

# S. J. McKee Archives



## CPR Ice House Fire

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9613>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: George H. Harris

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1FA4

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: May 19, 1951

Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

CPR Ice House Fire with engine 701

Notes: This large ice house, located between the CPR tracks and Assiniboine Avenue at 3rd Street, was filled with blocks of ice from the Assiniboine River each winter. It had a long high platform for [loading ice blocks into] refrigerator cars, and also handled charcoal braziers for heating these same cars in winter. The new ice house structure that was built after this fire was much smaller, as it had an artificial ice plant.

With mechanically temperature-controlled cars replacing ice-cooled refrigerators, it was demolished in the 1970's.

This photograph shows how steam switch engines were used as fire engines. A hose carried in a box under the tender was fitted into a branch of the boiler feed pipe (discharge pipe). When the injector was turned on it gave a nozzle pressure of over 200 psi.

Name Access: CPR Ice House Fire

Subject Access: fires

railways

Canadian Pacific Railway

Brandon Fires

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

## Images





## CPR & City Centre from Brandon Brewery

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9957>

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Creator: George H. Harris

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1P31

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: September 1937

Physical Description: 2 1/2" x 4 1/2"

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

View of CPR's west yard & city centre from Brandon Brewery on Assiniboine Avenue.

Notes: Image shows CPR freight sheds & station, Great Northern station, and many core area buildings

Collection of George H. Harris, Winnipeg, Man.

Name Access: CPR Freight Train

CPR Freight Shed

Brandon Skyline

Subject Access: railroads

railways

railway stations

freight trains

industrial buildings

warehouses

Elevators

Canadian Pacific Railway in Brandon

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