

S. J. McKee Archives



Northeast corner of 10th Street and Princess, Brandon, Manitoba

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Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.16
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: c. 1955
Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the northeast corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue. OK Used Cars - Western Motors Ltds - used car lot and a building containing The Specialty Shop and another business are pictured. The exposed wall of the Brown Block has been painted over.

Name Access: 10th Street

Princess Avenue
Western Motors Ltd.
The Specialty Shop

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

car lots

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Northeast corner 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8393

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.20
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: c. 1955

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)
Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of the northeast corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue facing northeast. An Imperial Esso Dealer is situated on the southeast corner. On the northeast side the following businesses are visible: Thunderbird Bowl, Canadian Pacific Telegraphs, Pittsburgh Paint & Glass, The Strand Theatre, Trans Canada Credit Loans, Ted Heming Jewellers, Carlton Cafe, Barclay Shoe Store, Chamber of Commerce, United Cafe, and Chop Suey. An billboard for 2 Way drink is mounted on the former Campbell's Furniture Building. A sign for the Manitoba CAA Motor League hangs from a business on the southwest corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue. Traffic on Princess Avenue, on the east side of 10th Street, is travelling oneway.

Name Access: Esso

Thunderbird Bowl

Canadian Pacific Telegraphs
Pittsburgh Paint & Glass

Strand Theatre

Trans Canada Credit Loans
Ted Heming Jewellers

Carlton Cafe

Barclay's Shoe Store Chamber of Commerce

United Cafe 10th Street

Princess Avenue

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors gas stations

Chinese restaurants

cafes

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Northeast corner 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8399

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item

 Series Number:
 3-1997.1

 Item Number:
 3-1997.1.21

Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1955

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of the northeast corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue facing northeast. An Imperial Esso Dealer is situated on the southeast corner. On the northeast side the following businesses are visible: Thunderbird Bowl, Canadian Pacific Telegraphs, Pittsburgh Paint & Glass, The Strand Theatre, Trans Canada Credit Loans, Ted Heming Jewellers, Carlton Cafe, Barclay Shoe Store, Chamber of Commerce, United Cafe, and Chop Suey. An billboard for 2 Way drink is mounted on the former Campbell's Furniture Building. A sign for the Manitoba CAA Motor League hangs from a business on the southwest corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue. Traffic on Princess Avenue, on the east side of 10th Street, is travelling oneway.

Name Access: Esso

Thunderbird Bowl

Canadian Pacific Telegraphs

Pittsburgh Paint & Glass

Strand Theatre

Trans Canada Credit Loans

Ted Heming Jewellers

Carlton Cafe

Barclay's Shoe Store

Chamber of Commerce

United Cafe

10th Street

Princess Avenue

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

gas stations

Chinese restaurants

cafes

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Northeast corner 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba (1)

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8372

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.3
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1962

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of an northeast corner 10th Street and Princess Avenue and the rear of buildings facing 200 block on 9th Street. The business in foreground is Thunderbird Bowl. The rear of the Brandon Inn is in the background.

Notes: Photograph dated from "Tara's Bulba," the movie playing at the Strand

Theatre and similiar vehicles captured in the photograph.

Name Access: Thunderbird Bowl

10th Street

Subject Access: Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

bowling

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Northeast corner 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba (2)

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8374

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.4
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1962

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a view of downtown Brandon from the northeast corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue. Thunderbird Bowl is in the foreground. Painted advertisements on the sides of buildings include: The Mitrou's Cafe and Tea Room and Brandon Musical Supply Ltd. Vehicles parked on 10th Street are facing north.

Notes: Photograph dated from "Tara's Bulba," the movie playing at the Strand

Theatre and similiar vehicles captured in the photograph.

Name Access: Thunderbird Bowl

Mitrou Building

Brandon Musical Supply Ltd.

10th Street

Subject Access: downtowns

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

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Corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8387

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.14

Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: c. 1930

Physical Description: 8 " x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the intersection of 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba. View is facing northwest along west side of the 100-block of 10th Street. A stationary policeman/divider is at the centre of the intersection. Visible businesses include: Doig's, Plaza Shoe Shop, and Cambridge Clothes Shop. A horse-drawn sled is parked in front of Doig's store. The Olympia Block, Cecil Hotel, and CPR Station are visible in the background.

Name Access: Doig's

Plaza Shoe Shop

Cambridge Clothes Shop

Alexandra Block Strathcona Block

10th Street

Princess Avenue

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

building exteriors
Transportation

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Hughes Building, corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8404

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.26
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1950

Physical Description: 4.5" x 6.75" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the northwest corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue. Traffic on the west side of Princess Avenue appears to travelling both ways. A car waits at the intersection.

