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Eva Nelson interview

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Part Of:	Westman Oral History collection
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	OH295.Nel
Accession Number:	35-1998
GMD:	sound recordings
Date Range:	October 1981
Physical Description:	1 audio cassette [00:15:00]
History /	

Biographical:

Eva Nelson (nee Harrison) was born on July 5, 1896 in Killarney, MB. Raised in Holmfield, MB where her family owned and operated a mill, Eva married Mark Nelson (1888-1946) on July 4, 1917, in Turtle Mountain. The couple farmed at Dry River, MB and raised three children: Iva, Enid and Merton. Eva Nelson died on August 9, 1989 in Pilot Mound, MB. She is buried at Greenwood Cemetery.

Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

Item is an audiocassette tape containing an interview with Eva Nelson about Holmfield Village, 1895-1910. Interviewer is Amy Harrison.

Notes:	History/bio information from the records, the Find a Grave website and
	Nelson's obituary. Transcript by Hayley McCaskill (2023). Description by
	Christy Henry.
Language Note:	English

Audio Tracks

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Eva Roddick Davis interview

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Part Of:	Westman Oral History collection
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	OH190.Dav
Accession Number:	35-1998
GMD:	sound recordings
Date Range:	November 1981
Physical Description:	1 audio cassette [00:12:55]
History /	

Biographical:

Eva Blanche Roddick Davis was born September 20, 1900 at Linkwood Lodge farm in the Brandon Hills area of the RM of Cornwallis. She was the daughter of John Hardy Roddick and Ida Johnson, and spent her childhood on the home farm in the Brandon Hills, which had been settled by her grandfather, the Rev. George Roddick, a pioneer who came to the are in 1879 from Nova Scotia. Eva attended Brandon Hills school and Brandon Collegiate Institute (BCI), before graduating from the Brandon Normal School in 1920. From 1920-1921, she taught at Little Souris. Although her parents moved to Brandon that year, she returned to the Brandon Hills to the Davis family farm, Glenwood Farm, after marrying Meredith William Davis (1897-1968) on February 28, 1931. The Davis family came to the Brandon Hills in 1879 from Palmer, Massachusetts. The couple sold the farm in 1940, and moved into Brandon, where Med worked as a motor mechanic. The Davis' had three children: Georgina, Shirley, and Bill. Eva was involved with the family farm and on a committee for planning the Brandon Hills district centennial in 1979. Additionally, she was a member of the Brandon Hills Busy Bees, the Women's Missionary Society, the UCW at Knox United Church, the Canadian Lady Foresters and the Court Princess Mary L2. Eva Roddick Davis died in Brandon on December 20, 1986. She is buried at Brandon Hills Cemetery.

Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

Notes:

Item is an audiocassette tape containing an interview with Eva Roddick Davis about the pioneer years in the Brandon Hills and her family history. Interviewer is Effie McPhail.

History/bio information taken from the Brandon Hills local history "The Brandon Hills Story" and Davis' obituary. Transcript by Jaclyn Matchullis (2014). Description by Christy Henry.

Language Note: English

Audio Tracks

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Duncan E. Kennedy interview

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Part Of:	Westman Oral History collection
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	OH067.Ken
Accession Number:	35-1998
GMD:	sound recordings
Date Range:	April 6, 1982
Physical Description:	1 audio cassette [01:00:00]
History /	

Biographical:

Duncan E Kennedy was born on July 5, 1906 on the farm in Elton municipality. Duncan married Helen Laurie Hutcheon (1906-1985) in 1927. They raised four children: Leonard, Gordon, Cecil and Lorna. The couple spent their early married life on a farm in Springwater, SK, before moving to Hartney, Forrest and Brandon where Duncan was employed by Manitoba Pool Elevators as a grain buyer and elevator manager. Duncan enjoyed sports, including hockey, curling and fishing. He also enjoyed camping with his family and in later years travelling. Duncan Kennedy died on September 22, 1996 in Brandon, MB. He is buried at Humesville Cemetery.

Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

Item is an audiocassette tape containing an interview with Duncan Kennedy about early agriculture and his life. The interviewer is Frank Anderson.

 Notes:
 History/bio information taken from the records and Kennedy's obituary.

 Description by Christy Henry.

