

# S. J. McKee Archives



# Eckhardt-Gramatté National Music Competition for the Performance of Contemporary Music collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12726

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 16-2012

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1976-2011

Physical Description: 25 cm textual records

43 posters

34 event programs

approximately 9 photographs

History / Biographical:

The Eckhardt-Gramatté National Music Competition (commonly called the E-Gré Competition) is the most important annual contemporary music competition for exceptional emerging Canadian performing artists in piano, voice, and strings. Since 1976, the E-Gré has promoted the performance of Canadian and contemporary music of the 20th and 21st centuries and has commissioned 31 new works by leading Canadian composers. The S.C. Eckhardt-Gramatté Competition received its letters patent in 1974 and its legal incorporation in 1979. The inaugural competition was held in 1976 and continues to be held annually at Brandon University. The competition has undergone a few name changes since its inception. For the 8th annual event of the competition the name changed to the Eckhardt-Gramatté National Music Competition for the Performance of Canadian music. Prior to the 27th competition, the event listed both contemporary music as well as Canadian music. The competition is administered by a board and artistic director.

### Custodial History:

The records were held by the Eckhardt-Gramatté competition until their donation to the McKee Archives in the summer of 2010 by Pat Carrabré, President of the Eckhardt-Gramatté Competition Board.

#### Scope and Content:

Collection consists of records created and collected by the Eckhardt-Gramatté committee in the course of holding the competition each year. The records are related to the promotion and administration of the event and the annual award winners. Items include: legal documentation, including the Certificate of Revival and the incorporation documents for the Eckhardt-Gramatté Competition; press files (1976-1979, 1980-1983, 1984-1987), which include newspaper clippings and photocopies of newspaper coverage, press releases on performance orders/show times, and promotional materials for individual performer; 30 award winners' files containing promotional materials and press clippings related to the award winner; event programs; and promotional posters for every year (except 1979).

Notes: History/Bio information taken from the E-Gré national music website

available at: http://e-gre.ca. (Date accessed October 26, 2012).

Description by Steve Dueck (October 2012).

Name Access: Brandon Univeristy School of Music

Westman Centennial Auditorium

S.C. Eckhardt-Gramatté

Ferdinand Eckhardt

David Swan
Gwen Hoebig
Jackie Parker
Nancy Herbison

Louise Bessette

Annalee Patipatanakoon

Debra Parker Jamie Parker

Joanne Opgenorth

Ingrid Attrot

Lesley Robertson
Janaice Girard
Jane Leibel
Krista Buckland
Audrey Andrist

Elizabeth Pomes Bridget Hunt Bang Lang Do Heather Pawsey Jasper Wood

Krystyna Tucka-Gaweda

Vilma Vitols Elissa Lee

Heather Schmidt Nikki Einfeld Kerry DuWors Lana Henchell

Su Jeon

Kristin Mueller-Heaslip

Subject Access: music

performing arts performing artists music competitions music festivals

Repro Restriction: Photographs in the collection are covered by Canadian copyright law.

Researchers are responsible to honour appropriate legislation.

Language Note: Some posters contain French.

Storage Location: 2012 accessions

Related Material:

Media Kit for the 10th annual competition can be found in the Dr. J.R.C. Evans

collection at the S.J McKee Archives (accession number: 7-2004). All listings below can also be found at S.J. McKee Archives at Brandon University: Francis Chaplin collection: Dean of Music: School of Music: Eckhardt-Gramatté: trio for violin, violoncello and piano (accession number: 13-2008): Ferdinand Eckhardt: W.M.C.A Convocation (Fall 1990), Sophie Carmen Eckhardt-Grammatté: W.M.C.A Convocation (Fall 1990) #14: W.M.C.A Convocation (Fall 1990) #15: W.M.C.A

Convocation (Fall 1990) #16: W.M.C.A Convocation (Fall 1990) #17: Convocation (c. 1990): W.M.C.A Convocation (Fall 1990) # 19: W.M.C.A Convocation (Fall 1990) #12: W.M.C.A Convocation (Fall 1990) #18: W.M.C.A Convocation (Fall 1990) #13: Lawrence Jones Collection

(accession number: 9-2011).

Information regarding Sophie-Carmen Eckhardt-Gramatté (née Fridman) Sonia Eckhardt and Dr Ferdinand Anton Ludwig Eckhardt can be found at the University of Manitoba Archives & Special Collections, the University of Calgary Library, Special Collections, the National Library of Canada and the Winnipeg National Art Gallery Archives.

#### Arrangement:

Records are organized chronologically within each type of record.