Above the west entrance on the corner building is an electric sign that spells "Hughes Bldg." A second storey has yet to be added to the portion of the Doig's shop that is adjacent to the Alexandra Block.

Fitwell Tailors, a barber shop, and the Federal Building are visible on Princess Avenue.

Notes: A negative is contained in the same enclosure with the print.

Name Access: Doig's

Hughes Building Alexandra Block Princess Avenue Fitwell Tailors 10th Street downtowns

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

barbers

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Intersection 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8392

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.19
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1929

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the intersection of 10th Street and Princess Avenue looking northeast. A stationary policeman/divider is situated in the centre of the intersection. The lot on the corner appears to be for sale and a solid wooden fence has several advertisements, including for: Majestic Radio and a production by the Brandon Operatic Society at City Hall for "A Runaway Girl."

The Brown Block has a third storey lined with dormer windows. Advertisements for Heintzamn & Co. Pianos Piano Tuning, J.J.H. McLean & Co. Ltd, and The Strand Optical Co. are painted on the south side of the Brown Block. Also present is an advertising board for the Capitol Theatre. Signs for the Strand Theatre, Hollywood Cafe, and Campbell's Furniture are also visible.

Notes: Photograph date obtained from the presence of the Hollywood Cafe in

the 1929 Henderson's Brandon City Directory and the performance by

the Brandon Operatic Society.

Name Access: Brown Block

Heintzman & Co. Pianos

J.J.H. McLean & Co.

Capitol Theatre Strand Theatre Hollywood Cafe

Campbell's Furniture Store

10th Street

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

theatres

building exteriors

cafes

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Intersection 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8400

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.22

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1929

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the intersection of 10th Street and Princess Avenue facing northeast. A stationary policeman/divider is situated in the centre of the intersection. A street car is travelling south on 10th Street. Angled parking is on both sides of the street.

The lot on the northeast corner appears to be for sale and a solid wooden fence has several advertisements, including for: Majestic Radio, Imperial Gasoline (premier and ethyl), and a production a City Hall for "A Runaway Girl."

The Brown Block has a third storey lined with dormer windows. Advertisements for Heintzamn & Co. Pianos Piano Tuning, J.J.H. McLean & Co. Ltd, and The Strand Optical Co. are painted on the south side of the Brown Block. Also present is an advertising board for the Capitol Theatre on which is a poster for "Cohens and Kellys in Atlantic City." Signs for the Strand Theatre, Hollywood Cafe, and Campbell's Furniture are also visible.

A sign for Plaza Shoes can be seen on the west side of 10th Street. The train station can be seen at the base of the hill.

Notes: Photograph date based on the Capitol's film "Cohens and Kellys in

Atlantic City" that was advertised in the Brandon Daily Sun 03 December

1929

Name Access: Brown Block

Heintzman & Co. Pianos

J.J.H. McLean & Co.

Capitol Theatre

Strand Theatre

Hollywood Cafe

Campbell's Furniture Store

10th Street

CPR Station

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

theatres

building exteriors

cafes

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





West side of 10th Street from Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8401

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.23
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: c. 1955

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of west side of 10th Street, Brandon, Manitoba, facing northwest. Visible businesses in the Alexandra Block include Doig's, Box Brothers Hardware and Allied Hardware Stores, followed by Simpsons-Sears and Barry Neill Men's Wear in the Strathcona Block. The Johnny Smith Block is visible in the background.

Name Access: Strathcona Block

Alexandra Block

Doig's

Box Brothers Hardware Simpsons-Sears Ltd. Barry Neill Men's Wear

10th Street

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images



10th Street from Princess Avenue facing north, Brandon, Manitoba



http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8402

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection
Creator: Photographer: Jerrett Photo

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.24
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: c. 1955

Physical Description: 3.5" x 5.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard
Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of 10th Street facing north from Princess Avenue. Vehicles are parallel parked on both sides of the street. The Welcome Brandon sign can be seen at the Rosser Avenue intersection.

Visible businesses on the west side of 10th Street include: Doig's, Box Brothers Hardware and Allied Hardware Stores in the Alexandra Block; followed by Simpsons-Sears in the Strathcona Block. Barry Neill Men's Wear, Kresge's and the Cecil Hotel are also visible. The Johnny Smith Block is visible in the background.

