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McGuinness family

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14042

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Creator: | Printed: Crawford Drug Store, Brandon |
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 1-2015.112 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1943 |
| Physical Description: | 3.25" x 2" (b/w) |
| Scope and Content: | |

Photograph shows the McGuinness family women posing with Fred McGuinness who is wearing his Royal Canadian Navy uniform

| Notes: | Back of the photograph is stamped: Crawford Drug Store, Nov 30, 1943, Brandon, Man. |
|-------------------|---|
| Name Access: | Fred McGuinness |
| | Frederick George McGuinness |
| | Royal Canadian Navy |
| Subject Access: | World War II |
| | uniforms |
| | military |
| | military people & associations |
| | military personnel |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) |
| Arrangomont: | |

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family pictures





Graham Robertson in Cirencester, England

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14045

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 1-2015.115 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1943 |
| Physical Description: | 1.75" x 2.5" (b/w) |
| Scope and Content: | |

Photograph shows a man in military uniform walking down a commercial street. A military convoy is making its way down the road.

| Notes: | Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Cirencester - Spartan - 8 Mar '43 |
|-------------------|---|
| Name Access: | Graham Robertson |
| Subject Access: | World War II |
| | uniforms |
| | military |
| | military people & associations |
| | military personnel |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) |
| Arrangement: | |

McG RR #8 [corr.] see McG 1.2 file 18





Fred McGuinness in uniform

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14043

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 1-2015.113 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [1940s] |
| Physical Description: | 2.75" x 4.25" (b/w) |
| Scope and Content: | |

Photograph shows the McGuinness in his navy uniform on the deck of a ship, possibly the HMCS Alachasse.

| Name Access: | Fred McGuinness | |
|-------------------|---|--|
| | Frederick George McGuinness | |
| | Royal Canadian Navy | |
| Subject Access: | World War II | |
| | uniforms | |
| | military | |
| | military people & associations | |
| | military personnel | |
| | ships | |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) | |
| Arrangement: | | |

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family pictures





Fred McGuinness in traction in hospital

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14044

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 1-2015.114 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1941-1942 |
| Physical Description: | 2.5" x 3" (b/w) |
| | |

History /

Biographical:

On 23 September 1940, McGuinness was seriously injured in a naval accident when his ship ran aground; McGuinness' leg was broken when the ship's tow cable snapped and he spent the next 11 months convalescing at Camp Hill Hospital in Halifax, Nova Scotia. While in hospital McGuinness contracted scarlet fever and diphtheria and developed osteomyelitis as a complication of his femur facture. McGuinness returned to Winnipeg to continue his convalescence at Deer Lodge Hospital and was ultimately discharged from the navy in 1941.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Fred McGuinness in traction in a hospital bed, possibly at Camp Hill Hospital.

| Name Access: | Fred McGuinness | |
|----------------------|---|--|
| | Frederick George McGuinness | |
| | Royal Canadian Navy | |
| Subject Access: | World War II | |
| | uniforms | |
| | military | |
| | military people & associations | |
| | military personnel | |
| | ships | |
| | hospitals | |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) | |
| Arrangement: | | |
| BR #3 Family picture | 25 | |





Officers "A" Co. 95th Battalion: Manitoba Grenadiers

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9123

| Part Of: | RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Creator: | W.H. Irwin |
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | 3.1 |
| Item Number: | 1-2002.3.1AG1 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2002 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [189-] |
| Physical Description: | 3 1/2" x 5" |
| Material Details: | Negative |
| | |

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Officers of "A" Company, 95th Battalion: Manitoba Grenadiers

| Name Access: | Officers of A. Company, 95th Battalion, Manitoba Grenadiers |
|--------------------|---|
| Subject Access: | armed forces |
| | army |
| | military personnel |
| | military officers |
| | Brandon military people & associations |
| Repro Restriction: | The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials. |
| Storage Location: | Lawrence Stuckey collection |





Camp Shilo

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9126

| Part Of: | RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | 3.1 |
| Item Number: | 1-2002.3.1AG4 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2002 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | July 1940 |
| Physical Description: | 3 1/2" x 5" |
| Material Details: | Negative |
| Custodial History: | |

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

Scope and Content:

Camp Shilo, Manitoba

| Notes: | Aerial view - mostly tents |
|--------------------|---|
| Name Access: | Camp Shilo |
| Subject Access: | armed forces |
| | army |
| | Brandon military people & associations |
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| Storage Location: | Lawrence Stuckey collection |



