

S. J. McKee Archives



Fred McGuinness and Peter Gzowski

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14192>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.261

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1980s]

Physical Description: 6" x 4" (colour)

Custodial History:

After the cancellation of McGuinness' CBC Radio broadcast "Neighorly News from the Prairies" that he hosted from 1980 to 1983, McGuinness continued working with the CBC. He was popularly known for his work as the prairie essayist for CBC Radio's Morningside with Peter Gzowski, a position he held for 17 years.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Fred McGuinness (left) and Peter Gzowski (right) having coffee in a restaurant.

Notes: Writing on the back of the postcard reads: Baron! Dear Fred - okay, okay so the photos aren't great...these are your copies anyways! How you are well - Love Shelley (the Countess)

Name Access: Peter Gzowski
Fred McGuinness
Frederick George McGuinness

Subject Access: Radio Broadcasts

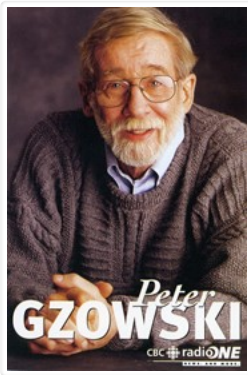
Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

RR#8 photos

Images





Peter Gzowski

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14191>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.260

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1980s]

Physical Description: 4 " x 6" (colour)

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a promotional shot of CBC Radio host Peter Gzowski for CBC Radio One.

Notes: Writing on the back of the postcard reads: Baron! Dear Fred - okay, okay so the photos aren't great...these are your copies anyways! How you are well - Love Shelley (the Countess)

Name Access: Peter Gzowski

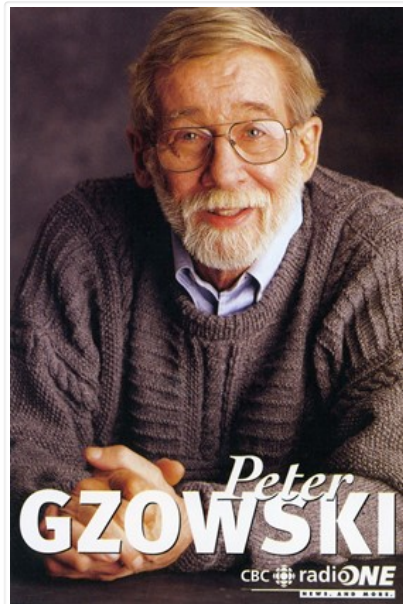
Subject Access: Radio Broadcasts
advertising

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

Arrangement:

RR#8 photos

Images





Palmolive's Happy Gang Family Foto

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13973>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.44

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1949]

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

History /

Biographical:

According to the Canadian Old-time Radio Alliance website, the Happy Gang radio show was established by Bert Pearl for the CBC in 1937. The show remained on the air until 1959. Colgate Palmolive was the radio show's first sponsor. Other sponsors included Carnation Milk, Mills' Flower, and Red Rose.

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from Lillie S. Wilkins of Killarney, MB

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group portrait of the "The Happy Gang" family. The promotional photograph was produced for the 143rd anniversary of the Colgate-Palmolive company.

Notes: Members of the Happy Gang are identified on the back of the photograph along with "a message" from Bert Pearl, the M.C. for the Happy Gang. Date of photograph determined from Colgate-Palmolive company history.

Name Access: Palmolive's Happy Gang Family

Colgate Palmolive Company

Bert Pearl

Subject Access: portraits

advertising

Radio Broadcasts

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

Arrangement:

McG RR #1 - loose (see McG 1.2 File 33)

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Fred McGuinness and Shirley in a sound booth

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14177>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.246

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1980s]

Physical Description: 7" x 5" (colour)

Custodial History:

Photograph was sent to Fred McGuinness from Shirley

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Fred McGuinness seated in a recording room with a female colleague.

Microphones and recording equipment can be seen on a desk behind the pair.

Name Access: Frederick George McGuinness

Fred McGuinness

Subject Access: Radio Broadcasts

building interiors

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

Arrangement:

RR #1 loose, see McG 1.2 File 1

Images





School broadcast

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13149>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: S
Item Number: 11-2010.S92a
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of two kids and a woman.

Name Access: CKX
Subject Access: persons
children
building interiors
broadcasting equipment
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





School broadcast

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13148>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: S
Item Number: 11-2010.S92b
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of students painting pictures.