 Language Note:
 English

Audio Tracks



Kate Stronach Duncan interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14662

Part Of:	Westman Oral History collection
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	OH017.Dun
Accession Number:	35-1998
GMD:	sound recordings
Date Range:	October 15, 1982
Physical Description:	1 audio cassette [0:35:00]
History /	

Biographical:

Kate Stronach Duncan was born on July 17, 1915 in Brandon, MB. She received her education through the Brandon School Division and completed secretarial studies at Wheat City Business College. She was very active in the Girl Guide movement as a Brownie Leader, a Guide Leader and ultimately a District Commissioner. Kate was a lifelong member of First Presbyterian Church, with particular interest in the Heather Club and the WMS, of which she was an Honourary Life Member.

Kate enlisted in the Canadian Women's Army Corps during the Second World War, earning the rank of Sergeant. Following her discharge in 1946, she returned to Brandon and began working with the Industrial Acceptance Corporation. She remained with the company until retirement. Kate never married. Kate Stronach Duncan died on November 4, 2004 in Brandon, MB. She is buried at Brandon Municipal Cemetery.

Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

Item is an audiocassette tape containing an interview with Kate Stronach Duncan about the Presbyterian Church in Brandon, MB. Interviewer is Isabelle Heeney.

Notes:

History/bio information from the records and Duncan's obituary. Description by Christy Henry.

Audio Tracks



Duncan Mercredi

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8900

Part Of:	Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	8.4.1
ltem Number:	5-2009.3
Accession Number:	5-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	October 2007
Physical Description:	Digital
Material Details:	1200px x 900px (190KB)
History / Biographical:	

See sub sub series level (RG 6, 8.4.1) for history/bio information.

Custodial History:

See sub sub series level (RG 6, 8.4.1) for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Photograph of Duncan Mercredi at Panel 2: Writing and Life (Men), held Friday afternoon October 26 in the J.R.C. Evans Lecture Theatre.

Storage Location:	RG 6 Brandon University fonds
	Series 8: Library Services
	8.4 Library special events
	8.4.1 Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival





Eva Mabel Gibson Bachelor of Arts diploma

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions7973

Part Of:	BUPC 11 Documents, diplomas and certificates		
Description Level:	Item		
Series Number:	11		
Item Number:	11.5		
GMD:	textual records		
Date Range:	1923		
Physical Description:	56 cm x 43 cm		
History / Biographical:			
Biographical information available in the 1923 Quill commencement issue.			
Scope and Content:			
ltem is Eva Mabel Gibson's Bachelor of Arts degree (1923) from Brandon College (McMaste University).			
Language Note:	Diploma is in Latin, although liberties have been taken with the language, particularly in the case of names.		

Storage Range: Oversized drawer 2



Renata Eigenbrod and Duncan Mercredi

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8903

Part Of:	Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival	
Description Level:	ltem	
Series Number:	8.4.1	
Item Number:	5-2009.6	
Accession Number:	5-2009	
GMD:	graphic	
Date Range:	October 2007	
Physical Description:	Digital	
Material Details:	1200px x 900px (190KB)	
History /		
Biographical:		
See sub sub series level (RG 6, 8.4.1) for history/bio information.		

Custodial History:

See sub sub series level (RG 6, 8.4.1) for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Photograph of Renata Eigenbrod and Duncan Mercredi.

Storage Location:	RG 6 Brandon University fonds
	Series 8: Library Services
	8.4 Library special events
	8.4.1 Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival





Marie Baker and Duncan Mercredi

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8933

Part Of:	Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	8.4.1
Item Number:	5-2009.35
Accession Number:	5-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	October 2007
Physical Description:	Digital
Material Details:	1200px x 900px (190KB)
History / Biographical:	

See sub sub series level (RG 6, 8.4.1) for history/bio information.

Custodial History:

See sub sub series level (RG 6, 8.4.1) for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Photograph of Marie (Annharte) Baker and Duncan Mercredi in the lobby of the George T. Richardson Centre.

Storage Location:RG 6 Brandon University fondsSeries 8: Library Services8.4 Library special events8.4.1 Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival





James Duncan McGregor collection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4820

Part Of:	RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection
Description Level:	Collection
Accession Number:	4-1998
GMD:	multiple media
Date Range:	1899-1935; predominant c. 1899
Physical Description:	20 cm textual records; 51 lantern slides (measuring 22 cm x 20.5 cm); 44 photographs (41 measuring 17.5 cm x 23 cm and 3 measuring 26.5 cm x 35 cm)

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J.D. McGregor was a leading agriculturist from Brandon who served as Lieutenant Governor in the province of Manitoba during the 1930's. The Hon. J.D. McGregor was born in Amherstburg, Ontario August 29, 1860. He came west with his father in 1877, and entered the horse and cattle trade. McGregor established Glencarnock Farm north of Brandon and created one of the finest Aberdeen-Angus cattle herds in North America. In 1912 and 1913, his cattle (Glencarnock Victor and Glencarnock Victor II) were selected Grand Champions at the Chicago International. McGregor was a Liberal in politics with close ties to Clifford Sifton. From 1897-99, he served as mines inspector in the Klondike during the gold rush in that region. He also served as Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba from 1929-1934. James Duncan McGregor died March 15, 1935.