Nick Prokopchuck - Military cadet, artillery



http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13647

| Part Of: | CKX fonds |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Creator: | СКХ |
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | Р |
| Item Number: | 11-2010.P13 |
| Accession Number: | 11-2010 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | after 1954 |
| Physical Description: | 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w) |
| Material Details: | Negative |
| Custodial History: | |

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Portrait of a military cadet.

| Name Access: | СКХ |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| Subject Access: | persons |
| | portraits |
| | military |
| | uniforms |
| Storage Location: | CKX fonds - 2010 accessions |





Brandon Battalion on Parade Square

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9125

| Part Of: | RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Creator: | C.J. Smith |
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | 3.1 |
| Item Number: | 1-2002.3.1AG3 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2002 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [191-] |
| Physical Description: | 3 1/2" x 5" |
| Material Details: | Negative |

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

A Brandon battalion on parade square by Gordon McKay (Massey-Harris) building, 7th St. and Pacific Ave., during World War One.

| Notes: | 5x7 neg. also in file. |
|--------------------|--|
| | [Mr. Stuckey notes a 5x7 negative on file, but it is not included with these negatives.] |
| Name Access: | Brandon Battalion on Parade Square |
| Subject Access: | armed forces |
| | army |
| | military personnel |
| | World War I |
| | Brandon military people & associations |
| Repro Restriction: | The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials. |
| Storage Location: | Lawrence Stuckey collection |





Regimental Band, 181st Battalion

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9124

| Part Of: | RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | 3.1 |
| Item Number: | 1-2002.3.1AG2 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2002 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1916 |
| Physical Description: | 3 1/2" x 5" |
| Material Details: | Negative |
| Custodial History: | |

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection. Scope and Content:

Regimental Band, 181st (Overseas) Battalion, at Camp Hughes

| Name Access: | Regimental Band, 181st Battalion |
|--------------------|---|
| Subject Access: | armed forces |
| | army |
| | military personnel |
| | World War I |
| | music |
| | musicians |
| | Brandon military people & associations |
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| Storage Location: | Lawrence Stuckey collection |





Brandon General Hospital nurses uniform

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13755

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.66 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1970 |
| Physical Description: | 3.5" x 3.5" (colour) |
| Custodial History: | |

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

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a young woman wearing a period nursing sister's uniform/costume. The uniform is attributed to the Brandon General Hospital c.1918.

| Notes: | Back of photograph reads: B.G.H. unform 1918 |
|-------------------|---|
| Name Access: | Brandon General Hospital |
| Subject Access: | nurses |
| | costumes |
| | uniforms |
| Storago Logation: | PG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (banging photos) |

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



Fred McGuinness in navy uniform with mother



http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13903

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.213 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1940s |
| Physical Description: | 2.5" x 3.5" (b/w) |
| | |

Scope and Content:

Photograph is a portrait of Fred McGuinness in his Canadian navy uniform posing in front of his family home with his mother, Isabella.

| Name Access: | Fred McGuinness |
|-------------------|---|
| | lsabella Louisa Pope |
| | lsabella Louisa McGuinness |
| | Royal Canadian Navy |
| Subject Access: | portraits |
| | uniforms |
| | World War II |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) |

Arrangement:

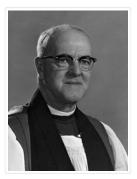
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Ivor Arthur Norris

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9100



| Part Of: | RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | 3.1 |
| Item Number: | 1-2002.3.1AE10(1) |
| Accession Number: | 1-2002 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [19-] |
| Physical Description: | 3 1/2" x 5" |
| Material Details: | Negative |
| History / | |
| Biographical: | |

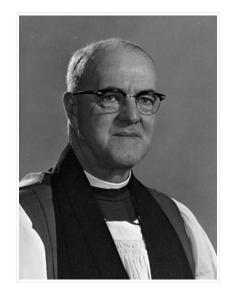
1930's minister St. George's Church 10th St. & College Ave.; 1940's Squ./Ldr. RCAF chief Anglican chaplain; 1945-1950 Canon, secretary of diocese; Apr. 16, 1950 Consecrated Bishop of Brandon (2nd); Died Jan. 24, 1969.

