

S. J. McKee Archives



Keystone Centre development and construction fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4854

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 22-1998

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1957-1974; predominant 1970-1974

Physical Description: 36 cm

History / Biographical:

The idea of the Keystone Centre was first mentioned in 1958, at a meeting of the board of directors of the Manitoba Winter Fair. The Manitoba Winter Fair wanted a new facility because the old Wheat City Arena had a leaking roof and a deteriorating west wall. The old facility also had limited space and the Winter Fair felt it needed more space for expansion. The Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba also had problems with their facilities, such as old barns and poor display areas. The idea of the Keystone Centre was put on hold until 1969, when the boards of the Provincial Exhibition and the Manitoba Winter Fair joined together as the Provincial Exhibition Association of Manitoba and the Wheat City Arena was sold and demolished. The original estimate for the cost of the Keystone Centre facilities was \$4.5 million and funding would be proportioned so that the federal and provincial governments would each put in one-third of the money, with the rest coming from local donations. The financial campaign for the Keystone Centre began in 1970, and construction began in November 1970. The grand opening of the Centre was in March 1973, and coincided with the Royal Manitoba Winter Fair of that year.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Fonds contains many folders full of correspondence, financial statements, meeting minutes and other documents relating to the development and construction of the Keystone Centre from 1970-1974, including those from the Keystone Executive Committee, as well as the Building Committee. Fonds also contains one folder that pertains to the Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey from 1959. This folder contains the names and locations of all farmers in the Brandon area in 1959. The Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey was created in 1959, in order to make farming in the Brandon area more profitable. The survey was aided by Doane Agricultural Service from St. Louis, Missouri, who had success creating agricultural development programs in the United States. Fonds also contains folders from the Provincial Exhibition with correspondence, pamphlets, estimates, and studies from the 1960's. There is also one folder belonging to the Manitoba Winter Fair, which contains correspondence and financial statements relating to the Wheat City Arena. Fonds also contains information pertaining to the proposals made in the 1960's, for the building of the Keystone Centre, as well as one folder about the Keystone campaign from 1970-73. There is also one folder about the opening of the Keystone Centre, which contains newspaper clippings and guest lists. Finally, the fonds contains information about a court case involving Albert Bobyk and Robert Stewart. Stewart was the project manager for the Building Committee and Bobyk worked on the Keystone Center. The fonds includes a report about the trial of the two men who were charged with fraud involving their work on the Keystone Centre.

Notes: CAIN No. 202608

Subject Access: Ray Forbes

Fred McGuinness

Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey

Doane Agricultural Service Inc

Agricultural & Homemaking School of Brandon

Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

South-Western District Agricultural Society

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Manitoba Department of Agriculture

City of Brandon

Keystone Committee

Keystone Building Committee

agriculture

architecture

exhibitions

swine farming

sheep farming

cereal grain farming

rural life

winter fairs

Storage Location: 1998 accessions
Storage Range: 1998 accessions

Audrey Silvius collection



http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4841

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 21-2000

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1959-1988; predominant 1963-1974

Physical Description: 19 cm textual records; 4 photographs; 1 drawing

History / Biographical:

Born on February 10, 1924, in Elgin, Manitoba, Audrey Ellen Silvius (nee Honeyman) was raised in Fairfax, Manitoba on the Honeyman homestead. In 1964, she received her Indian name, Blue Star. Silvius completed her high school education in Fairfax before moving to Winnipeg in 1943, to earn her Nursing degree from Grace Hospital. She later completed her post-graduate degree in Psychiatric Nursing at the Brandon Mental Health Centre. Married to Merritt W. Silvius, Audrey Silvius raised four children, David, Kay, Lorna (Downie) and Gail (Campos) while working in her chosen field. In addition to her family and her career, she was also involved with the Brandon Council of Women and the United Church in Brandon. Silvius was the first executive director of the Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre, a founding member of the local branches of the Marquis Project and Amnesty International and initiated a project called Tools for Peace. She was also involved in various other peace and human rights organizations. In 1987, she received the Order of the Buffalo Hunt from the Province of Manitoba in recognition of her work relating to women's issues. In 1992, she was awarded a Confederation medal for community service.