Visible businesses on the east side of 10th Street include: Ollies Steaks and Chops, Elna Sewing Centre, Carlton Cafe, Chop Suey. At the base of the hill the Canadian Pacific train station is visible at the base of the hill.

Notes: Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Tenth St. Brandon, Man.

Name Access: Strathcona Block

Alexandra Block

Doig's

Box Brothers Hardware Simpsons-Sears Ltd. Barry Neill Men's Wear

Kresge Cecil Hotel CPR Station

Ollies

Elna Sewing Centre

Carlton Cafe 10th Street

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

Chinese restaurants

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Southwest corner 10th Street and Rosser Avenue

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8409

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.31

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1950

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Kresge store on the southwest corner of 10th Street and Rosser Avenue. Other 10th Street businesses that are visible on the west side of the street include: James Richardson & Son Investments, Beneficial Finance and Loans, Bass' Storkland, Brandon News & Record Shop, Recreation Bowling and Billiards, and Bottomley's. The Welcome Brandon sign can be seen in the top right corner of the photograph.

Name Access: 10th Street

Kresge

James Richardson & Sons

Beneficial Finance Co.

Bass Storkland

Brandon News & Record Shop

Recreation Bowling and Billiards

Bottomley's

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





East side 10th Street facing north from Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8376

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.6
Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic Date Range: 1962

Physical Description: 8"x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of an east side of 10th Street facing north from Princess Avenue. Visible businesses include: Thunderbird Bowl, Canadian Pacific Telegraphs, Pittsburgh Paint & Glass, Strand Theatre, Trans Canada Credit Loans, Ted Heming Jewellers, Carlton Cafe, McKenzie Seeds, Clement Block, Mitrou's Cafe and Tea Room, and Brandon Musical Supply Ltd. Vehicles parked on 10th Street are facing north.

Notes: Photograph dated from "Tara's Bulba," the movie playing at the Strand

Theatre and similiar vehicles captured in the photograph.

Name Access: Thunderbird Bowl

Canadian Pacific Telegraphs
Pittsburgh Paint & Glass

Strand Theatre

Trans Canada Credit Loans

Ted Heming Jewellers

Carlton Cafe

McKenzie Seeds Clement Block Mitrou Building

Brandon Musical Supply Ltd.

10th Street

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





West side of 10th Street facing north from Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8385

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.13

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1959

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

History /

Biographical:

Doig's, originally located on Rosser Avenue, moved to the 10th Street location in 1921.

Scope and Content:

Photograph of west side of 10th Street, Brandon, Manitoba, facing northwest. Visible businesses in the Alexander Block include Doig's, Box Brothers Hardware and Allied Hardware Stores, followed by Simpsons-Sears and Barry Neill Men's Wear in the Strathcona Block. The Johnny Smith Block is visible in the background.

Name Access: Strathcona Block

Alexandra Block

Doig's

Box Brothers Hardware Simpsons-Sears Ltd. Barry Neill Men's Wear

10th Street

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

RG 5 photograph storage drawer Storage Location:

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West side 200-block 10th Street, south of Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8416

Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: ltem

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.38

Accession Number: 3-1997 GMD:

graphic

Date Range: c. 1955

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the west side of the 200-block on 10th Street. Visible businesses include: Chamber of Commerce Tourist Information, Dominion Tire & Radio Co., Bonnie's Bonnet Shop, Steve's Grill, Wally's Taxi, and Western Motors Ltd. The painted advertisement for Doig, Rankin and Robertson is visible on the Alexandra Block. Christmas ornaments are displayed from light standards and include Santa Claus and a Christmas elf.

Name Access: Chamber of Commerce

Dominion Tire & Radio Co.

Bonnie's Bonnet Shop

Steve's Grill

Wally's Taxi

Western Motors

10th Street

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

winter

garages

taxi

restaurants

Christmas

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Bowling alley sketch for 10th Street and Princess Avenue

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14237

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.46
Accession Number: 3-1997
Other Numbers: Hughes #47

GMD: graphic Date Range: c.1950

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a sketch of the intersection at 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba facing northeast. A proposed two-storey bowling alley is situated on the northeast corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue.

Name Access: 10th Street

Princess Avenue

Subject Access: bowling alleys

architecture architects

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





West side 200-block 10th Street facing south from Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8417

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.39
Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic Date Range: c.1955

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the west side of the 200-block on 10th Street. Visible businesses include: Chamber of Commerce Tourist Information, Dominion Tire & Radio Co., Steve's Grill, Wally's Taxi, and the garage entrances to Western Motors Ltd. A Santa Claus Christmas ornament is displayed from a light standard.