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection. Scope and Content:

Rt. Rev. Ivor Arthur Norris

| Notes: | [Mr. Stuckey put 3 negatives in the same envelope. We have separated them and numbered them AE10(1) through AE10(3).] |
|--------------------|---|
| Name Access: | Ivor Arthur Norris |
| Subject Access: | religions |
| | Christianity |
| | Bishops |
| | armed forces |
| | air force |
| | RCAF |
| | Chaplains |
| | Brandon church & school people |
| Repro Restriction: | The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials. |
| Storage Location: | Lawrence Stuckey collection |





Ivor Arthur Norris

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9101

| Part Of: | RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds |
|---------------------|------------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | 3.1 |
| Item Number: | 1-2002.3.1AE10(2) |
| Accession Number: | 1-2002 |
| | |
| GMD: | graphic |
| GMD: Date Range: | graphic [19-] |
| | 5 |
| Date Range: | [19-] |

Biographical:

1930's minister St. George's Church 10th St. & College Ave.; 1940's Squ./Ldr. RCAF chief Anglican chaplain; 1945-1950 Canon, secretary of diocese; Apr. 16, 1950 Consecrated Bishop of Brandon (2nd); Died Jan. 24, 1969.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Notes:

Rt. Rev. Ivor Arthur Norris

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Name Access: Ivor Arthur Norris

| Subject Access: | religions |
|--------------------|---|
| | Christianity |
| | Bishops |
| | armed forces |
| | air force |
| | RCAF |
| | Chaplains |
| | Brandon church & school people |
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| Storage Location: | Lawrence Stuckey collection |

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Ivor Arthur Norris

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9102

| Part Of: | RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | 3.1 |
| Item Number: | 1-2002.3.1AE10(3) |
| Accession Number: | 1-2002 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [19-] |
| Physical Description: | 3 1/2" x 5" |
| Material Details: | Negative |

History /

Biographical:

1930's minister St. George's Church 10th St. & College Ave.; 1940's Squ./Ldr. RCAF chief Anglican chaplain; 1945-1950 Canon, secretary of diocese; Apr. 16, 1950 Consecrated Bishop of Brandon (2nd); Died Jan. 24, 1969.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Rt. Rev. Ivor Arthur Norris

| Notes: | [Mr. Stuckey put 3 negatives in the same envelope. We have separated them and numbered them AE10(1) through AE10(3).] |
|--------------------|---|
| Name Access: | lvor Arthur Norris |
| Subject Access: | religions |
| | Christianity |
| | Bishops |
| | armed forces |
| | air force |
| | RCAF |
| | Chaplains |
| | Brandon church & school people |
| Repro Restriction: | The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials. |
| Storage Location: | Lawrence Stuckey collection |

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Suffield explosion - waiting

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14154

Part Of: Fred M Description Level: Item

Fred McGuinness collection



| Series Number: | McG 9 |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| Item Number: | 1-2015.223 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [1961-1964] |
| Physical Description: | 10" x 8" (b/w) |
| History / | |

Biographical:

Suffield, Alberta, is situated approximately 40km northwest of Medicine Hat, Alberta. A few "large explosive events" (100 to 500 tons) were conducted at the Defence Research Board's (DRB) Suffield Experimental Station in the 1960s. On 19 January 1961, Medicine Hat citizens felt tremors in the community as a result of five tons of TNT being detonated at the station. The station director attributed this anomaly to freak atmospheric and weather conditions. At the time the DRB was testing the effects of shock waves on military equipment.

In July 1964, the Suffield Experimental Station detonated 30,600 blocks of TNT - 500 tons - to test the largest, non-nuclear, non-confined, surface blast. Placed in various sections radiating from ground zero to test the effects of the blast were targets, dummy-men, miscellaneous instruments, mines, model ships, nose cones, repirators, vehicles, subterranean chambers, shelters, tunnels, foxholes, and trenches. Several hundred people were expected to observe the blast, including 80 "official observers" and a VIP party of military and research personnel from Canada, the United States, and Britain.

