

S. J. McKee Archives



Thomas Hector McLeod

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4300

Part Of:	RG 1 Brandon College fonds
Description Level:	Sub-series
Series Number:	MG 1 1.6
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	1995
Physical Description:	0.5 cm
History /	

Biographical:

Thomas Hector MacDonald McLeod (Tommy) was born in Weyburn, Saskatchewan in August 1918. During his youth in Weyburn, McLeod was a member of Tommy Douglas' Baptist congretation; it was Douglas who encouraged McLeod to attend Brandon College. McLeod attended Brandon College from 1937 to 1940. While there, he received scholarships in Bible, Economics, and General Efficiency, as well as receiving the Medal in Sociology during his final year. Following graduation in 1940, McLeod studied economics at the University of Indiana, receiving his M.A. in 1941. Later that year he returned to Brandon College to teach economics and sociology. From 1941 until 1944, he also acted as the Resident Master. He remained at Brandon College for three years. McLeod married Beryl (Pentland) Thompson c. 1943 and together they had five children: Beth, Ellen, Ian, Brian and Morna.

Following the election of Tommy Douglas as Premier of Saskatchewan, McLeod was employed in a variety of senior positions in the Saskatchewan civil service. In 1952, McLeod was named the Dean of Commerce at the University of Saskatchewan, Regina Campus.

In 1961, he served as the Chief Consultant (Ford Foundation) to the Turkish Government. In 1962, McLeod was the supervisor of an eight man team advising the Iranian government on Economic Planning Activities. He has also served as a Special Advisor in Public Administration and Higher Education for the Canadian Development Agency.

In 1963, he became the chairman of the Saskatchewan Royal Commission on Taxation. McLeod accepted the position of Dean of the College of Arts and Science, Regina Campus at the University of Saskatchewan on May 15, 1964. In May 1965, he became Vice-Principal of the University of Saskatchewan, Regina Campus.

McLeod had a Ph.D. in Government and Economics from Harvard. As well, he was a past recipient of the Vanier Medal (1971) for outstanding contribution to public administration in Canada. In 1987, McLeod wrote a book entitled "Tommy Douglas: the Road to Jerusalem." Also in 1987, McLeod was awarded an honorary degree from Brandon University. In 2003, McLeod was awarded the Order of Canada.

Thomas Hector MacDonald McLeod died on January 1, 2008 in Victoria, BC.

Custodial History:

McLeod donated a copy of the paper, subsequently published in Manitoba History, to the McKee Archives c. 1995.

Scope and Content:

Thomas McLeod's records consist of a paper written in 1995, entitled "S.J. McKee of Brandon College: A Biographical Note on a Man and an Institution." This paper is a brief history of Brandon College and S.J. McKee's role in the formation of it. Beginning with the foundation of the short-lived Canada Baptist College, as well as the foundation of the Canadian Literary Institute, McLeod traces the history of Baptists and higher education. The paper is a fairly good guide to researchers wanting to know a bit of the background behind Brandon College. The bibliography in the back also gives researchers several ideas on where to look for additional information.

Notes:	Obituary is in the January 5, 2008 Globe and Mail. H. Clare Pentland and Tommy McLeod studied economics together at Brandon College under W.T. Easterbrook, who later taught at the University of Toronto.
Name Access:	Tommy McLeod
	Brandon College
	S.J. McKee
Subject Access:	Baptist education
	educational history
Storage Location:	MG 1 Brandon College Teaching and Administration 1.6 Thomas Hector McLeod
Related Material:	W. T. Easterbrook, "Clare Pentland-Brandon College, 1937-1940," Canadian Journal of Political and Social Theory, vol. 3, no. 2 (Spring- Summer 1979), p. 101.



Robert Troy Blair fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13300

Part Of:	RG 1 Brandon College fonds
Description Level:	Sub-series
Accession Number:	18-2013
GMD:	multiple media
Date Range:	September 1950 - June 1954
Physical Description:	2 scrapbooks (7.5 cm)
Physical Condition:	Excellent

History /

Biographical:

Robert (Bob) Troy Blair was born on March 11, 1930 in Brandon, MB. His first six years were spent in Alexander, MB, where his father and uncle operated a grocery store. In 1936, his family moved to Souris, MB, where his father ran a grocery store. Blair received his primary and high school education, with the exception of Grade 12, in Souris.

