containers. Photograph was likely taken from the 8th Street Bridge. The ramp to the 8th Street Bridge can be seen on the ride of the photograph, where residences line Assiniboine Avenue.

Name Access: Assiniboine Avenue - Early Scene

8th Street Bridge

Subject Access: residences

building exteriors residential streets railway stations

railroads

Storage Location: Hughes oversize drawer

#### **Images**



10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9515



Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1EA3(2)

Accession Number: 1-2002
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [196-?]

Physical Description: 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

This image shows various commercial buildings located on the east side of the 100 block of 10th Street.

Businesses shown include the Brandon Chamber of Commerce, Richardson Securities of Canada, Carlton Cafe, and Heming McCallum Jewellers

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey put three negatives and three prints in same envelope. We

have separated them and numbered the negatives EA3(1), EA3(2) and

EA3(3), and the prints EA3(1a), EA3(2a), EA3(3a).]

Name Access: 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

**Brandon Chamber of Commerce** 

Richardson Securities

Carlton Cafe

Heming McCallum Jewellers

Subject Access: businesses

financial services

cafes jewellers

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

# **Images**





# 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9517

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

graphic

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1EA3(3)

Accession Number: 1-2002

Date Range: July 27,1959

Physical Description: 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"

Material Details: Negative

History / Biographical:

GMD:

The Specialty Shop [to the right of the "OK Used Cars" sign] was opened by Ms. Helen Lamont in 1953.

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

This image shows commercial buildings located on the east side of the 100 block of 10th Street.

Businesses shown include Western Motors automobile dealership and a Specialty Shop

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey put three negatives and three prints in same envelope. We

have separated them and numbered the negatives EA3(1), EA3(2) and

EA3(3), and the prints EA3(1a), EA3(2a), EA3(3a).]

Name Access: 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

Western Motors

Subject Access: businesses

automobile dealerships

specialty shops

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

#### **Images**





# 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9518

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1EA3(3a)

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: July 27,1959
Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"
Material Details: Photograph

History / Biographical:

The Specialty Shop [to the right of the "OK Used Cars" sign] was opened by Ms. Helen Lamont in 1953.

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

This image shows commercial buildings located on the east side of the 100 block of 10th Street.

Businesses shown include Western Motors automobile dealership and a Specialty Shop

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey put three negatives and three prints in same envelope. We

have separated them and numbered the negatives EA3(1), EA3(2) and

EA3(3), and the prints EA3(1a), EA3(2a), EA3(3a).]

Name Access: 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

Western Motors

Subject Access: businesses

automobile dealerships

specialty shops

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

#### **Images**





### Street scene 8th Street in winter

# http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13703

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.13Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1906

Physical Description: 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over

time

History / Biographical:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue in the winter. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio. Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton. The Imperial Hotel is visible on the west side of 8th Street. The 8th Street Bridge is visible in the background.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 338, November

1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the southwest corner of 8th

Street and Rosser Avenue.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Frank Gowen Photographer

Liverpool House
Hotel Imperial Annex

8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Aagaard's

R.S. Thompson 8th Street Bridge Bank of Hamilton

Imperial Hotel

Subject Access: Street scene

> downtown storefronts

store exteriors

hotels

boarding houses barber shops restaurants druggists

photographers

bridge banks winter land agents

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

#### **Images**





# 8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13768

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection ltem

Series Number: McG 9 20-2009.79 Item Number: 20-2009 Accession Number: GMD: graphic Date Range: [1906]

Description Level:

Physical Description: 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has

warped over time

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of the northeast intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are parked along the east side of 8th Street. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is standing on a soap box and is surrounded by a crowd in the middle of 8th Street. Another man can be seen standing behind a booth on the northwest street corner. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 297. One

photograph (20-2009.80) is glued below the photograph. Another photograph is glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a

photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Fleming's Drug Store

Frank Gowen Photographer

Liverpool House

Hotel Imperial Annex

8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Aagaard's

R.S. Thompson

8th Street Bridge

Subject Access: Street scene

Transportation

downtown

storefronts

store exteriors

hotels

boarding houses

barber shops

restaurants

druggists

photographers

bridge

horses

dogs

buggies

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

#### **Images**





# 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9513

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1EA3(1)

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: July 27,1959

Physical Description: 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

This image shows various commercial buildings located on the east side of the 100 block of 10th Street.

