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Farm records

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Part Of: Alfred Angus Murray McPherson collection

Description Level: Box

File Number: 16.1 - 16.13

Accession Number: 21-2006

Other Numbers: Box P

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1879-1954

Physical Description: 13 cm

History /

Biographical:

For biographical information on Hugh and Margaret McPherson see the description for Box 5 of the Alfred Angus Murray McPherson collection.

For biographical information on Johnston and Angus McPherson see the description for Box 6 of the Alfred Angus Murray McPherson collection.

For biographical information on Murray McPherson see the fonds level description for the Alfred Angus Murray McPherson collection.

Howard Johnston McPherson, the oldest son of Angus and Ethel (Pentland) McPherson, was born on July 6, 1920. He graduated from Brandon Collegiate in 1938 and joined his father on the farm. In 1941, he joined the R.C.A.F. and trained as an air engine mechanic. Returning from Europe in 1945, Howard continued to live with his parents until his marriage to Jessie Walsh (b. March 21, 1922) of Sceptre, SK on June 18, 1955. Together they had three children: Muriel Ruth (m. Cody Johnson); Nancy Carol (m. Dennis Mauthe); and Donald Howard (m. Ann). The family farmed in the Brandon Hills district. Howard died on May 2, 2005.

Scope and Content:

Contains the following files:

- 16.1 Hugh and Margaret McPherson account book 1879
- 16.2 McPherson Farm cash book (Hugh, Johnston, Angus) 1906-1912
- 16.3 McPherson Farm account book 1890's
- 16.4 Cash book 1953
- 16.5 Cash book [1943-1949]
- 16.6 Angus McPherson - Canadian Wheat Board emergency cheque correspondence 1949
- 16.7 Angus McPherson - insurance documents 1948-1950
- 16.8 Murray McPherson - agreement between SC Area #1 and District Association 1951
- 16.9 Angus McPherson - Canadian Wheat Board permits (8) 1944-1954
- 16.10 Angus McPherson - cattle inventories 1951-1952
- 16.11 Howard and Angus McPherson miscellaneous farm correspondence 1950-1953
- 16.12 Documents re: Angus McPherson estate 1951-1954
- 16.13 Income tax forms and documents 1945-1953

Notes: Part of the Alfred Angus Murray McPherson collection.
Storage Location: Alfred Angus Murray McPherson collection
Box 13



Board of directors - financial records

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Part Of: RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Company fonds
Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: McS 1 1.5
GMD: textual records
Date Range: 1900-1986
Physical Description: 1.56 m

Custodial History:

See fonds level description of custodial history of A. E. McKenzie Seed Co. Ltd.

Scope and Content:

This sub-series includes financial statements of various kinds for McKenzie Seeds and combined financial statements for McKenzie Seeds and its subsidiaries, particularly McFayden Seeds. Chartered Accountants used for this purpose include: Marwick, Mitchell & Co., Webb, Read, Hegan, Callingham & Co./Webb, Read & Co., George A. Touche & Co., Oscar Hudson & Co., Morden, Sprague & Co./Laird, Sprague & Co., Edwards, Morgan, Halliday & Co., Welch, Hinton and Welch, McDonald, Currie & Co./Cooper Brothers & Co., Meyers Dickens Norris Penny & Co./Meyers, Norris, Penny & Co. and the Comptroller-General for the Province of Manitoba.

This sub-series also includes a number of purchase offers made to A.E. McKenzie Seed Co. Ltd as well as proposed plans to sell the company. Offers were received from United Grain Growers, Maple Leaf Mills, McKenzie Seeds Staff, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Wheat Pools, and the Ferry Morse Seed Co.

Twelve ledgers, including branch order, mail order and cash registers, general ledgers, current ledgers, payroll sheets and branch daily cash reports, are also part of the sub-series. Other miscellaneous financial records and statements include information on McKenzie Seeds' proposal to the Manitoba Government for re-financing in the early to mid 1980's.

Notes:	<p>Additional dates for the records in the financial sub-series are as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Prepared Financial Statements: 1907-1918, 1920-1923, 1926-1938, and 1942-1979.2. Purchase Offers: U.G.G. (1959, 1966), Wheat Pools (1961), McKenzie Staff (1963), Maple Leaf Mills (c. 1965), Ferry Morse Seed Co. (c. 1969-1970).
	<p>The extent of the ledgers in sub-series McS 1 1.5 (Financial Records) separate from the other financial records in the sub-series is 95.9 cm. The financial records without the ledgers measure 60 cm.</p>
Storage Location:	<p>RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Company fonds McS 1 Board of Directors</p>
Related Material:	<p>Financial statements and records for the individual companies acquired by McKenzie Seeds are located in Series III.</p> <p>Information regarding the sale of McKenzie Seeds is located in Series II (Office of the President/GM), sub-series I (A.E. McKenzie), in the file entitled A.E. correspondence with W.A. Johnson. Some of these records are connected to the purchase offers received by McKenzie Seeds.</p>