

# S. J. McKee Archives



## BU 16: Brandon College/University artifacts

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4905>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Series

Series Number: 16

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: c. 1897-1999

### Scope and Content:

Series has been divided into three sub-series, including: (1) Artifacts - flags and banners; (2) Artifacts - apparel; and (3) Artifacts - other.

Subject Access: class flags

artifacts

artefacts

pennants

plaques

banners

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

### Arrangement:

This is an artificially created series.



## BU 2: Brandon University Board of Governors

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions72>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Description Level: Series  
Series Number: 2  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1939-1991; predominant 1967-1987  
Physical Description: 3.65 m  
History /  
Biographical:

The Board of Governors of Brandon University is a body established by the Brandon University Act (1998), a statute of the Province of Manitoba. The Act vests in the Board the authority for governing Brandon University. The members of the Board of Governors, as trustees, hold the University in trust for the people of the Province of Manitoba. Responsibilities for maintaining this trust include: selection of a president, monitoring his/her performance, providing guidance to the University via its policies, and often delegating authority to the administration.

The Board of Governors is a collective representing the entire community (both internal and external of the University). As a collective, the Board of Governors is responsible for ensuring the financial stability of the institution and for seeing that the overall plans of the institution are consistent with the institution's philosophy, goals, and financial resources.

### Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of records generated and collected by the Brandon University Board of Governors in the course of performing its functions. The fonds is divided into six sub-series, including: (1) Documents; (2) Board Executive; (3) General Board agendas, minutes and packages; (4) Correspondence and subject files; (5) Board of Governors' committees; and (6) Board projects.

Notes: The information in the History/Bio field was taken from the Brandon University webpage (<http://www.brandonu.ca/Administration/Governors/>) on December 2, 2005.

Access Restriction: All files in the series are restricted. Researchers are required to contact the Executive Secretary to the Board of Governors to obtain written permission to access the records. Contact:  
204-727-9714  
[board@brandonu.ca](mailto:board@brandonu.ca)

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds



## Brandon University

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions3653>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 4.2

File Number: 75

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1967

Physical Description: 1 file

### Scope and Content:

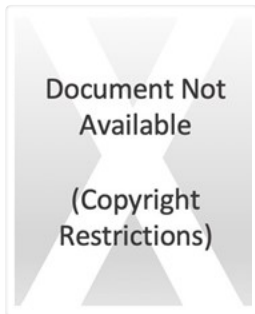
File consists of miscellaneous documents related to Brandon University, including Schedule "A" referred to in Order-in-Council No. 50/67, definitions of various words associated with University activities, Annex 1 of the program for Princess' visit to Brandon College Campus, a list of reports approved by the Provisional Senate of Brandon Univeristy, a drawing of Brandon College Campus, a copy of Bill 71, a newsclipping and information on the University status celebration.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 4: Office of the Vice-President

4.2 Office of the Vice-President (Administration & Finance)

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## McGuinness library

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13683>

Other Title Info: Title based on the contents of the series

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Series

Series Number: McG 8

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: c. 1882-2010

Physical Description: Approximately 2 m

83 books and other materials (see Material Details Note)

Material Details: 49 booklets

3 maps

3 newsletters

18 periodicals

16 pamphlets

35 newspapers [oversize drawer]

## History /

### Biographical:

The publications in this series were collected by Fred McGuinness during the course of his career as a newspaperman. McGuinness' personal library contained over 500 volumes pertaining to local history. He regularly consulted these materials when writing his radio broadcasts, newspaper columns, and monographs. McGuinness was known to file related materials (e.g., correspondence, newspaper clippings, invitations) between book covers of various titles.

McGuinness donated a substantial portion of his personal library to Brandon University's John E. Robbins Library when he moved to River Heights Terrace (Brandon, Manitoba). That collection can be found in BU's library catalogue under the McGuinness local history collection. The titles McGuinness retained upon his move were donated to the McKee Archives by his estate in 2011.