Blair remembers his school years in Souris as mainly happy years. He was involved with both piano and organ music lessons. he was never interested in physical sports with the exception of golf. World War II broke out in September of 1939. Souris became the site of #17 SFTS and home base for the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan. Many of the service men came from England, Australia and New Zealand. Blair's mother always entertained at least two for dinner every Sunday. Rationing of sugar, tea and coffee, butter and meat became a way of life. Blair had the job every Saturday of pasting the ration coupons into booklets. It was also when he was in Grade 6, that Blair realized he was more attracted to boys than to girls. Perhaps it was because so many attractive airmen surrounded him!

In November of 1947, the Blair family relocated to Alexander where Bob Blair finished his Grade 11. This was not a good year due to bullying. In September of 1948, Blair moved to Winnipeg to attend United College for his Grade 12. Upon completion of Grade 12, Blair remained in Winnipeg until June 1950. he worked at a number of businesses - Gestetner, Eaton's Mail Order shoe department, Maple Leaf Milling, and the drug store in the Medical Arts Building. In September 1950, he entered Brandon College. Blair was very active in extracurricular affairs while at Brandon College; particularly drama. Following his B.A. he enrolled in the Education Faculty, having decided to become a teacher.

Blair's teaching career spanned 34 years. All but one year was spent in the Brandon School Division. On his first day of teaching in the Division he met the man with whom he would spend the next 46 years. He was primarily a teacher of English and Music. A highlight of his career was exchange teaching in Sacramento, California in 1961. Orientation for exchange took place in August in Washington, D.C., where Blair had the opportunity to meet President J.F. Kennedy. He vividly recals the morning that JFK was assassinated on November 22, 1963. In September 1965, Blair assumed the principalship of Park School and in September of 1969, the same position at George Fitton School where re remained until his retirement in 1989. He was a member of the Brandon Picnipals' Association, the National Association of Elementary School Principals, and servedas President of the Brandon Teachers' Association. Among his major accomplishments during his time as principal were the introduction of a centralized school library in both Park and George Fitton Schools and the integration of special needs students into regular classroom situations wherever possible. He was made a Life Member of the Manitoba Teachers' Society (Brandon) in June 1990. Following his retirement Blair worked as a Library Automation Consultant (1989-1993).

Blair also had numerous community involvements during his time in Brandon. he was active in the Brandon Little Theatre (Best Actor Award, Manitoba Drama Festival for One Act Plays in 1963), the Brandon Festival of the Arts, the Eckhardt-Gramatte National Music Competition, and Arm Industries to name a few.

Following the death of his partner in 2001, Blair moved to Saskatoon to live with a younger gay couple. He has been active in volunteerism: as an Ambassador for the Saskatoon Airport Authority, assistant with the Saskatoon Health Region's Immunization Clinics, information clerk for the Festival of Trees, data entry clerk for the Saskatoon Music Festival, on the Board of the Saskatoon Jazz Society, and Hospitality Coordinator for the Saskatoon Jazz Festival.

As of October 2013, Bob Blair continues to live in Saskatoon, SK.

Custodial History:

Records were in Blair's possession until he donated them to the Mckee Archives on Homecoming weekend October 2013.

Scope and Content:

Notes:

Fonds consists of two scrapbooks containing 145 photographs and ephemera (play and graduation programs, tickets, pins, newspaper clippings) documenting Bob Blair's days at Brandon College. Social events and extra-curricular activities are heavily featured in the two scrapbooks. Also included are graduation portraits for the Classes of 1951, 1952 and 1953. Of the 145 photographs all are black and white except for two photos of the Class of '53 reconvocation (May 1993), and one from the Class of '53 reunion (2003).

