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Rural life and education : a study of the rural-school problem as a phase of the rural-life problem

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| Part Of: | RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds |
| Collection: | Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection |
| Creator: | Cubberley, Ellwood Patterson, 1868-1941 |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Item Number: | Archives 14-4-13 |
| Item Number Range: | Archives 14-4-13 |
| Responsibility: | Ellwood P. Cubberley |
| Start Date: | c1922 |
| Date Range: | c1922 |
| Publication: | Boston, : Houghton Mifflin company |
| Publisher Series: | Riverside textbooks in education |
| Physical Description: | 367 p. : ill., maps ; 20 cm |
| Subject Access: | Sociology Rural Rural schools United States |
| Storage Location: | Box 4-Historical I |
| Storage Range: | Box 4-Historical I |



Proceedings of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference,
Regina, Canada, July 24th to August 5th, nineteen hundred
and thirty-three : held under the distinguished patronage of
His Excellency the Governor General of Canada

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| Part Of: | RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds |
| Collection: | Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection |
| Creator: | Agricultural Institute of Canada |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Item Number: | S 401.W89 1933 Archives 14-12-11 |
| Item Number Range: | S 401.W89 1933 Archives 14-12-11 |
| Standard number: | System Control Number 87036626 |
| Start Date: | 1933 |
| Date Range: | 1933 |
| Publication: | Ottawa : Published by the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists |
| Physical Description: | 2 v. : ill., ports. ; 26 cm |
| Notes: | Includes bibliographical references v.1. Exhibition. General sessions--Economics--Mechanization. -- v.2. Agronomy--Phytopathology--Soils--Cereal Chemistry--Entomology |
| Subject Access: | Grain Congresses |
| Storage Location: | Box 12 - Agriculture III |
| Storage Range: | Box 12 - Agriculture III |



A farm electrification programme : report of Manitoba Electrification Enquiry Commission, 1942

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections51>

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| Part Of: | RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds |
| Collection: | Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection |
| Creator: | Manitoba. Electrification Enquiry Commission |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Item Number: | Document Man. Co. Man. Elec. Enquiry 1942 Archives 14-7.2-1 |
| Item Number Range: | Document Man. Co. Man. Elec. Enquiry 1942 Archives 14-7.2-1 |
| Start Date: | 1943 |
| Date Range: | 1943 |
| Publication: | Winnipeg, Man. : King's Printer |
| Physical Description: | 211 p. : ill. ; 26 cm |
| Notes: | Bibliography: p. 209-211 |
| Subject Access: | Rural electrification Manitoba |
| Storage Location: | Box 7.2 - Manitoba I (Archives copy) |
| Storage Range: | Box 7.2 - Manitoba I (Archives copy) |



In search of a land policy for Manitoba : a working paper

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections19>

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| Part Of: | RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds |
| Collection: | Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection |
| Creator: | Manitoba. Dept. of Agriculture |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Item Number: | HT 395.M3M345 Archives 14-7.2-10 |
| Item Number Range: | HT 395.M3M345 Archives 14-7.2-10 |
| Standard number: | System Control Number 76264184 |
| Responsibility: | prepared by the Manitoba Department of Agriculture |
| Start Date: | [1974] |
| Date Range: | [1974] |
| Publication: | [Winnipeg] ; : Dept. of Agriculture |
| Physical Description: | 90 p. ; 28 cm |
| Notes: | Includes bibliographical references |
| Subject Access: | Land use Rural Planning Manitoba |
| Storage Location: | Box 7.2 - Manitoba I (Archives copy) |
| Storage Range: | Box 7.2 - Manitoba I (Archives copy) |



Leadership for action in rural communities

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections216>

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| Part Of: | RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds |
| Collection: | Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection |
| Creator: | Kreitlow, Burton W Aiton, E. W Torrence, Andrew P |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Item Number: | Archives 14-7.1-5 |
| Item Number Range: | Archives 14-7.1-5 |
| Responsibility: | Burton W. Kreitlow, E. W. Aiton, Andrew P. Torrence |
| Start Date: | c1960 |
| Date Range: | c1960 |
| Publication: | Danville, Ill. : Interstate |
| Physical Description: | 346 p. : ill. ; 24 cm |
| Subject Access: | Leadership Community life Sociology Rural |
| Storage Location: | Box 7.1 - Historical III |
| Storage Range: | Box 7.1 - Historical III |



