

S. J. McKee Archives



Queen's Hotel on the corner of 10th Street and Rosser Avenue

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13778

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.89

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1883

Physical Description: 7.25" x 4.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Left hand corner of mat is bent. Mock-up instructions are written in pencil

at the bottom right hand corner. Portions of the photograph itself are

marked with pen.

History / Biographical:

The Queen's Hotel was located on the corner of Rosser Avenue and Tenth Street (Steen & Boyce, 1882. Brandon, Manitoba, Canada and Her Industries. Steen & Boyce Publishers Printers & Binders, 81.). Therefore this photo appears to display Rosser Avenue looking east. P.E. 11/06/09

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows early Rosser Avenue under construction between 9th Street and 10th Street in the 1880s. Buildings that line the avenue are wood framed and there are wooden boardwalks in front of a few structures. On the north side of Rosser Avenue signs for Fortier & Bucke Commission Agents and Transit House (Hotel) can be seen. On the south side of Rosser Avenue, the Queen's Hotel and Robinson Brothers and Company groceries and dry goods store are open for business. A family appears to be standing on the stoop at the dry goods store. A boy is lounging in the entryway of the Queen's Hotel. A man is standing on a wooden plank that extends across the dirt road of Rosser Avenue between the dry goods store and the commission agents' shop.

Notes: The back of the photograph reads: FRED McGUINNESS

Name Access: Queen's Hotel

Rosser Avenue

Fortier & Bucke Commision Agents

Transit House

Robinson Brothers and Company

Subject Access: downtown

construction

Brandon Street Scenes Before 1940

hotels

hardware stores street scenes store exteriors building exteriors grocery stores general stores dry goods

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1C17

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Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee, Winnipeg 1899

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13777

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.88
Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1899

Physical Description: 8" x 6" (b/w)
Material Details: on matting

History / Biographical:

According to the Manitoba Historical Society, the Volunteer Monument was unveiled at Winnipeg's Old City Hall on September 28, 1886. The monument commemorated the soldiers of 90th Winnipeg Rifles (also known as the "Little Black Devils") who were killed during the 1885 North West Rebellion. In 1968, the monument was moved to the east side of Main Street, between the Centennial Concert Hall and the Manitoba Museum.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a parade marching south along Main Street in front of the Volunteer Monument on Winnipeg's Old City Hall grounds (1886-1962). The parade was in honour of Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee that was held June 22, 1899. Businesses visible on the west (left) side of Main Street include: the Great Northern Railway Line, Gurney Stove & Range Co., Sherman House, The Arlington Hotel, Hurtley & Co., Central Drug Hall, Inman Optical Co. On the east side of Main Street, the Conferation Life Block is draped with bunting and a large ensign flag is flying from its tower. Specators line the streets and can be seen on roof tops and leaning from windows.

Notes: The front of the photograph reads: Jublee [sic.] Procession June 22/99

Winnipeg

Name Access: Queen Victoria Diamond Jubilee

The Volunteer Monument Main Street (Winnipeg) Great Northern Railway

Gurney Stove & Range Company

Sherman House
Arlington Hotel
Hurtley & Company
Central Drug Hall

Inman Optical Company
Confederation Life Block

Subject Access: anniversaries

parades monuments

Diamond anniversary

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

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Stores near the corner of Rosser Avenue and 6th Street

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13783

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.94Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1881-1882

Physical Description: 9.25" x 6.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Corners of photograph mat are bent. Picture is cracked.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows an early view of Brandon's 6th Street in the 1880s. The Winter & O'Neail Groceries & Provisions and James Smart Hardware storefronts have been photographed. A street sign designating 6th Street can be seen below the Winter & O'Neail sign. A horse and cart is parked in front of the grocery store. A number of men wearing hats and jackets are standing along the boardwalk while posing for the picture. Lumber/timber saws are displayed in teh windows of the hardware store.

Notes: Front of photograph reads: 6th Street, Brandon, Manitoba, 1881-1882,

Entrance [to Winter & O'Neail] corner of Rosser Ave & 6th Street.

Name Access: James Smart Hardware store

Winter & O'Neail Groceries and Provisions

6th Street

Subject Access: downtown

hardware stores

Pioneers dry goods street scenes

Brandon Street Scenes Before 1940

grocery stores

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

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10th Street, Brandon

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13948

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.20
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1882

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows seven men posing in front of a wood-framed shack on 10th Street. The men are wearing three-piece suits or vests and long-sleeved shirts. One man can be seen holding an axe another a saw. A double ox-team wagon is in front of the structure.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: 10th St. May 1882,

Brandon. Photograph is stamped Public Archives Canada.

