

S. J. McKee Archives



Canadian Northern Railway station interior - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14414>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 1
Item Number: 12-2004.22
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1900-1904]
Physical Description: 7" x 5" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (9.25" x 7.25")
Physical Condition: good

History /

Biographical:

From the back of the photo: In 1922 to become Canadian National Railway. Building moved to Austin, MB to the Manitoba Agriculture Museum (CNP).

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Image of the station agent inside the Canadian Northern Railway station in Baldur, MB.

Subject Access: rural images
railway stations
Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Baldur hockey team

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14415>

Part Of: James Wall collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: Box 1

Item Number: 12-2004.23

Accession Number: 12-2004

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1904

Physical Description: 4.75" x 3.75" (b/w)

Material Details: On matting (8.4" x 6.4")

Physical Condition: good

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Image of the men's hockey team from Baldur, MB.

Notes: Writing on the back of the image reads: "Baldur Hockey Bums Abroad 1904"

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Group portrait - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14416>

Part Of: James Wall collection
 Description Level: Item
 Series Number: Box 1
 Item Number: 12-2004.24
 Accession Number: 12-2004
 GMD: graphic
 Date Range: [1900-1904]
 Physical Description: 7.5" x 5" (b/w)
 Material Details: On matting (8.75" x 6.75")
 Physical Condition: good

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of a group of men from Baldur, MB. Seated front (L-R): Jack Snydal, Tom Johnson?, Earl Preston?. Back row (L-R): unknown, Simon Desrocher?, Harold Bateman, unknown.

Subject Access: rural images
 Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images



Dr. L.M. Cleghorn - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14417>

Part Of: James Wall collection
 Creator: Photographer: J.G. Macdonald, Moosomin, Assa.
 Description Level: Item
 Series Number: Box 2
 Item Number: 12-2004.25
 Accession Number: 12-2004
 GMD: graphic



Date Range: [1900-1904]
Physical Description: 2.25" x 5.5" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (5" x 8.75")
Physical Condition: Photo is faded and has some discoloration dots throughout

History /

Biographical:

Dr. L.M. Cleghorn was born in 1863 and died in 1926.

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of Dr. L.M. Cleghorn, who owned the pharmacy in Baldur, MB.

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Group portrait - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14418>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 2
Item Number: 12-2004.26
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1900-1904]
Physical Description: 3" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (4.25" x 6")
Physical Condition: Discoloration mark between the two men in the back row
Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of four men from Baldur, MB. Standing (L-R): Harold Bateman, Tom Johnson.
Seated (L-R): Jack Snyder, R. ?.

Notes: May have been taken at the same time as 12-2004.24
Subject Access: rural images
Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Mr. Fowler and his dogs on Baldur Creek

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14419>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 2
Item Number: 12-2004.27
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1900-1904]
Physical Description: 4.6" x 3.5" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (6.25" x 5.5")
Physical Condition: good

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Image of Alex Fowler and his dogs in a canoe on Baldur Creek.

Subject Access: rural images
Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Mr. Fowler and his dogs on Baldur Creek

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14420>

Part Of: James Wall collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: Box 1

Item Number: 12-2004.28

Accession Number: 12-2004

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1900-1904]

Physical Description: 6.75" x 4.75" (b/w)

Material Details: On matting (9" x 7")

Physical Condition: good

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Image of Alex Fowler and his dogs in a canoe on Baldur Creek. Photo was taken from a treed shore and shows fields in the background.

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Group portrait of Baldur, MB residents

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14421>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 1
Item Number: 12-2004.20
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1900-1904]
Physical Description: 5.25" x 3.25" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (7.5" x 5.25")
Physical Condition: good

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Portrait of a group of Baldur residents standing in a field

Notes: Writing on the back reads: "Xmas 1906 Wishing you all the greetings of the season."

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Benedict Anderson - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14422>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Creator: Photographer: E.L. Lane, Glenboro, MB
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 2
Item Number: 12-2004.29
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1903-1904]
Physical Description: 3.5" x 5.1" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (5.25" x 7.25")
Physical Condition: good

History /

Biographical:

Benedict Anderson married Millie Goodman on February 21, 1929 (Grund District info from Baldur book, page 435, RM of Argyle)

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of a man, probably Benedict Anderson, from Baldur, MB.

