

S. J. McKee Archives



County Council of the County of Brandon

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10202

Part Of: RG 12 Brandon and Area Photograph Collection

Creator: Photographer: Jerrett's

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 5

Item Number:BAPC 5.9Accession Number:1-2000GMD:graphicDate Range:1882

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

Material Details: On matting

Custodial History:

Donated to the McKee Archives by the Souris Museum in 2000.

Scope and Content:

Portrait of the County Council of the County of Brandon.

Back Row: Reeve Pettit of Daly Municipality, Reeve Clegg of Elton Municipality, Reeve Whitehead of Cornwallis Municipality.

Front Row: Reeve Steele of Glenwood Municipality, W.A. MacDonald, County Solicitor (Justice Supreme Court of British Columbia); Reeve Hannah of Whitehead Municipality, J. Weatherall, County Clerk, J.H. Brownlee, County Engineer

Name Access: W.A. MacDonald

J. Weatherall
J.H. Brownlee
Daly Municipality
Elton Municipality
Cornwallis Municipality

Glenwood Municipality
Whitehead Municipality

Subject Access: political figures

elected officials

portraits

Storage Location: BAPC photograph drawer

Images





Lester Pearson

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13577

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: F

Item Number: 11-2010.P38a

Accession Number: 11-2010 GMD: graphic

Date Range: after 1954

Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Portrait of Lester B. Pearson.

Name Access: CKX

Lester B. Pearson

Subject Access: portraits

elected officials prime ministers

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Alec Turk (MLA)

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12987

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item

Series Number: T

Item Number: 11-2010.T20

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: after 1954

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:

Portrait of Alec Turk.

Name Access: CKX

Subject Access: persons

portraits

members of the Legislative Assembly

elected officials

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Hon. George R. Pearkes, Minister of National Defense

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13564

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: P

Item Number: 11-2010.P46

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: after 1954

Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Portrait of George R. Pearkes.

Name Access: CKX

George R. Pearkes

Subject Access: portraits

politicians & civil servants

political figures

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Jack Pichersgill, Minister of Immigration

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13565

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: P

Item Number: 11-2010.P45

Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954

Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Portrait of Jack Pichersgill.

Name Access: CKX

Jack Pichersgill

Subject Access: portraits

politicians & civil servants

political figures

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Brandon College class of 1913

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8285

Part Of: Brandon University Photograph Collection

Creator: Photographer: Cole

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 9

Item Number:BUPC 9.5bGMD:graphicDate Range:1913

Physical Description: 24" x 5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Robert Harvey's portrait has come loose of the backing. Matting is torn at

base.

History / Biographical:

John B. Cole, who operated Cole's Photographic Studio, first at 656 15th Street and then at 831 Rosser Avenue, was a photographer in Brandon from c. 1911 to c. 1914.

Scope and Content:

Item consists of eleven oval shaped portraits of the members of Brandon College's graduating class of 1913. L to R: Lillian Wilhelmina Speers; Robert Harvey; James Robinson, Muriel Vivien McCamis; Tom Hare Harris; Leslie Alberta Ward; J.R.C. Evans; Evelyn J. Simpson; W.E. Wilkin; Archibald Gordon; and Constance Gunn.

Subject Access: class portraits

portraits

Storage Range: BUPC oversize drawer 1

Images





The Railway foreman's children

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13510

Part Of: Brandon and Area Photograph Collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 5

Item Number:BAPC 5.10Accession Number:3-2014GMD:graphicDate Range:June 1911Physical Description:3.5" x 5.5" (b/w)

Material Details: Postcard

Physical Condition: Excellent

History / Biographical:

Alfred Walter Pryce was born in England c. 1880. He emigrated from England in 1903 and was hired by the Canadian Pacific Railway, likely in Manitoba. His wife, Kate Louisa Buchan, was older than her husband. She was born in England c. 1873. They were married in England? and she followed her husband to Canada in 1904. Alma Jane Pryce was born June 24, 1905 and Herbert Walter Pryce was born May 12, 1907 in [Elton] Manitoba. In autumn 1911, the Pryce family returned to England for a Christmas visit. They sailed from Halifax on the Empress of Britain and arrived in Liverpool on December 9, 1911. The family returned to Canada on the Empress of Ireland from Liverpool in early 1912, landing at St. John, New Brunswick.

