

# S. J. McKee Archives

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## Cando Contracting Ltd.

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13920>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.230

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c.1990

Physical Description: 5" x 3.5" (b/w)

History /

Biographical:

Cando Contracting Ltd. was found in 1978 by Gord Peters and Rick Hammond. The company began as a small rail line dismantling and salvage company operating out of Brandon, Manitoba. The company changed its name in 2013 to Cando Rail Services Ltd., which supplies railway support services (e.g., engineering and track services, industrial rail services, mechanical services, rail car storage, railway material sales, short line operations, transload services) to industry and the rail sector. The company maintains its headquarters in Brandon, Manitoba, and has regional offices located in Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Whitby, and Adel (Iowa). (Source: [www.candoldt.com](http://www.candoldt.com), accessed 05 Dec 2015)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Gord Peters standing in front of the rail car that forms the entrance of Cando Contracting Ltd. in Brandon, Manitoba

Notes: Negatives stored with photograph

Name Access: Cando Contracting Ltd

Gord Peters

Subject Access: contractors

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

Brandon Industries

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #2; in Canada Wide Magazines Ltd. envelope post marked 03 November 1990

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## E.E. Lehigh Ltd.

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13796>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photograph: C.J. Smith

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.105

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1929-1931]

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

Material Details: On matting

### History /

#### Biographical:

The 1901 Canadian Census places the Lehigh family near Brockville, Ontario, where Everett E. Lehigh (b. 19 May 1881) was farming with his widowed father Solon (b. 20 Aug 1849) and younger sister, Edna (b. 08 Feb 1884). The [findagrave.com](http://findagrave.com) genealogical website identifies a Mary Wickware as marrying Everett E. Lehigh in Altonquin, Ontario, on 04 April 1905.

E.E. Lehigh appears in the Henderson's Brandon City Directories in 1919. By 1923, he was Vice-President of Motors Ltd., which had its shop on 151-7th Street. By 1925, Lehigh had taken over the garage, renaming it Lehigh Motors, which became the sole agent for McLaughlin Motor Cars. By 1927, Lehigh Motors had opened a second branch on 12th Street and Princess Avenue, which was formerly the Brandon Auto Garage. Lehigh had become the exclusive dealer for McLaughlin-Buick, Pontiac, and Oldsmobile motor cars.

It appears Lehigh moved his business, E.E. Lehigh Ltd., to 799 Pacific Avenue by 1929. By then, Lehigh had a head office in Winnipeg at 640 Portage Avenue where he served as president and was the provincial distributor for Rugby trucks and Durant cars. Although E.E. Lehigh had a residence in Brandon (325 - 14th Street), Mr. S.G. Cunningham was listed as the Brandon representative for Lehigh Motors Ltd. in the Henderson Directories. By 1931, E.E. Lehigh Ltd. had moved once again, this time to 151-153 - 9th Street.

E.E. Lehigh disappears from the Henderson's Brandon City Directory by 1933 and a Mrs. E.E. Lehigh (possibly Mary (Wickware) Lehigh, d.21 July 1943) is listed under the 14th Street residence. The 9th Street garage address is divided between Munns Taxi (151-9th Street) and Wheat City Auto Wreckers (153-9th Street.)

#### Custodial History:

Photograph was in possession of Mrs. Ruby Miles, who passed the image on to Fred McGuinness. McGuinness makes reference to Mrs. Miles and this photograph in his Sunbeams column (Source: F.A. Rosser, "Another interesting chat with a daughter of the plains," Brandon Sun 18 Aug 1981).

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group portrait of 33 individuals standing and seated in front of the business E.E. Lehigh Ltd., Brandon. The storefront window has a sign that reads: Durant Motor Cars, E.E. Lehigh Ltd., Brandon. The door to the business has Lehigh Motors stencilled on the window. The men are wearing jackets and ties, and there are three women, possibly clerical staff, wearing 1920s era dresses. The elderly man seated in the centre of the photograph, wearing a long-sleeved white dress shirt might be Everett E. Lehigh.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph is embossed: C.J. Smith

Name Access: E.E. Lehigh

Subject Access:       garages  
                              Transportation  
                              Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940  
                              store exteriors  
Storage Location:     McGuinness oversize storage drawer (1-2015)  
Related Material:     Ruby Miles collection 14-2003

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## Twin Pines Motel postcard

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13868>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Joe Fartak

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.178

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1970

Physical Description: 3.5" x 6" (colour)

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Postcard shows an exterior view of the Twin Pines Motel

Notes: Writing on the back of the postcard reads: Twin Pines Motel & Restaurant / Brandon, Manitoba, Canada / Located at 10th Street & Queens Avenue / 40 Fully modern units with bath & showers, T. / Kichenettes, winter plug-ins, Ample parking. / For reservations call.... / 30717-C Color Photo by Joe Fartak / Color Productions Ltd., Box 1243, Regina, Sask. The postcard is addressed to Mr. F.A. Rosser and is postmarked Brandon 06 June 1970. A 6-cent Queen Elizabeth red postage stamp portraying various modes of the transportation.

