

# S. J. McKee Archives



### Roy Rogers with Tommy Douglas

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14086

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.156

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [c.1955]

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

History / Biographical:

Roy Rogers (1911-1998) was an American singer and cowboy actor. Rogers' career spanned radio, television, and film.

Thomas "Tommy" Clement Douglas (1904-1986) was a Baptist minister and social democratic politician. In 1935, he became a member of parliament representing the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation (CCF). From 1944 to 1961, he served as Saskatchewan's seventh premier whose CCF party introduced the universal health care program. In 1961 Douglas returned to federal politics, where he served as the leader of the New Democratic Party (NDP). He remained in federal politics until 1979.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Tommy Douglas and Roy Rogers smiling together and holding cowboy hats.

Name Access: Roy Rogers

**Tommy Douglas** 

Subject Access: entertainers

cowboys

hats

politicians & civil servants

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

Related Material: City of Toronto Archives Fonds 1257

Arrangement:

Cigar box photographs

#### **Images**





# Roy Rogers with Tommy Douglas

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14088

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:1-2015.158Accession Number:1-2015GMD:graphicDate Range:[c.1955]

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

History / Biographical:

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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Tommy Douglas and Roy Rogers smiling together and wearing cowboy hats. It appears that Douglas is presenting Douglas with a new cowboy hat.

Name Access: Roy Rogers

Tommy Douglas

Subject Access: entertainers

cowboys

hats

politicians & civil servants

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

Related Material: City of Toronto Archives Fonds 1257

Cigar box photographs

#### **Images**





### **Roy Rogers**

#### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14085

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

3" x 3" (b/w)

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:1-2015.155Accession Number:1-2015GMD:graphicDate Range:[c.1955]

History / Biographical:

Roy Rogers (1911-1998) was an American singer and cowboy actor. Rogers career spanned radio, television, and film.

Scope and Content:

Physical Description:

Photograph shows a close-up of Roy Rogers wearing his trademark white cowboy hat and fringed western shirt.

Name Access: Roy Rogers
Subject Access: entertainers
cowboys

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

Arrangement:

Cigar box photographs

#### **Images**



# Spafford brothers in cowboy costumes

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13759

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9



Item Number:20-2009.70Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:[19--]

Physical Description: 3.25" x 5.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

History / Biographical:

Harry Spafford (b. 22 Oct 1888, d. 10 May 1978) was born in Holmfield, Manitoba. He married Isabella Hawking of Ninga in 1914 and the couple moved to Brandon in 1915 where they continued to reside until 1973. Harry worked as a locomotive fireman and then as an engineer with the Canadian Northern Railway (CN). While with CN, he was an active member of the Brotherhood of Local Engineers and Firemen No. 788 of Brandon. He served as an alderman in Brandon from 1928 to 1945. In 1932, Harry ran in the Manitoba by-election for Brandon as an Independent Labour candidate and lost to the Conservative member George Dinsdale. In 1952, Harry ran as a Co-Operative Commonwealth Federation (CCF) member in the provincial election and lost to Conservative party representative Reg Lissaman. Harry Spafford passed away in Burnaby, BC, and is interred in the Ocean View Cemetery. (Source: see obituary in McG 4.1 File 66)

Alva/Alvery/"Alvie" Reddell/Riddell/Ridall Spafford (b. 15 Mar 1891, d. 23 Aug 1985) was born in Enterprise, Manitoba, in the R.M. of Turtle Mountain. In 1911, he married Francis Ethel Harrison (d. 1979) in Killarney and had three children. Alvie farmed in Bannerman from 1902 to 1936, after which he moved to Boissevain to work as a Rawleigh salesman. In 1942, the family moved to Brandon where Alvie worked as a conductor with the CNR until his retirement. Alva Spafford passed away at the age of 94 at the Brandon General Hospital. His funeral was held in Killarney, Manitoba. (Source: Obituary, Brandon Sun, 23 Aug 1985)

Scope and Content:

Postcard is a studio portrait of the Spafford brothers dressed as cowboys in chaps, bandanas, and hats. Harry is standing on the left and is reaching for a bottle resting on a stool. Alvie is standing on the right and is pointing a pistol at his brother. Behind the brothers is the back of train car that reads "leaving Winnipeg."

Notes: Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Early railroad day in wpg, Harry

on left, Alvie on right.

Name Access: Harry Spafford

Alvie Spafford

Alva Spafford

Subject Access: portraits

cowboys costumes

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

**Images** 





# Spafford family 1912

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13760

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.71

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1912

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

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Postcard is stained and ripped in the right hand corner. A label is taped

to the front of the postcard. The postcard has been issued.

History / Biographical:

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Scope and Content:

Postcard is a group photograph of some of the members of the Spafford family standing on the front steps of a residence. The four women and four men are dressed in heavy coats and iackets.