Name Access: 10th Street
Subject Access: Pioneers

store exteriors

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

wagons Ox wagons

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

Arrangement:

See McG 4.1 File 51 William R. Morrison correspondence dated 14 January 1985

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10th Street viewbook postcard

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13876

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Printed by Photogelatine Engraving Co. Ltd., Ottawa

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

 Item Number:
 20-2009.186

 Accession Number:
 20-2009

 GMD:
 graphic

 Date Range:
 1927-1929

Physical Description: 3.5" x 5.5" (colour)

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a street view of 10th Street facing north. There are many automobiles parked along the street and several pedestrians in summer dress are on the sidewalks and street. Visible business signs include: Hentzman & Co. Pianos (possibly belonging to J.J.H. McLean Co. Ltd.), the Strand Theatre, T & D Clothes, Campbell & Campbell, the CPR Station, and Bowling Alley and Billiards.

Notes: Part of "Souvenir of Brandon, Manitoba, Canada [viewbook], Printed by

Photogelatine Engraving Co. Limited, Ottawa." Dates obtained from the Burchill's Music Store Henderson's Brandon City Directory listings (1927-1929). Writing on the front of the photograph reads: 10th St., looking north

(C.P.R. Station at end of Street) Brandon, Man.

Name Access: 10th Street

Heintzman & Co. Pianos

CPR Station
Strand Theatre

Campbell & Campbell

T & D Clothes

Subject Access: downtown

street scenes
Transportation
automobiles

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

store exteriors

theatres

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 photos

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Brandon Wheat Market at Pacific Avenue and 10th Street

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13795

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.104

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1885

Physical Description: 9.25" x 7.25" (b/w)

Material Details: On matting

Physical Condition: Photograph is creased and scratched

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Brandon Wheat Market along Pacific Avenue on November 30, 1885. Farmers can be seen driving wagon teams loaded with bags of grain in line on Pacific Avenue from 10 Street to at least 7th Street. On the north side of Pacific Avenue the CPR Land Office and grain elevators are pictured. On the south side of Pacific Avenue, the general merchant/hardware store Bower, Blackburn, Mundell & Porter is situated on the corner of Pacific Avenue and 10th Street. A 10th Street sign is affixed to the merchants' store. On the east side of the general store, Edie House, the Grand View Hotel, and a Farmers' boarding and lodging house can be seen. Most of the buildings appear to be woodframed except for the Grand View, which is constructed of brick. Sidewalks appear to be in place on the south side of Pacific and snow dusts the streets. A baby swathed in winter clothing sits in a pram/baby carriage in front of the general store.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph reads: November 30th, 1885,

Brandon Wheat Market

Name Access: Bower, Blackburn, Mundell, & Porter

Edie House

Grand View Hotel
Pacific Avenue
10th Street

CPR Land Office

Brandon Wheat Market

Subject Access: horses

wagons

Transportation street scenes

hotels markets

Grain elevators downtown

Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940

store exteriors

winter

general stores hardware stores

children

Storage Location: McGuinness oversize storage drawer (1-2015)
Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1C3

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10th Street hydro station stack under repairs

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13913

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.223Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:c.1951

Physical Description: 2.75" x 3.75" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the smoke stack of the 10th Street hydro station under scaffolding, possibly under repair after the 1951 fire/explosion.

Subject Access: construction

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #2

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Brandon street cars in front of Winter Fair Building on 10th Street

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13753

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.64

Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1913

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Postcard is discoloured around the edges

History / Biographical:

According to the Brandon Daily Sun (07 May 1913), the first three street cars (Nos. 10, 9, and 7) arrived in Brandon on the evening of May 6, 1913. The cars were shipped via Canadian National Rail to Brandon from Winnipeg and stored at the railway siding on McTavish Avenue between 8th and 9th Streets. The daily paper (15 May 1915) reported that a test run for the street cars was scheduled for May 16, 1913. The City Clerk published a public notice in the paper (29 May 1913) announcing the formal opening of the "Brandon Municipal Street Raily" for on Monday, June 2, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at city hall where the cars would be displayed.

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by Allena Strath (nee Coombs).

