

S. J. McKee Archives



The Brandon Sun

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13662>

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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 2.2 |
| Accession Number: | 1-2015 |
| GMD: | textual records |
| Date Range: | c. 1966 - 2010 |
| Physical Description: | Approximately 63.5 cm of textual records |

History /

Biographical:

In November 1966, McGuinness was hired as vice-president to the Brandon Sun. He moved to Brandon with his family and had a career with the paper until his death in 2011. During his years with the Sun, McGuinness wrote a tri-weekly "Sunbeams" (sometimes spelled "Sun Beams") column using the nom-de-plume F.A. [Fifth And] Rosser. Sunbeams was similar to McGuinness' "Lighthouse" column for The Medicine Hat News; commenting on a variety of current events, Sunbeams also included book reviews, local events, and reminiscences.

Upon his retirement in January 1987, McGuinness was made publisher emeritus of the Brandon Sun. A week after his retirement, he began writing a new column for the Sun, called the "Diary." Initially a bi-weekly column, which was made into a weekly column in 2009, McGuinness continued writing the "Diary" until his hospitalization in 2010. The Diary column was primarily a historical retrospective of Brandon, although it also touched on broader topics of interest to McGuinness during the time period.

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.

Scope and Content:

The subseries contains records created and collected by Fred McGuinness during his time as a journalist, editor, and freelance writer with the Brandon Sun. The records consist of scrapbooks of Sunbeams columns, Sunbeam drafts, Diary drafts, article proofs, column research, and correspondence.

Notes: Readers' correspondence pertaining to McGuinness' time with the Brandon Sun can be found in Fred McGuinness' personal papers, subseries McG 1.2 Correspondence. Possible research for his Sunbeam and Diary columns may be found in McG 4.1 Local history research and McG 2.3 Neighbourly News (File 3)

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| Accruals: | Closed |
| Finding Aid: | A file level inventory is available |

Storage Location: 2015 accessions

Arrangement:

Arrangement was artificially created by the Archives. Subseries has been re-arranged according to publication period

Documents



The Wheat City: A Pictorial History of Brandon monograph

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13676>

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

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: McG 5.6

Accession Number: 1-2015 [formerly 6-2008 and 20-2009 and unprocessed Fred McGuinness collection]

GMD: textual records

Date Range: c. 1987 - 1988

Physical Description: Approximately 6 cm of textual records

History /

Biographical:

These records were produced between 1987 and 1988, the researching and writing period for *The Wheat City: A Pictorial History of Brandon* monograph. Published in 1988 by Western Producer Books (Saskatoon, Saskatchewan), *The Wheat City* is a 117-page soft cover book, containing black and white images.

Western Producer Books pitched the book's concept to Fred McGuinness in the fall of 1987. This book was part of the publisher's "city series" which focused on smaller cities such as Medicine Hat and Prince Albert. It was estimated that the book would contain a 6,000-word introduction followed by approximately 80 archival photographs of Brandon spanning from early settlement to the late 1950s/early 1960s.

Brandon University history major Pam Svistovski worked as McGuinness' research assistant and McGuinness obtained images for the book from his own personal collection, the Brandon Sun, Lawrence Stuckey, the Archives of Manitoba, and the Western Pictorial Index.

Custodial History:

Records were collected and created by McGuinness during the writing phase of the monograph *The Wheat City*. 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 consists of textual records and photographs created and collected during the production of the monograph *The Wheat City*. It includes correspondence, newspapers articles, drafts and black and white photographs from the Archives of Manitoba, Western Canada Pictorial Index, and *Illustrated Souvenir of Brandon*.

