

S. J. McKee Archives



Tenth Street looking towards CPR Station, Brandon, Man.

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13780

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.91

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1917-1919]

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (colour)

Material Details: postcard

History / Biographical:

According to Russ Gourluck (Silver Screens on the Prairie, Winnipeg: Great Plains Publications, 2012, 26), the Orpheum Theatre was in operation from 1917 to 1920 when it then became the Willis Theatre.

Scope and Content:

Postcard shows the 100 block of 10th Street facing north. The CPR train station can be seen at the end of 10th Street. The sign for the Rex Cafe is visible on the west side of 10th Street. On the east side of 10th Street, billboards for Campbell & Campbell furniture are visible as well as signs for Pianos and the Orpheum Theatre. Motorists and cyclists share the road. Street car tracks run the length of 10th Street.

Notes: Postcard was manufactured by T.B. [Tichnor Brothers, Inc., 1908-1987]

Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Name Access: 10th Street

CPR Station

Orpheum Theatre

Rex Cafe

Campbell & Campbell

Brandon Municipal Railway

Subject Access: street scenes

building exteriors store exteriors automobiles Transportation street cars

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

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bicycles

Images





Fred McGuiness on bicycle

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14035

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.105

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1920s]

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

Physical Condition: Pictured is folded and torn

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Fred McGuinness on a bicycle in front of the lilac bushes in front of his

family home.

Name Access: Frederick George McGuinness

Fred McGuinness

Subject Access: children

bicycles

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

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family pictures

Images





Architectural model

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14153

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Howard Heid, Medicine Hat News

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.222

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic Date Range: [1960s]

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

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of individuals standing around an architectural model, possibly a model for the Medicine Hat Community College. Plaques of the various provincial coat of arms are on the walls behind the group. Fred McGuinness is standing second from the left.

Name Access: Fred McGuinness

Frederick George McGuinness

Subject Access: model

architecture

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

Arrangement:

BR #3 Family photos

Images





Bowling alley sketch for 10th Street and Princess Avenue

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14237

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.46
Accession Number: 3-1997
Other Numbers: Hughes #47

Other Numbers: Hughes #47
GMD: graphic

Date Range: c.1950

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

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a sketch of the intersection at 10th Street and Princess Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba facing northeast. A proposed two-storey bowling alley is situated on the northeast corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue.

Name Access: 10th Street

Princess Avenue

Subject Access: bowling alleys

architecture architects

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Hughes Building - architectural sketch by W.H. Shillinglaw

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8405

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection
Creator: Sketch by: W.H. Shillinglaw

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.27

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c.1910s

Physical Description: 4" x 6.75 " (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a sketch of the Hughes Building by architect W.H. Shillinglaw. The building, which was erected on the northwest corner of 10th Street and Princess Avenue, had the potential to be four storeys high.

Name Access: Walter Shillinglaw

Hughes Building

10th Street

Princess Avenue

Subject Access: architecture

architects

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Architect's drawing of proposed Federal Building, Princess Avenue between 10th and 11th Street, Brandon, Manitoba

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8423

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection
Creator: Shillinglaw, Brandon architect

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3-1997.1
Item Number: 3-1997.1.44
Accession Number: 3-1997
GMD: graphic
Date Range: c.1930

Physical Description: 6.75" x 4.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Architect's drawing of the proposed Federal Building on Princess Avenue between 10th and 11th Streets, Brandon, Manitoba.

Name Access: Federal Building

Walter Shillinglaw

Subject Access: downtowns

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

architecture

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

Images





Keystone Centre development and construction fonds

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4854

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 22-1998

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1957-1974; predominant 1970-1974

Physical Description: 36 cm

History / Biographical:

The idea of the Keystone Centre was first mentioned in 1958, at a meeting of the board of directors of the Manitoba Winter Fair. The Manitoba Winter Fair wanted a new facility because the old Wheat City Arena had a leaking roof and a deteriorating west wall. The old facility also had limited space and the Winter Fair felt it needed more space for expansion. The Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba also had problems with their facilities, such as old barns and poor display areas. The idea of the Keystone Centre was put on hold until 1969, when the boards of the Provincial Exhibition and the Manitoba Winter Fair joined together as the Provincial Exhibition Association of Manitoba and the Wheat City Arena was sold and demolished. The original estimate for the cost of the Keystone Centre facilities was \$4.5 million and funding would be proportioned so that the federal and provincial governments would each put in one-third of the money, with the rest coming from local donations. The financial campaign for the Keystone Centre began in 1970, and construction began in November 1970. The grand opening of the Centre was in March 1973, and coincided with the Royal Manitoba Winter Fair of that year.

Custodial History:

This fonds was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 1998. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

Fonds contains many folders full of correspondence, financial statements, meeting minutes and other documents relating to the development and construction of the Keystone Centre from 1970-1974, including those from the Keystone Executive Committee, as well as the Building Committee. Fonds also contains one folder that pertains to the Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey from 1959. This folder contains the names and locations of all farmers in the Brandon area in 1959. The Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey was created in 1959, in order to make farming in the Brandon area more profitable. The survey was aided by Doane Agricultural Service from St. Louis, Missouri, who had success creating agricultural development programs in the United States. Fonds also contains folders from the Provincial Exhibition with correspondence, pamphlets, estimates, and studies from the 1960's. There is also one folder belonging to the Manitoba Winter Fair, which contains correspondence and financial statements relating to the Wheat City Arena. Fonds also contains information pertaining to the proposals made in the 1960's, for the building of the Keystone Centre, as well as one folder about the Keystone campaign from 1970-73. There is also one folder about the opening of the Keystone Centre, which contains newspaper clippings and guest lists. Finally, the fonds contains information about a court case involving Albert Bobyk and Robert Stewart. Stewart was the project manager for the Building Committee and Bobyk worked on the Keystone Center. The fonds includes a report about the trial of the two men who were charged with fraud involving their work on the Keystone Centre.

Notes: CAIN No. 202608

Subject Access: Ray Forbes

Fred McGuinness

Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey

Doane Agricultural Service Inc

Agricultural & Homemaking School of Brandon

Royal Manitoba Winter Fair

Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

South-Western District Agricultural Society

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Manitoba Department of Agriculture

City of Brandon

Keystone Committee

Keystone Building Committee

agriculture
architecture
exhibitions
swine farming
sheep farming

cereal grain farming

rural life

winter fairs

Storage Location: 1998 accessions Storage Range: 1998 accessions