Name Access: CKX
Subject Access: schools
persons
children
building interiors

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Peter Parker

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13632>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: P
Item Number: 11-2010.P19c
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of a man standing at a microphone.

Name Access: CKX
Peter Parker
Subject Access: building interiors
persons
broadcasting equipment
Radio
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Radio Electric (Birtle)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13367>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: R
Item Number: 11-2010.R90b
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of a man fixing electronic equipment.

Name Access: CKX
Radio Electric
Subject Access: building interiors
businesses
electronics
employees
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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Ruth and Archie MacLachlan fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10093>

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds
Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: MG 2 2.33

Accession Number: 23-2009
GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1930-1934
Physical Description: 27 cm textual records
13 b/w photographs
Physical Condition: Very good. Some of the letters written in pencil are a little faded.

History /

Biographical:

Ruth Alverda Wade was born July 11, 1912 in Brandon, MB to James and Etta Alverda. She had two younger siblings: sister Gwen and brother Sherry. The Wade family resided at 1837 Princess Avenue, Brandon, MB. Ruth graduated from Brandon College with the Class of 1933.

During her time at Brandon College Ruth met Archie MacLachlan. Archibald James MacLachlan was born in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan in 1907. He had four brothers: Howard, Edgar, Bruce, Curly and Stirling. When Archie was quite young the MacLachlan family moved to Alberta. Archie came to Brandon c. 1930 to attend Brandon College. During the summers of his years at Brandon College Archie held pastoral charges in Alberta. The first two summers were spent in the Peace River Country and the second two in Etzikom in Southern Alberta. This is the period during which the letters in the fonds were written.

Ruth Wade married Archie MacLachlan on September 19, 1934 in Brandon, MB. Following the wedding the couple moved to Hamilton, ON. Archie graduated from McMaster University with his Bachelor of Divinity degree in 1937. During this period their daughter Joann Ruth was born. After his ordination as a Baptist Minister the family moved to North Bay where Archie was minister for four years. The next six years were spent in Vancouver as Archie worked as minister at Fairview Baptist Church in Vancouver. The couple's sons Archibald James and Lachlan Wade were also born during this period.

At the end of the Second World War Archie decided to go back to school. The family travelled to Brandon, where Ruth and the children remained for part of a year while Archie went ahead to Andover Newton to enroll and find a parish that would support him while he went to school. The family was reunited in Penacook, New Hampshire; they lived there for two years while Archie completed his Masters in Sacred Theology. After a brief additional period of study at Harvard University, the MacLachlan family returned to Canada, settling in Toronto while Archie finished his second Masters degree (Psychology) and held positions as interim minister and then assistant minister at York Minster Church. Following the two years in Toronto they moved to Winnipeg.

Eventually Archie left the church ministry and became Chaplain at the Hamilton Psychiatric Hospital. He also continued to train students in Pastoral Education through the courses he had begun at the Divinity College of McMaster University. He remained at the Hospital until his retirement.

During their married life Ruth was kept busy raising the couple's children and with her work as a minister's wife, particularly her work in the community. She sat on a number of community boards, including positions as President of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec and a member of the Board of Governors for McMaster University's Divinity School.

Ruth MacLachlan died on October 29, 1983 in Mississauga, ON.

Archie married Kathleen Marie (Green) French (b. January 22, 1908, d. June 1, 1998) on June 20, 1987. Archie MacLachlan died in December 1997.

Custodial History:

Records were in the possession of Ruth and Archie MacLachlan until their deaths. At that time the records were inherited by their daughter Joann. Joann MacLachlan donated the records to the McKee Archives on October 24, 2009 at a donation event held as part of Homecoming 2009.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of approximately 197 letters written by Ruth and Archie to each other during the spring and summers of 1932, 1933 and 1934. The letters were written during the courtship of the couple and contain details not only on about their lives in Brandon and Alberta but also more personal information about their relationship, families and future plans. Because Ruth and Archie were students at Brandon College during this period the letters also often reflect on events and personalities related to the College, as well as their own personal studies.

Fonds also contains a scrapbook compiled by Ruth during her Brandon College years. It includes photographs, newspaper clippings, graduation cards, event programs, place cards and other ephemera. There are also a few miscellaneous documents - McMaster University examination papers, handwritten sheet music, postcards - that appear to have belonged to Archie. Fonds also contains a graduation photograph of Ruth.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry. History/Bio information taken from Joann MacLachlan's book Ruth and Archie: Brandon and Brandon College 1932-1934.