### Custodial History:

Accession 1-2015 contains records created and collected over the course of McGuinness' career as a newspaper journalist and freelance writer. The Estate of Fred McGuinness donated the materials to the SJ McKee Archives circa 2011. The Archives accessioned the records in 2015.

Accession 20-2009 contain records created and collected by Fred McGuinness over the course of his career as a newspaper journalist and during the research and writing period of the Brandon history book, *The Wheat City*. Records remained in his possession at his home until their transfer to the McKee Archives on July 28, 2009.

Accession 6-2008 contains records created and collected during the writing of the Provincial Exhibition book, *Pride of the Land*. Fred McGuinness, who co-authored the book with Ken Coates, donated these records to the McKee Archives circa 1988. The materials relating to Souris, Manitoba, were given to McGuinness by Kay Sullivan in August 2007, and were subsequently deposited in the Archives.

### Scope and Content:

This series contains publications collected by Fred McGuinness during the course of his lifetime as a newspaperman. McGuinness was a well-known local history enthusiast and frequently wrote about Brandon's local history. Many of his readers forwarded booklets and pamphlets for his consideration and review.

Materials in this series include books, booklets pamphlets, periodicals, newspapers and maps. Subjects include, but are not exclusive to: the city of Brandon, the town of Souris, memoirs, family histories, Canadian Pacific Railway, and local businesses.

Accruals:	Closed
Finding Aid:	A file level inventory is available
Storage Location:	All library titles, except the newspapers in the McGuinness oversize drawer, are located in Special Collections

### Arrangement:

Arrangement was artificially created by the Archives.

McG 8 McGuinness library

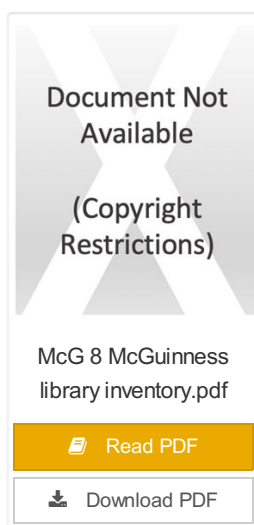
McG 8.1 Books

McG 8.2 Booklets

McG 8.3 Maps, newsletters, and periodicals

McG 8.4 Pamphlets

McG 8.5 Magazines and newspapers (oversize)



## Brandon University scarf

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8174>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.2

Item Number: 27

Item Number Range: 27

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: post 1967

Physical Description: 1 item

History /

Biographical:

The Brandon University scarf was custom designed by William Chelsea. The design was called "Corner with a Core."

Scope and Content:

Item is white polyester scarf measuring 53 x 57 cm. The scarf has two thick blue bands, with a thinner gold band in between, running around its edges. Each corner bears the Brandon University crest in blue, circled by the words Brandon University Brandon Manitoba Canada 67 in gold. The centre of the scarf has a diamond made of two thin blue strips with a thicker gold strip in between. The diamond has the same crests and wording in each corner.

Notes: Part of BU 16.2 Artifacts - apparel. History/Bio information from the Summer 1980 issue of Alumni News.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
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## Brandon University plate

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4584>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.3

Item Number: 15 a-c

Item Number Range: 15

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1974

Physical Description: 3 items

Physical Condition: good

### Scope and Content:

The three plates are identical and measure 26.5 cm in diameter. They were made to celebrate Brandon University's 75th Anniversary (899-1974). The plates are primarily white with a faint blue or green outer edge. In the centre is a picture of the University campus looking south from 18th Street; the Brandon University sign, the Drama building (originally the Science building and currently the Knowles-Douglas Student Union building), the Brodie building and McMaster Hall are all visible. "75th Anniversary 1899-1974" is on the back of each plate in gold lettering.