Prelude to legislation to solve the growing crisis in rural transportation : prepared for the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, United States Senate

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections127>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Creator: United States. Congress. Senate. Committee on Agriculture and Forestry
United States. Dept. of Agriculture. Economic Research Service
National Area Development Institute

Description Level: Item

Item Number: Archives 14-2-24

Item Number Range: Archives 14-2-24

Start Date: 1975

Date Range: 1975

Publication: Washington : U.S. Govt. Print. Off

Physical Description: viii, 351 p. ; 23 cm

Notes: At head of title: 94th Congress, 1st session. Committee print
Bibliography: p. 350-351
Part I. Transportation in rural America : an analysis of the current crisis in rural transportation / prepared by The Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture -- Part II. Meeting rural transportation needs / prepared by The National Area Development Institute Lexington, Kentucky

Subject Access: Rural transportation United States
Transportation and state United States
Farm produce Transportation United States
United States Rural conditions

Storage Location: Box 2 - Transportation 1

Storage Range: Box 2 - Transportation 1



The farmer as a social class

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections41>

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| Part Of: | RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds |
| Collection: | Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection |
| Creator: | Tyler, Earl John |
| | Manitoba Pool Elevators |
| | United Grain Growers |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Item Number: | HT 415.T94F37 |
| | Archives 14-23-2 |
| Item Number Range: | HT 415.T94F37 |
| | Archives 14-23-2 |
| Standard number: | System Control Number 87050634 |
| Responsibility: | Earl J. Tyler |
| Start Date: | 1962?] |
| Date Range: | 1962?] |
| Publication: | Brandon, Man. : [United Grain Growers and Manitoba Pool Elevators |
| Physical Description: | 99 p. ; 23 cm |
| Notes: | Includes bibliographical references |
| Subject Access: | Farmers Prairie Provinces History |
| | Sociology |
| | Rural History |
| Storage Location: | Box 23 - Historical VI (Archives copy) |
| Storage Range: | Box 23 - Historical VI (Archives copy) |



The city man's guide to the farm problem

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections134>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Creator: Cochrane, Willard Wesley, 1914
Description Level: Item
Item Number: Archives 14-4-2
Item Number Range: Archives 14-4-2
Responsibility: [by] Willard W. Cochrane
Start Date: 1966
Date Range: 1966
Publication: New York ; Toronto : McGraw-Hill Book Company
Physical Description: 242 p. ; 20 cm
Notes: Bibliographical footnotes
Subject Access: Agriculture Economic aspects United States
United States Rural conditions
Storage Location: Box 4-Historical I
Storage Range: Box 4-Historical I



Farms and farmers in an urban age

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections43>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Creator: Higbee, Edward Counselman, 1910
Description Level: Item
Item Number: HD 1761.H53
Archives 14-4-28
Item Number Range: HD 1761.H53
Archives 14-4-28
Responsibility: Edward C. Higbee
Start Date: 1963
Date Range: 1963
Publication: New York : Twentieth Century Fund
Physical Description: 183 p. : ill. ; 23 cm
Notes: Includes bibliography
Subject Access: Agriculture Economic aspects United States
Rural-urban migration United States
Storage Location: Box 4-Historical I (Archives copy)
Storage Range: Box 4-Historical I (Archives copy)



Royal Commission on Agriculture and Rural Life

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections82>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Creator: Saskatchewan. Royal Commission on Agriculture and Rural Life

Description Level: Item

Item Number: HD 319.S3A5
Archives 14-18-1

Item Number Range: HD 319.S3A5
Archives 14-18-1

Standard number: System Control Number 87122276

Start Date: 1955-1957]

Date Range: 1955-1957]

Publication: [Regina : Queen's Printer

Physical Description: v. ; 23 cm

Notes: Submitted to the Government of Saskatchewan
no. 1. The scope and character of the investigation -- no. 2. Mechanization and farm costs -- no. 3. Agricultural credit -- no. 4. Rural roads and local government -- no. 5. Land tenure -- no. 6. Rural education -- no. 7. Movement of farm people -- no. 8. Agricultural markets and prices -- no. 9. Crop insurance -- no. 10. The Home and family in rural Saskatchewan -- no. 11. Farm electrification -- no. 12. Service centers -- no. 13. Farm Income -- no. 14. A Program of improvement