Custodial History:

This collection was donated to Brandon University in 1971 by McGregor's daughter Mrs. E.C. Harte. The collection was accessioned in 1998 by the McKee Archives.

Scope and Content:

Collection consists of photos and slides, principally of the Klondike during the gold rush era (1897-1902); Government House seating plans and speeches from a wide variety of events (1912-1934); correspondence of McGregor's, primarily from his time as Lieutenant Governor (1912-1934); a (23.75 oz.) gold bag; a state publication "Instructions for Lieutenant Governors;" documents pertaining to the history of the Manitoba Winter Fair; and documents dealing with the early career of Winston Churchill.

Notes:	CAIN No. 202634
Subject Access:	Winston Churchill
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	L.T. Floyd
	Manitoba Winter Fair
	Government House
	Manitoba
	Klondike gold rush
	Lieutenant Governor
	Livestock
Storage Location:	1998 accessions
Storage Range:	1998 accessions



Armand Garnet Ruffo and Duncan Mercredi

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8910

Part Of:	Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	8.4.1
ltem Number:	5-2009.13
Accession Number:	5-2009
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	October 2007
Physical Description:	Digital
Material Details:	1200px x 900px (190KB)
History / Biographical:	

See sub sub series level (RG 6, 8.4.1) for history/bio information.

Custodial History:

See sub sub series level (RG 6, 8.4.1) for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Photograph of Armand Garnet Ruffo and Duncan Mercredi outside the main doors of the George T. Richardson Centre.

Storage Location:RG 6 Brandon University fondsSeries 8: Library Services8.4 Library special events8.4.1 Brandon Aboriginal Literary Festival





Duncan Alexander MacGibbon Bachelor of Arts diploma

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions7976

Part Of:	BUPC 11 Documents, diplomas and certificates
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	11
Item Number:	11.8
GMD:	textual records
Date Range:	1908
Physical Description:	60 cm x 45 cm
Material Details:	Vellum?
Physical Condition:	Water damage and spotting
History /	

Biographical:

Duncan Alexander MacGibbon, economist, was born in Lochaber Bay, Quebec, on 12 March 1882. He was educated at McMaster University and then went to Brandon College, Manitoba, to teach. He left Brandon to enrol at the University of Chicago where he received his Ph.D. in economics in 1915. He began to teach at McMaster University but his teaching career was halted by World War I. After the war he joined the University of Alberta as professor and head of the Department of Political Economy. He served as Commissioner for the Alberta Government on banking and credit with respect to the industry of agriculture in 1922. He was a member of the Royal Grain Inquiry Commission, Canada, 1923-1924. He left the University of Alberta in 1929 to become a member of the Canadian Board of Grain Commissioners, a post he held until his retirement in 1949. In 1930 he was attached to the Canadian delegation to Imperial Conference, London; in 1932 he served the same role at the imperial Economic Conference in Ottawa in 1932. After his retirement, he returned to McMaster University to teach part-time. Among his many writings, MacGibbon published two definitive books on the grain trade: The Canadian Grain Trade (1932) and The Canadian Grain Trade, 1931-1951 (1952). He died in Hamilton, Ont. on 10 October 1969.

Scope and Content:

Item is Duncan Alexander MacGibbon's Bachelor of Arts degree (1908) from McMaster University.

