

# S. J. McKee Archives



## Thomson Girls soft ball team

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10209>

Part Of:	RG 12 Brandon and Area Photograph Collection
Creator:	Photographer: Weekes Studio
Description Level:	Item
Series Number:	7
Item Number:	BAPC 7.7
Accession Number:	11-2007
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1927-1929
Physical Description:	8"x 10" (b/w)
Material Details:	On matting

### Custodial History:

The photographs (BAPC 7.6 and 7.7) were left with Esther Bryan of the City of Brandon's Recreation Department responsible for scheduling of baseball/softball games at Curran Park. She gave them to Niel Henry, a local girls fastball coach in Brandon ca. 2000. The photographs were stored at Henry's residence at 27 Grant Blvd. until he gave them to the McKee Archives in September 2006.

### Scope and Content:

Photograph consists of portraits of the players, coach, manager and honorary president of the Thomson girls softball team, Brandon City Champions 1927-1928-1929.

Notes:	The names of the two catchers, M. Kennedy and O. Johnson are missing from the scanned image.
Name Access:	Mrs. L. Thomson, Manager L. Tomson, Hon. Pres. H. Stuart, Coach L. Duncan M. Miller J. Rae E. Harrison E. Johnson J. Pelcher L. Wilson M. Kennedy O. Johnson W. Frayne, Mascot D. Dedrick M. Shimming A. Tegg

Subject Access:        sports  
                              softball  
                              portraits

Storage Location:     BAPC oversize storage drawer

Related Material:     Brandon Olympians girl's soft ball champions newspaper clipping -  
                              located with 7.6 of the Brandon and Area photograph collection.

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## The Railway foreman's children

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13510>

Part Of:                Brandon and Area Photograph Collection

Description Level:    Item

Series Number:       5

Item Number:        BAPC 5.10

Accession Number:   3-2014

GMD:                 graphic

Date Range:          June 1911

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

Material Details:     Postcard

Physical Condition:   Excellent

### History /

### Biographical:

Alfred Walter Pryce was born in England c. 1880. He emigrated from England in 1903 and was hired by the Canadian Pacific Railway, likely in Manitoba. His wife, Kate Louisa Buchan, was older than her husband. She was born in England c. 1873. They were married in England? and she followed her husband to Canada in 1904. Alma Jane Pryce was born June 24, 1905 and Herbert Walter Pryce was born May 12, 1907 in [Elton] Manitoba. In autumn 1911, the Pryce family returned to England for a Christmas visit. They sailed from Halifax on the Empress of Britain and arrived in Liverpool on December 9, 1911. The family returned to Canada on the Empress of Ireland from Liverpool in early 1912, landing at St. John, New Brunswick.

Alfred Walter Pryce died in Brandon, MB on January 31, 1922. Kate Pryce died in Winnipeg, MB on March 18, 1938.

### Custodial History:

Donated to the McKee Archives by Jennifer L. Bunting in November 2013.

#### Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of Alma and Herbert Pryce, The Railway Foreman's children, taken June 1911 in Kenora, ON. Writing on the back reads: To Granfather with Love from Herbert and Alma. Alma Jane Pryce Age 6 years. Herbert Walter Pryce Age 3 years 5 months. Keonra, Ont. Canada. June 1911.

Notes: History/Bio information provided by Jennifer Bunting. Additional information is available in the custodial file.

Name Access: Alma Pryce  
Herbert Pryce  
Alfred Pryce  
Kate Louisa Buchan  
Kate Louisa Pryce

Subject Access: portraits

Storage Location: BAPC photograph drawer

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## 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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