Custodial History:

The records found within the collection were collected by Audrey Silvius from a number of people, including Jean Halliday, Grace Godmaire and Norma Walmsley, involved in various projects with her throughout the years. Prior to their donation to the McKee Archives at Brandon University in October and November 2000, the records were stored at Mrs. Silvius' home.

Scope and Content:

Collection consists of meeting minutes, agendas, speeches, correspondence, newsletters, brochures, written publications and newspaper clippings. Four photographs and one pencil drawing are also included within the collection.

The records deal with the creation, activities, and history of the Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre, as well as the activities of its Board of Directors. In addition, materials located within the collection can be divided into two areas: (1) those that relate to various organizations associated with the Friendship Centre itself, such as the Council of Christians and Jews and the Brandon Council of Women; (2) materials related to projects of important individuals involved with the Friendship Centre, such as the South Western Manitoba Recreation Council and the 4F Club of Minnedosa. Other records deal with general aboriginal issues in Canada during the time frame of the Audrey Silvius collection.

Notes: CAIN No. 202607. Description by Christy Henry (2000).

Subject Access: Council of Christians and Jews

Brandon Council of Women

4F Club

Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre

cross cultural relations

Aboriginal issues

community development

Storage Location: 2000 accessions

Storage Range: 2000 accessions

Arrangement:

The collection is divided into ten (10) series:

- 1. The Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre
- 2. The Scout Friendship Centre newsletter
- 3. The Brandon Council of Women
- 4. Council of Christians and Jews
- 5. Aboriginal Glee Club/Dancers
- 6. The South Western Manitoba Recreation Council
- 7. 4F Club of Minnedosa
- 8. Miscellaneous Publications related to Aboriginal Issues
- 9. Miscellaneous Newspaper Clippings related to Aboriginal Issues
- 10. Photographs and pencil drawing



Bradley Brothers threshing crew of Wheatland, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10110

Part Of: RG 12 Brandon and Area Photograph Collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 1

Item Number:BAPC 1.4GMD:graphicDate Range:[19-?]

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

Material Details: On matting

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Bradley Bros. threshing crew of Wheatland, MB posing in a field. Faint writing in pencil on the back of the photo reads: Bill Le Paga(?), Tom B, Dave R., Andy R.

Subject Access: Agriculture

farming

agricultural machinery

rural life

threshing crews

agricultural labourers

Storage Location: BAPC oversize storage drawer

Images





United Grain Growers collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4822

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 48-1997

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1922-1937

Physical Description: 3 cm

History / Biographical:

The United Grain Growers, a farmer controlled co-operative elevator association, was established in 1917, with the amalgamation of the Grain Growers Grain Company (1906), and the Alberta Farmer's Co-operative Elevator company (1913). Its original purpose was to provide a co-operative alternative to privately owned grain elevators.

Custodial History:

This collection was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 1997. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

Collection includes copies of correspondence between T.A. Crerar, President of United Grain Growers and Colin Burnell, President, Manitoba Co-operative Wheat Producers (1925-26); correspondence directed to the Shareholders of United Grain Growers (1926-38); minutes of a meeting between representatives of the United Grain Growers and the provincial wheat pools (1937); as well as a variety of publications about the history and activities of the United Grain Growers (1917-18, 1927, 1929, 1951, 1956).

