

# S. J. McKee Archives



### Vivian, Riley, & Gardside Outfit

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13945

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.17
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1882

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details: reproduction

History / Biographical:

Vivian, Riley & Gardside were painters who had an outfit on the east side of 8th Street between Pacific and Rosser Avenues (G.F. Barker, Brandon: A City 1881-1961, Altona: Friesens, 4a)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a five men in three-piece suits and hats standing before canvas tents.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Vivian, Riley & Gardside

Outfit, "The Gang" Brandon, 14th Street, August 1882. Photograph is

stamped Public Archives Canada.

Name Access: 14th Street
Subject Access: Pioneers

boarding houses

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

Arrangement:

See McG 4.1 File 51 William R. Morrison correspondence dated 14 January 1985

### **Images**





### Surveyors' camp, Brandon

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13946

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.18
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1882

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows eleven men posing with theodolites, before wagons and canvas tents

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Surveyors' Camp, Brandon,

June 1882. Photograph is stamped Public Archives Canada.

Subject Access: Pioneers

surveying

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

Arrangement:

See McG 4.1 File 51 William R. Morrison correspondence dated 14 January 1985

### **Images**





### Mrs. Agnes Chalmers (nee Gilmour)

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13981

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.52
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1882

Physical Description: 6.5" x 9.5" (b/w)

Material Details: reprint

Physical Condition: Photograph is bent and torn. Adhesive residue remains on back of

photograph.

History /

Biographical:

Agnes Miller Chalmers (nee Gilmour) (b. 13 Oct 1864; d. 10 Nov 1954, Brandon) immigrated to Canada from Scotland with her husband in 1882. The couple settled in Brandon, Manitoba, where they had nine children: Edward Thomas, Catharine "Kate" (a.k.a. Kate Harden), Samuel, John, Agnes, Frederick, twins Lawrence and Ernest, and Edna.

Her husband, Edward (b. 04 Dec 1858, Leith, Scotland; d. 08 Oct 1926, Brandon), worked as a glazier with a number of shops in Brandon, including McDiarmid and Clark, Rat Portage Lumber Company, and Hanbury Manufacturing Company.

Sources: Canada Census 1911, Manitoba Vital Statistics database, Henderson's Brandon City Directories.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an elderly woman in period dress. The woman is sitting outdoors by a wood-framed building.

Notes: Writing on back photograph reads: ?, Ted Harden, ?, Kate Harden.

Photograph is stamped Crawford's Drug Store, Brandon, Man. [Date

range determined from drug store period.]

Name Access: Agnes Chalmers (nee Gilmour)

Subject Access: Pioneers

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

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

#### **Images**





### Mrs. McVicar, Brandon's first postmistress

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13733

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.43

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1920-1930s]

Physical Description: 3" x 4.75" (b/w)

History / Biographical:

Mrs. McVicar was Brandon's/Grand Valley's first postmistress. Biographical details about Mrs. McVicar can be found in a newspaper clipping [F.A. ROSSER, "Sunbeams – The Birds Dived Down Like Fighters on Gopher," Brandon Sun, September 16, 1978, 3] in McG 4.1 File 67.

Custodial History:

Photograph was brought to Fred McGuinness by Owen Anderson of Cypress River, Manitoba.

Scope and Content:

Photograph is a portrait of Mrs. McVicar sitting outside of her home in Texas.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph consists of greetings and

salutations to the unknown recipients. Photograph "finished by

Edrington's Studio, Weslaco, Texas."

Name Access: Mrs. McVicar
Subject Access: portraits

postmasters
postmistresses
post offices
Pioneers

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

**Images** 





### Homestead of James Darroch in 1883

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13907

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.217Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:c.1883

Physical Description: 5.25" x 4.5" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from Mrs. D. Lee Irvine of Estevan, Saskatchewan.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows James Darroch seated in front of a sod home near Sherwood, North Dakota.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph reads: Home of James Darroch in

1883. (Seven Miles From Sherwood N. Dak.)

Name Access: James Darroch

Subject Access: portraits

Pioneers

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #2

#### **Images**





### Fred McGuinness and Meta McCulloch

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13961

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.33
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 2010

Physical Description: 3.75." x 5.75" (colour)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Fred McGuinness with Meta McCulloch, 103-year-old woman who attended Fred's Memoir Writing Workshop in Hartney, Manitoba on 22 February 2010.

