

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
4-H
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



C. J. Barnes fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4808>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 20-1997

GMD: textual records

Date Range: ca. 1962

Physical Description: 2 cm

History /

Biographical:

C. J. Barnes was born in Brandon, Manitoba in February 1884. His parents were native Nova Scotians who arrived in Brandon in the early 1880s. In 1884, the family settled on a homestead near the present town of Lauder. This homestead was sold in 1899, and the family moved to farm in the district of Medora. C. J. Barnes took over the operation of this farm in the early 1900s. He farmed until 1924. Barnes was educated in schools in the Truro School District and the village of Lauder. He was active in the original Territorial Grain Growers' Association.

Custodial History:

This fonds was accessioned by the McKee archives in 1997. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

Fonds contains a pamphlet written and published by C.J. Barnes titled *Seventy Years in Southwestern Manitoba*. The pamphlet contains an account of life in rural southwestern Manitoba from the 1880s through to the 1940s. The pamphlet is based on a variety of sources including diaries written by Mr. Barnes' father. Fonds also includes some hand-drawn maps not included in the published version of the pamphlet, as well as four letters c.1962, between C.J. Barnes and Rev. Robert Harvey in his capacity as a columnist for the *Brandon Sun*.

Notes: CAIN No. 202605

Subject Access: Rev. Robert Harvey

Lauder

Medora

Deloraine

Southwestern Manitoba

Agriculture

Boundary Commission Trails

Storage Location: 1997 accessions

Storage Range: 1997 accessions



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



MPE B 16 Historical Topics

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10070>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MPE B.16

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1925-1996

Physical Description: 33 cm

History /

Biographical:

See fonds level description of RG 4 for history/bio of MPE

Scope and Content:

This sub-series consists of historical topics created by MPE:

1. P.F. Bredt Involvement with MPE and death 1935-1940
2. MPE history 1941-1973
- 3a. Manitoba Wheat Pool and MPE history 1930-1939
- 3b. Manitoba Wheat Pool and MPE history 1925-1929
4. Manitoba Wheat Pool history 1924-1971
- 5a. On to Ottawa and Manitoba Delegation Committee 1958-1960
- 5b. MPE Miscellaneous history 1934-1959
6. Manitoba Wheat Pool history 1925-1929
7. Manitoba Wheat Pool 1925-1931
8. Pool Grain Marketing after 1929 Overpayment 1928-1936
9. Historical Review of Grain Trade and MPE
10. MPE Library 1948-1952
11. Coarse Grain Handling 1948-1953
12. Canadian Wheat Board 1935-1960
13. Saskatchewan Wheat Pool 1949
14. 1929 Overpayment and Williams/Stamp Commission Newspaper Clippings 1929-1931
15. Leonard Harman 1972
16. Historical Publications 1995-1996; no dates
17. Miscellaneous Historical
18. Western Agricultural Conference and Farm Bureau 1963-1965
19. Canadian Co-operatives 1961-1969
20. Miscellaneous Historical Topics 1930
21. Miscellaneous Historical Topics 1934-1936
22. International Wheat Agreement 1941-1948
23. World War Two 1939, 1944
24. Canadian National Railway System
25. Overpayment Aftermath 1932-1938
26. Miscellaneous Pool History 1925-1931
27. Miscellaneous History
- 28a. MPE History (Acquisitions, Philosophy) up to 1979 1931-1979
- 28b. MPE History (Acquisitions, Philosophy) up to 1979 1931-1979

Notes: Description by Jillian Sutherland (2009-2010)

Name Access: P.F. Bredt
W.J. Parker
J.T. Hull
C.H. Burnell
Manitoba Wheat Pool
Manitoba Pool Elevators
On to Ottawa
Central Office
Williams Commission
Stamp Commission

Subject Access: Agriculture
Protest
Delegation

Storage Location: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Series B: Central Office records



MPE B 10 Radio Broadcasts

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9311>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MPE B.10

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1930-1971

Physical Description: 6 cm

History /

Biographical:

Manitoba Pool Elevators was quick to realize the usefulness of the radio medium as a educational and promotional tool. It was also often used to defend the Pool and the co-operative movement in general on programs such as Farm Radio Forum. See fonds level description of RG 4 for complete history/bio of MPE.

Scope and Content:

Sub-series MPE B.10 consists of textual radio broadcast transcriptions. The records include transcriptions from 1930 until 1971. Radio broadcasts are on a wide variety of topics, including argicultural science, the grain market and general economy of Canada and the world, government acts and legislation that affected the producer, co-operatives and the co-operative movement, rural life, young people, WWII, Manitoba, and the Manitoba Pool Elevators.

Notes: Description by Jillian Sutherland (2009)

Name Access: F.W. Ransom
C.H. Burnell
J.T. Hull
John Braken
W.J. Parker
D.W. Richmond
E.S. Russenholt
Manitoba Pool Elevators
Central Office

Subject Access: Co-operatives
Agriculture
Radio Broadcasts

Storage Location: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Series B: Central Office records



The Manitoba co-operator

<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



The Manitoba co-operator

<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.