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Snydal sisters - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14423>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 2
Item Number: 12-2004.30
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1900-1904]
Physical Description: 2.5" x 3.5" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (4.25" x 6.5")
Physical Condition: Some fading on the photo, centre right

History /

Biographical:

Ella Snydal married Clyde Playfair. Jennie Snydal married Percival Bond.

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of the Snyder sisters - Ella, Jennie and Lil - of Baldur, MB.

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Mabel Playfair and son Hugh - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14424>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 2
Item Number: 12-2004.31
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1900-1904]
Physical Description: 3.75" x 5.5" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (6.9" x 10.9")

History /

Biographical:

Mabel Marilla Conibear was married to George Playfair.

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of Mable Playfair and her son Hugh of Baldur, MB.

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Unknown man - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14425>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Creator: Photographer: E.L. Lane, Glenboro, MB
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 2
Item Number: 12-2004.32
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1903-1904]
Physical Description: 3.9" x 5.5" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (5.75" x 7.75")

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of an unknown man from Baldur, MB.

Notes: Writing on the back reads: "P.F. Curtis?"

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Three classes from Simpson School - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14426>

Part Of: James Wall collection
Description Level: Item
Series Number: Box 1
Item Number: 12-2004.33
Accession Number: 12-2004
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1902
Physical Description: 9.5" x 7.25" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting (10.75" x 9")
Physical Condition: Some discoloration in the bottom left corner
Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Image of three classes from Simpson School. The photo was taken at the home of Alex Fowler in Baldur, MB.

Subject Access: rural images
Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Grund church and congregation - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14427>

Part Of: James Wall collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: Box 1

Item Number: 12-2004.34

Accession Number: 12-2004

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1900-1904]

Physical Description: 7.5" x 4.5" (b/w)

Material Details: On matting (10.9" x 8")

Physical Condition: There is a scratch across the centre of the photo and one on the right hand side with a mark below it.

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Group portrait taken in front of what might be Grund Church. The large group of people, which includes children, adults, a horse drawn carriage and a couple of bicycles, may be members of the church congregation.

Subject Access: rural images
churches

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images





Family gathering - Baldur, MB

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14428>

Part Of: James Wall collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: Box 1

Item Number: 12-2004.35

Accession Number: 12-2004

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1900-1904]

Physical Description: 6.75" x 4.9" (b/w)

Material Details: On matting (9.9" x 8")

Physical Condition: good

Custodial History:

See collection level description for the James Douglas Wall collection.

Scope and Content:

Group portrait of what may be a family reunion or wedding anniversary celebration. There are some potted plants and a couple of photographs placed in front of the group. The woman seated in the wooden chair towards the centre of the image is wearing a corsage.

Subject Access: rural images

Storage Location: 2004 accessions

Images



Archibald E. Wilson fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4809>

Other Title Info: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Part Of: Archibald E. Wilson fonds

Description Level: Fonds

Accession Number: 18-2000

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1895-1932; 1971

Physical Description: 2 cm

History /

Biographical:

Archibald E. Wilson was the son of Reverend E.F. Wilson and the husband of St. Clair Vidal Wilson. Rev. E.F. Wilson was at one time in charge of the Shingwauk and Wawanosh Homes at Sault Ste. Marie. Rev. E.F. Wilson moved to Elkhorn, Manitoba in 1888, to establish an educational home for Indian children. He was joined by his son, Archibald E. Wilson who was, in 1890, appointed assistant to the superintendent. A.E. Wilson became Principal of the Indian Industrial School in 1892. His wife served as Matron of the girls departments. Together they had three daughters: E.F. Metita, Winifred St. Clair and Murial Grace, as well as two sons: Edward Vidal, and St. Clair Vidal Wilson.

Archibald Wilson and his family lived in Elkhorn, Manitoba during the years 1892 to 1918 while he was principal. At the beginning of his term as Principal there were 12 students enrolled; enrollment reached as high as 95 students, representing eight different nations. In February of 1918, the government withdrew funding and the school closed. In September of 1918, Wilson left Elkhorn to take up his new position as a clerk at an Indian Reserve near Gleichen, Alberta.

