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Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba history: Pride of the land monograph

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Other Title Info:	Title based on the contents of the subseries
Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	Sub-series
Series Number:	McG 5.1
Accession Number:	[formerly 6-2008]
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	c. 1984 - 1985
Physical Description:	Approximately 1 m of textual records 1 map

History /

Biographical:

These records were produced between 1984 and 1985, the researching and writing period for the book *The Pride of the Land: An Affectionate History of Brandon's Agricultural Exhibition*. Published in 1985 by Peguis Books (Winnipeg), *Pride of the Land* is a 222-page soft cover book, containing hundreds of pictures, and 50,000 words of text.

BU faculty members Dr. Kenneth "Ken" Stephen Coates, Assistant Professor of History, and Mr. Fred McGuinness, Lecturer in Journalism, authored the book. Assisting the writers was a research team of four BU history students, which were referred to as "The Pride Team": Diane Fowler, Rob McGarva, Bruce Stafeld, and Byron Williams.

The Pride Team was tasked with collecting and synthesizing exhibition documents and other materials in city, provincial, and federal records spanning 100 years. Many local newspapers and committee minutes were consulted.

The authors cover 103 years of Brandon Fair history, starting with the first fair in 1882 followed by the development of other agricultural fairs and exhibitions in Brandon, specifically The Royal Manitoba Winter Fair, The Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba, and the Ag-Ex livestock show.

Custodial History:

Records were collected and created by McGuinness, Coates, and The Pride Research Team during the process of the creation of the book, *The Pride of the Land: An Affectionate History of Brandon's Agricultural Exhibition*. The materials were donated to the S.J. McKee Archives by the authors circa 1988. The Archives accessioned the records in 2008.

Scope and Content:

The subseries consists of textual records, created and collected during the production of the monograph *Pride of the Land*. It includes research cards created by the research team, copies of newspaper articles from very early editions of Brandon newspapers (such as the *Brandon Sun*, *Brandon Daily Sun*, *Western Sun*, and *The Independent*), copies of fair/organizational minutes, photocopies of photographs used in the publication, and chapter drafts. Of particular interest are the detailed summaries of Provincial Exhibition minutes that were specifically produced for each book chapter.

Notes:	Information in the history/biography was taken from a Brandon University press release dated June 1985, about the Pride of the Land Project (see file 64)
	Description Note: The original accession number is noted on the front of each file folder. The circled number indicates the original file order in the 6-2008 accession
Accruals:	Closed
Language Note:	Fred McGuinness often uses journalistic jargon to label his files. A "brite" refers to a short, amusing story
	Pride of the Land acronyms:
	PEM = Provincial Exhibition Association of Manitoba
	RCMP = Royal Canadian Mounted Police
	WAAA = Western Agricultural & Arts Association
Finding Aid:	A file level inventory is available
Storage Location:	2015 accessions
Related Material:	Provincial Exhibition Association of Manitoba fonds
Arrangement:	Arrangement was artificially created by the Archives. Subseries has been arranged according to book chapter. McGuinness often organized his ideas and research materials by potential brite topic

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Manitoba: The Province & The People monograph

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Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection

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Description Level: Sub-series
Series Number: McG 5.4
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: textual records
Date Range: c. 1986 - 1987
Physical Description: Approximately 30 cm of textual records
History /
Biographical:

These records were produced between 1986 and 1987, the researching and writing period for the book *Manitoba: The Province & The People*. Published in 1987 by Hurtig Publishers (Edmonton), *Manitoba* is a 203-page hard cover book, containing 2 maps, and 58 images.

BU faculty members Dr. Kenneth "Ken" Stephen Coates, Assistant Professor of History, and Mr. Fred McGuinness, Lecturer in Journalism, authored the book. Assisting the writers was a research team of three BU history students: Diane Fowler, Rob McGarva, and Bruce Stadfeld. All three students were former research assistants for *The Pride of the Land* monograph.

