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### Street scene 8th Street in winter

#### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13703

Part Of:	Fred McGuinness collection
Description Level:	ltem
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:

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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 Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton.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 builing 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)

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Name Access:

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	downtown
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	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





# Tenth Street looking towards CPR Station, Brandon, Man. http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13780

Fred McGuinness collection
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McG 9
20-2009.91
20-2009
graphic
[1917-1919]
5.5" x 3.5" (colour)
postcard

#### History /

Biographical:

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

Scope and Content:

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

Notes:	Postcard was manufactured by T.B. [Tichnor Brothers, Inc., 1908-1987] Cambridge, Massachusetts.
Name Access:	10th Street
	CPR Station
	Orpheum Theatre
	Rex Cafe
	Campbell & Campbell
	Brandon Municipal Railway
Subject Access:	street scenes
	building exteriors
	store exteriors
	automobiles
	Transportation
	street cars
	bicycles
Storage Location:	RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

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