During its years of operation, the Elkhorn Industrial School included an Athletic department, a curling team and a boys' football team. Students studied carpentry, shoemaking, harness making, tailoring, knitting and sewing. In 1893, the school was presented with a large Canadian flag for being the best Industrial School in Manitoba and the Territories. In November of 1893, a brass band was established, which provided music for the local Anglican Church. After a fire demolished most of the school in 1895, Wilson convinced the Federal Department of Indian Affairs to rebuild the school. In 1899, the Elkhorn Industrial School was reopened.

Custodial History:

Most of this fonds was at one time in the possession of Principal A.E. Wilson. After Wilson passed away the pieces of the fonds were kept by one of his daughters, Winifred St. Clair Wilson, now deceased. Winifred married Mr. Frank Clark, M.D. and kept the fonds when she moved to Vancouver B.C. and then to Calgary, Alberta. Winifred Clark eventually donated the fonds to the McKee Archives.

Scope and Content:

Fonds includes four journals, one testimonial and one newspaper article. The journals include: the '7th Annual Report of the Washakada Indian Homet 1895-1896,' written by Principal A.E. Wilson; 'The Greater Britain Messenger' September and October 1899, which includes the article 'The Elkhorn Home, Manitoba,' 'The National Monthly of Canada' September 1902, which includes the article 'Indian Children at Home,' and the Centenary Number (March-April 1932) issue of 'The Algoma Missionary News,' which includes an article giving information about Rev. E.F. Wilson and his missionary work.

Fonds also includes an article from the November 19, 1971 edition of The Vancouver Sun, entitled "Leisure's Book Reviews," which discusses Indigenous publications in Canada. The testimonial that is included in the fonds, was given to Archibald Wilson upon his departure from Elkhorn. There are 28 subscribers to the testimonial and it is dated September 19, 1918.

Notes:

The Wilsons are discussed in J.R. Miller's "Skyscrapers Hide the Heavens: A History of Indian-White Relations in Canada," Miller's "Shingwauk's vision :a history of native residential schools" and John S. Milloy's "A National Crime: The Canadian Government and the Residential School System 1879-1986." Description by Christy Henry.

Storage Location:

2000 accessions



Joseph H. Hughes collection - photographs

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8344>

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Series

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1886-1960

Physical Description: 84 photographs

Scope and Content:

Accession 3-1997 (84 photographs, various diplomas; 1886-1960) contains a variety of photographs of buildings and streetscapes of the 100 block of Tenth Street and various Hughes properties in the city. In addition, there are photographs of the "Founders of Hughes and Co," a parade on Tenth Street in 1924, the Wheat City Business College Hockey Team 1912, three photographs of the Port of Churchill in 1931, three photographs of threshing crews on Hughes and Company property, a Great War military contingent from Brandon including JRC Evans, and four family photographs.

Notes: Initial processing Jessica Taylor (winter 2007).

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer and oversize

Storage Range: RG 5 photograph storage drawer and oversize



Residential property, Brandon, Manitoba

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8345>

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.1

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of an Edwardian era family residence, south central Brandon.

Notes: Back of photograph is stamped: Hughes & Co. Ltd.

Subject Access: residential streets

residences

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Victorian row housing block, Brandon, Manitoba

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8371>

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.2

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1900s]

Physical Description: 7 3/4" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of an Victorian row housing block - possibly 7th Street 300-block, Brandon, Manitoba.

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: City 1295, Hughes Est.

Subject Access: residences
residential streets

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Northeast corner 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba (1)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8372>

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.3

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1962

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph of an northeast corner 10th Street and Princess Avenue and the rear of buildings facing 200 block on 9th Street. The business in foreground is Thunderbird Bowl. The rear of the Brandon Inn is in the background.

Notes: Photograph dated from "Tara's Bulba," the movie playing at the Strand Theatre and similiar vehicles captured in the photograph.

Name Access: Thunderbird Bowl

10th Street

Subject Access: Brandon business buildings & facilities after 1940

bowling

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images