Notes: Part of BU 16.3 Artifacts - other.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts  
16.3 Artifacts - other  
Reading room display case



## Brandon University fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions16>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: Brandon University

Description Level: Fonds

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1967 - present

### History /

### Biographical:

Brandon University received its charter on June 5, 1967, on the occasion of the visit of Her Royal Highness Princess Alexandra and the Honourable Angus Ogilvie. The institution has its roots in Brandon College, which was established in 1899, by the Baptist Convention of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories and was administered by that authority until 1938. During these years it was an affiliate, first of the University of Manitoba and, from 1911 to 1938, of McMaster University. In 1938, it became a non-denominational affiliate of the University of Manitoba, under a board of directors elected by the Brandon College Corporation, and it continued as such until it was made a provincial university in 1967.

1967-1968 was the first year of operation as Brandon University.

The University is a co-educational, non-denominational, government-supported institution within the Province of Manitoba. It is a member of the Association of Universities and Colleges

of Canada (AUCC) and the Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU).

As stated in The Brandon University Act (1998), the purposes and objects of the university are: (a) the advancement of learning and the creation, preservation and dissemination of knowledge; and (b) the intellectual, social, ethical and physical development and improvement of its students and employees and of society. To further its purposes and objects the university may: (a) establish and maintain such colleges, faculties, schools, institutes, departments, chairs and courses of instruction as the board considers appropriate; (b) give instruction and training in all branches of learning; (c) grant degrees, including honorary degrees, diplomas and certificates of proficiency; (d) provide facilities for original research in every branch of learning, and conduct or facilitate the conducting of such research; and (e) generally promote and carry on the work of a university.

The mission statement of the University is to shape the whole person and enable students to make a positive difference as citizens and leaders. In a welcoming and supportive setting, the University emphasizes research, scholarship, critical thinking, performance, artistic creation, communication and participation, as a means of imparting value and meaning to society and contributing to the public good. The University nurtures and develops excellence in its programs, attracts an outstanding faculty, defends academic freedom, preserves knowledge and sustains a scholarly community where cultural differences are valued. The University strives to complement its primary mission of teaching and research by sharing the expertise of its staff, its information resources and its facilities with the greater community.

#### PROGRAM EVOLUTION:

1967 Brandon College became Brandon University with authority to grant degrees  
1998 The Brandon University Act was passed by the Manitoba Legislature, replacing the Brandon University Regulations

#### Arts:

1902 First Arts graduates  
1975 B.A. (4 year Specialist) degree  
1983 B.A. (4 year General) degree  
1990 Major in Business Administration  
1991 Minor in Women's Studies  
1992 Minor in Aboriginal Art  
1996 Major in Business Administration (4 year)  
1997 4 year Bachelor of Business Admin

#### Science:

1975 B.Sc. (4 year Spec)  
1983 B.Sc. (4 year General)  
1986 Post-Diploma degree for Registered Nurses and Registered Psychiatric Nurses  
1995 4 year degree in Psychiatric Nursing

#### Education:

1952 Ed courses offered for the first time  
1967 B.Ed. (5 year)  
1969 B.Teaching (3 year)  
1972 Project for the Education of Native Teachers (PENT) initiated  
1974 Brandon University Northern Teacher Education Program (BUNTEP) initiated  
1978 B.Ed (4 year)  
1981 B.Teaching (3 year) discontinued as at October 17, 1981  
1988 Concurrent B.Music/B.Ed (AD) degree program  
1990 M.Ed.  
1994 Brandon University Hutterian Education Programme (BUHEP) initiated

Music:

1906 Dept of Music (Conservatory) established  
1973 B.Mus. (4 year General)  
1977 B.Mus. (5 year Music Education)  
1980 Master of Music Degree offered for the first time in Manitoba  
1988 Concurrent B.Music/B.Ed (AD) degree program

Health Studies:

1998 School of Health Studies created and assumes responsibility for Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Bachelor of Science in Mental Health and Bachelor of Science in Psychiatric Nursing

Interdisciplinary degree programs:

1972 B.G.S.  
1998 Masters degree in Rural Development  
1998 Bachelor of First Nations and Aboriginal Counselling degree program

On December 19, 1985, the Board of Governors approved a set of recommendations regarding the administrative structure of the university. The recommendations renamed, abolished and instituted a number of positions at Brandon University.