Name Access: City of Brandon

Subject Access: aerial photographs  
aerial views

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #1 File 13 Sunbeams

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## Aerial view of Brandon postcard

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13867>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection  
Creator: Photographer: R.J. "Bob" Snazel  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
Item Number: 20-2009.177  
Accession Number: 20-2009  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1970  
Physical Description: 3.5" x 6" (colour)  
Material Details: postcard

### Scope and Content:

Postcard shows an aerial view of the city of Brandon

Notes: Writing on the back of the postcard reads: No. 10. Brandon, Manitoba, Canada / Aerial View of Brandon / Distributed by Clements Drug Store / Brandon, Manitoba, Canada / Photos by: R.J. "Bob" Snazel. / Printed by: D.W. Friesen & Sons Ltd. Altona, Manitoba, Canada. The postcard is addressed to Mr. F.A. Rosser and is postmarked Brandon 30 May 1970. A 6-cent Queen Elizabeth red postage stamp portraying various modes of the transportation. The stamp has been cancelled with a postmark that reads "Help Retarded Children."

Name Access: City of Brandon

Subject Access: aerial photographs  
aerial views

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

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## Christmas Tree Farm - aerial view

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13964>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.36

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [2009]

Physical Description: 11" x 8.5" (colour)

Material Details: reproduction

### Scope and Content:

Colour photocopy shows an aerial view of the Fred McGuinness property - Christmas Tree Farm - on section 17.

Name Access: Christmas Tree Farm

Subject Access: residences

aerial photographs

farms

Storage Location: McGuinness oversize storage drawer (1-2015)

### Arrangement:

From RR #3 family letters

## Images

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## W.F. McGuinness at the Dominion Express Co.

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14019>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.89

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1900s]

Physical Description: 2.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is folded and torn

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of four men standing on a platform at the entrance of the Dominion Express Company. William Frederick McGuinness stands on the left.

Name Access: William Frederick McGuinness

W.F. McGuinness

Dominion Express Company

Subject Access: Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

building exteriors

Conservation: on matting

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

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family pictures

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## Hanbury Manufacturing Co. - Sash and Door Department

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13934>





Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.6

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1900

Physical Description: 7" x 5" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph is ripped in half

History /

Biographical:

The Hanbury Manufacturing Company was located at 600-698 Assiniboine Avenue. Hanbury advertised themselves as sash, door, and blind manufacturers; lumber dealers;

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows six men/carpenters in a window framing workshop.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: This was taken before Edna was born. Ntocie the stove & pipes. This was the hard way of working & yet they never had a fire, everything was O.K. & good times. Dad, Ross Deitz, Charlie James, - , - , Cliff Sanford leaning on desk. 1900.

Name Access: Hanbury Hardware Co. Ltd.

Hanbury Manufacturing Co.

Subject Access: workshops

sash, door and blind manufacturers

manufactured products

lumber

store interiors

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

Brandon Industries

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1H10

Arrangement:

From loose photos, funny trunk

## Images

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## Grandmother Varcoe

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14012>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection  
Creator: Photographer: WA. Martel's & Son, Brandon  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
Item Number: 1-2015.82  
Accession Number: 1-2015  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: [1898-1912]  
Physical Description: 1.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: on matting  
Physical Condition: Matting is scuffed  
Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an elderly woman wearing a dress embellished with lace, a lace scarf and broach, and lace headdress.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Grandmother Varcoe  
Subject Access: portraits  
women  
Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)  
Arrangement:  
BR #3 Family pictures

### Images

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## Grandmothers McGuinness and Darroch

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14259>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.279

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1940s]

Physical Description: 6.75 " x 10" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows two elderly women standing on a porch. These women are likely Fred McGuinness' paternal (left) and maternal (right) grandmothers, Anna Charlotte GALLAGHER (b. 19 September 1861/1863/1864 – d. 10 March 1948) and Mary DARROCH (b. 24 May 1861 – d. 18 September 1942), respectively.

Name Access: Darroch family

Mary Darroch

Subject Access: portraits

women

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

Arrangement:

Funny trunk loose photos

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## Flintstone Hill 1998-2000 - hearth west of test unit 3

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12321>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.2.2.5

Item Number: 2.2.2.5.8

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1998-2000

Physical Description: 536 x 792(351)

Material Details: JPEG

History /

Biographical:

Photograph taken during 1998-2000 Brandon University Archaeology survey at Flintstone Hill.

Scope and Content:

Fire cracked rock and possible hearth west of test unit 3 on dune called "Wilma".

