

# S. J. McKee Archives



# Wright & Wright, Brandon

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13949

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	1-2015.21
Accession Number:	1-2015
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1882
Physical Description:	5" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details:	reproduction

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows four men posing in front of a wood-framed shop on 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. The men are wearing three-piece suits or vests and long-sleeved shirts. A painted sign above the shop reads: Wright & Wright, Hamilton Stove & Tin Store. Hanging from the exterior walls are various tin items for sale: lantern, ladel, dust pan, pots and pans.

Notes:	Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Corner of 8th & Rosser. Photograph is stamped Public Archives Canada.
Name Access:	8th Street
	Rosser Avenue
Subject Access:	Pioneers
	store exteriors
	Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)
Related Material:	LAC, Mikan 3194057
Arrangement:	

See McG 4.1 File 51 William R. Morrison correspondence dated 14 January 1985





# City Hall and YMCA viewbook postcard

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13885

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Creator:	Printed by Photogelatine Engraving Co. Ltd., Ottawa
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.195
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1920s
Physical Description:	3.5" x 5.5" (b/w)
Material Details:	postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows two separate views. One is of the main entrance of (Old) City Hall on Princess Avenue. The other view shows the ediface of the YMCA building as well as the adjacent St. Paul's United and First United Churches on 8th Street.

Notes:	Part of "Souvenir of Brandon, Manitoba, Canada [viewbook], Printed by Photogelatine Engraving Co. Limited, Ottawa." Dates obtained from the Burchill's Music Store Henderson's Brandon City Directory listings (1927- 1929). Writing on the front of the photograph reads: City Hall - Brandon, Man; YMCA, St. Paul's United & First Church United, Brandon, Man.
Name Access:	YMCA
	St. Paul's United Church
	First United Church
	City Hall
	Old City Hall
	8th Street
Subject Access:	Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940
	churches
	building exteriors
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)
Arrangement:	
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# Interior of Cafe Aagaard

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13732

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.42
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	[1903-1923]
Physical Description:	5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)
Material Details:	postcard
History /	
Biographical:	

Opened 1903. Closed 1923. Building became the Oak Theatre ca. 1930. Reopened as Towne Cinema ca. 1980 after being closed for many years. The building has since been demolished.

#### Scope and Content:

Postcard shows the interior of the lunch counter and cashier register at Cafe Aagaard located at 29-8th Street Brandon.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Lunch Counter Cafe Aagaard, 29 Eigth St., Brandon, Man. The back of the postcard reads: Cafe Aagaard, Largest, Oldest and Best in Brandon. The postcard is addressed to Mrs. K.L. McGregor, 157-4th St.
Name Access:	Aagaard's
	Cafe Aagaard
	8th Street
Subject Access:	restaurants
	lunch counters
	building interiors
	store interiors
	restaurant interiors
	cafes
	Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)
Related Material:	Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1E9





## Street scene 8th Street in winter

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13703

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	Item
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.13
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

History /

Biographical:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue in the winter. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio. Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton. The Imperial Hotel is visible on the west side of 8th Street. The 8th Street Bridge is visible in the background.

Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 338, November Notes: 1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Fleming Block Name Access: Frank Gowen Photographer Liverpool House Hotel Imperial Annex 8th Street Rosser Avenue Aagaard's R.S. Thompson 8th Street Bridge Bank of Hamilton

Imperial Hotel

Subject Access:	Street scene
	downtown
	storefronts
	store exteriors
	hotels
	boarding houses
	barber shops
	restaurants
	druggists
	photographers
	bridge
	banks
	winter
	land agents
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

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# Street scene 8th Street in winter

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	Item
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.14
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

### History /

Biographical:

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#### Scope and Content:

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Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 340, after the storm November 1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Name Access: Fleming Block Frank Gowen Photographer Liverpool House Hotel Imperial Annex 8th Street Rosser Avenue Aagaard's R.S. Thompson 8th Street Bridge Bank of Hamilton Imperial Hotel

Subject Access:	Street scene
	downtown
	storefronts
	store exteriors
	hotels
	boarding houses
	barber shops
	restaurants
	druggists
	photographers
	bridges
	banks
	winter
	Transportation
	sleighs
	storms
	land agents
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

# Images





# 8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.79
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	[1906]
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of the northeast intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are parked along the east side of 8th Street. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is standing on a soap box and is surrounded by a crowd in the middle of 8th Street. Another man can be seen standing behind a booth on the northwest street corner. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 297. One photograph (20-2009.80) is glued below the photograph. Another photograph is glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.
Name Access:	Fleming Block
	Fleming's Drug Store
	Frank Gowen Photographer
	Liverpool House
	Hotel Imperial Annex
	8th Street
	Rosser Avenue
	Aagaard's
	R.S. Thompson
	8th Street Bridge
Subject Access:	Street scene
	Transportation
	downtown
	storefronts
	store exteriors
	hotels
	boarding houses
	barber shops
	restaurants
	druggists
	photographers
	bridge
	horses
	dogs
	buggies
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)





