

S. J. McKee Archives



Possible residence on 17th Street

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14040

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.110

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1940

Physical Description: 4" x 3.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is ripped

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a two-storey home with wrap around porch and picket fence. Possibly 337-

17th Street.

Subject Access: residences

street scenes building exteriors

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

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family pictures

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Queen's Hotel on the corner of 10th Street and Rosser Avenue

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13778

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.89

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1883

Physical Description: 7.25" x 4.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Left hand corner of mat is bent. Mock-up instructions are written in pencil

at the bottom right hand corner. Portions of the photograph itself are

marked with pen.

History / Biographical:

The Queen's Hotel was located on the corner of Rosser Avenue and Tenth Street (Steen & Boyce, 1882. Brandon, Manitoba, Canada and Her Industries. Steen & Boyce Publishers Printers & Binders, 81.). Therefore this photo appears to display Rosser Avenue looking east. P.E. 11/06/09

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows early Rosser Avenue under construction between 9th Street and 10th Street in the 1880s. Buildings that line the avenue are wood framed and there are wooden boardwalks in front of a few structures. On the north side of Rosser Avenue signs for Fortier & Bucke Commission Agents and Transit House (Hotel) can be seen. On the south side of Rosser Avenue, the Queen's Hotel and Robinson Brothers and Company groceries and dry goods store are open for business. A family appears to be standing on the stoop at the dry goods store. A boy is lounging in the entryway of the Queen's Hotel. A man is standing on a wooden plank that extends across the dirt road of Rosser Avenue between the dry goods store and the commission agents' shop.

Notes: The back of the photograph reads: FRED McGUINNESS

Name Access: Queen's Hotel

Rosser Avenue

Fortier & Bucke Commision Agents

Transit House

Robinson Brothers and Company

Subject Access: downtown

construction

Brandon Street Scenes Before 1940

hotels

hardware stores street scenes store exteriors building exteriors grocery stores general stores dry goods

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1C17

Images





Residence

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14011

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Printed: AZO [postcards]

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.81

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1910s]

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

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Postcard is bent, inked stained, and has emulsion artifacts

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a wood-framed bungalow with ornamental woodwork on the porch and roof. The home has a wooden picket fence. A woman and child are seated on one side of the ballustrade and a woman in an overcoat and hat is seated on either side of the ballustrade. Neighbouring homes are also visible.

Subject Access: street scenes

residences

building exteriors

women children

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

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family pictures

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Sewer pipe installation along 700 block of Rosser Avenue

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13736

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.46

Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date Range: ca. 1906

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

Material Details: on matting

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

time

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block, along which sewer pipe is being laid. Visible buildings and businesses include: The Fleming Block with Lowes Brothers Clothing and Manitoba Farmers Hedge and Wire Fence Company, the Beaubier Block and its Empire Hotel, A.M. Percival (a grocer), the Brandon Hardware Company (600 block), and the Arlington Hotel (500 block) are visible along the north side of the avenue. The Bank of Hamilton Building is on the southeast corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 290. Page appears

to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Empire Hotel

D.W. Beaubier Block

A.M. Percival

Brandon Hardware Company

Arlington Hotel

Lowes Brothers Clothing

Subject Access: Street scene

downtown grocers storefronts

building exteriors

sewage

construction

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

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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:graphic

Date 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

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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: Custodial History:

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

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.

on matting

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

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:

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Brandon Fire Station No.2 exterior

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13993

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.63

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1914

Physical Description: 4.75" x 6.75" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph was removed from a photo album. Photograph is ripped.

History / Biographical:

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 1914, 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.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

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.

Notes: Writing on the back of photograph reads: Ed Harden, Driver on the left,

1914, 11th McTavish. 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 Ladder Wagon

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

horses fire halls fire engines building exteriors

firefighters

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1F12

Images





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: 1-2015.65

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date 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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A.W. Evans & Company Hardware & Implements

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14052

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.122

Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [19--]

Physical Description: 3" x 2" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the storefront of A.W. Evans & Co. Hardware & Implements. A hitching post with an advertisement for Milton Wagons is in front of the store.

Name Access: A.W. Evans & Co.
Subject Access: building exteriors
hardware stores

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

Arrangement:

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A.W. Evans & Company Hardware & Implements

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14053

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.123

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [19--]

Physical Description: 3" x 2" (colour)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the storefront of A.W. Evans & Co. Hardware & Implements. A horse is next to the hitching post that has an advertisement for Hamilton Wagons in front of the store.

