

S. J. McKee Archives



Lady's stick

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Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 16.3
Item Number: 1
Item Number Range: 1

GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1923-1966
Physical Description: 90 cm

History / Biographical:

Lady and Senior Stick were honorific positions that existed during the Brandon College era. The offices of Senior Stick and Lady Stick were replaced by the offices of President and Vice-President of the Brandon College Students' Association on January 29, 1966. The change was the result of proposed changes to the B.C.S.A. constitution passed almost unanimously by the student body; the office of President enabled a co-ed to hold the highest student office, which was impossible under the previous system. Following the change in 1966, the Class Presidents were renamed faculty Sticks. At some point during the Brandon University era the faculty Stick positions were renamed faculty commissioners. The use of "stick" appears to be a particularly Canadian one.

The stick of office was carried by the incumbent as a symbol of his or her position.

Like the sticks of office at other universities and colleges in Canada, the Brandon Lady's stick is composed of an elongated wooden rod, painted or stained dark, with a metal bottom cap and an ornamental metal top in silver. The Brandon College Lady's stick also contains silver rings dating from the 1923-1924 school year, each ring containing the name of the Lady Stick chosen for that year.

It was also customary to attach a ribbon(s) in the college colours (blue and gold) to the stick. The ribbons attached to the Brandon College Lady's stick were donated by the 1954-1955 Lady Stick Verda Peden (McDonald) in 2006.

Scope and Content:

Item is the Brandon College Lady's stick.

Notes:

Information in the History/Bio field was adapted from Wikipedia at: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Senior_Stick (October 2006). Additional History/Bio information was taken from the March 1966 issue of Alumni News.

The Lady's stick was previously displayed in a glass fronted display case donated by the Class of 1966. Unfortunately, two holes were drilled in the stick to anchor it to the display case. The Senior stick was also displyed in the same case, however at some point prior to 1997 it disappeared from the display case.

The silver rings and crown on the stick easily tarnish, but can be shined with any silver polish.

Part of BU 16.3 Artifacts - other.

Name Access: Aleta Stewart (1923-1924)

Kathleen Kenner

Rose J. Vasey

Ruth Buement

Doris M. Cochrane

Bertha Clark

Mary Dunkin

Lois Gainer

Phyllis Blandford

Ruth Thornton

Eileen Metcalfe

Marion I. Thomson

Ruth J. Bell

Doris M. Fraser

Mary S. Murray

Elva L. Way

Gwen E. Dobbie

Ruth H. Hunter

Alixe A. Meadows

Doreen J. Bolstad

lva J. Delamater

Lenore G. Gusdal

F. Elizabeth Northcott

Doreen M. Rowse

Eunice M. Hunter

Marjory E. Flemming

Margaret L. Gerow

Patricia A. Magnacca

F. Joan Garnett

Mary Jane McLachlan

Olga A. Evaskow

Verda Peden

Jean Hannah

Barbara Mills

Elaine Fraser

Barbara Russell

Regina Armstrong

Penelope Smith

Florence English

Verna Moore

Poppy Cumming

Anne Franklin

Terry Moore (1965-1966)

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts

16.3 Artifacts - other

Box 1

Related Material: Biographical information for Aleta Stewart can be found in the November

1970 issue of Alumni News, p. 23.



Lois and Gordon Daly fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8856

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: MG 2 2.28
Accession Number: 22-2008

GMD: multiple media
Date Range: c. 1943-1948

Physical Description: 1 photograph album

1 scrapbook

History / Biographical:

Gordon Hume Daly was born on February 1, 1925 in Cartwright, Manitoba. He spent his early years on his parents' farm, taking his primary and high school education in that district. On January 6, 1945 Gordon enlisted in the Infantry Corp, trained at Shilo, Manitoba, and received his discharge in September of the same year. Upon his discharge he registered in second year Arts at Brandon College. He pursued his many interests there - sports (the college hockey team), the literary society, music (the judge in 'Trial by Jury') and was a member of the Honour Society. Upon graduation in Arts in 1947 from Brandon College, Gordon enrolled at United College in Winnipeg and studied Theology. In 1950 he was ordained in the United Church of Canada. His first pastorate was in Brookdale, Manitoba.

Lois Muriel Dickey was born November 4, 1928 to Myrtle and Alvy Dickey who farmed one mile from the town of Crandall, Manitoba. Lois took her primary and high school education (up to Grade XI) in the Consolidated school in Crandall. After graduating from Grade XI with an Isbister Scholarship, Lois registered at Brandon College and for the next four years lived in the residence of Clark Hall. Movies downtown, college hockey excursions, Wheat King games, college dances - all were new and exciting for a young student from a small Manitoba town. Lois registered in the General Science course and in 1948 graduated with a B.Sc. That same year her family sold their farm and moved to Burnaby, B.C.