The authors cover 117 years of Manitoba social history, starting with the Red River Settlement and the Dominion of Canada expansion in the 1870s, followed by the war years, and the emergence of modern, contemporary Manitoba.

Custodial History:

Records were collected and created by McGuinness, Coates, and the research students during the creation of the book, *Manitoba: The Province & The People*. The materials were donated to the McKee Archives by the Estate of Fred McGuinness circa 2011. The Archives accessioned the records in 2015.

Scope and Content:

The subseries consists of textual records, created and collected during the production of the monograph *Manitoba: The Province & The People*. It includes copies of newspaper articles from newspapers (such as the *Brandon Sun*, *Brandon Daily Sun*, *Winnipeg Free Press*, and *Saturday Night*), copies of journal articles about the Red River Valley, Government of Manitoba industrial publications, photocopies and a few original photographs used in the publication, and drafts for chapter "brites."

Notes: Information in the history/biography was taken from the "Manitoba: The Province & The People's" acknowledgments section

Accruals: Closed

Language Note: Fred McGuinness often uses journalistic jargon to label his files. A "brite" refers to a short, amusing story. McGuinness often organized his ideas and research materials by potential brite topic

Finding Aid: A file level inventory is available

Storage Location: 2015 accessions

Related Material: Original copies of the July 10, 1899 and July 12, 1899 editions of the *Brandon Daily Sun* containing articles about the Hilda Blake trial are available in the oversize drawers in the Reading Room

See McG 1.2 Box 3 File 48 for correspondence pertaining to royalties for this monograph

Arrangement:

Arrangement was artificially created by the Archives. Files in this subseries have been arranged according to the order in which brites first appear in the book

Original file titles, where available, have been recorded in square brackets after the file title assigned by the Archives

For this subseries, the original photographs have been relocated to the McGuinness collection photograph series (McG 9)

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The Keystone Province: An Illustrated History of Manitoba Enterprise monograph

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Other Title Info:	Title based on the contents of the subseries
Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	Sub-series
Series Number:	McG 5.5
Accession Number:	1-2015
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	c. 1986 - 1987
Physical Description:	Approximately 6 cm of textual records

History /

Biographical:

These records appear to have been produced between 1986 and 1987, the researching and writing period for another monograph, *Manitoba: The Province & The People*. Published in 1988 by Windsor Publications (Burlington, Ontario), *The Keystone Province: An Illustrated History of Manitoba Enterprise* is a 184-page hard cover book, containing 250 black-and-white illustrations and 40 colour photographs.

The authors cover 378 years of Manitoba entrepreneurial history, starting with the Aboriginal Peoples and the early fur trade, ensuing Red River settlement, followed by the war years, and emerging Manitoba economies. The final chapter of the book contains select profiles of Manitoba businesses, many of which were acknowledged as financial contributors to the project.

BU faculty members Dr. Kenneth "Ken" Stephen Coates, Assistant Professor of History, and Mr. Fred McGuinness, Lecturer in Journalism, authored the book. Dr. Coates accepted a position as an assistant professor of Canadian History at the University of Victoria during the book's production. BU Professor of History, Dr. William R. Morrison, was credited as the picture researcher for the publication. Free-lance writer Roger Newman was responsible for preparing the Manitoba business biographies in the final chapter. The book was produced in co-operation with the Manitoba Chamber of Commerce.

Custodial History:

Records were collected and created by McGuinness and Coates during the creation of the monographs *Manitoba: The Province & The People* and *The Keystone Province: An Illustrated History of Manitoba Enterprise*. The materials were donated to the SJ McKee Archives by the Estate of Fred McGuinness circa 2011. The Archives accessioned the records in 2015.

Scope and Content:

The subseries consist of textual records, created and collected during the production of the monographs *Manitoba: The Province & The People* and *The Keystone Province: An Illustrated History of Manitoba Enterprise*. It includes journal articles, book chapters, Government of Manitoba industry publications, a few original photographs used in the publication, and drafts for chapter "brites."