Name Access: Flintstone Hill 1998-2000 - hearth west of test unit 3

Subject Access: Archaeology

North lauder locale

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Flintstone Hill 1998-2000 - hearth west of test unit 3

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## Brandon Hardware Company Ltd.

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13695>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.5

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [191-]

Physical Description: 8.5" x 6.5" (b/w)

Material Details: Reproduction

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Brandon Hardware Company Ltd. storefront at 641 Rosser Avenue on the corner of 7th Street. A billboard advertisement for Stephen's Pure Paints is on the 7th Street side of the building. A company delivery truck is parked on the street. Two men appear to be window shopping on the avenue side of the store.

Name Access: Brandon Hardware Company

Rosser Avenue

7th Street

Subject Access: storefront

store exteriors

hardware

Trucks

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

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## Boarding House in Brandon

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13944>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.16

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1882

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

Material Details: reproduction

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a canvas tent boarding house and wooden shack advertising soup, meat, and bread for 25 cents and hot tea and coffee. A man wearing a vest is standing in the doorway of the shack. Another man wearing a three-piece suit and hat is seated on a seat at the corner of the structure while another man wearing an apron leans against the shack. Clothes can be seen drying on the surface of the large canvas tent.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Between 5th and 6th Street, Pacific Avenue opposite old CPR Station, April 1882. Photograph is stamped Public Archives Canada.

Name Access: Pacific Avenue

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

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## 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

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## Portrait of two women in winter dress c.1910

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13790>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.25

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1910

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

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Postcard is ripped and worn.

### Scope and Content:

Postcard is a studio portrait of two women dressed for winter. The woman on the left is standing and is wearing a long winter coat, a white fur stole muffler. The woman on the right is seated in a wicker chair. She is wearing a three-quarter length winter coat with a black fur collar and trim and muffler.

Notes: Back of postcard reads: Harry Finnegan Nov. 16 1910, Zella Russel..., Nov. 27 19...

Subject Access: portraits

winter

women

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

## Images

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## 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: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
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

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## Formal family portrait

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

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Creator:	Photographer: J.A. Brock & Co.
Description Level:	Item
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 tasseled 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

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## Purity Flour, Western Canada Flour Mills Company

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14000>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection  
Creator: Printed: Crawford's Drug Store, Brandon  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
Item Number: 1-2015.70  
Accession Number: 1-2015  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: [1920-1930]  
Physical Description: 4.25" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Physical Condition: Photograph is stamped on the back

### Custodial History:

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

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of individuals posing with a Purity Flour, Western Canada Flour Mills Company truck. Two men pose by the drive-side door and another two pose by the tail gate. Standing in the truck's payload are 13 individuals. It is possible that Edith Lepard (nee Harden) third from left and her mother, Catherine "Kate" Harden (nee Chalmers), third from right are standing in the payload.

Notes: The back of the photograph is stamped: Crawford's Drug Store, Brandon

Name Access: Purity Flour  
Western Canada Flour Mills Co.  
Edith Harden  
Kate Harden

Subject Access: advertising  
women  
children

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

Arrangement:  
McG 4.1 File 27

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## Purity Flour, Western Canada Flour Mills Company

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14005>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Printed: Crawford's Drug Store, Brandon

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.75

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1920-1930]

Physical Description: 10.75" x 7" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is stamped on the back

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of individuals posing with a Purity Flour, Western Canada Flour Mills Company truck. Two men pose by the drive-side door and another two pose by the tail gate. Standing in the truck's payload are 13 individuals. It is possible that Edith Lepard (nee Harden) third from left and her mother, Catherine "Kate" Harden (nee Chalmers), third from right are standing in the payload.

Notes: The back of the photograph is stamped: Crawford's Drug Store, Brandon

Name Access: Purity Flour

Western Canada Flour Mills Co.

Edith Harden

Kate Harden

Subject Access: advertising

women

children

Storage Location: McGuinness oversize storage drawer (1-2015)

Related Material: McG 9 1-2015.70

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

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## Casselman survey - Lisa Sonneburg and Jolana Bishop

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10962>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 1.1.5

Item Number: 1.1.5.4

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2003

Physical Description: 2000 x 500 (2598 KB )

Material Details: JPEG

Scope and Content:

Lisa Sonneburg and Jolana Bishop during the Casselman survey

Name Access: Casselman survey - Lisa Sonneburg and Jolana Bishop

Subject Access: Crepeele locale  
Casselman survey  
Casselman survey - photographs

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## Threshing at Blight's Farm

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13841>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.152

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1925

Physical Description: 5" x 7" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by G. Baldock in 1971

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows two women at a tractor. One is cranking the engine, the other is seated at the wheel.

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: "Threshing. Blights Farm Willow Creek at Chater. My mother at crank. Now over 90 living at 403-12th Street. G. Baldock 1971. 1925."

Name Access: Blight's Farm

Subject Access: farming

women

threshing crews

Tractors

vehicles

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

Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

### Images

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