During the course of the next three years Lois was employed at three firms: Kelly Douglas Ltd., where she worked for a chemist; Canada Rice Mills, where she assisted the engineer and did secretarial work; and finally with Shell Oil Ltd. in Vancouver. During this period she remained in contact with Brandon College, especially with Rev. Gordon Daly, who she married from Burnaby, B.C. on July 12, 1952.

Following her marriage Lois worked with Gordon in the service of the United Church. In 1952, they embarked on a travel and study venture to Edinburgh, Scotland where Gordon furthered his studies in Theology at New College. After two years, Gordon and Lois and their son Bruce returned to Canada to Northwestern Ontario. In this area they ministered to the towns of Balmertown, Cochenour and McKenzie Island. During this time their son Lorne and daughter Marlene were born. In 1963, the family moved to Swan River, Manitoba where son Mark was born. From 1969-1970, the Daly family participated in an exchange ministry to Australia where Gordon served the Australian United Church of Australia in the town of St. Arnaud, Victoria. Most of the 1970's were spent in Thunder Bay, Ontario. The family moved a final time in 1980 when Gordon accepted a call to Calgary, Alberta.

Gordon Hume Daly died on March 7, 1989. Following Gordon's death Lois chose to remain in Calgary, AB.

Custodial History:

Album was in the possession of Gordon Daly until his death in 1989. At that point it passed to his widow Lois Daly. She donated it, along with her own scrapbook, to the McKee Archives on October 18, 2008 while she was visiting Brandon University for Homecoming.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of a leather bound photograph album that belonged to Gordon Daly (Class of 1947). It contains approximately 84 black and white photographs of Brandon College students and faculty. A number of the individuals in the photographs have been identified.

Fonds also contains a scrapbook assembled by Lois Daly (nee Dickey), Class of 1948, during her years as a student at Brandon College. The scrapbook contains newspaper clippings, class election paraphenalia, invitations, pressed corsages, graduation documents and cards, invitations, event programmes (hockey, guest speakers, dramatic and musical productions), place cards, exams, chapel programmes, poetry, tickets (hockey, banquet, graduation, movie), a copy of "Trial by Jury" the major production (1946), notices from the Clark Hall boards, 1940 National Registration Certificate, Oscar Peterson's signature, and notes from Sarah Persis Darrach. There are also documents from the 1998 reconvocation of the Class of 1948 at Brandon University. The scrapbook is inside a blue fabric folder tied with a yellow ribbon. A Brandon College (U of M) crest is attached to the front of the folder and there are two track and field ribbons attached to the back inside of the folder.

Notes: All pencil marks in the album were made by Christy Henry during the

preparation of photograph descriptions in October 2008. Beryl McLeod helped identify individuals in the photograph album. Description by Christy Henry. History/Bio information was provided by Lois Daly in

March 2009.

Name Access: Class of 1944

Ray Bailey

Westley Wong

Cliff Kitson

George Longphee

Murray McPherson

Mary Ann English

Marion Epton

Sarah Gwen Glasgow

Ruth Humeston

Jim Brown

Sheila More

Alice Graham

Leslie Bowman

Iva Delamater

Joyce Braithwaite

Anna Hughes

Roy McKenzie

Art Lamont

Pat Frith

Doreen Rowse

Maisie Halhead

Zenella (Zen) Koester

Lois Hunter

Gordon Daly

Marion Jackson

Erle Stinson

Arthur McMurdo

Joyce Wylie

Dorreene Flemming

Doreen Clyde

Class of 1946

Class of 1947

Class of 1948

Lenore Gusdal

Harley Potter

Martin Brown

Genevieve Fuloski

Bill Chefurka

Thomas (Tommy) McLeod

Stuart Perdue

JRC Evans

Royal Officer Training Corps

Class of 1945

Andrew Judson

Judson Stade

Louis de Groot

Nettie Weselowski

Kay Hoemsen

Marianne Kite

Glen Tillotson

Margaret Tait

Marion Caldwell

E.A. Birkinshaw

Gwen Pechet

Betty Northcott

Margaret Doupe

Martin Johns

Elaine Campbell

Bill Baynton

Ken Knight

Frank Humphries

Bob Mills

Ruth Clark

Yvonne McMillan

Dr. Jennie Turnbull

Irma Kitson

Sam Johnston

Elsie Hamilton

Edward Perry

JRH Forrester

Subject Access: graduation banquet

sadie hawkins dance

chapel

Storage Location: MG 2 Brandon College Students

2.28 Lois and Gordon Daly

Related Material: Christine Coltart's photograph album (MG 2 2.30 unaccessioned)

contains some of the same photographs as Gordon Daly's album.