Subject Access: Regional planning Saskatchewan
Agriculture Economic aspects Saskatchewan
Saskatchewan Rural conditions

Storage Location: Box 18 - Royal Commissions I & Manitoba II

Storage Range: Box 18 - Royal Commissions I & Manitoba II



Principles of rural-urban sociology

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections57>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Creator: Sorokin, Pitirim Aleksandrovich, 1889-1968
Zimmerman, Carle Clark, 1897

Description Level: Item

Item Number: HT 421.S6

Item Number Range: HT 421.S6

Standard number: System Control Number 87062649

Responsibility: Pitirim Sorokin and Carle C. Zimmerman

Start Date: c1929

Date Range: c1929

Publication: New York : Henry Holt and Company

Physical Description: xv, 652 p. : ill. (maps) diagr. ; 23 cm

Notes: Includes bibliographical reference and indexes

Subject Access: Sociology
Rural
Cities and towns
Social conditions
Social psychology
Vital statistics

Storage Location: Box 7.1 - Historical III (Archives copy)

Storage Range: Box 7.1 - Historical III (Archives copy)



Farm income and farm life : a symposium on the relation of the social and economic factors in rural progress

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections219>

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| Part Of: | RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds |
| Collection: | Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection |
| Creator: | American Country Life Association Sanderson, Ezra Dwight, 1878-1944 Kolb, John H. (John Harrison), b. 1888 American Farm Economic Association |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Item Number: | Archives 14-7.1-9 |
| Item Number Range: | Archives 14-7.1-9 |
| Responsibility: | prepared by a joint committee : Dwight Sanderson, chairman and editor, John H. Kolb, M. L. Wilson, representing the American country life association, Andrew Boss, F. D. Farrell, O. G. Lloyd, representing the American farm economics association ; published by means of a grant from the Institute of social and religious research |
| Start Date: | 1927 |
| Date Range: | 1927 |
| Publication: | New York : The University of Chicago Press for the American country life association |
| Physical Description: | xi, 324 p. ; 24 cm |
| Subject Access: | Farm life Agriculture Economic aspects Social problems Sociology Rural United States Social conditions |
| Storage Location: | Box 7.1 - Historical III |
| Storage Range: | Box 7.1 - Historical III |



Prairie farm rehabilitation and related activities, 1954-55

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections249>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Creator: Canada. Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration
Canada. Department of Agriculture Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Branch
Description Level: Item
Item Number: Archives 14-11-4
Item Number Range: Archives 14-11-4
Start Date: [1955?]
Date Range: [1955?]
Publication: Regina, Sask. : Canada Dept. of Agriculture, Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Branch
Physical Description: 94 p. : ill. ; 28 cm
Name Access: Canada. Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration Periodicals
Subject Access: Rural development Prairie Provinces Periodicals
Agricultural conservation Prairie Provinces Periodicals
Agriculture and state Prairie Provinces Periodicals
Storage Location: Box 11 - Agriculture II
Storage Range: Box 11 - Agriculture II



Ruth and Archie MacLachlan fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10093>

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds
Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: MG 2 2.33
Accession Number: 23-2009
GMD: multiple media
Date Range: 1930-1934
Physical Description: 27 cm textual records
13 b/w photographs
Physical Condition: Very good. Some of the letters written in pencil are a little faded.

History /

Biographical:

Ruth Alverda Wade was born July 11, 1912 in Brandon, MB to James and Etta Alverda. She had two younger siblings: sister Gwen and brother Sherry. The Wade family resided at 1837 Princess Avenue, Brandon, MB. Ruth graduated from Brandon College with the Class of 1933.

During her time at Brandon College Ruth met Archie MacLachlan. Archibald James MacLachlan was born in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan in 1907. He had four brothers: Howard, Edgar, Bruce, Curly and Stirling. When Archie was quite young the MacLachlan family moved to Alberta. Archie came to Brandon c. 1930 to attend Brandon College. During the summers of his years at Brandon College Archie held pastoral charges in Alberta. The first two summers were spent in the Peace River Country and the second two in Etzikom in Southern Alberta. This is the period during which the letters in the fonds were written.