History/Bio provided by Bob Blair (October 2013). Name Access: Brandon College Angus Jackson Pat Magnacca Freshie Week Senior Stick Lady Stick Harvest Cabaret Sigma Mu Glee Club Bob Blair Jack Yeomans Walter Dinsdale Don Cronk Bob McPherson Lorne Watson Marg Sanderson Hazel Turnbull Claudia Dickey Gordon Bradley Terry Prysiazniuk **Diane Lissaman** Joan Garnett **Doris Penstock Dianne Macdonald** lvey Graham Joyce Pickard Cathy Crawford Roberta Wilkie Marie Kullberg Isabel Lyon Shirley Pryce J.R.C. Evans Marjorie Kyles Jo Thordarson Ross George

Edward Perry **Ernest Birkinshaw Barney Thordarson** Fall Formal Variety Night Installation Night Paul McKinnon The Saga of Brandon **Bill White** Ron Bell Jerry Jerret Rosa Ziolkowski Murray Smith Class of 1951 Harold Moffat **Bill Sutherland** Murray Coulthard Frank Adamski John McLean Jack Medd Jack Muir Bill Fraser Ken Morrison Clifford Kitson Ray Brown Mike Doig Ernie Shaw Jack Scott Doreen Dennison Lois Kennedy Lorna Prokaska Ferne Henderson Doreen Fedoruk Marg Leckie Freshie Parade Helen Batho Fred Calverly Jim Crawford Verda Peden Olga Evasko Betty Finch Fred Schwarok Jim Struthers Muriel Bedford John Brown

Freshie Royalty **Booster Night** Mary Jane Sexton Marilyn Rust Mildred McMurray Mary-Jane MacLachlan George Leask George Jakubowski Jack Purvis My Sister Eileen Edith Laycock Ivey Robbins Ken Campbell Mac Andrews Marion Simmons Arnold Minish Madeline Irving Ernie Criddle Don Dillistone Gordon Hunter Cathy Nelson Jim Kelleher Anne Kelleher Neil McKellar Ron Doupe Bruce Watson Neil MacKay Peter Prokaska Roger Ramsden Bill Bridgett Graham Hunt John Muirhead David Brodie Murray MacDonald Dr. Kidd Cam Finlay Blair MacRae Donna McPhail Louise Hoey Agnes Nicholson Jean Allan Joan Urie Royce Richardson Don Rousell **Bill Black**

Ken McNeeley Rosalie Prokopchuk Jean Morrison Jacice Forrest Fuzz Fedoruk **Brian Davison** Joan MacLachlan First International Relations Club Conference Minot Teachers' College International Peace Gardens Bruce McIlroy Jean Shingfield Campaign Week Sigma Mu Dance Arnold Wawruch Jack Meyers Jack Hilton **Bev Francis** Bert Gogol Dick McDonald Frank McKinnon Stuart Craig John Blackwood Norman Hedison Bob Hilton John Minions Kay Oliver Mary Jane MacLachlan Ben Ward Ken Gunning **Trevor McNeely** Hilton Stewart Jerry Graham **Bette Mitchell** Joan Curlock Faye Myers Jean Hannah Mary Babuick Mr. College Spirit John Augustus McGee Don Dillstone Flora Johnson Del Gusdal Color Night Don Burrows

Jim Casey Trophy Marj Kyles Prince Edward Hotel Class Day Dahl Harvey Shirley Mitchell Al Burton Irving Bateman Joyce Marie Thordarson Eileen McFadden Patricia Pope Louise Astle Ariel Genik Western Canada Student Teacher Conference Brandon College Glee Club Be Your Age lke Prokaska Joan Hilton Fred Lynch Garth Kidd **Ivy Robbins** Joyce Dunham Shirley Popple Grand March Westley Wong Stewart Perdue H.V. Kidd J.E.M. Young Adelene Bailey Mrs. Evans Dennis Anderson Stanley Knowles Edward Schreyer Lou Visentin

Subject Access:	Student government
	initiations
	student activities
	dances
	basketball
	talent shows
	drama productions
	major productions
	Hockey
	graduations
	programs
	parades
	dorm rooms
	student housing
	literary "B's"
	college letters
	class flags
	banquets
Storage Location:	2013 accessions



John Robert Charles Evans

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4243

Part Of:	RG 1 Brandon College fonds
Description Level:	Sub-series
Series Number:	2.5
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	1928-1959
Physical Description:	6.42 m

History / Biographical:

Dr. Evans was born in Nanaimo, B.C. on March 15, 1891. In the fall of 1907, at the age of sixteen, Dr. Evans entered the Academic Department of Brandon College. He played an integral part at the College, participating in academics, sports, and various other college functions and organizations. In his final year he was Senior Stick, the highest position in the Student Government. In 1913, Dr. Evans graduated from Brandon College. Immediately after graduation he was hired to teach Science and Academic Mathematics. In 1917, he became Principal of the Academic Department, while continuing to teach Mathematics and Science. Dr. Evans took leave in 1920 to study post graduate work at the University of Chicago. During the summers, he was the Acting Dean of the Department of Geology in Chicago. He received his Ph.D. in Geology in 1923, and returned to Brandon College. His new positions at the college were of Professor of Geology and Resident Master. He also taught some Chemistry.