Notes:

Information in the history/biography was obtained from *The Wheat City's* acknowledgements and a letter to Mr. Fred McGuinness from Western Producer Books, dated September 24, 1987 (McG 5.6, File 11)

Where known, archival reference numbers for photographs obtained from the Archives of Manitoba and the Western Canada Pictorial Index and considered/used in *The Wheat City* have been provided in the item level description

Accruals: Closed

Repro Restriction: Images published in the monograph and stored in files copyright protected by their respective organizations

Finding Aid: A file level inventory is available

Storage Location: 2015 accessions

Related Material: Clarence Hopkin collection
Lawrence Stuckey collection
Jack Stothard collection

Fred McGuinness would write/publish about a topic in a number of forums. Therefore, it is possible research materials pertaining to this monograph may be found in the Fred McGuinness collection subseries: Correspondence (McG 1.2), Brandon Sun (McG 2.2) Miscellaneous freelance (McG 3.2), Local history research (McG 4.1), Manitoba: The Province & The People (McG 5.4), and Manitoba Enterprise (McG 5.5)

Arrangement:

Arrangement was artificially created by the Archives. Subseries has been re-arranged according to picture sources

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Mrs. Scott's residence, Kemnay 1893

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13689>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: Irwin
Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 6-2008.3
Accession Number: 6-2008
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1893
Physical Description: 9.5" x 7" (b/w)
Material Details: On matting
Physical Condition: Foxing on matting and photograph, primarily along edges of photograph
Custodial History:

Mona McKinnon (nee Corkish) gave photograph to Colleen McGuinness who, in turn, gave it to her father, Fred McGuinness in 2007.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Mrs. Scott's residence in Kemnay, Manitoba. Members of the family along with two horse-drawn buggies are clearly visible along the front of the house. A possible church appears to the right of the house in the background.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Margaret Brown Scott, Mother in law to, Frank McGee Sr.

Name Access: Kemnay, MB
Margaret Brown Scott

Subject Access: residences
early transportation
buggies
churches
Rural Manitoba

Storage Location: McGuinness oversize storage drawer (1-2015)

Images





Brandon Hardware Company Ltd.

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13695>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.5

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [191-]

Physical Description: 8.5" x 6.5" (b/w)

Material Details: Reproduction

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Brandon Hardware Company Ltd. storefront at 641 Rosser Avenue on the corner of 7th Street. A billboard advertisement for Stephen's Pure Paints is on the 7th Street side of the building. A company delivery truck is parked on the street. Two men appear to be window shopping on the avenue side of the store.

Name Access: Brandon Hardware Company

Rosser Avenue

7th Street

Subject Access: storefront

store exteriors

hardware

Trucks

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

Images



Parade on 8th Street

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13696>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.6

Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1906
Physical Description: 8" x 6" (b/w)
Material Details: on matting
Physical Condition: Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows parade floats travelling on 100 block of 8th Street (Brandon). Horse-drawn floats appear to belong to the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, Murdock/Murdoch Brothers (furniture dealers), and F.W. Durst (cement contractor). Businesses visible in the background include the Sylvester Brothers Manufacturing Company and McDiarmid and Clarke lumber and fuel yard. Spectators in the foreground are leaning on a wooden fence likely belonging to the Old City Hall.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 315 July 1906. Two photographs (20-2009.7, 20-2009.6) are glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Sylvester Brothers Manufacturing Co.

8th Street

McDiarmid & Clarke

Murdoch Brothers

Murdock Brothers

F.W. Durst

Subject Access: parades

Transportation

parade floats

horses

downtown

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

Images



Dominion Day on Rosser Avenue

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13697>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection



Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.7
Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1906
Physical Description: 6" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details: on matting
Physical Condition: Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block. Horse and buggies are travelling on the avenue and pedestrians fill the sidewalks. Union Jacks and English flags are mounted from the windows on the Fleming and Beaubier blocks. Flag banners are draped across Rosser Avenue. Businesses visible in the Fleming Block include: Lowes Brothers Clothing and Spring Park Nurseries. Businesses visible in the Beaubier Block include the Empire Hotel. Businesses east of the Empire Hotel are grocer A.M. Percival and the Brandon Hardware Company. An advertisement for the Northern Bank is affixed to a telephone pole on the southside of the street.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: July 1 1906, 314.
One photograph (20-2009.8) is glued below and another, 20-2009.6, is glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block
Lowes Brothers Clothing
Spring Park Nurseries Limited
Empire Hotel
D.W. Beaubier Block
A.M. Percival
Brandon Hardware Company
Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: Street scene
Transportation
downtown
grocers
storefronts
Dominion Day
horses