## 10 Mile Dam

## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13716

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.26
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1900-1924

Physical Description: 4.25" x 2.5" (b/w)

History / Biographical:

Situated in the R.M. of Whitehead on the Little Saskatchewan River, the 10 Mile Dam was a 14 kilometer transmission line that supplied the city of Brandon with power. The Brandon Electric Light Company built the dam in 1900 and it is considered Manitoba's first hydroelectic power generating station. The dam spanned approximately 80 meters and was constructed from timber and reinforced with clay and stone. The station was decommissioned in 1924.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows 10 Mile Dam, also known as the Brandon Dam or Minnedosa River Hydro Plant.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: "10 mile dam". Biographical

information obtained from Manitoba Historical Society.

Name Access: 10 Mile Dam

Ten Mile Dam Brandon Dam

Minnedosa River Hydro Plant Brandon Electric Light Company

Little Saskatchewan River

Subject Access: dams

Rivers

hydroelectric dams

hydroelectric generation

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

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# Fishing at 10 Mile Dam



## http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13731

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.41Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1906?

Physical Description: 6.5" x 4.75" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

History / Biographical:

Situated in the R.M. of Whitehead on the Little Saskatchewan River, the 10 Mile Dam was a 14 kilometer transmission line that supplied the city of Brandon with power. The Brandon Electric Light Company built the dam in 1900 and it is considered Manitoba's first hydroelectic power generating station. The dam spanned approximately 80 meters and was constructed from timber and reinforced with clay and stone. The station was decommissioned in 1924.

Alonzo Archibald Rowe (b. 1862, London, ON; d. 22 Oct 1951, Brandon). The Rowes were considered Brandon area pioneers. Alonzo's father, Alonzo L. Rowe, came to Brandon with his family in 1881, where the family had a furniture and undertaker business on the west side of 10th Street between Rosser and Princess Avenues. In 1885, the family began farming west of Brandon and Alonzo Archibald served as a councilor and then a reeve in the R.M. of Whitehead. He returned to Brandon in 1907 and served with the Brandon Police Department until 1910, when he returned to farming, this time in Arrow River. A.A. Rowe returned to Brandon in 1915 to work as a Provincial Licenses Inspector, a position he held until 1938. (Source: Obituary, Brandon Daily Sun 22 Oct 1951)

#### Custodial History:

Photograph was in possession of Mrs. Ruby Miles, who passed the image on to Fred McGuinness. McGuinness makes reference to Mrs. Miles and this photograph in his Sunbeams column (Source: F.A. Rosser, "Another interesting chat with a daughter of the plains," Brandon Sun 18 Aug 1981).

### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows four fishermen at 10 Mile Dam, also known as the Brandon Dam or Minnedosa River Hydro Plant. The fishermen in the photo are identified as George H. Rowe and his father A.A. Rowe, Dr. Wilfred Bigelow, and Al Collins.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: at Brandon Dam, [right to

left] son and father - George H. ROWE, Mr. A.A. ROWE, Dr. BIGELOW, AI COLLINS (dam?, 1906?, George born March 1897); Jerrett's Photo-

Services, May 7 1938.

Name Access: 10 Mile Dam

Ten Mile Dam Brandon Dam

Minnedosa River Hydro Plant Brandon Electric Light Company

Little Saskatchewan River

George H. Rowe

A.A. Rowe Dr. Bigelow Al Collins

Subject Access: dams

Rivers fishing

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

Related Material: Ruby Miles collection 14-2003

#### **Images**





## 10 Mile Dam

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13784

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.95

Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1900-1924

Physical Description: 4.25" x 2.5" (b/w)

History / Biographical:

Situated in the R.M. of Whitehead on the Little Saskatchewan River, the 10 Mile Dam was a 14 kilometer transmission line that supplied the city of Brandon with power. The Brandon Electric Light Company built the dam in 1900 and it is considered Manitoba's first hydroelectic power generating station. The dam spanned approximately 80 meters and was constructed from timber and reinforced with clay and stone. The station was decommissioned in 1924.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows 10 Mile Dam, also known as the Brandon Dam or Minnedosa River Hydro

Plant. The dam's timber construction is quite evident in the picture.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: McGuinness (Manitoba

Hydro), on Little Saskatchewan.

Name Access: 10 Mile Dam

Ten Mile Dam Brandon Dam

Minnedosa River Hydro Plant Brandon Electric Light Company

Little Saskatchewan River

Subject Access: dams

Rivers

hydroelectric dams

hydroelectric generation

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1J1

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## "The Wheat Market" - Pacific Avenue Brandon

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9190

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: James A. Brock (?)

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1C3

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: Nov. 30, 1885

Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

History / Biographical:

Rebuilt Edie House became Merchants' Hotel in 1890

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

"The Wheat Market", Pacific Avenue east from Ninth Street

Notes: Showing hotels: Edie House built 1882; Grand View built 1882; Farmers'

Rest

Name Access: "The Wheat Market" - Pacific Avenue Brandon

Subject Access: downtowns

businesses Grain elevators

banks

Brandon Street Scenes Before 1940

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

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