Scope and Content:

Postcard depicts three municipal street cars parked on the 10th Street tracks in front of the Winter Fair Building. In front of the cars are a group of men wearing suits, hats, and top coats. Two automobiles are parked alongside the street cars. According to Archivist Emeritus Tom Mitchell, the group of men are members of the Brandon Municipal Street Railway Committee. The chairman of the committee, Harry Cater, can be seen in the center-left of the group wearing a watch fob. The committee had assembled for a test run of the street car service, which the Brandon Daily Sun reported to have occured on Sunday, May 16, 1913.

Notes: Back of postcard reads: First Street Car in Brandon in front of Winter Fair

building 1910.

Name Access: Brandon Municipal Railway

Winter Fair Building

Harry Cater 10th Street

Subject Access: street cars

Transportation

cars

automobiles

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

Related Material: Lawrence Stuckey collection 1-2002.3.1l2

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Fred McGuinness and Peter Gzowski

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14192

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:1-2015.261Accession Number:1-2015GMD:graphicDate Range:[1980s]

Physical Description: 6" x 4" (colour)

Custodial History:

After the cancellation of McGuinness' CBC Radio broadcast "Neighborly News from the Prairies" that he hosted from 1980 to 1983, McGuinness continued working with the CBC. He was popularly known for his work as the prairie essayist for CBC Radio's Morningside with Peter Gzowski, a position he held for 17 years.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Fred McGuinness (left) and Peter Gzowki (right) having coffee in a restaurant.

Notes: Writing on the back of the postcard reads: Baron! Dear Fred - okay, okay

so the photos aren't great...these are your copies anyways! How you are

well - Love Shelley (the Countess)

Name Access: Peter Gzowski

Fred McGuinness

Frederick George McGuinness

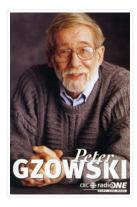
Subject Access: Radio Broadcasts

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

Arrangement: RR#8 photos

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Peter Gzowski

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14191

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.260

Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1980s]

Physical Description: 4 " x 6" (colour)

Material Details: postcard

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a promotional shot of CBC Radio host Peter Gzowki for CBC Radio One.

Notes: Writing on the back of the postcard reads: Baron! Dear Fred - okay, okay

so the photos aren't great...these are your copies anyways! How you are

well - Love Shelley (the Countess)

Name Access: Peter Gzowski

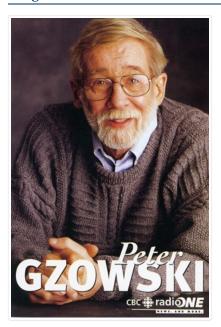
Subject Access: Radio Broadcasts

advertising

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

Arrangement: RR#8 photos

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Palmolive's Happy Gang Family Foto

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13973

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.44
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1949]

Physical Description: 8" x 8" (b/w)

History / Biographical:

According to the Canadian Old-time Radio Alliance website, the Happy Gang radio show was established by Bert Pearl for the CBC in 1937. The show remained on the air until 1959. Colgate Palmolive was the radio show's first sponsor. Other sponsors included Carnation Milk, Mills' Flower, and Red Rose.

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from Lillie S. Wilkins of Killarney, MB

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group portrait of the "The Happy Gang" family. The promotional photograph was produced for the 143rd anniversary of the Colgate-Palmolive company.

Notes: Members of the Happy Gang are identified on the back of the photograph

along with "a message" from Bert Pearl, the M.C. for the Happy Gang. Date of photograph determined from Colgate-Palmolive company history.

Name Access: Palmolive's Happy Gang Family

Colgate Palmolive Company

Bert Pearl

Subject Access: portraits

advertising

Radio Broadcasts

Storage Location:
Arrangement:

RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

McG RR #1 - loose (see McG 1.2 File 33)

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Fred McGuinness and Shirley in a sound booth

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14177

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:1-2015.246Accession Number:1-2015GMD:graphicDate Range:[1980s]

Physical Description: 7" x 5" (colour)

Custodial History:

Photograph was sent to Fred McGuinness from Shirley

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Fred McGuinness seated in a recording room with a female colleague.

Microphones and recording equipment can be seen on a desk behind the pair.

Name Access: Frederick George McGuinness

Fred McGuinness

Subject Access: Radio Broadcasts

building interiors

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

Arrangement:

RR #1 loose, see McG 1.2 File 1

Images