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

Images





Dominion Day on Rosser Avenue

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13698>

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| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.8 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1906 |
| Physical Description: | 6" x 4" (b/w) |
| Material Details: | on matting |
| Physical Condition: | Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time |

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block. Horse and buggies are travelling on the avenue and pedestrians fill the sidewalks. Union Jacks and English flags are mounted from the windows on the Fleming and Beaubier blocks. Flag banners are draped across Rosser Avenue. Businesses visible in the Fleming Block include: Lowes Brothers Clothing and Spring Park Nurseries. Businesses visible in the Beaubier Block include the Empire Hotel. Businesses east of the Empire Hotel are grocer A.M. Percival and the Brandon Hardware Company. An advertisement for the Northern Bank is affixed to a telephone pole on the southside of the street. The street is lined with litter and a number of dogs can be seen roaming the area.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 313 July 1906. One photograph (20-2009.8) is glued below and another, 20-2009.6, is glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block
Lowes Brothers Clothing
Spring Park Nurseries Limited
Empire Hotel
D.W. Beaubier Block
A.M. Percival
Brandon Hardware Company
Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: Street scene
Transportation
downtown
grocers
storefronts
Dominion Day
dogs
horses

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



Horse and buggies travelling on Rosser Avenue

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13699>

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| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.9 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | [1906] |
| Physical Description: | 6.5" x 4.25" (b/w) |
| Material Details: | on matting |
| Physical Condition: | Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time |

History /

Biographical:

Photograph of possible Dakota from Sioux Valley in Brandon for the summer fair.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block. Businesses visible in the Fleming Block include: Lowes Brothers Clothing, Robert Hall [Insurance Broker], Manitoba Farmers Hedge and Wire Fence Company. Businesses visible in the Beaubier Block include the Empire Hotel. Businesses east of the Empire Hotel are grocer A.M. Percival and the Brandon Hardware Company. A number of Aboriginal peoples are driving horse and buggies west along Rosser Avenue as spectators look on.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 294 July 1906. One photograph (20-2009.10) is glued below and two others are glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block
Lowes Brothers Clothing
Manitoba Farmers Hedge and Wire Fence Company
Empire Hotel
D.W. Beaubier Block
A.M. Percival
Brandon Hardware Company
Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: Street scene
 Transportation
 downtown
 grocers
 storefronts
 dogs
 Aboriginals
 First Nations
 horses
 buggies
 insurance agents

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

Images



Horseback riders on Rosser Avenue

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13700>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.10

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1906]

Physical Description: 7" x 4.5" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

History /

Biographical:

Photograph of possible Dakota from Sioux Valley in Brandon for the summer fair.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block. Businesses visible in the Fleming Block include: Lowes Brothers Clothing, Robert Hall [Insurance Broker], Manitoba Farmers Hedge and Wire Fence Company. Businesses visible in the Beaubier Block include the Empire Hotel. Businesses east of the Empire Hotel are grocer A.M. Percival and the Brandon Hardware Company. A number of Aboriginal peoples are travelling on horseback west along Rosser Avenue as spectators look on.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 293. One photograph (20-2009.9) is glued above and two others are glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block
Lowes Brothers Clothing
Manitoba Farmers Hedge and Wire Fence Company
Empire Hotel
D.W. Beaubier Block
A.M. Percival
Brandon Hardware Company
Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: Street scene
Transportation
downtown
grocers
storefronts
Aboriginals
First Nations
horses
insurance agents

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

Images



8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13701>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.11
Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1906]
Physical Description: 6.5" x 4.25" (b/w)
Material Details: on matting
Physical Condition: Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are travelling on both roads. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is surrounded by a crowd adjacent to the Fleming Block, another man stands on a soap box in the middle of the intersection, while a third man is standing behind a booth. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 7th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 296. One photograph (20-2009.12) is glued above and two others are glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block
Fleming's Drug Store
Frank Gowen Photographer
Liverpool House
Hotel Imperial Annex
8th Street
Rosser Avenue
Aagaard's
R.S. Thompson
8th Street Bridge

Subject Access: Street scene
Transportation
downtown
storefronts
store exteriors
hotels
boarding houses
barber shops
restaurants
druggists
photographers
bridge
horses
dogs
land agents