Name Access: Chamber of Commerce

Dominion Tire & Radio Co.

Steve's Grill Wally's Taxi Western Motors 10th Street

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

building exteriors

winter garages taxi

restaurants Christmas

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Aerial view of 10th Street facing south from Princess Avenue

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8420

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection
Creator: Photographer: Jerrett Photo

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number:3-1997.1.42Accession Number:3-1997GMD:graphicDate Range:c.1940

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Red ink stain is on the front right corner of postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows 10th Street facing south from Princess Avenue. Visible landmarks and businesses include: Manitoba Power Commission (MPC)'s power sub-station, First Baptist Church, Wheat City Arena, and the grand stand at the Exhibition Grounds.

The partial sign visible at the bottom of the photograph on the east side of 10th Street reads Yates and Neale, which refers to a plumbing and heating company that dissolved in 1943 to be replaced by Neale, Stothard and Chapman.

Businesses on the west side of 10th Street include: Dominion Tire & Radio Co., Bolts Barber Shop, Elviss T.E. Co. Stables.

Notes: Information concerning Yates and Neale courtesy Jack Stothard. Writing

on the front of the postcard reads: Brandon, Looking S.W., Jerrett Photo. This photograph shows a rare view of the 200-block of 10th Street.

Name Access: Manitoba Power Company

10th Street

Dominion Tire & Radio Co.
T.E. Elviss Co. Stables
First Baptist Church

Subject Access: downtowns

street scenes

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

aerial views

building exteriors

residences churches

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images



Brandon Wheat Market at Pacific Avenue and 10th Street



http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13795

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.104Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1885

Physical Description: 9.25" x 7.25" (b/w)

Material Details: On matting

Physical Condition: Photograph is creased and scratched

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Brandon Wheat Market along Pacific Avenue on November 30, 1885. Farmers can be seen driving wagon teams loaded with bags of grain in line on Pacific Avenue from 10 Street to at least 7th Street. On the north side of Pacific Avenue the CPR Land Office and grain elevators are pictured. On the south side of Pacific Avenue, the general merchant/hardware store Bower, Blackburn, Mundell & Porter is situated on the corner of Pacific Avenue and 10th Street. A 10th Street sign is affixed to the merchants' store. On the east side of the general store, Edie House, the Grand View Hotel, and a Farmers' boarding and lodging house can be seen. Most of the buildings appear to be woodframed except for the Grand View, which is constructed of brick. Sidewalks appear to be in place on the south side of Pacific and snow dusts the streets. A baby swathed in winter clothing sits in a pram/baby carriage in front of the general store.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph reads: November 30th, 1885,

Brandon Wheat Market

Name Access: Bower, Blackburn, Mundell, & Porter

Edie House

Grand View Hotel
Pacific Avenue
10th Street

CPR Land Office

Brandon Wheat Market

Subject Access: horses

wagons

Transportation street scenes

hotels markets

Grain elevators

downtown

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

store exteriors

winter

general stores hardware stores

children

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

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Brandon street cars in front of Winter Fair Building on 10th Street

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13753

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.64
Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1913

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Postcard is discoloured around the edges

History / Biographical:

According to the Brandon Daily Sun (07 May 1913), the first three street cars (Nos. 10, 9, and 7) arrived in Brandon on the evening of May 6, 1913. The cars were shipped via Canadian National Rail to Brandon from Winnipeg and stored at the railway siding on McTavish Avenue between 8th and 9th Streets. The daily paper (15 May 1915) reported that a test run for the street cars was scheduled for May 16, 1913. The City Clerk published a public notice in the paper (29 May 1913) announcing the formal opening of the "Brandon Municipal Street Raily" for on Monday, June 2, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at city hall where the cars would be displayed.

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by Allena Strath (nee Coombs).

Scope and Content:

Postcard depicts three municipal street cars parked on the 10th Street tracks in front of the Winter Fair Building. In front of the cars are a group of men wearing suits, hats, and top coats. Two automobiles are parked alongside the street cars. According to Archivist Emeritus Tom Mitchell, the group of men are members of the Brandon Municipal Street Railway Committee. The chairman of the committee, Harry Cater, can be seen in the center-left of the group wearing a watch fob. The committee had assembled for a test run of the street car service, which the Brandon Daily Sun reported to have occured on Sunday, May 16, 1913.

Notes: Back of postcard reads: First Street Car in Brandon in front of Winter Fair

building 1910.

Name Access: Brandon Municipal Railway

Winter Fair Building

Harry Cater

10th Street

Subject Access: street cars

Transportation

cars

automobiles

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1l2

Images