Notes:	History/Bio information taken from the Duncan Alexander MacGibbon fonds (McMaster University Archives.)
Language Note:	Diploma is in Latin, although liberties have been taken with the language, particularly in the case of names.
Storage Range:	Oversized drawer 2
Related Material:	Duncan Alexander MacGibbon fonds (McMaster University Archives)



Pony interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13645

Part Of:	CKX fonds	
Creator:	СКХ	
Description Level:	ltem	
Series Number:	Р	
Item Number:	11-2010.P14b	
Accession Number:	11-2010	
GMD:	graphic	
Date Range:	1967	
Physical Description:	5" x 4" (b/w)	
Material Details:	Negative	
Custodial History:		
See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.		
Scope and Content:		
Image of a man and a pony.		
Name Access:	СКХ	
Subject Access:	horses	

persons winter

Storage Location:

CKX fonds - 2010 accessions





Pony interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13646

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Part Of:	CKX fonds	
Creator:	СКХ	
Description Level:	ltem	
Series Number:	Р	
Item Number:	11-2010.P14a	
Accession Number:	11-2010	
GMD:	graphic	
Date Range:	1967	
Physical Description:	5" x 4" (b/w)	
Material Details:	Negative	
Custodial History:		
See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.		
Scope and Content:		
Image of men and a	pony.	
Name Access:	СКХ	
Subject Access:	horses	
	persons	
	winter	
	barns	
Storage Location:	CKX fonds - 2010 accessions	





Banshee interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11263

Part Of:	CKX fonds
Creator:	СКХ
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	11-2010.B9a(1) and (2)
Accession Number:	11-2010
GMD:	graphic
GMD: Date Range:	graphic after 1954
Date Range:	after 1954
Date Range: Physical Description:	after 1954 2 negatives - each 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Images taken on set during the Banshee interview.

Name Access:	СКХ
Subject Access:	television broadcasting
	interviews
Storage Location:	CKX fonds - 2010 accessions





Banshee interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11266

Part Of:	CKX fonds
Creator:	СКХ
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	11-2010.B9b(1) and (2)
Accession Number:	11-2010
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	after 1954
Physical Description:	2 negatives - each 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details:	Negative
Custodial History:	

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Images taken on set during the Banshee interview.

Name Access:	СКХ
Subject Access:	television broadcasting
	interviews
Storage Location:	CKX fonds - 2010 accessions



Roblin interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13447

Part Of:	CKX fonds
Creator:	СКХ
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	R
Item Number:	11-2010.R46c
Accession Number:	11-2010
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	after 1954
Physical Description:	2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)
Material Details:	Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of an interview panel.

Name Access:	СКХ
	Duff Roblin
	H.M. Dunfield
	Oswald McKay
	G.P. Sutherland
	Ada Tobain
	T.W. Pentland
	Jim Struthers
Subject Access:	persons
	on set
	interviews
	business and professional people
	broadcasting equipment
	television broadcasting
Storage Location:	CKX fonds - 2010 accessions





Roblin interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13448

Part Of:	CKX fonds
Creator:	СКХ
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	R
Item Number:	11-2010.R46b
Accession Number:	11-2010
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	after 1954
Physical Description:	2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)
Material Details:	Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of an interview panel.

Name Access:	СКХ
	Duff Roblin
	H.M. Dunfield
	Oswald McKay
	G.P. Sutherland
Subject Access:	persons
	on set
	interviews
	business and professional people
	broadcasting equipment
	television broadcasting
Storage Location:	CKX fonds - 2010 accessions



Roblin interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13449

Part Of:	CKX fonds
Creator:	СКХ
Description Level:	ltem
Series Number:	R
Item Number:	11-2010.R46a
Accession Number:	11-2010
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	after 1954
Physical Description:	2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)
Material Details:	Negative
Custodial History:	

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of an interview panel.

Name Access:	СКХ
	Duff Roblin
	H.M. Dunfield
	Oswald McKay
	G.P. Sutherland
	Ada Tobain
	T.W. Pentland
	Jim Struthers
Subject Access:	persons
	on set
	interviews
	business and professional people
	broadcasting equipment
	television broadcasting
Storage Location:	CKX fonds - 2010 accessions





Lynn Shier interview

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14432

Part Of:	Westman Oral History collection
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	OH187.Shi
Accession Number:	35-1998
GMD:	sound recordings
Date Range:	May 11, 1983
Physical Description:	1 audio cassette [00:30:00]
Material Details:	Sony HF60 Type I
History /	

Biographical:

Lynn Shier was born November 28, 1942 in London, Ontario to Anglo-Saxon Protestant parents. Her father and mother were of German and English-Dutch descent, respectfully. On her father's side, Lynn's ancestors emigrated from Germany to the United States in 1749. Both of her parents were born and raised in lowa, where they also married in 1929. Following her parent's marriage, the couple moved to London, Ontario in 1928 where her father was employed as a professor at the University of Western Ontario. Lynn resided in London, Ontario with her parents for sixteen years before relocating to Santa Barbara, California. After residing in California for three years, Lynn came back to London, Ontario in order to attend the University of Western Ontario. During her time at the University, Lynn met her future-husband Allan Shier. Allan Shier was born to parents of German and Scotch descent. His father's ancestors immigrated to North America during the late 1740s or early 1750s from roughly the same region of Germany as Lynn's ancestors.