Alfred Walter Pryce died in Brandon, MB on January 31, 1922. Kate Pryce died in Winnipeg, MB on March 18, 1938.

Custodial History:

Donated to the McKee Archives by Jennifer L. Bunting in November 2013.

Scope and Content:

Studio portrait of Alma and Herbert Pryce, The Railway Foreman's children, taken June 1911 in Kenora, ON. Writing on the back reads: To Granfather with Love from Herbert and Alma. Alma Jane Pryce Age 6 years. Herbert Walter Pryce Age 3 years 5 months. Keonra, Ont. Canada. June 1911.

Notes: History/Bio information provided by Jennifer Bunting. Additional

information is available in the custodial file.

Name Access: Alma Pryce

Herbert Pryce Alfred Pryce

Kate Louisa Buchan Kate Louisa Pryce

Subject Access: portraits

Storage Location: BAPC photograph drawer

Images





Spafford brothers 1909

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13734

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

graphic

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.44

Accession Number: 20-2009

Date Range: 1909

Physical Description: 3.25" x 5.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

History / Biographical:

GMD:

Harry Spafford (b. 22 Oct 1888, d. 10 May 1978) was born in Holmfield, Manitoba. He married lsabella Hawking of Ninga in 1914 and the couple moved to Brandon in 1915 where they continued to reside until 1973. Harry worked as a locomotive fireman and then as an engineer with the Canadian Northern Railway (CN). While with CN, he was an active member of the Brotherhood of Local Engineers and Firemen No. 788 of Brandon. He served as an alderman in Brandon from 1928 to 1945. In 1932, Harry ran in the Manitoba by-election for Brandon as an Independent Labour candidate and lost to the Conservative member George Dinsdale. In 1952, Harry ran as a Co-Operative Commonwealth Federation (CCF) member in the provincial election and lost to Conservative party representative Reg Lissaman. Harry Spafford passed away in Burnaby, BC, and is interred in the Ocean View Cemetery. (Source: see obituary in McG 4.1 File 66)

Alva/Alvery/"Alvie" Reddell/Riddell/Ridall Spafford (b. 15 Mar 1891, d. 23 Aug 1985) was born in Enterprise, Manitoba, in the R.M. of Turtle Mountain. In 1911, he married Francis Ethel Harrison (d. 1979) in Killarney and had three children. Alvie farmed in Bannerman from 1902 to 1936, after which he moved to Boissevain to work as a Rawleigh salesman. In 1942, the family moved to Brandon where Alvie worked as a conductor with the CNR until his retirement. Alva Spafford passed away at the age of 94 at the Brandon General Hospital. His funeral was held in Killarney, Manitoba. (Source: Obituary, Brandon Sun, 23 Aug 1985)

Scope and Content:

Postcard is a studio portrait of the Spafford brothers. Alvie is seated, Harry is standing.

Notes: Writing on the front of the postcard reads: out of the past, Harry & Alvie

Spafford, 1909 Winnipeg. The back of the postcard reads: Harry on left,

Alvie on right, in our early, days, Railway.

Name Access: Harry Spafford

Alvie Spafford

Subject Access: portraits

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

Images





Spafford brothers 1909-1910

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13758

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.69Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphic

Date Range: 1909-1910

Physical Description: 3.25" x 5.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

History / Biographical:

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Scope and Content:

Postcard is a studio portrait of the Spafford brothers. Harry is seated on the left, Alva ("Alvie") is standing with his right arm around his brother.

Notes: Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Harry on left, Harry & Alva

Spafford, our early Railroad days in Winnipeg 1909 or 1910.