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

Images



Horse and carriages travelling on Rosser Avenue

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13702>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.12

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1906]

Physical Description: 6.5" x 4.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

History /

Biographical:

Photograph of possible Dakota from Sioux Valley in Brandon for the summer fair.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block. Businesses visible in the Fleming Block include: Lowes Brothers Clothing, Robert Hall [Insurance Broker], Manitoba Farmers Hedge and Wire Fence Company. Businesses visible in the Beaubier Block include the Empire Hotel. Businesses east of the Empire Hotel are grocer A.M. Percival and the Brandon Hardware Company. A number of Aboriginal peoples are driving horse and carriages west along Rosser Avenue as spectators look on.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 295 July 1906. One photograph (20-2009.11) is glued above and two others are glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block
 Lowes Brothers Clothing
 Manitoba Farmers Hedge and Wire Fence Company
 Empire Hotel
 D.W. Beaubier Block
 A.M. Percival
 Brandon Hardware Company
 Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: Street scene
 Transportation
 downtown
 grocers
 storefronts
 dogs
 Aborigines
 First Nations
 horses
 insurance agents

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

Images



Street scene 8th Street in winter

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13703>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.13

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1906

Physical Description: 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

History /

Biographical:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue in the winter. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio. Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton. The Imperial Hotel is visible on the west side of 8th Street. The 8th Street Bridge is visible in the background.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 338, November 1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a building on the southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Name Access: Fleming Block
Frank Gowen Photographer
Liverpool House
Hotel Imperial Annex
8th Street
Rosser Avenue
Aagaard's
R.S. Thompson
8th Street Bridge
Bank of Hamilton
Imperial Hotel

Subject Access: Street scene
downtown
storefronts
store exteriors
hotels
boarding houses
barber shops
restaurants
druggists
photographers
bridge
banks
winter
land agents

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



Street scene 8th Street in winter

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13704>

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| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.14 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1906 |
| Physical Description: | 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w) |
| Material Details: | on matting |
| Physical Condition: | Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over time |

History /

Biographical:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue in the winter. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio. Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton. The Imperial Hotel is visible on the west side of 8th Street. The 8th Street Bridge is visible in the background. Men in winter coats and hats are crossing the street at the intersection. A horse-drawn sleigh is parked on 8th Street.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 340, after the storm November 1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a building on the southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Name Access: Fleming Block
Frank Gowen Photographer
Liverpool House
Hotel Imperial Annex
8th Street
Rosser Avenue
Aagaard's
R.S. Thompson
8th Street Bridge
Bank of Hamilton
Imperial Hotel

Subject Access: Street scene
downtown
storefronts
store exteriors
hotels
boarding houses
barber shops
restaurants
druggists
photographers
bridges
banks
winter
Transportation
sleighs
storms
land agents

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

Images





Street scene Rosser Avenue and 8th Street intersection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13705>

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| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.15 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1906 |
| Physical Description: | 6.5" x 4.25" (b/w) |
| Material Details: | on matting |
| Physical Condition: | Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time |

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block. The Fleming Block, Beaubier Block and its Empire Hotel, A.M. Percival (a grocer), the Brandon Hardware Company (600 block), and the Arlington Hotel (500 block) are visible along the north side of the avenue. The Bank of Hamilton Building on the southeast corner of 8th Street and Rosser appears to be under construction. A sign in the second storey window above the main entrance reads: law office. The streets are muddy and a horse and buggy is traveling west on Rosser Avenue.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: mud November 12, 1906, 339. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a building on the southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block
Empire Hotel
D.W. Beaubier Block
A.M. Percival
Brandon Hardware Company
Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: Street scene
Transportation
downtown
grocers
storefronts
mud
dogs
horses
buggies
insurance agents
lawyers

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

Images



Rosser Avenue and 8th Street during winter storm

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13706>

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| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.16 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1906 |
| Physical Description: | 6.5" x 4.25" (b/w) |
| Material Details: | on matting |
| Physical Condition: | Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time |