Name Access: Fred McGuinness

Meta McCulloch

Subject Access: workshops

Pioneers

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

#### **Images**





### Uncle Edd portrait

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13983

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: J.A. Brock & Co.

Description Level: ltem Series Number: McG 9 Item Number: 1-2015.54 Accession Number: 1-2015 GMD: graphic 1884-1889 Date Range: Physical Description: 4" x 5.5" (b/w) Material Details: on matting

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a man in a three-piece suit with watch fob posing for a studio portait. The man is standing with his left arm drapped on a bench made of driftwood, a woodland scene is painted on the backdrop.

Notes: Writing on back photograph reads: Uncle Edd. [Date range determined

from photo studio period.]

Name Access: Edward Harden

Subject Access: Pioneers

portraits

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

Related Material: See McG 1-2015.55

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

#### **Images**





# Uncle Edd tin type

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13984

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: [Photographer: J.A. Brock & Co.]

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.55
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1884-1889]

Physical Description: 4" x 5.5" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a two men in three-piece suits posing for a studio portait. One man is standing with his right arm resting on the shoulder of a seated man. Both men are holding their hats in their hands. A woodland scene is painted on the backdrop.

Notes: Writing on back photograph reads: Uncle Edd. [Date range determined

from photo studio period. The backdrop is consistent with the cabinet photograph of the same man in this collection, see 1-2015.54.]

Name Access: Edward Harden

Subject Access: portraits

Pioneers

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

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

#### **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: 20-2009.13

Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date 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**





### Wright & Wright, Brandon

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13949

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.21
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1882

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows four men posing in front of a wood-framed shop on 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. The men are wearing three-piece suits or vests and long-sleeved shirts. A painted sign above the shop reads: Wright & Wright, Hamilton Stove & Tin Store. Hanging from the exterior walls are various tin items for sale: lantern, ladel, dust pan, pots and pans.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Corner of 8th & Rosser.

Photograph is stamped Public Archives Canada.

Name Access: 8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: Pioneers

store exteriors

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

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

Related Material: LAC, Mikan 3194057

Arrangement:

See McG 4.1 File 51 William R. Morrison correspondence dated 14 January 1985

### **Images**



### Catherine Stuckey (nee Gilmour) and friend Ada

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13985

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: J.A. Brock & Co.



Description Level: ltem McG 9 Series Number: Item Number: 1-2015.56 Accession Number: 1-2015 GMD: graphic Date Range: [1884-1889] Physical Description: 4" x 5.5" (b/w) Material Details: on matting

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows two women in period dress posing for a formal cabinet portrait. The woman on the left, wearing a gown and straw hat, stands while holding what appears to be a rolled-up periodical. The woman on the right is seated in an upholstered chair with tassles and holds her purse on her lap.

Notes: Advertisement on back photograph reads: J.A. Brock & Co., Artistic

Photography, Brandon, Manitoba, Instantaneous Process Used Exclusively, Duplicates Can Be Had At Any Time, Negative, Preserved for Future Orders. [Date range determined from photo studio period The backdrop is consistent with the cabinet photograph of another family in

this collection, see 1-2015.57.]

Name Access: Catherine Stuckey

Subject Access: Pioneers

portraits women

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection, unprocessed photographs

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

#### **Images**





### Formal family portrait

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13986

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: J.A. Brock & Co.

Description Level: Series Number: McG 9 Item Number: 1-2015.57 Accession Number: 1-2015 GMD: graphic Date Range: [1886-1889] Physical Description: 4" x 5.5" (b/w) Material Details: on matting Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a family of six posing for a formal cabinet portrait. The father wears a three-piece suit and stands with his four children, two boys and two girls. The mother is seated in a tassled upholstered chair. The boys appear to be wearing the same suit jacket, both girls wear lace collars.

Notes: Advertisement on back photograph reads: Portraits in Oil, Water, Colors,

Crayon, Pastel and India Ink. J.A. Brock & Co. Photographers, Brandon, Manitoba. Duplicates of all Photos to be had at any time. [Date range determined from photo studio period. The backdrop is consistent with

another cabinet photograph in this collection, see 1-2015.56.]