Notes: Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Harry Spafford on left, Alvie

Spafford in centre, Alf Spafford on extreme right, about 1910; The back of the postcard is addressed to Mrs. Alva (Francis) Spafford of Bannerman, Manitoba. Alvie Spafford has written at brief note to his wife, Francis. The postmark reads November 23, 1912, Winnipeg, Manitoba. The names Aunt Ida, -- --, Uncle Harry, Alf, and Alva are written in pen at the top of the

postcard.

Name Access: Harry Spafford

Alvie Spafford
Alva Spafford
Alfred Spafford

Subject Access: portraits

cowboys costumes

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

**Images** 





# Roy's Sales & Service - Cockshutt Farm Equipment Limited

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13462

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item

Series Number: R

Item Number: 11-2010.R39b

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: after 1954

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

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the Cockshutt Farm Equipment building.

Name Access: CKX

Cockshutt Farm Equipment Ltd.

Subject Access: building exteriors

businesses Tractors vehicles

signs and signboards

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**





# Roy's Sales & Service - Cockshutt Farm Equipment Limited

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13463

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: R

Item Number: 11-2010.R39a

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: after 1954

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

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the Cockshutt Farm Equipment building.

Name Access: CKX

Cockshutt Farm Equipment Ltd.

Subject Access: building exteriors

businesses
Tractors
cars
Trucks

signs and signboards farm implements

persons

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**



### Austin Threshermen's Reunion

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14174



Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.243
Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic Date Range: 1982

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

Physical Condition: Emulsive side of image has mock-up lines.

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from the Winnipeg Free Press Photo Department

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a small steam engine to which a tug of rope is affixed. Seven young boys are pulling counter to the engine as an engine operator makes adjustment. Bemused spectators look on.

Notes: Photograph was collected during the research phase of the monograph

"Manitoba: The Province & The People" (1987) written by Fred

McGuinness and Ken Coates.

Writing on the label filed with the photograph reads: A miniature case steam engine gets an unexpected load as a group of boys try to haul it to

a stop during the Thursday afternoon parade. dirk. 19/82

Name Access: Manitoba Threshermen's Reunion & Stampede

Subject Access: Tractors

parades

entertainment

Repro Restriction: Photograph may be subject to Canadian Copy Right Laws.

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

Arrangement:

McG 5.4 File 2

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http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13024

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: S

Item Number: 11-2010.S150c

Accession Number: 11-2010 GMD: graphic

Date Range: June 11, 1965

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:

Image of circus performers doing their act.

Name Access: CKX

Shrine Circus

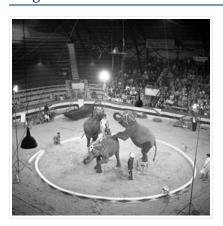
Subject Access: building interiors

Arenas
persons
performers
Animals

entertainment

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13022

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: S

Item Number: 11-2010.S150e

Accession Number: 11-2010 GMD: graphic

Date Range: June 11, 1965

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:

Image of circus performers doing their act.

Name Access: CKX

Shrine Circus

Subject Access: building interiors

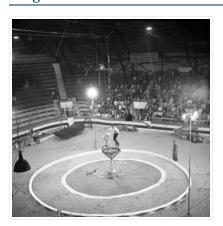
Arenas persons performers

signs and signboards

entertainment

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**





### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13023

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: S

Item Number: 11-2010.S150d

Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic

Date Range: June 11, 1965

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:

Image of circus performers doing their act.

Name Access: CKX

Shrine Circus

Subject Access: building interiors

Arenas
persons
performers
horses
Animals

entertainment

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**





### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13025

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: S

Item Number: 11-2010.S150b

Accession Number: 11-2010 GMD: graphic

Date Range: June 11, 1965

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

Material Details: Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Negative

Scope and Content:

Image of a circus performer doing his act.

Name Access: CKX

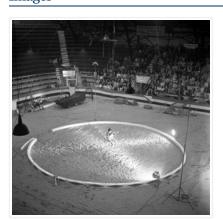
Shrine Circus

Subject Access: building interiors

Arenas
persons
performers
entertainment
musical acts

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**





# **Strand Theatre**

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13212

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: S

Item Number: 11-2010.S52

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1960

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

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the interior of Strand Theatre building.

Name Access: CKX

Strand Theatre

Subject Access: building interiors

businesses theatres employees

signs and signboards

entertainment

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**





### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13026

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: S

Item Number: 11-2010.S150a

Accession Number: 11-2010 GMD: graphic

Date Range: June 11, 1965
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:

Image of circus performers doing their act.

Name Access: CKX

Shrine Circus

Subject Access: building interiors

Arenas
persons
performers
entertainment
Animals

signs and signboards

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**