Custodial History:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of north side of Rosser Avenue, primarily the 700 block. The Fleming Block, Beaubier Block and its Empire Hotel, A.M. Percival (a grocer), the Brandon Hardware Company (600 block), and the Arlington Hotel (500 block) are visible along the north side of the avenue. The Bank of Hamilton Building on the southeast corner of 8th Street and Rosser appears to be under construction. The streets are muddy and a horse and buggy is traveling west on Rosser Avenue.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: during the great storm of November 16 1906, 341. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a building on the southwest corner of 7th Street and Rosser Avenue. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block
8th Street
Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: Street scene
downtown
storefronts
storms
winter

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

Images



Residential street during winter storm

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13707>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.17

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1906

Physical Description: 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photographs have been glued to a backing board that has warped over time

History /

Biographical:

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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows three children standing on a residential sidewalk after a winter storm. Two girls are wearing winter overcoats and a boy is wearing a winter jacket. The children are possibly those of dentist Dr. John Dickson, who resided at 342-8th Street.

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| Notes: | Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: November 1906, 342. |
| Name Access: | John Dickson 8th Street |
| Subject Access: | storms winter children residences |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) |

Images





Residential street in December 1906

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13708>

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| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.18 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1906 |
| Physical Description: | 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w) |
| Material Details: | on matting |
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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows three children standing on a residential street in front of a large woodframed home surrounded by a white picket fence. Two girls are wearing winter overcoats and a boy is wearing a winter jacket. The trees are covered in hoarfrost and snow lines the streets. The children are possibly those of Brandon dentist Dr. John Dickson who resided at 342-8th Street.

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| Notes: | Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: December 1906, 344. |
| Name Access: | John Dickson 8th Street |
| Subject Access: | storms winter children residences |
| Storage Location: | RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos) |

Images



Residential street during winter

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13709>

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| Part Of: | Fred McGuinness collection |
| Description Level: | Item |
| Series Number: | McG 9 |
| Item Number: | 20-2009.19 |
| Accession Number: | 20-2009 |
| GMD: | graphic |
| Date Range: | 1906 |
| Physical Description: | 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w) |
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Scope and Content:

Photograph shows three children playing on a residential street in the winter. Two girls are wearing winter overcoats and a boy is wearing a winter jacket. The trees are covered in hoarfrost and snow lines the streets. The children are possibly those of Brandon dentist Dr. John Dickson who resided at 342-8th Street.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 1906, 343.

Name Access: John Dickson
8th Street

Subject Access: storms
winter
children
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Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Images



Cowan's Cocoa wagon

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13711>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Pringle and Booth of Toronto

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.21

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1909-1922]

Physical Description: 6.5" x 4.5" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: matting is torn

Custodial History:

Photograph was in possession of Mrs. Ruby Miles, who passed the image on to Fred McGuinness. McGuinness makes reference to Mrs. Miles and this photograph in his Sunbeams column (Brandon Sun 14 September 1978).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a horse drawn wagon advertising Cowan's Cocoa. The Gilmore Advertising Company of Toronto appears to be responsible for the ad and the wagon is numbered "No.4". Three men appear in the photograph: one behind the reigns, one in the rear seat of the wagon, and other standing at the rear axel.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: Pringle & Booth, 181 George Street, Toronto. Writing on the back of the photograph matting reads: Mrs. R. Miles, R.J. Brdgdon?, Right Side 2.50 a day. Date obtained from <http://photographersofontario.ca>

Name Access: Cowan's Cocoa
Gilmore Advertising Company
Pringle and Booth

Subject Access: Transportation
wagons
advertising

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

Related Material: Ruby Miles collection 14-2003, File 2

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Odd Fellows parade

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13715>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.24

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1931

Physical Description: 6" x 5" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows (IOOF) Brandon City Lodge No.6 parading down a street, possibly Portage Avenue in Winnipeg. Spectators line the street. Visible storefronts include: Central Barber Shop, The Royal Bank of Canada, and Liggetts Drug Store.

Notes: Back of photograph is stamped: The Star Photo Studio, 490 Main Street, Winnipeg, Sep 23, 1931

Name Access: Independent Order of Odd Fellows

IOOF

Liggetts Drug Store

Subject Access: parades

fraternal organizations

Transportation

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

Images