Lynn and Allan were married in 1963. Following the wedding, the couple remained in Ontario for two years, one year of which was spent in Toronto. The couple later moved to Winnipeg, Manitoba where they lived for two years before travelling to Souris, Manitoba. While in Souris, Manitoba Allan worked as a district city planner. Lynn and Allan remained in Souris, Manitoba for four years after which they relocated to Brandon, Manitoba in 1970, where Allan continued to work as a district city planner for the city and Southwestern Manitoba. During their married life, Lynn worked as a household interviewer, and as a secretary for the Daly House Museum and the Assiniboine Historical Society while raising the couple's children, two girls and a boy. Lynn was also very active in the Brandon community.

Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

Item is an audiocassette tape containing the interview "Fur Trading in Brandon Area." The interviewee is Lynn Shier, the interviewer is Effie McPhail and the interview was conducted as part of the Voices of Yesteryear project. The tape contains details about the arrival of the first Europeans to Canada during the late sixteen-and early seventeenth-centuries, as well as more precise information concerning the history of the French and English fur trade within the Brandon, MB area.

Notes: Description by Jennifer Maxwell (2011) and Christy Henry.

Language Note: English

Audio Tracks



Gladys Ward interview

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Biographical:

Gladys Elizabeth Ward (nee Cartwright) was born August 16, 1909 in Dauphin, MB. In 1911 her family relocated to Winnipegosis, MB. Gladys worked as a school teacher in Winnipegosis from 1929-1931.

In 1931 Gladys married William Edward Ward (1910-1964), a fisherman and mechanic in Winnipegosis, MB. After her marriage, Gladys left her job as a fulltime school teacher to work part time as a substitute teacher, a cook in a girls camp and a full time housewife until 1933. In 1934, Gladys' only child, Mervyn Ward was born. She would not find out until many years later that her only child was born at the height of her tuberculosis infection. Gladys returned to teaching full time in 1938, until she was forced to resign due to illness in 1939.

Due to her tuberculosis illness Gladys was forced to relocate from Winnipegosis to Ninette, MB in 1941, where she lived in the Sanatorium as a patient until 1947. In 1945, Gladys was well enough to work part time as a cook in the Sanatorium kitchen. After her release from the Sanatorium in 1947, Gladys continued to live in Ninette with her husband and son, continuing to work at the Sanatorium as an assistant purchasing agent under the direction of Bill Stewart. After Stewart's retirement in 1963, Gladys took over as the purchasing agent for the Sanatorium until her own retirement in 1974.

After her retirement from the Sanatorium, Gladys cared for her elderly father, mother, and her older brother who was an epileptic, all of whom resided with her in her home in Ninette. Gladys Elizabeth Ward died in Killarney, MB on January 5, 1990. She is buried at Ninette Cemetery.

Custodial History:

As part of the Westman Oral History Collection, this collection was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 1998. The original tapes from the Westman Oral History project were deposited in the Brandon Public Library. Copies of these originals were made by Margaret Pollex of the Brandon University Language Lab at the request of Eileen McFadden, University Archivist in the early 1990s. These copies compose the collection held in the McKee Archives.

Scope and Content:

Item is an audiocassette tape containing an interview with Gladys Ward about her experience as a tuberculosis patient and staff member at the Ninette Sanatorium. Interviewer is Dr. DB Stewart. The item covers biographical information and personal data, including how she contracted tuberculosis. The recording documents Gladys' recollection of her initial arrival at the Sanatorium and her first year of "chasing the cure." Gladys explores the hardships of being a patient at the Sanatorium. Moreover, the interview documents detailed medical terminology associated with tuberculosis and treatments used by doctors at the Sanatorium during the 1940s. In addition, the interview outlines names of Sanatorium employees as well as outlines the permanence and impermanence of friendships among patients. It also documents Gladys' recovery and movement from patient to staff member at the sanatorium. Lastly, the recording covers the conversion of the institution to the Pelican Lake Training Centre.

Notes:	History/Biographical information taken from the records and the Find A Grave website. Description by Morganna Malyon (December 2011) and Christy Henry.
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