Businesses shown include the Bank of Montreal, Barclay's Shoe Store, Carlton Cafe, and Ted Heming Jewellers

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey put three negatives and three prints in same envelope. We

have separated them and numbered the negatives EA3(1), EA3(2) and

EA3(3), and the prints EA3(1a), EA3(2a), EA3(3a).]

Name Access: 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

Bank of Montreal

Barclay's Shoe Store

Carlton Cafe

Ted Heming Jewellers

Subject Access: businesses

banks

shoe stores cafes

jewellers

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

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# 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9514

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1EA3(1a)

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: July 27,1959

Physical Description: 3 1/4" x 4 1/2"

Material Details: Photograph

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

This image shows various commercial buildings located on the east side of the 100 block of 10th Street.

Businesses shown include the Bank of Montreal, Barclay's Shoe Store, Carlton Cafe, and Ted Heming Jewellers

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey put three negatives and three prints in same envelope. We

have separated them and numbered the negatives EA3(1), EA3(2) and

EA3(3), and the prints EA3(1a), EA3(2a), EA3(3a).]

Name Access: 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

Bank of Montreal Barclay's Shoe Store

Carlton Cafe

Ted Heming Jewellers

Subject Access: businesses

banks

shoe stores

cafes jewellers

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

#### **Images**





# 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9516

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1EA3(2a)

Accession Number: 1-2002 GMD: graphic

Date Range: July 27,1959

Physical Description: 3 1/4" x 4 1/2"

Material Details: Photograph

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

This image shows various commercial buildings located on the east side of the 100 block of 10th Street.

Businesses shown include the Bank of Montreal, Barclay's Shoe Store, Carlton Cafe, and Ted Heming Jewellers

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey put three negatives and three prints in same envelope. We

have separated them and numbered the negatives EA3(1), EA3(2) and

EA3(3), and the prints EA3(1a), EA3(2a), EA3(3a).]

Name Access: 10th Street Businesses - East Side of 100 Block

Bank of Montreal

Barclay's Shoe Store

Carlton Cafe

Ted Heming Jewellers

Subject Access: businesses

banks

shoe stores

cafes

jewellers

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

#### **Images**





# 8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13701

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

[1906]

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.11

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Physical Description: 6.5" x 4.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Date Range:

Physical Condition: Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has

warped over time

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are travelling on both roads. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is surrounded by a crowd adjacent to the Fleming Block, another man stands on a soap box in the middle of the intersection, while a third man is standing behind a booth. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 7th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 296. One

photograph (20-2009.12) is glued above and two others are glued on the

reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Fleming's Drug Store

Frank Gowen Photographer

Liverpool House

Hotel Imperial Annex

8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Aagaard's

R.S. Thompson

8th Street Bridge

Subject Access: Street scene

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druggists

photographers

bridge

horses

dogs

land agents

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

#### **Images**





# Street scene 8th Street in winter

# http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13704

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.14Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1906

Physical Description: 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over

time

History / Biographical:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue in the winter. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio. Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton. The Imperial Hotel is visible on the west side of 8th Street. The 8th Street Bridge is visible in the background. Men in winter coats and hats are crossing the street at the intersection. A horse-drawn sleigh is parked on 8th Street.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 340, after the storm

November 1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the

southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Frank Gowen Photographer

Liverpool House

Hotel Imperial Annex

8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Aagaard's

R.S. Thompson

8th Street Bridge

Bank of Hamilton

Imperial Hotel

Subject Access: Street scene

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

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