Name Access: Harry Spafford

Alvie Spafford

Alva Spafford

Subject Access: portraits

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

Images





Flora Cowan

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13861

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

 Item Number:
 20-2009.172

 Accession Number:
 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [19--]

Physical Description: 5" x 7" (b/w)

Material Details: reproduction

History / Biographical:

Mrs. Flora Cowan (1902-1986) was born on July 15, 1902 in Edinburgh, Scotland. She was the daughter of Adam and Helen Cruickshank and immigrated to Brandon with her parents in 1927. She married E.C. Cowan, and they had two children, Franklin and Ruth. From 1953 until Brandon College became Brandon University, she served as the Dean of Women. In 1966 she received the Good Citizenship Award of the Golden Boys of Manitoba. She was a member of the I.O.D.E. and a life-member of the International Peace Garden, and the Provincial Council of Women. From 1954 to 1970 Mrs. Cowan served as a member of the Brandon City Council and was the first woman to be appointed acting mayor. She was also the Chairman of the Board for Fairview Home, Inc. In 1967, Mrs. Cowan received the Trillium Business and Professional Club Woman of the Year Award. She was also a member of several other community committees. The women's residence at Brandon University, Flora Cowan, is named in her honour. In December 1980, Mrs. Cowan finally retired from her many positions. She died in Brandon on September 25, 1986 at the age of 84.

Scope and Content:

Photograph is a portrait of Flora Cowan

Name Access: Flora Cowan
Subject Access: portraits

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

Related Material: Trillium Business and Professional Women's Club records

Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

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Fred McGuinness 1970s headshot

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13889

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.199Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1970s

Physical Description: 4.5" x 7.25" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph is a Fred McGuinness headshot

Name Access: Fred McGuinness

Subject Access: portraits

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #1

Images





Fred McGuinness headshot

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13893

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.204Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1980s

Physical Description: 5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is stamped on back

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Fred McGuinness standing in the stacks at Brandon University's John E.

Robbins Library

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: Photography by Sandy Black

Name Access: Fred McGuinness

Subject Access: portraits

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #1

Images





Fred McGuinness headshot

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13894

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.204Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1952

Physical Description: 2.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph is a headshot of Fred McGuinness. Image was taken for the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee Committee.

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: Reporting for Duty, Executive

Director, Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee Committee, 1952

Name Access: Fred McGuinness

Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee

Subject Access: portraits

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #1

Images





Fred McGuinness with Queen Elizabeth II

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13899

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: Towne Studios

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.210Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1984

Physical Description: 3" x 4" (colour)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of individuals posing with Queen Elizabeth II. Fred McGuinness is standing behind the Queen.

Notes: Behind the photograph is a letter dated 15 November 1984 to Fred

McGuinness, Brandon, Manitoba, from Michael B. Decter, Clerk of the Executive Council, Cabinet Secretary, re: Her Majesty's Visit to Manitoba

Name Access: Fred McGuinness

Queen Elizabeth II

Subject Access: portraits

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #1

Images





Pencil sketch of Fred McGuinness

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13900

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Artist: Dacquiso

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.211Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1990s

Physical Description: 8.5" x 9.5" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Scan is a pencil sketch of Fred McGuinness

Name Access: Fred McGuinness

Subject Access: portraits

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #1

Images





Fred McGuinness headshot for MFBA

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13901

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.212Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1990s

Physical Description: 3" x 4" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

Photograph is a portrait of Fred McGuinness. Fred's left arm is resting on a table on which a notepad and pen rest.

Name Access: Fred McGuinness

Subject Access: portraits

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #1

Images





Mr. James Darroch

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13906

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.216

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c.1900

Physical Description: 5" x 7" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from Mrs. D. Lee Irvine of Estevan, Saskatchewan.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows James Darroch seated in a wicker chair, posing for a formal studio portrait.

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Mr. Darroch. 190?