On August 1, 1927, Dr. Evans married Adelene M. Bailey (Class of 1921, Music 1924) at the Joseph Bond Chapel in Chicago. He took over as College Dean in 1928 after the position became vacant. In September of 1928, Dr. Evans accepted the position of President of Brandon College, thus becoming its fifth president since the college's inception. Dr. Evans was head of the college at a very difficult time. He guided the College through the Depression and repeated threats of closure from the Baptists. Dr. Evans resurrected the Department of Theology in the mid-1930's. He helped with the reorganization of Brandon College as a non-denominational college in 1938, and its new affiliation with the University of Manitoba. During World War II, Dr. Evans started a War Emergency Fund, aimed at keeping the College from sinking into debt during the war years as enrollment shrank. With increased financial support from the government, Dr. Evans began expansion plans for the College. In 1958, he created the Dr. J.R.C. Evans Student Loan Fund in conjunction with the Alumni Association in order to provide worthy students with interest-free loans. It was also in 1958 that Dr. Evans was awarded the Queen Elizabeth Coronation Medal for his outstanding contribution to education in the British Commonwealth.

On July 29, 1959, Dr. Evans died suddenly at his summer home in Robson, B.C.. On his desk was the programme for the sod-turning ceremony for the new Arts and Library Building and Lecture Theatre. When it was completed, the Lecture Theatre was christened the Dr. J.R.C. Evans Lecture Theatre on behalf of the man who had made sure that it would be built. The Theatre had been his dream, a place to hold Chapel and Assemblies, as the student body grew in number.

Scope and Content:

Dr. Evans collection is quite substantial, owing to the fact that he was President of Brandon College for thirty one years. His collection is primarily made up of correspondence between Dr. Evans and various people. The letters deal with students, teachers, finances, fundraising, the Bursar, the Registrar, and legal matters. The collection also includes the minutes from various meetings, including Board of Director meetings and National Conference on Canadian Universities. There are accounts dealing with World War II, its affect on campus, the C.O.T.C, and the lending of part of Brandon College to the R.C.A.F. during the war. The complete withdrawal of Baptist support for Brandon College is well documented in this collection, as is the ensuing affiliation of the College with the University of Manitoba. The Brandon College Campaign and other fundraising endeavors are documented in Evans' papers as well. Evans was bent on the expansion of Brandon College, and there is a lot of correspondence dealing with this topic. There are various financial accounts and financial histories of Brandon College in Evans' collection.

Name Access:

J.R.C. Evans

Storage Location:

RG 1 Brandon College fonds Series 2: Office of the Principal/President



Robert Dudley Howland collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4726

Part Of:	RG 1 Brandon College fonds
Description Level:	Sub-series
Series Number:	MG 2 2.16
Accession Number:	15-1999
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	1885-1918
Physical Description:	1.46 m
History /	

Biographical:

Dr. Robert Dudley Howland was born June 1, 1909 in Bexley, Kent, England. He attended Queen Elizabeth Grammar School Faversham, Kent. In 1926, he came to Canada where he attended Brandon College, graduating in Arts in 1935. He subsequently attended the London School of Economics where he obtained a doctorate in Economics.

During his years at Brandon College, Howland participated in debating and drama. He also acted as a student minister for the Baptist Church.

Howland spent his working eyars in various positions in the federal and provincial governments. Energy was an important focus of his work. His introduction to energy problems came in 1944, when he was appointed Secretary of the Carroll Commission on coal. From this experience he accepted appointments in Nova Scotia as Vice-President of their Research Foundation; Deputy Minister of Trade and Industry and Economic Advisor to the Nova Scotia government.