Notes: CAIN No. 202642. Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: T.A. Crerar

Colin H. Burnell

R.S. Law

Grain Growers Guide

Elevators
Agriculture
Manitoba

Storage Location: 1997 accessions
Storage Range: 1997 accessions



The economics of cooperative marketing

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections241

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Creator: Bakken, Henry Harrison, 1896

Schaars, Marvin Arnold

Description Level: Item

Item Number: Archives 14-8-14
Item Number Range: Archives 14-8-14

Responsibility: by Henry H. Bakken and Marvin A. Schaars

Start Date: 1937 Date Range: 1937

Publication: New York ; London : McGraw Hill Book Company, inc

Physical Description: viii, 583 p.: ill.; 24 cm

Notes: Includes bibliographical reference and index

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative United States
Agriculture Economic aspects

Agriculture Economic aspects United States

Agriculture cooperative credit associations United States

Farm produce Marketing

Storage Location: Box 8 - Historical IV & Cooperation II
Storage Range: Box 8 - Historical IV & Cooperation II



Hay baling

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10107

Part Of: RG 12 Brandon and Area Photograph Collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 1

Item Number:BAPC 1.1GMD:graphicDate Range:c. 1976

Physical Description: 3.25" x 5.25" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a farmer using a New Holland bale wagon (1048).

Name Access: New Holland
Subject Access: Agriculture

farming

agricultural machinery

rural life

Storage Location: BAPC photograph drawer

Images





Hay baling

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10108

Part Of: RG 12 Brandon and Area Photograph Collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 1

Item Number:BAPC 1.2GMD:graphicDate Range:c. 1976Physical Description:4" x 6" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a farmer baling hay using a New Holland bale wagon.

Name Access: New Holland
Subject Access: Agriculture

farming

agricultural machinery

rural life

Storage Location: BAPC photograph drawer

Images





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections409

Other Title Info: Formerly The Scoop Shovel

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Creator: Manitoba Co-operative Conference

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: MPE E 3

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1931-1936; 1943-2001

Publication: Winnipeg : Manitoba Co-operative Conference, ltd

Physical Description: 74 v.; ill.; 5.46 m

Scope and Content:

During the independent existence of Manitoba Pool Elevators, the Manitoba Co-operator, published by the Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd., was the official organ of the cooperative movement in the province. The sub-series consists of issues of The Manitoba Co-operator from 1931-1936 and 1943-2001.

Notes: Description by Jill Sutherland and Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Conservation: microfilm, PDF

Location Original: Archives 14-24-2, Box 24 - Manitoba Pool

Location Copy: Z drive

Arrangement:

The Scoop Shovel, Vol. VII No.1-7 is bound with the Manitoba Co-operator, Vol. VII, No. 9-12



http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1497

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1931-09
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: September 1931
Publisher Series: Vol. VII, No. 9

Physical Description: 22pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the first issue of The Manitoba Co-operator, a magazine of agricultural co-operation, published in September 1931.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Arrangement:

Tthe Manitoba Co-operator, Vol. VII, No. 9-12 is bound with The Scoop Shovel, Vol. VII No.1-7.

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1498

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1931-10
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: October 1931
Publisher Series: Vol. VII, No. 10

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the October 1931 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Arrangement:

Tthe Manitoba Co-operator, Vol. VII, No. 9-12 is bound with The Scoop Shovel, Vol. VII No.1-7.

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1499

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1931-11
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: November 1931
Publisher Series: Vol. VII, No. 11

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the November 1931 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Arrangement:

Tthe Manitoba Co-operator, Vol. VII, No. 9-12 is bound with The Scoop Shovel, Vol. VII No.1-7.

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1500

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1931-12
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: December 1931
Publisher Series: Vol. VII, No. 12

Physical Description: 20pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the December 1931 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Arrangement:

Tthe Manitoba Co-operator, Vol. VII, No. 9-12 is bound with The Scoop Shovel, Vol. VII No.1-7.

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1501

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-01
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: January 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 1

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the January 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1502

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-02
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: February 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 2

Physical Description: 20pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the February 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1503

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-03
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: March 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 3

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the March 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1504

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-04
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: April 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 4

Physical Description: 20pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the April 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1505

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-05
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: May 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 5

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the May 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1506

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-06
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: June 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 6

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the June 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1507

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-07
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: July 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 7

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the July 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Documents





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1508

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-08
GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: August 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 8

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the August 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

Cooperative Periodicals

Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Documents