Notes: Information in the history/biography was taken from the *The Keystone Province: An Illustrated History of Manitoba Enterprise* dust jacket and patrons section of the book

In the file level inventory, square brackets at end of file names reference the original location of the file in the unprocessed Fred McGuinness collection. The original location is also noted on the front of each file folder

Accruals: Closed

Language Note: Fred McGuinness often uses journalistic jargon to label his files. A "brite" refers to a short, amusing story. McGuinness often organized his ideas and research materials by potential brite topic

Finding Aid: A file level inventory is available

Storage Location: 2015 accessions

Arrangement:

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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1931-09
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: September 1931
Publisher Series: Vol. VII, No. 9
Physical Description: 22pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the first issue of The Manitoba Co-operator, a magazine of agricultural co-operation, published in September 1931.

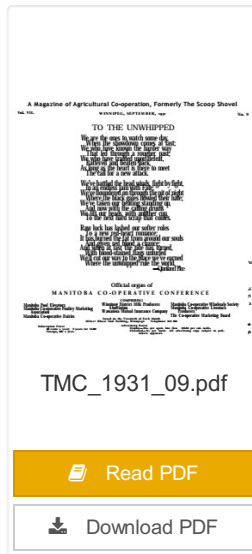
Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
Cooperative Periodicals
Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Arrangement:

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<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1499>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1931-11
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: November 1931
Publisher Series: Vol. VII, No. 11
Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the November 1931 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture
Cooperative Periodicals
Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Arrangement:

The Manitoba Co-operator, Vol. VII, No. 9-12 is bound with The Scoop Shovel, Vol. VII No.1-7.

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<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1500>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1931-12
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: December 1931
Publisher Series: Vol. VII, No. 12
Physical Description: 20pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the December 1931 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

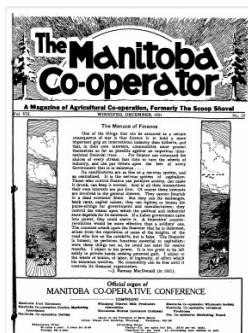
Subject Access: Agriculture
Cooperative Periodicals
Farm produce Marketing Periodicals

Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

Arrangement:

The Manitoba Co-operator, Vol. VII, No. 9-12 is bound with The Scoop Shovel, Vol. VII No.1-7.

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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-01
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: January 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 1
Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the January 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
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Farm produce Marketing Periodicals
Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

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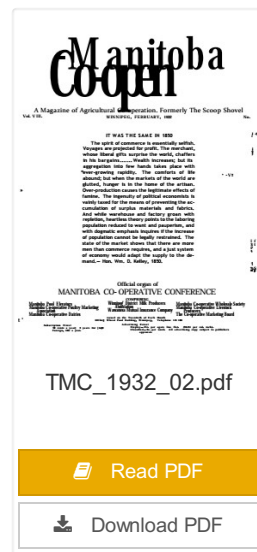
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Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-02
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: February 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 2
Physical Description: 20pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the February 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
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Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-03
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: March 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 3
Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the March 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture
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Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

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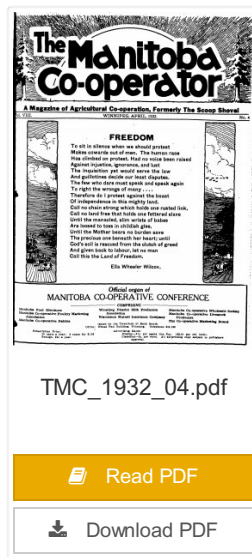
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Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-04
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: April 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 4
Physical Description: 20pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the April 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
Cooperative Periodicals
Farm produce Marketing Periodicals
Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-05
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: May 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 5
Physical Description: 16pp.
Scope and Content:

Item consists of the May 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-06
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: June 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 6
Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:


Item consists of the June 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.


Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
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Location Original: Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

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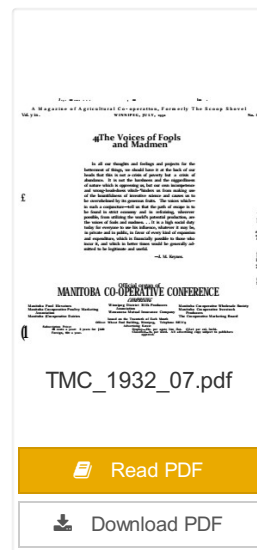


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Collection:	Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level:	Item
Item Number:	TMC-1932-07
GMD:	textual records
Responsibility:	Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range:	July 1932
Publisher Series:	Vol. VIII, No. 7
Physical Description:	16pp.
Scope and Content:	
	Item consists of the July 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.
Notes:	Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access:	Agriculture Cooperative Periodicals Farm produce Marketing Periodicals
Location Original:	Archives 14-24-1, Box 42

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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-08
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: August 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 8
Physical Description: 16pp.
Scope and Content:

Item consists of the August 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-09
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: September 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 9
Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:


Item consists of the September 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.


Subject Access: Agriculture
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Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Description Level: Item

Item Number: TMC-1932-10

GMD: textual records

Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.

Date Range: October 1932

Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 10

Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of the October 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

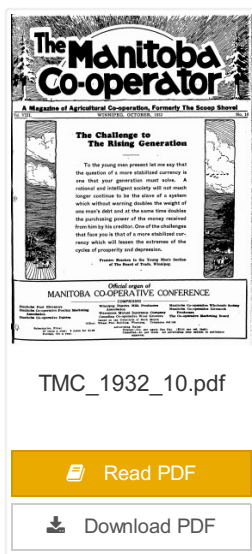
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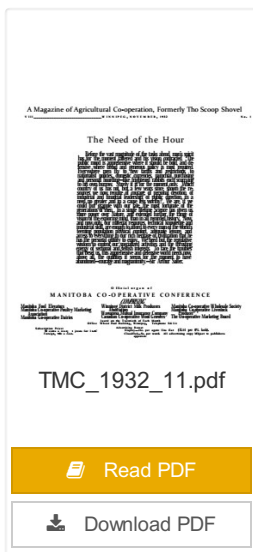
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Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-11
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: November 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 11
Physical Description: 16pp.

Scope and Content:

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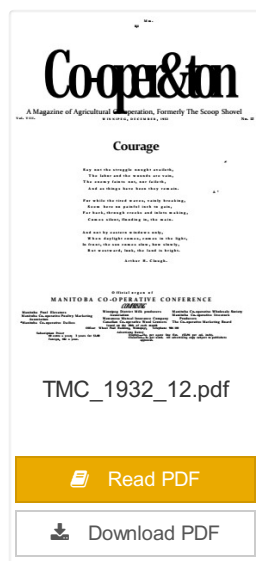
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Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1932-12
GMD: textual records
Responsibility: Manitoba Co-operative Conference Ltd.
Date Range: December 1932
Publisher Series: Vol. VIII, No. 12
Physical Description: 20pp.
Scope and Content:

Item consists of the December 1932 issue of The Manitoba Co-operator.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.
Subject Access: Agriculture
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Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection
Description Level: Item
Item Number: TMC-1933-01
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Date Range: January 1933
Publisher Series: Vol. IX, No. 1
Physical Description: 16pp.

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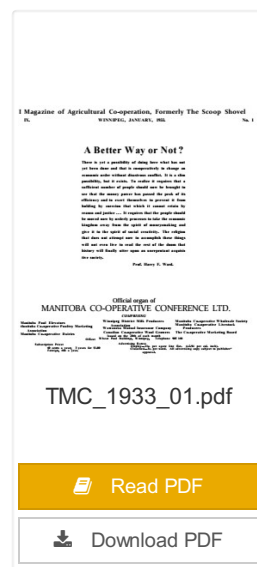
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Notes: Description by Christy Henry.

Subject Access: Agriculture
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