In addition to the Carroll Royal Commission on Coal, Howland was associated with the Royal Commission on Saskatchewan's Coal Mining Industry, was an ecnomist on Canada's Economic Prospects from 1955-1957, and a member of the Royal Commission on Energy.

In 1959, Howland was appointed Vice-President of the National Energy Board and Chairman from July 1, 1968, until his retirement in August 1973. Howland was granted an honorary LL.D. by Brandon University in May 1974.

Howland had a lifelong interest in the Fabian Society and Fabian Socialism, assembling a rich collection of original edition Fabian publications.

Custodial History:

Dr. Howland presented his collection of Fabian publications to Brandon University sometime in the 1970s. The collection remained in the John E. Robbins Library until it was placed in the Archives in 1997.

Scope and Content:

The Howland Collection includes a wide range of books, pamphlets, and assorted publications of the Fabian Society assembled by Dr. Howland.

The Fabian Society, a socialist society, was founded in 1883-1884, in London. The Fabian Society was created with the goal of fostering the creation of democratic socialism in Great Britain. Unlike revolutionary Marxists, the Fabians placed their hopes for change in evolutionary socialism not revolution.

The creation of the Fabian Society is generally attributed to Thomas Davidson, a Scottish philosopher. Its charter members included George Bernard Shaw, Sidney Webb, Annie Besant, Edward Pease, and Graham Wallas. Shaw and Webb, later joined by Webb's wife, Beatrice, were the outstanding leaders of the Society for many years. In 1889, the Society published its best-known tract, "Fabian Essays in Socialism," edited by Shaw. The Fabian Society played an integral role in the creation of the British Labour Party.

Notes:	The items in the collection have been added to the Brandon University
	Library catalogue. Description by Mike White.
Storage Location:	MG 2 Brandon College Students
	2.16 Robert Dudley Howland



Dr. Robert Harvey fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4885

Part Of:	RG 1 Brandon College fonds
Description Level:	Sub-series
Series Number:	MG 2 2.18
Accession Number:	3-1998
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	1912-1980; predominant 1912-1950
Physical Description:	1.08 m

History /

Biographical:

Dr. Robert Harvey graduated from Brandon College in 1913 (McMaster Arts). He received a diploma in theology from Brandon College in 1915. Initially a minister in the Presbyterian Church, Dr. Harvey spent the greater part of his life as a minister in the service of the United Church of Canada.

Custodial History:

This fonds was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 1998. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

This fonds consists of manuscripts written by Dr. Robert Harvey, various newspaper clippings, primarily from the Brandon Sun, featuring articles written by Harvey. Fonds also contains wartime publications from the Soviet Union, United States of America, and Canada. Topics include: the armistice, biographical accounts of war-time figures, the history of the church in Canada, human rights, communism and fascism.

Notes:	CAIN No. 202618
Subject Access:	United Church of Canada
	Brandon Sun
	WW II
	Soviet Union
Storage Location:	MG 2 Brandon College Students 2.18 Dr. Robert Harvey
Related Material:	Brandon College registration cards



Vergil's Aeneid, book I

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Virgil
	Henderson, John
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-21-565
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-21-565
Responsibility:	by Henderson, John
Start Date:	1891
Date Range:	1891
Publication:	Toronot : The Copp, Clark Company
Publisher Series:	Classical text-book series
Physical Description:	151 p. ; 18 cm
Notes:	"Edited with introductory notices, notes, and complete vocabulary, for the use of classes reading for second class certificates and for university Matriculation"
	Latin text, with introd. and notes in English
Subject Access:	Aeneas (Legendary character) Poetry
Storage Location:	Box 21 - Latin
Storage Range:	Box 21 - Latin



English literature. Prose. Series I

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections824

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Stevenson, O. J. (Orlando John), 1869-1950
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-6-160
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-6-160
Responsibility:	annotations by O. J. Stevenson
Start Date:	[1925]
Date Range:	[1925]
Publication:	Toronto : Copp Clark
Physical Description:	248 p. ; 19 cm
Notes:	"Material selected and text prepared under direction of the Honourable Minister of Education"
Subject Access:	Poetry Collections
	Readers Poetry
Storage Location:	Box 6 - Prose
Storage Range:	Box 6 - Prose