Ruth Wade married Archie MacLachlan on September 19, 1934 in Brandon, MB. Following the wedding the couple moved to Hamilton, ON. Archie graduated from McMaster University with his Bachelor of Divinity degree in 1937. During this period their daughter Joann Ruth was born. After his ordination as a Baptist Minister the family moved to North Bay where Archie was minister for four years. The next six years were spent in Vancouver as Archie worked as minister at Fairview Baptist Church in Vancouver. The couple's sons Archibald James and Lachlan Wade were also born during this period.

At the end of the Second World War Archie decided to go back to school. The family travelled to Brandon, where Ruth and the children remained for part of a year while Archie went ahead to Andover Newton to enroll and find a parish that would support him while he went to school. The family was reunited in Penacook, New Hampshire; they lived there for two years while Archie completed his Masters in Sacred Theology. After a brief additional period of study at Harvard University, the MacLachlan family returned to Canada, settling in Toronto while Archie finished his second Masters degree (Psychology) and held positions as interim minister and then assistant minister at York Minster Church. Following the two years in Toronto they moved to Winnipeg.

Eventually Archie left the church ministry and became Chaplain at the Hamilton Psychiatric Hospital. He also continued to train students in Pastoral Education through the courses he had begun at the Divinity College of McMaster University. He remained at the Hospital until his retirement.

During their married life Ruth was kept busy raising the couple's children and with her work as a minister's wife, particularly her work in the community. She sat on a number of community boards, including positions as President of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec and a member of the Board of Governors for McMaster University's Divinity School.

Ruth MacLachlan died on October 29, 1983 in Mississauga, ON.

Archie married Kathleen Marie (Green) French (b. January 22, 1908, d. June 1, 1998) on June 20, 1987. Archie MacLachlan died in December 1997.

Custodial History:

Records were in the possession of Ruth and Archie MacLachlan until their deaths. At that time the records were inherited by their daughter Joann. Joann MacLachlan donated the records to the McKee Archives on October 24, 2009 at a donation event held as part of Homecoming 2009.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of approximately 197 letters written by Ruth and Archie to each other during the spring and summers of 1932, 1933 and 1934. The letters were written during the courtship of the couple and contain details not only on about their lives in Brandon and Alberta but also more personal information about their relationship, families and future plans. Because Ruth and Archie were students at Brandon College during this period the letters also often reflect on events and personalities related to the College, as well as their own personal studies.

Fonds also contains a scrapbook compiled by Ruth during her Brandon College years. It includes photographs, newspaper clippings, graduation cards, event programs, place cards and other ephemera. There are also a few miscellaneous documents - McMaster University examination papers, handwritten sheet music, postcards - that appear to have belonged to Archie. Fonds also contains a graduation photograph of Ruth.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry. History/Bio information taken from Joann MacLachlan's book Ruth and Archie: Brandon and Brandon College 1932-1934.

Name Access: Ruth Wade
Ruth MacLachlan
Archie MacLachlan
Addrene Edwards
Dorreene McGuinness
Brandon
Brandon College
Trochu, Alberta
Etzikom, Alberta
First Baptist Church

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| Subject Access: | land vehicles Christianity city life rural life convocations Correspondence crime post-secondary education mountains pastoral activities postal service parsons religious officials Radio Broadcasts tennis rail transportation weather social events music clothing theology hobbies liberal arts horses road transportation travels touring depression era |
| Language Note: | Some of the letters contain German phrases. |
| Storage Location: | Textual records: 23-2009 |
| Related Material: | Photographs: RG 5 photograph storage drawer Ruth and Archie's daughter Joann edited the letters into a book entitled Ruth and Archie: Brandon and Brandon College 1932-1934. A copy of the book is located in the Rare Book collection of the John E. Robbins Library, Brandon University. William Ridley Sheridan Wade collection (28-2007) |
| Arrangement: | <p>The letters are arranged in chronological order with all of Archie's letters to Ruth for a particular year grouped together, followed by Ruth's letters to Archie for that same year. For preservation purposes photographs in the scrapbook have been removed and placed in photograph storage, with their corresponding scrapbook page number noted on the back. Because of the fragile condition of the scrapbook a note has been made concerning the original location of many items that have become detached from their original location in the scrapbook. These items remain with the remnants of the scrapbook in one archival housing. Note that Ruth did not place items on every page so the numbering is not sequential for scrapbook items. Some items were loose at the back of the scrapbook and therefore have no corresponding page number.</p> |