Name Access: Catherine Stuckey

Subject Access: Pioneers

portraits women

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

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

**Images** 





### 8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

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

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.11

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1906]

Physical Description: 6.5" x 4.25" (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 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

Transportation

downtown storefronts

store exteriors

hotels

boarding houses

barber shops

restaurants

druggists

photographers

bridge

horses

dogs

land agents

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

### **Images**



# Apothecaries Hall, Brandon

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13947

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9



Item Number: 1-2015.19

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1882

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows eight men posing in front of a wood-framed building on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Above the building's entrance is a painted sign that reads: Apothecaries' Hall. A. Fleming, Druggist is painted in the window above the door. Street signs designating 8th Street and Rosser Avenue are affixed to the building. A transit/theodolite is mounted on a tripod in front of the store.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph reads: Corner 8th St and Rosser

Ave May 1882. Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Corner 8th St and Rosser, May 1882, Apthecaries' Hall, A. Fleming, Druggist.

Photograph is stamped Public Archives Canada.

Name Access: A. Fleming

Apothecaries' Hall

Subject Access: Pioneers

surveying druggists

store exteriors

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

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

Related Material: LAC, Mikan 3194058

Arrangement:

See McG 4.1 File 51 William R. Morrison correspondence dated 14 January 1985

#### **Images**



Mrs. Osmond (of Harding, MB) in her kitchen



### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14164

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection Creator: Photographer: Burton Strange

Description Level: ltem Series Number: McG9 Item Number: 1-2015.233 Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic 1974

3.25" x 4.5" (b/w) Physical Description: Physical Condition: Photograph is stained

History / Biographical:

Date Range:

Mrs. Hilda Rosa Osmond (nee Bridgeman) was born in Hampshire, England in 1888 to parents Edwin Samuel Bridgeman (b.16 Jul 1852; d. 19 June 1922, Brandon) and Rosa Holkham (b. 26 Mar 1859; d. 27 May 1927, Brandon). Edwin was a sailor and Rosa was a dressmaker.

Following the death of her brother Edwin Frederick Bridgeman (1886-1890), the family immigrated to Canada in 1891. The Bridgeman's took the train to Griswold, Manitoba, and settled near Edwin's brother, Albert Bridgeman, and together they farmed the N 1/2 of 36-12-23. The Bridgeman's had three more children, Ellen Grace (b. 27 Jan 1893; d. 22 Feb 1893), Harry Volantine/Valentine (b. 14 Feb 1894), and Charlie Cuthbert (b. 03 Aug 1896; d. 25 Aug 1901). Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bridgeman retired in 1913 and moved to Brandon where they lived until their respective deaths. The couple are interred in the Brandon Municipal Cemetery.

Hilda married William Arthur Osmond (b. 1867; d. 26 Oct 1943) of Baisingstoke, England, on 31 Jan 1913. They had a daughter Nellie who later married Glen Mossey. The family continued to farm the property on section 36.

Hilda Rosa Osmond passed away in 1980 at the age of 91. She is interred in the Greenwood Cemetery near Harding, Manitoba, where her husband and siblings also rest.

(Sources: England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah: FamilySearch, 2013 [online]; Findagrave.com; Harding History Committee, Home to Harding 1879-1981 (Brandon: Leech Printing, 1981; Manitoba Vital Statistics Database)

Custodial History:

Photograph given to Fred McGuinness by Burton Strange of Kenton, 25 Nov 1974 Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Mrs. Osmond sitting at a kitchen table with a cup of coffee before her.

Notes: Label accompanying photograph reads: Mrs. Osmond, a resume of the

good days over a cup of coffee

Name Access: Hilda Rosa Osmond

Hilda Osmond

Harding, Manitoba

Subject Access: kitchens

building interiors

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

### **Images**





# Mrs. Osmond (of Harding, MB) with dog and tractor

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14165

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: Burton Strange

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.234
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1974

Physical Description: 3.25" x 4.5" (b/w)
Physical Condition: Photograph is stained

History / Biographical:

Mrs. Hilda Rosa Osmond (nee Bridgeman) was born in Hampshire, England in 1888 to parents Edwin Samuel Bridgeman (b.16 Jul 1852; d. 19 June 1922, Brandon) and Rosa Holkham (b. 26 Mar 1859; d. 27 May 1927, Brandon). Edwin was a sailor and Rosa was a dressmaker.