(Sources: "Hellyer Heads VIP List Coming Here for SES Blast," Medicine Hat News, 09 July 1964, 7; Patrick J.Roe, "Blast Area Awaits a Cloudless Day," Medicine Hat News, 16 July 1964, 2; "Suffield Explosion Felt Here," Medicine Hat News, 19 January 1961, 7)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows observors waiting for a detonation at the Suffield Experimental Station. Camera operators can be seen on the right waiting to film the blast.

| Name Access: | Suffield Experimental Station |
|-------------------|---|
| | Suffield Explosion |
| Subject Access: | military training |
| | military |
| | explosions |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) |
| | |

Arrangement:

BR #3 30-personal





Suffield explosion - detonation

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14155

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 1-2015.224 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [1961-1964] |
| Physical Description: | 8" x 10" (b/w) |
| History / | |

Biographical:

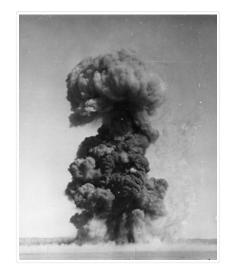
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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a detonation at the Suffield Experimental Station.

| Name Access: | Suffield Experimental Station |
|-------------------|---|
| | Suffield Explosion |
| Subject Access: | military training |
| | military |
| | explosions |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) |
| Arrangement: | |
| BR #3 30-personal | |
| | |





Suffield explosion - pre-detonation

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14156

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 1-2015.225 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [1961-1964] |
| Physical Description: | 10" x 8" (b/w) |
| | |

Biographical:

History /

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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows blast targets/dummies pre-detonation at the Suffield Experimental Station.

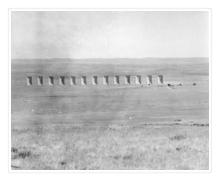
Name Access:

Suffield Experimental Station Suffield Explosion
 Subject Access:
 military training military explosions

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

 Arrangement:
 BR #3 30-personal

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Suffield explosion - pre-detonation

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14157

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 1-2015.226 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [1961-1964] |
| Physical Description: | 10" x 8" (b/w) |

History /

Biographical:

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In July 1964, the Suffield Experimental Station detonated 30,600 blocks of TNT - 500 tons - to test the largest, non-nuclear, non-confined, surface blast. Placed in various sections radiating from ground zero to test the effects of the blast were targets, dummy-men, miscellaneous instruments, mines, model ships, nose cones, repirators, vehicles, subterranean chambers, shelters, tunnels, foxholes, and trenches. Several hundred people were expected to observe the blast, including 80 "official observers" and a VIP party of military and research personnel from Canada, the United States, and Britain.

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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows blast targets/dummies post-detonation at the Suffield Experimental Station.

| Name Access: | Suffield Experimental Station |
|-------------------|---|
| | Suffield Explosion |
| Subject Access: | military training |
| | military |
| | explosions |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) |
| Arrangement: | |

BR #3 30-personal

Images





Suffield explosion - detonation

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14207

| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|
| Creator: | Photographer: S.E.S. Color Photo |
| Description Level: | ltem |

| Series Number: | McG 9 |
|-----------------------|---|
| Item Number: | 1-2015.276 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1964 |
| Physical Description: | 14" x 11" (colour) |
| Physical Condition: | Emulsion is cracking and photograph is starting to warp |
| History / | |

Biographical:

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test the largest, non-nuclear, non-confined, surface blast. Placed in various sections radiating from ground zero to test the effects of the blast were targets, dummy-men, miscellaneous instruments, mines, model ships, nose cones, repirators, vehicles, subterranean chambers, shelters, tunnels, foxholes, and trenches. Several hundred people were expected to observe the blast, including 80 "official observers" and a VIP party of military and research personnel from Canada, the United States, and Britain.

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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a detonation at the Suffield Experimental Station.

| Name Access: | Suffield Experimental Station |
|--------------------|---|
| | Suffield Explosion |
| Subject Access: | military training |
| | military |
| | explosions |
| Repro Restriction: | Photograph may be subject to Canadian Copyright Laws |
| Conservation: | To be processed in humidification chamber (ST 2016-02-03) |
| Storage Location: | McGuinness oversize storage drawer (1-2015) |
| Arrangement: | |
| Funny trunk | |





Army

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11978

| Part Of: | CKX fonds |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Creator: | СКХ |
| Description Level: | ltem |
| Item Number: | 11-2010.A18b |
| Accession Number: | 11-2010 |
| | |
| GMD: | graphic |
| GMD: Date Range: | graphic after 1954 |
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| Date Range: | after 1954 |

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of Canadian Provost Corps soldiers in training, most likely at CFB Shilo.

| Name Access: | CKX Television |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| Subject Access: | television broadcasting |
| | military personnel |
| | military training |
| Storage Location: | CKX fonds - 2010 accessions |