Name Access: A.W. Evans & Co.
Subject Access: building exteriors
hardware stores

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

Arrangement:

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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

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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: 20-2009.67

Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: 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

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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:
 20-2009.181

 Accession Number:
 20-2009

 GMD:
 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

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Brandon College viewbook postcard

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

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

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

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

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

Date Range: 1920s

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

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

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

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Brandon University postcard

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13865

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

 Item Number:
 20-2009.175

 Accession Number:
 20-2009

 GMD:
 graphic

 Date Range:
 1980s

Physical Description: 5.75" x 3.75" (colour)

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Postcard is of buildings at Brandon University, including Clark Hall and the Original Building prior to the renovations, McMasater Hall, and the Q.E.II School of Music building.

Notes: Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Brandon University. Back of the

postcard reads: (Top Left) Brandon University original building

(Administration Center.), Bottom Left) Queen Elizabeth II Music Building, (Right) McMaster Hall Residence; Photo by Sandy Black; Printed in

Brandon, Manitoba, Canada, by Leech Printing Ltd.

Name Access: Brandon University

McMaster Hall
Clark Hall

Queen Elizabeth Il Music Building

School of Music

Subject Access: Buildings

building exteriors

universities

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

Repro Restriction: Canadian Copyright restrictions apply. Consult the Archivist.

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #1 File 13 Sunbeams

Images





Dominion Exhibition Display Building II and midway

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13726

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.36Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1913

Physical Description: 4.5" x 3.75" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the midway at the 1913 Dominion Fair. Attractions include California Orange Juice stand and Patterson's Animal Trainer Show. The Dominion Exhibition Display Building II can be seen in the background.

Notes: Photograph appears to be a part of a sequence of photographs, see 20-

2009.30 to 20-2009.40

Name Access: Dominion Fair

Dominion Exhibition

Dominion Exhibition Display Building II

Dome Building

Subject Access: fairs

exhibitions

building exteriors

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

Images





Royal George Hotel

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

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

1912

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.22
Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic

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

Physical Condition: photograph is torn and has scotch tape residue

Scope and Content:

Date Range:

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 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

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

fire engines

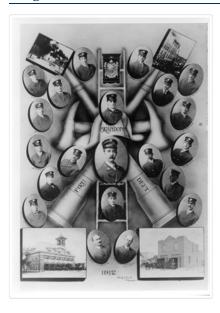
building exteriors

firefighters

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1F13

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Christmas Tree Farm - house, closeup

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14184

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.253

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1980s-1990s]

Physical Description: 5.25 " x 3.5" (colour)

History /

Biographical:

Fred McGuinness is popularly known for his work as the prairie essayist for CBC Radio's Morningside with Peter Gzowski, a position he held for 17 years. Many of McGuinness' Morningside essays were autobiographical in nature. He often reported about life on Christmas Tree Farm, a section of land where he and his wife, Christine, built their dream home in the late 1970s. The couple planted a Christmas tree farm on the property and Christine maintained an extensive kitchen garden, while Fred tended honey bees. Life on the farm made its way into radiobroadcasts, Neighborly News columns, and the book "Letters from Section 17: A Collection of Morningside Essays" (Winnipeg: Great Plains Publishing, 1999).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an overview of the house on the McGuinness property, Christmas Tree Farm, Section 17.

Notes: See McG 9 1-2015.249 corresponding negative #7

Name Access: Christmas Tree Farm

Section 17

Subject Access: residences

farms trees winter

building exteriors

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

Arrangement: RR #8 photos

Images





Christmas Tree Farm - house, overview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14185

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.254

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1980s-1990s]

Physical Description: 5.25 " x 3.5" (colour)

History / Biographical:

Fred McGuinness is popularly known for his work as the prairie essayist for CBC Radio's Morningside with Peter Gzowski, a position he held for 17 years. Many of McGuinness' Morningside essays were autobiographical in nature. He often reported about life on Christmas Tree Farm, a section of land where he and his wife, Christine, built their dream home in the late 1970s. The couple planted a Christmas tree farm on the property and Christine maintained an extensive kitchen garden, while Fred tended honey bees. Life on the farm made its way into radiobroadcasts, Neighborly News columns, and the book "Letters from Section 17: A Collection of Morningside Essays" (Winnipeg: Great Plains Publishing, 1999).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an overview of the house on the McGuinness property, Christmas Tree Farm, Section 17.

Notes: See McG 9 1-2015.249 corresponding negative #12

Name Access: Christmas Tree Farm

Section 17

Subject Access: residences

farms trees

winter

building exteriors

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

Arrangement: RR #8 photos

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