# 8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13701

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.11
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	[1906]
Physical Description:	6.5" x 4.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are travelling on both roads. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is surrounded by a crowd adjacent to the Fleming Block, another man stands on a soap box in the middle of the intersection, while a third man is standing behind a booth. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 7th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes:

Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 296. One photograph (20-2009.12) is glued above and two others are glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Fleming Block
Fleming's Drug Store
Frank Gowen Photographer
Liverpool House
Hotel Imperial Annex
8th Street
Rosser Avenue
Aagaard's
R.S. Thompson
8th Street Bridge
Street scene
Transportation
downtown
storefronts
store exteriors
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photographers
bridge
horses
dogs
land agents
RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

## Images





# Parade on 8th Street

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9

Item Number:	20-2009.6
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	8" x 6" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

## Scope and Content:

Photograph shows parade floats travelling on 100 block of 8th Street (Brandon). Horse-drawn floats appear to belong to the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, Murdock/Murdoch Brothers (furniture dealers), and F.W. Durst (cement contractor). Businesses visible in the background include the Sylvester Brothers Manufacturing Company and McDiarmid and Clarke lumber and fuel yard. Spectators in the foreground are leaning on a wooden fence likely belonging to the Old City Hall.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 315 July 1906. Two photographs (20-2009.7, 20-2009.6) are glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.
Name Access:	Sylvester Brothers Manufacturing Co.
	8th Street
	McDiarmid & Clarke
	Murdoch Brothers
	Murdock Brothers
	F.W. Durst
Subject Access:	parades
	Transportation
	parade floats
	horses
	downtown
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

## Images



Residential street in December 1906 http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13708



Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.18
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

#### History /

#### **Biographical:**

John Dickson (b. 17 Mar 1854, Scotland; d.15 April 1926, Brandon) was considered one of Brandon's pioneer dentists. Dickson immigrated to Canada in 1857, where he lived in Hamilton, Ontario, for a number of years. Dickson then came to Manitoba and operated a grocery in Chater before he studied dentistry, graduating from the University of Minnesota in 1886. Dickson settled in Brandon where he married Anna Louise Harrison on 28 December 1891. (Source: "Pioneer Dentist of Brandon in Dr. John Dickson," Brandon Daily Sun 16 Apr 1926).

The couple had four children: Mrs. Irving Cross [Mary Louise, b.20 Dec 1892, Brandon; d. 22 Oct 1981, Saratoga, NY]; Dr. John Harrison Dickson [b. 26 Aug 1894, Brandon; d. 17 June 1956, Killarney]; Dr. Stanley Rodgers Dickson [b. 18 Feb 1896, Brandon; d. 25 July 1963, Brandon]; and Mrs. Emile Baldeschweiler [Isobel Marion Coates, b. 13 Nov 1900, Brandon; d.?] of New York. (Source: Manitoba Vital Statistics database)

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows three children standing on a residential street in front of a large woodframed home surrounded by a white picket fence. Two girls are wearing winter overcoats and a boy is wearing a winter jacket. The trees are covered in hoarfrost and snow lines the streets. The children are possibly those of Brandon dentist Dr. John Dickson who resided at 342-8th Street.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: December 1906, 344.
Name Access:	John Dickson
	8th Street
Subject Access:	storms
	winter
	children
	residences
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)





## Residential street during winter

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13709

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	Item
Series Number:	McG 9
ltem Number:	20-2009.19
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

History /

Biographical:

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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows three children playing on a residential street in the winter. Two girls are wearing winter overcoats and a boy is wearing a winter jacket. The trees are covered in hoarfrost and snow lines the streets. The children are possibly those of Brandon dentist Dr. John Dickson who resided at 342-8th Street.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 1906, 343.
Name Access:	John Dickson
	8th Street
Subject Access:	storms
	winter
	children
	residences
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

## Images





# Residential street during winter storm

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.17
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

### History / Biographical:

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#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows three children standing on a residential sidewalk after a winter storm. Two girls are wearing winter overcoats and a boy is wearing a winter jacket. The children are possibly those of dentist Dr. John Dickson, who resided at 342-8th Street.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: November 1906, 342.
Name Access:	John Dickson
	8th Street
Subject Access:	storms
	winter
	children
	residences
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)





# Rosser Avenue and 8th Street during winter storm

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13706

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	Item
Series Number:	McG 9
Item Number:	20-2009.16
Accession Number:	20-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1906
Physical Description:	6.5" x 4.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	on matting
Physical Condition:	Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

Custodial History:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block. The Fleming Block, Beaubier Block and its Empire Hotel, A.M. Percival (a grocer), the Brandon Hardware Company (600 block), and the Arlington Hotel (500 block) are visible along the north side of the avenue. The Bank of Hamilton Building on the southeast corner of 8th Street and Rosser appears to be under construction. The streets are muddy and a horse and buggy is traveling west on Rosser Avenue.

Notes:	Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: during the great storm of November 16 1906, 341. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the southwest corner of 7th Street and Rosser Avenue. Page appears to be from a photo album.
Name Access:	Fleming Block
	8th Street
	Rosser Avenue
Subject Access:	Street scene
	downtown
	storefronts
	storms
	winter
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