Name Access: Ruth Wade
Ruth MacLachlan
Archie MacLachlan
Addrene Edwards
Dorreene McGuinness
Brandon
Brandon College
Trochu, Alberta
Etzikom, Alberta
First Baptist Church

Subject Access:	land vehicles Christianity city life rural life convocations Correspondence crime post-secondary education mountains pastoral activities postal service parsons religious officials Radio Broadcasts tennis rail transportation weather social events music clothing theology hobbies liberal arts horses road transportation travels touring depression era
Language Note:	Some of the letters contain German phrases.
Storage Location:	Textual records: 23-2009
Related Material:	Photographs: RG 5 photograph storage drawer Ruth and Archie's daughter Joann edited the letters into a book entitled Ruth and Archie: Brandon and Brandon College 1932-1934. A copy of the book is located in the Rare Book collection of the John E. Robbins Library, Brandon University. William Ridley Sheridan Wade collection (28-2007)
Arrangement:	<p>The letters are arranged in chronological order with all of Archie's letters to Ruth for a particular year grouped together, followed by Ruth's letters to Archie for that same year. For preservation purposes photographs in the scrapbook have been removed and placed in photograph storage, with their corresponding scrapbook page number noted on the back. Because of the fragile condition of the scrapbook a note has been made concerning the original location of many items that have become detached from their original location in the scrapbook. These items remain with the remnants of the scrapbook in one archival housing. Note that Ruth did not place items on every page so the numbering is not sequential for scrapbook items. Some items were loose at the back of the scrapbook and therefore have no corresponding page number.</p>



Peter Parker

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13634>

Part Of: CKX fonds
 Creator: CKX
 Description Level: Item
 Series Number: P
 Item Number: 11-2010.P19a
 Accession Number: 11-2010
 GMD: graphic
 Date Range: after 1954
 Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)
 Material Details: Negative
 Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of a man standing behind a desk.

Name Access: CKX
 Peter Parker
 Subject Access: building interiors
 persons
 Radio
 children
 Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14330>



Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: M
Item Number: 11-2010.M4a
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1967
Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention appears to have been a convention for farmers who planted and sprayed their crops using aerial techniques. The Manitoba Flying Farmers were organized in 1956 in Brandon, Manitoba. Organizational meetings were held in a hanger at the Brandon Flying Club. The first Regional 5 Flying Farmers Convention in Manitoba was held 1961. Nearly 200 people attended the first convention from various provinces and states including: Alberta, Saskatchewan, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnisota, Wisconsin, Montana and Colorado. Alberta and Saskatchewan had their own district leaving Manitoba in a district with North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnisota and Wisconsin. This photo was taken at the 11th Annual Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention on the weekend of April 7th, 1967.

Custodial History:

See Fonds level description for custodial history

Scope and Content:

Image of a woman presenting at the podium from the front table. Two men are sitting on either side of the woman. A sign saying "Manitoba Flying Farmers" is at the base of the table. The image appears to have been taken at the Prince Edward Hotel.

Notes: Hisotry/Bio information taken from Brandon Sun. Description by Jillian Combs.

Subject Access: downtown
building interiors
hotels
Agriculture
conventions

Repro Restriction: Canadian Copyright Law may apply. Consult the archivist for access

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Arrangement:

Original order maintained. Series arranged alphabetically by letter (A-Z) but negatives not alphabetical within each series.

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Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14331>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: M
Item Number: 11-2010.M4b
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1967
Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

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Custodial History:

See Fonds level description for custodial history

Scope and Content:

Image of the attendants of the convention who are listening to the speaker. The image appears to have been taken in the Prince Edward Hotel.

Notes: Hisotry/Bio information taken from Henderson's Directories. Description by Jillian Combs.

Subject Access: **downtown**
building interiors
hotels
Agriculture
conventions

Repro Restriction: Canadian Copyright Law may apply. Consult the archivist for access

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Arrangement:

Original order maintained. Series arranged alphabetically by letter (A-Z) but negatives not alphabetical within each series.