Treasures new and old, part I

Collection:George E Thorman School Textbook CollectionCreator:Ogilvie, GeorgeDescription Level:ItemItem Number:Archives 11-999-5-135Item Number Range:Archives 11-999-5-135Responsibility:selected by George OgilviePublication:London : McDougall's Educational CoPublisher Series:Gateways to poetryPhysical Description:112 p. ; 19 cmSubject Access:English poetryStorage Location:Box 5 - PoetryStorage Range:Box 5 - Poetry	Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
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Storage Range: Box 5 - Poetry	Storage Location:	Box 5 - Poetry
	Storage Range:	Box 5 - Poetry



Elementary physics : parts I and II

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1344

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Fairgrieve, Mungo McCallum
	Cundall, James Tudor
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-31-802
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-31-802
Responsibility:	by M. McCallum Fairgrieve and J. Tudor Cundall
Start Date:	1924
Date Range:	1924
Publication:	London : G. Bell and Sons, Ltd
Publisher Series:	Bell's Natural Science Series
Physical Description:	xii, 207 p. : ill. ; 19 cm
Subject Access:	Physics
Storage Location:	Box 31 - Physics
Storage Range:	Box 31 - Physics



The high school poetry book : part I

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Sykes, W. J. (William John), 1865-1948
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-5-148
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-5-148
Responsibility:	edited with notes by W.J. Sykes
Start Date:	1913
Date Range:	1913
Publication:	Toronto : MacMillan Co. of Canada, Ltd
Publisher Series:	MacMillan's literture series
Physical Description:	128 p. ; 18 cm
Subject Access:	English poetry
Storage Location:	Box 5 - Poetry
Storage Range:	Box 5 - Poetry



Public school phonic primer. Part I

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections897

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-9-242
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-9-242
Start Date:	1903
Date Range:	1903
Publication:	Toronto : W. J. Gage Company
Physical Description:	64 p. : ill. (some col.) ; 19 cm
Notes:	"Authorized by the Education Department of Ontario ; authorized by the protestant committee of the Council of Public Instruction for Quebec"
Subject Access:	English language Readers
Storage Location:	Box 9 - Spelling and phonics
Storage Range:	Box 9 - Spelling and phonics



Highroads of geography, book I, sunshine and shower http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections974

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-12-334
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-12-334
Start Date:	1929
Date Range:	1929
Publication:	London : Nelson
Physical Description:	128 p. : ill. ; 21 cm
Notes:	Book I
Subject Access:	Geography Study and teaching (Elementary)
Storage Location:	Box 12 - Geography
Storage Range:	Box 12 - Geography



High school physical science part I

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1361

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Merchant, F. W. (Francis Walter), 1855-1937
	Fessenden, C
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-31-814
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-31-814
Standard number:	System Control Number (Sirsi) AXR-8706
Responsibility:	by F. W. Merchant and C. Fessenden
Start Date:	1895
Date Range:	1895
Publication:	Toronto : Copp, Clark Co
Physical Description:	iv, 220 p. : ill. ; 18 cm
Notes:	Includes index
Subject Access:	Physics
Storage Location:	Box 31 - Science
Storage Range:	Box 31 - Science



High school physical science part I

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Merchant, F. W. (Francis Walter), 1855-1937
	Fessenden, C
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-31-816
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-31-816
Responsibility:	by F.W. Merchant and C. Fessenden
Start Date:	1905
Date Range:	1905
Publication:	Toronto : Copp, Clark Co
Physical Description:	vi, 339 p. : ill. ; 18 cm
Notes:	"For continuation classes in public schools and lower school classes in secondary schools."
Subject Access:	Physics
Storage Location:	Box 31 - Science
Storage Range:	Box 31 - Science



A secondary school course of exercises in English, Book I http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections762

Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	Allen, E. E
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-1-25
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-1-25
Responsibility:	by E. E. Allen, A. T. Mason
Start Date:	1934
Date Range:	1934
Publication:	London ; Glasgow : Blackie & Son
Physical Description:	144 p. ; 19 cm
Subject Access:	English language Grammar
	English language Study and teaching (Secondary)
	Linguistics
Storage Location:	Box 1 - English
Storage Range:	Box 1 - English



Margaret Doran Roberts collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4876