Custodial History:

Records in the fonds were in the possession of the President's Office until 1980, at which point they were transferred to the McKee Archives upon its creation. Subsequently, additional records have been transferred from the President's Office, the Senate Office and some faculties. Most records transferred after 1980 have separate accession numbers.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of sixteen series, including: (1) Office of the Chancellor; (2) Board of Governors; (3) Office of the President; (4) Office of the Vice-President; (5) Office of the Registrar; (6) Brandon University Senate; (7) Faculties and Schools; (8) Library Services; (9) Department of Extension; (10) Office of Development; (11) Brandon University Foundation; (12) Student Services; (13) Miscellaneous Publications; (14) Brandon University Students' Union (BUSU); (15) Brandon University Faculty Association (BUFA); and (16) Brandon University/College Artifacts.

Notes:

Information for the History/Bio field was taken from Brandon University calendars 1967-2006, the Brandon University website (December 2005) and an article in "The Quill" (January 9, 1986). Description by Christy Henry, unless otherwise noted.





## Brandon University site development

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions3737>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 4.2

File Number: 155

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1969-1970

Physical Description: 1 file

### Scope and Content:

File consists of correspondence, receipts, the fifth draft of the town planning scheme - City of Brandon and memos.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 4: Office of the Vice-President

4.2 Office of the Vice-President (Administration & Finance)

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## Brandon University capital development

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions3845>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 4.2

File Number: 261

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1970-1971

Physical Description: 1 file

### Scope and Content:

File consists of correspondence and reports on the Campus Development program (including a drawing of the campus).

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 4: Office of the Vice-President

4.2 Office of the Vice-President (Administration & Finance)

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## Brandon University embroidered crest

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions5714>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.2

Item Number: 25

Item Number Range: 25

Accession Number: 13-2007

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: post-1967

Physical Description: 1 item

Custodial History:

Item was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 2007. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

The crest is embroidered in blue, grey, gold, black, red and white thread on a beige background. Item measures 10.5 x 13.5 cm.

Notes: Part of BU 16.2 Artifacts - apparel.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts  
16.2 Artifacts - apparel  
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## Project XV: Library building

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions3341>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 2.6

File Number: 32

Accession Number: 8-2005

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1971

Physical Description: 2 files

Scope and Content:

Files consist of correspondence, reports, recommendations, proposals, financial information, minutes, memos, information on Erickson/Massey Architects and Planners, action outline, library statistics, drawings and reference materials.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.6 Board Projects  
Box 1



## Brandon University Art Exhibition Committee

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4065>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Description Level: Sub-series  
Series Number: 9.3  
Accession Number: 69-1997  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1960-1972  
Physical Description: 44 cm textual records; approx. 20 photographs

### History /

#### Biographical:

The Brandon College and Brandon University Art Exhibition Committee was active from 1960 to 1972. The Committee was established to promote the visual arts in Brandon through education and to sponsor exhibitions featuring the work of local artists.

#### Custodial History:

The records were assembled by Robert Inch of the Brandon University Extension Office and Professor D.V. Reilly, who taught art through the Faculty of Education at Brandon University. They were donated to the McKee Archives in 1997.

#### Scope and Content:

The sub-series contains records of past exhibitions, minutes and correspondence of the Brandon University Art Exhibition Committee. Sub-series also contains personal files on some artists consisting of correspondence and information pertaining to exhibitions of their work. There are also extensive files on past exhibits including advertising, correspondence, newspaper clippings, publications and files concerning local affiliated art clubs, such as the Student Camera Club at Brandon University.

Name Access: Gissar Elliason  
Bernard Polly  
Ken Esler  
Mikuska Eyre

Subject Access: pottery  
Japanese prints  
ceramics  
textiles

Repro Restriction: Researchers are responsible for observing Canadian copyright restrictions.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 9: Office of Extension



## Brandon University 25th anniversary spoons

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4572>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.3

Item Number: 2-3

Item Number Range: 2-3

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1992

Physical Description: 2 items

Physical Condition: good

### Scope and Content:

The spoons celebrate Brandon University's 25th Anniversary (1967-1992). They are gold plated teaspoons with a round emblem in blue with the words "Brandon University 25, 1967-1992" in gold. The spoons are approximately 11.5 cm long.