Following the death of her brother Edwin Frederick Bridgeman (1886-1890), the family immigrated to Canada in 1891. The Bridgeman's took the train to Griswold, Manitoba, and settled near Edwin's brother, Albert Bridgeman, and together they farmed the N 1/2 of 36-12-23. The Bridgeman's had three more children, Ellen Grace (b. 27 Jan 1893; d. 22 Feb 1893), Harry Volantine/Valentine (b. 14 Feb 1894), and Charlie Cuthbert (b. 03 Aug 1896; d. 25 Aug 1901). Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bridgeman retired in 1913 and moved to Brandon where they lived until their respective deaths. The couple are interred in the Brandon Municipal Cemetery.

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Custodial History:

Photograph given to Fred McGuinness by Burton Strange of Kenton, 25 Nov 1974 Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Mrs. Osmond and her dog in front of her tractor that she purchased in 1947.

Notes: Label accompanying photograph reads: Mrs. Osmond tractor & dog

Name Access: Hilda Rosa Osmond

Hilda Osmond

Harding, Manitoba

Subject Access: dogs

Tractors farming

Pioneers

Storage Location:

RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 49

**Images** 





### Street scene 8th Street in winter

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

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: ltem

Series Number: McG9

Item Number: 20-2009.14 20-2009 Accession Number:

graphic 1906 Date Range:

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 /

GMD:

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

downtown

storefronts

store exteriors

hotels

boarding houses

barber shops

restaurants

druggists

photographers

bridges

banks

winter

Transportation

sleighs

storms

land agents

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

**Images** 





### 10th Street, Brandon

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13948

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.20
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1882

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows seven men posing in front of a wood-framed shack on 10th Street. The men are wearing three-piece suits or vests and long-sleeved shirts. One man can be seen holding an axe another a saw. A double ox-team wagon is in front of the structure.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: 10th St. May 1882,

Brandon. Photograph is stamped Public Archives Canada.

Name Access: 10th Street
Subject Access: Pioneers

store exteriors

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

wagons Ox wagons

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

Arrangement:

See McG 4.1 File 51 William R. Morrison correspondence dated 14 January 1985

### **Images**





# Bridgeman-Osmond homestead - Harding, Manitoba

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Physical Description: 6.25" x 4" (b/w)

History / Biographical:

Mrs. Hilda Rosa Osmond (nee Bridgeman) was born in Hampshire, England in 1888 to parents Edwin Samuel Bridgeman (b.16 Jul 1852; d. 19 June 1922, Brandon) and Rosa Holkham (b. 26 Mar 1859; d. 27 May 1927, Brandon). Edwin was a sailor and Rosa was a dressmaker.

Following the death of her brother Edwin Frederick Bridgeman (1886-1890), the family immigrated to Canada in 1891. The Bridgeman's took the train to Griswold, Manitoba, and settled near Edwin's brother, Albert Bridgeman, and together they farmed the N 1/2 of 36-12-23. The Bridgeman's had three more children, Ellen Grace (b. 27 Jan 1893; d. 22 Feb 1893), Harry Volantine/Valentine (b. 14 Feb 1894), and Charlie Cuthbert (b. 03 Aug 1896; d. 25 Aug 1901). Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bridgeman retired in 1913 and moved to Brandon where they lived until their respective deaths. The couple are interred in the Brandon Municipal Cemetery.

Hilda married William Arthur Osmond (b. 1867; d. 26 Oct 1943) of Baisingstoke, England, on 31 Jan 1913. They had a daughter Nellie who later married Glen Mossey. The family continued to farm the property on section 36.

Hilda Rosa Osmond passed away in 1980 at the age of 91. She is interred in the Greenwood Cemetery near Harding, Manitoba, where her husband and siblings also rest.

(Sources: England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah: FamilySearch, 2013 [online]; Findagrave.com; Harding History Committee, Home to Harding 1879-1981 (Brandon: Leech Printing, 1981); Manitoba Vital Statistics Database)

Custodial History:

Photograph given to Fred McGuinness by Burton Strange of Kenton, 25 Nov 1974

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a field stone house builty in 1901 by Edwin and Rosa Bridgeman near Harding, Manitoba. Edwin and Rosa Bridgeman are pictured on the right with Harry and Charlie, shortly before Charlie's death. Hilda sits atop the horse. Albert Bridgeman is pictured on the right with a horse team.

Notes: Photograph was published in the community history by Harding History

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