Images



Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14332>

Part Of: CKX fonds
 Creator: CKX
 Description Level: Item
 Series Number: M
 Item Number: 11-2010.M4c
 Accession Number: 11-2010
 GMD: graphic
 Date Range: 1967
 Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

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Custodial History:

See Fonds level description for custodial history

Scope and Content:

Image of convention attendee. Based on the name tag he appears to be Bill Williams (?). Image appears to have been taken inside the Prince Edward hotel. There is a banner in the background.

Notes: Description by Jillian Combs.

Subject Access: downtown
 building interiors
 hotels
 Agriculture
 conventions

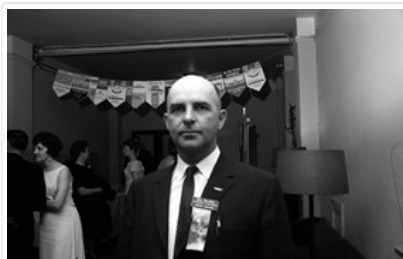
Repro Restriction: Canadian Copyright Law may apply. Consult the archivist for access

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Arrangement:

Original order maintained. Series arranged alphabetically by letter (A-Z) but negatives not alphabetical within each series.

Images



Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14333>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: M
Item Number: 11-2010.M4d
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1967
Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention appears to have been a convention for farmers who planted and sprayed their crops using aerial techniques.. The Manitoba Flying Farmers were organized in 1956 in Brandon, Manitoba. Organizational meetings were held in a hanger at the Brandon Flying Club. The first Regional 5 Flying Farmers Convention in Manitoba was held 1961. Nearly 200 people attended the first convention from various provinces and states including: Alberta, Saskatchewan, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnisota, Wisconsin, Montana and Colorado. Alberta and Saskatchewan had their own district leaving Manitoba in a district with North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnisota and Wisconsin. This photo was taken at the 11th Annual Manitoba Flying Farmers Convention on the weekend of April 7th, 1967.

Custodial History:

See Fonds level description for custodial history

Scope and Content:

Image of convention attendants listening to the speaker. There is a large number of women in the audience. The large number of women in the photo could be attributed to Flying Farmers queens of each districts encouragement of women learning to fly. The image appears to have been taken at the Prince Edward Hotel.

Notes: Description by Jillian Combs.

Subject Access: downtown
 building interiors
 hotels
 Agriculture
 conventions

Repro Restriction: Canadian Copyright Law may apply. Consult the archivist for access

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Arrangement:

 Original order maintained. Series arranged alphabetically by letter (A-Z) but negatives not alphabetical within each series.

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Shoal Lake merchants

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13036>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: S
Item Number: 11-2010.S145b
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 196?
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of an employee in an agricultural supply warehouse.

Name Access: CKX
Subject Access: persons
commerical buildings
employees
retail trade
Agriculture
building interiors

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Peter Parker

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13633>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: P
Item Number: 11-2010.P19b
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954
Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

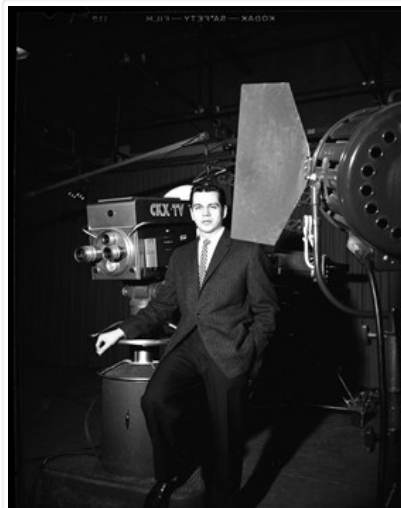
See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of a man standing in front of broadcasting equipment.

Name Access: CKX
Peter Parker
Subject Access: building interiors
persons
broadcasting equipment
television broadcasting
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Red Cross - CKX blood donor clinic

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13347>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: R
Item Number: 11-2010.R100a
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: May 1966
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

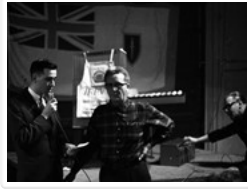
Scope and Content:

Image of people donating blood.

Name Access: CKX
Red Cross
Subject Access: broadcasting equipment
persons
nurses
building interiors
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





UCT presentation to Cancer Society

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12937>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Series Number: U
Item Number: 11-2010.U6a
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1967
Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of a man making a speech.

Name Access: CKX
Subject Access: persons
building interiors
presentations
signs and signboards
broadcasting equipment
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images