Notes: Part of BU 16.3 Artifacts - other.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts  
16.3 Artifacts - other  
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## Brandon College/McMaster University crest

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4913>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.2

Item Number: 14

Item Number Range: 14

Accession Number: 13-2007

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1912-1938

Physical Description: 1 item

### Custodial History:

Item was accessioned in 2007 by the McKee Archives. Prior custodial history is unknown.

### Scope and Content:

Consists of a blue and gold felt crest. The letters "B" and "C" in blue on a gold background are intertwined at the top centre of the crest. Below that, in black lettering on a gold background is "McM.U." Below that in gold on a blue background is an oil lamp on a book (lamp of knowledge).

Notes: Part of BU 16.2 Artifacts - apparel.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts  
16.2 Artifacts - apparel  
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## Brandon University class of 1981 pin

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4915>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.2

Item Number: 16

Item Number Range: 16

Accession Number: 13-2007

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1981

Physical Description: 1 item

Custodial History:

Item was accessioned in 2007 by the McKee Archives. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

Consists of a BU Class of 1981 pin.

Notes: Part of BU 16.2 Artifacts - apparel.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts  
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## Brandon University class of 1982 badge

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4916>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.2

Item Number: 17

Item Number Range: 17

Accession Number: 13-2007

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1982

Physical Description: 1 item

Custodial History:

Item was accessioned in 2007 by the McKee Archives. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

Consists of a BU Class of 1982 badge that also celebrates Brandon's Centennial. It measures 4.5 x 5.75" and is made of god polyester. It has a blue border and all of the writing on the badge is in the same blue.

Notes: Part of BU 16.2 Artifacts - apparel.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts  
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## Brandon University class of 1986 badge

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4917>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.2

Item Number: 18

Item Number Range: 18

Accession Number: 13-2007

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1986

Physical Description: 1 item

Custodial History:

Item was accessioned in 2007 by the McKee Archives. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

Consists of a BU Class of 1986 badge. Measuring 3.5 x 3.5", the badge is white with blue writing and embroidered border. It reads "Class of 86 Brandon University."

Notes: Part of BU 16.2 Artifacts - apparel.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts  
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## Brandon University winter carnival button

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4918>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 16.2

Item Number: 19

Item Number Range: 19

Accession Number: 13-2007

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1970s

Physical Description: 1 item

### Custodial History:

Item was accessioned in 2007 by the McKee Archives. Prior custodial history is unknown.

### Scope and Content:

Consists of a Brandon University Winter Carnival button. The button measures 2.5" across, with a white background. In the centre of the button is the Winter Carnival mascot. The mascot is circled by "Brandon University Winter Carnival" in blue lettering. The button has a gold and purple (originally blue?) ribbon attached to it.

Notes: Part of BU 16.2 Artifacts - apparel.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series16: Brandon University/College artifacts  
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## MG 4 Brandon University students

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions5138>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Description Level: Series  
Series Number: MG 4  
GMD: multiple media  
Physical Description: See sub-series levels for extent  
History /  
Biographical:

The Brandon University Students series is an artificially created collection. It contains the private papers of former Brandon University students.

### Scope and Content:

The series has been divided into the following sub-series:

MG 4 4.1 Ken Coleman

MG 4 4.2 Daphne Marshall

Storage Location: MG 4 Brandon University Students



## Library building planning - Canada - Ontario

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions3579>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Description Level: File  
Series Number: 4.2  
File Number: 6  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1959-1976  
Physical Description: 1 file

### Scope and Content:

File consists of reference materials regarding university libraries in Ontario gathered for the purpose of planning the use and/or expansion of the John E. Robbins Library at Brandon University. It includes two photographs of Carleton University Library.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
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