Part Of:	RG 1 Brandon College fonds
Description Level:	Sub-series
Series Number:	MG 2 2.22
Accession Number:	18-2003, 27-2003
GMD:	multiple media
Date Range:	1901, 1915, 1924, 1932-1997; predominant 1936-1960
Physical Description:	24 cm textual records ca. 95 photographs memorabilia

History / Biographical:

Margaret (Peggy) Doran was born on May 27, 1919 in Brandon, Manitoba to parents Sol and Margaret (Honan) Roberts. Doran grew up in Brandon and was very active in theatre during her high school and college years. Her first theatrical success came at age 20, when she directed Brandon Little Theatre's production of "Send Her Victorious," which received top honours in the Manitoba Drama Festival.

Following her graduation from Brandon College in 1941, she trained as a nurse at Montreal's Royal Victoria Hospital during the Second World War and worked at Vancouver General Hospital for almost a year.

On August 25, 1945, Peg married Dennis Roberts, whom she had met in high school. Dennis, a music graduate from the University of Manitoba in Winnipeg, became interested in psychology after serving overseas with the Royal Canadian Air Force, so the couple moved to Toronto so that he could pursue a psychology degree at the University of Toronto. After Dennis graduated in 1950, the family moved to Sudbury, where Dennis and Peg became actively involved with the education and cultural life of the city. Peg was especially involved with the Sudbury Little Theatre Guild (SLTG), which was founded in 1948.

Between 1950 and 1956, Peg directed or acted in five plays. Her directorial works included: Blithe Spirit, The Importance of Being Earnest, The Glass Menagerie and Antigone. Peg was recognized for her directing of Antigone when she won the Edgar Stone Trophy for Directing in the Dominion Drama Festival in 1955. For the 1956-1957 season, Peg assumed the role of President of the SLTG. During this time, she successfully petitioned the Dominion Drama Festival to create a new region and thus in 1957, the Quebec-Ontario Theatre Association (QUONTA) was founded and Peg acted as its first regional chairperson. Peg's further accomplishments included co-founding and serving on the board of directors of the Sudbury Theatre Centre, as well as acting as drama consultant for the Sudbury Secondary School Board.

Peg was diagnosed with breast cancer in 1997 and, shortly after, in 1998, she moved back to Toronto. She died there on April 2, 2003. Peg and Dennis had three children: Judith Marion (b. June 23, 1946), Steven John (b. September 8, 1950), and Patricia May (b. April 5, 1955).

Custodial History:

After Peg's death in April 2003, materials in the collection were gathered and donated to the S.J. Mckee Archives by her children Judith, Steven and Patricia Roberts on July 19, 2003.

Scope and Content:

Collection consists of textual records, photographs and other material that belonged to Margaret Doran Roberts. The textual materials include various personal letters, yearbooks, newspaper articles, journals, graduation diplomas, playbills and other miscellaneous records. The collection also includes approximately 95 photographs, mostly personal photographs of weddings and family, but also professionally taken group photos of the play casts. Other materials in the collection include various artefacts kept by Peg throughout her life.

Notes:	Description and inventory by Ayn Lewandoski (2003).
Storage Location:	MG 2 Brandon College students 2.22 Margaret Doran Roberts
Related Material:	Additional archival material pertaining to Peg and Dennis Roberts is located in the archives at Laurentian University in Sudbury, Ontario.
Arrangement:	

Inventory of the collection:

Pack of matches from Mona's Dress Shop

Cigar that belonged to Sol Doran Water colour picture, in frame, of St. Paul's Cathedral by Ev Lindsay Hunt from Brandon (1930s) Earl Haig Graduation bracelet and Grade IX notebook belonging to Peg Doran Nursing diploma and various other memorabilia from Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal Unidentified pictures of war squadron, World War II RCAF Christmas card from Sergeant William S. Day Possible home economic project of Peg Doran filled with cake recipes Photograph: Gordon Savage and Edith Laycock, plus Royal Winnipeg Rifles locket given by Gordon Savage to Peg Doran (with pictures of Gordon and Peg inside) Francis Bernard Roberts' (Dennis' father) materials: correspondence with Mayo Clinic, photographs and negatives of Indian Chief etc. Shares belonging to F.B. Roberts Unidentified photos of children from Brandon (2) "Willa Cather and the West," essay by Dennis Roberts Various letters and memborabilia in letter case including: - personal letters - Brandon College Annual Arts Banquet programme 1941 - Brandon College Annual Commencement programme 1941 - Brandon College Alumni Dinner program 1941 - Season ticket Manitoba Drama League Provincial Finals Festival 1939 - Manitoba Medical College 4th Annual Ball dance card 1902 - Postcard to Peggy - University of Manitoba Arts Building 1939 - Various report cards from Brandon Collegiate - Brandon Little Theatre 1936 production "Hay Fever" programme - Shares from the Brandon Golf and Country Club 1968 - Margaret Doran's United Church of Canada Member's certificate 1933 Blue scribbler from Expression class, filled with various poems, stories, plays etc. belonging to Peg Doran Miscellaneous newspaper clippings ranging from 1940-1979 (when dated) Brandon Sun 75th Anniversary edition Saturday January 19, 1957 Sol Doran's daily journal - 1963 (the year of his death) Picture of Bessie Scott, housekeeper to Sol and Margaret Doran Wedding photographs, Peg Doran and Dennis Roberts - one in glass frame "Through the Gateway to Yesteryear" written by Eric Wells and Gordon Tucker and Friends, with inside inscription from Una Johnston Sheet music (11) of F.B. Roberts, father-in-law of Peg Doran Sheet music (8) of May Roberts, mother-in-law of Peg Doran Sheet music (4) of Peg (Doran) Roberts Unidentified school project, possibly a rough copy of a play, maybe Peg Doran's handwriting Photo of cast of play "Out to Sea" 1940 Tube containing various graduation diplomas of Dennis Francis Roberts Peg Doran's graduation diploma, Brandon College 1941; letter and certificate recognizing the change from Brandon College to Brandon University; recognition certificate of attendance to 50th Reunion (1991) as well as photographs from the event attended by Peg and one of her Brandon friends, Jean Downing Identification bracelet, probably belonging to May Roberts from hospital in London when Dennis Roberts was born Small glass from Smith Drug Store Two teaspoons, with initials G.E.B.- George Edward Bennest - uncle of Doh (Doran) Bennest Hammond, lawyer in Winnipeg (Doh's mother, Nell Doran, married Fred Bennest) Sterling silver child's cup (Peggy) and baby spoon, both belonging to Peg Doran Various photographs Dennis Roberts RCAF memorabilia including a hat, epaulettes, brass buttons etc. Dennis Roberts' Men's Handicap Singles tennis trophy 1932 L.W.G.A. trophy 1933-34, believed to be awarded to Margaret [Mrs. Sol] Doran, an avid golfer Several pages of photographs of family holidays

- 1958 - to Cornwall, Ontario to look for Doran relatives before St. Lawrence Seaway flooded low-lying graveyards
- 1959 - when family rented a cottage in Clear Lake
Two framed photos of Peg Roberts: as a baby and as a toddler
Wedding announcement of Peg Doran and Dennis Roberts
Dauphin Musical Society photograph 1924
Playbills: Othello (1943); Wonderful Town; and The King & I
Winnipeg Blue Bombers Annual Blue & Gold Football Game program 1959
Play scripts: "Symphony in Illusion;" "Buddy Speaks a Piece;" "At the Photographer's;" and "At the Matinee"
YMCA Winnipeg song sheet
The New Era: 1937 & 1938
The Sickle: 1939, 1940 & 1941
The Quill: Vol. XXIX No. 4 (Oct. 26/38); Vol. XXIX No. 5 (Nov. 4/38); Vol. XXIX No. 6 (Nov. 9/38); Vol. XXXI Nox. 8 (Dec. 12/40)



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Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-25-659
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Responsibility:	by J. Hamblin Smith ; with selection of examination papers by Thos. Kirkland
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Publication:	Toronto : W. J. Gage
Publisher Series:	W. J. Gage & Co.'s mathematical works
Physical Description:	viii, 118 p. : ill. ; 18 cm
Notes:	"Read for second class certificates and intermediate examinations"
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Responsibility:	by John Sturgeon Mackay
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Physical Description:	vi, 364 p. : ill. ; 18 cm
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