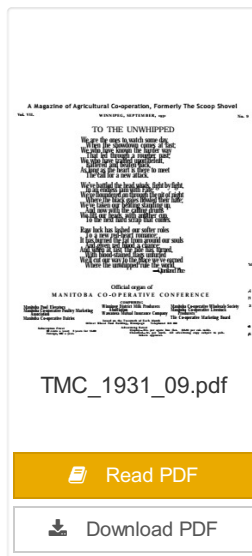
Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
Cooperative Periodicals
Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

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

Arrangement:

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<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:

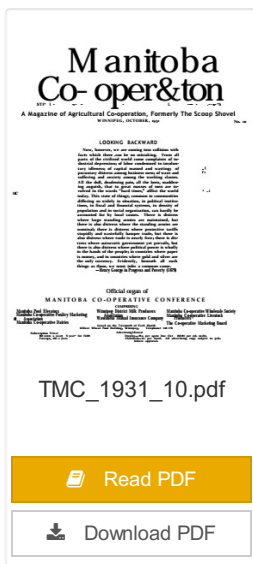
Item consists of the October 1931 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
Cooperative Periodicals
Farm produce Marketing Periodicals
Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Arrangement:

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

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<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:

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

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<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.

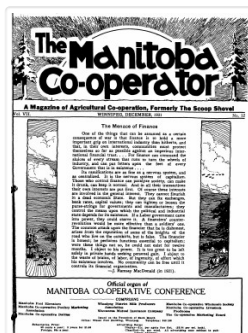
Subject Access: Agriculture
Cooperative Periodicals
Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

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

Arrangement:

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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

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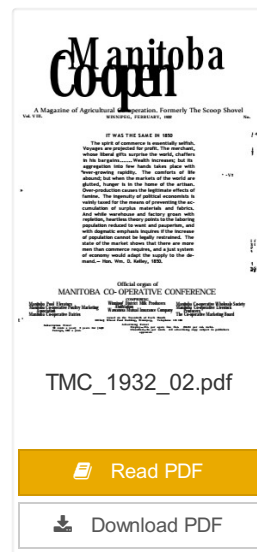
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Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-02
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: February 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 2
Physical 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

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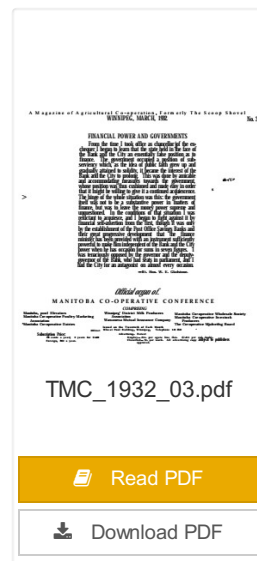


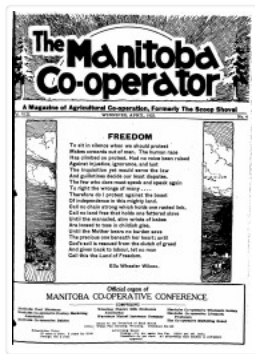
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Part Of:	RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection:	Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	TMC-1932-03
GMD:	textual records
Responsibility:	Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range:	March 1932
Publisher 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

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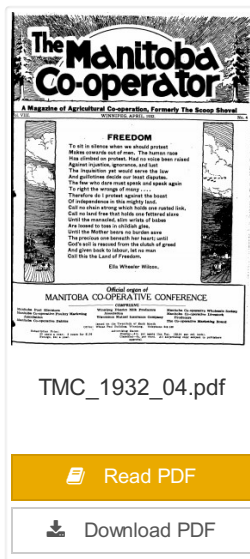


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Part Of:	RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection:	Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	TMC-1932-04
GMD:	textual records
Responsibility:	Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range:	April 1932
Publisher 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

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<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

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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
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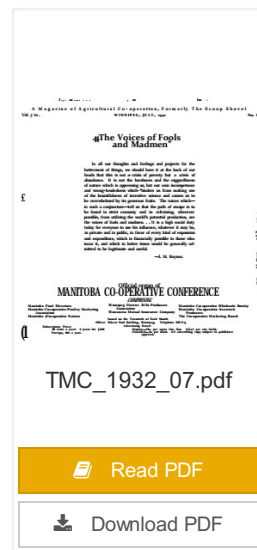


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Part Of:	RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection:	Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	TMC-1932-07
GMD:	textual records
Responsibility:	Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range:	July 1932
Publisher 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
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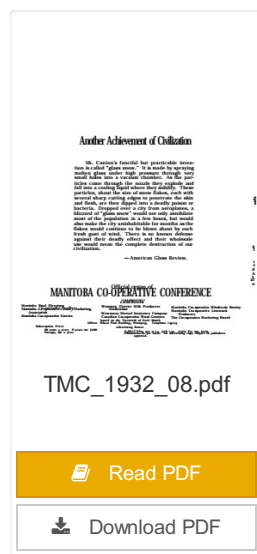
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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-08
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: August 1932
Publisher 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
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Farm produce Marketing Periodicals
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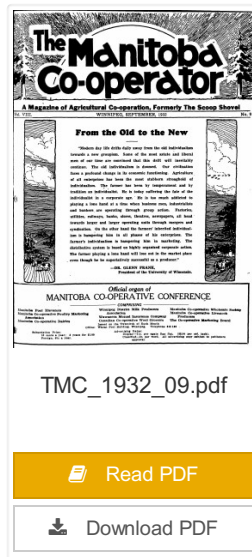
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Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-09
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: September 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 9
Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

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

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-10

GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: October 1932

Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 10

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

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

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture

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