Name Access: James Darroch

Subject Access: portraits

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #2

Images



Mayor Rick Borotsik

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13914

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection



Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

 Item Number:
 20-2009.224

 Accession Number:
 20-2009

 GMD:
 graphic

 Date Range:
 c.1990

Physical Description: 2.5" x 3.25" (b/w)

History / Biographical:

Mayor Rick Borotsik (b. 08 Sep 1950) was born and raised in Brandon, Manitoba. He attended Brandon University, graduating in 1971. He served on Brandon City Council from 1977 to 1985. In 1989, Borotsik was elected mayor; a position he held until 1997 when he stepped down to run as the Progressive Conservative Candidate in the Federal Election. Borotsik was successful in his bid and served as the Brandon-Souris MP for two terms, decling to run in the 2004 Election. Borotsik returned to politics in 2007, he won the provincial election, serving as the Progressive Conservative MLA for Brandon West from 2007 to 2011.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a heatshot of Mayor Rick Borotsik

Notes: History/bio information obtained from CBC News (15 Dec 2010)

"Longtime politician Borotsik calls it quits" accessed 08 Dec 2015 at http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/manitoba/longtime-politician-borotsik-

calls-it-quits-1.911809

Name Access: Rick Borotsik

Subject Access: portraits

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

Related Material: Two files (Files 186 and 186b) on Mayor Borotsik are located in the W.

Leland Clark fonds (29-2007, 16-2009)

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #2; in Canada Wide Magazines Ltd. envelope post marked 03 November 1990

Images





Frederick Gallagher McGuinness graduation portrait

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13980

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: Campbell's Winnipeg

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.51
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1917]

Physical Description: 5" x 7.75" (b/w)

Material Details: behind matting

History / Biographical:

Frederick Gallagher McGUINNESS (b. 1891 – d. 23 May 1968) was born in Ottawa, Ontario. While in Brandon, he was a student (1911) and secretary of Boys' Work for the YMCA in 1913. He moved to Winnipeg where he graduated from the Manitoba Medical College in 1917. On 3 December 1917, Lieutenant F.G. McGuinness enlisted with the Canadian Army Medical Corps in Winnipeg. He served in France with the Royal Army Medical Corps and was a Medical Officer attached with the Ninth Royal Irish Fusiliers. Lt. McGuiness survived the war and returned to Winnipeg where he married Myrtle Eva White in Winnipeg on 12 September 1922. They would have a son Jim "Jimmy" and a daughter Elizabeth (Shannon). Dr. McGuinness practiced in Obstetrics and Gynecology and taught at the University of Manitoba's Medical School from 1923 onwards. He was instrumental in helping his nephew, Frederick George McGuinness return to school after he was injured in the Second World War. Dr. McGuinness died in Winnipeg at the Deer Lodge Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a graduation portrait of Frederick Gallagher McGuinness in his university robes, likely from the University of Manitoba's medical school.

Notes: Writing on back photograph reads: Brandon, Great Granma Gilmour,

(Granma Chalmers' mother), (Kate Harden's Grandmother), came from

Scotland to Brandon, spring of 1882

Name Access: Frederick Gallagher McGuinness

Subject Access: portraits

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

Related Material: See McG 9 1-2015.1

Arrangement:

From loose photos, funny trunk

Images





Edward and Kate Harden

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13982

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Printed by: Crawford's Drug Store, Brandon

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.53

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1923-1961]

Physical Description: 7" x 9" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Adhesive residue remains on back of photograph

History / Biographical:

Catherine "Kate" Harden (nee Chalmers) (b. 24 May 1890, Brandon; d. 22 Sep 1975, Kenora) was the daughter of Ed and Agnes Chalmers, early residents of Brandon, Manitoba (c. 1882). Kate worked as a cashier at Nation & Shewin's from 1913-1914 before marrying Edward Harden (b. 26 Jan 1886, Hawkhurst, Kent, England; d. 10 April 1962, Brandon) on 03 December 1914. At the time, Harden worked as a driver with the Brandon Fire Department. The couple had two daughters, Edith and Agnes. (sources: Manitoba Vital Statistics database and Henderson's Brandon City Directories)

Custodial History:

Photograph was given to Fred McGuinness by Linda Bilkoski of Lac du Bonnet, MB.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows two men and two women standing outdoors on a carpet. Kate Harden (nee Chalmers) stands on the right, her husband Edward "Ted" Harden stands second from the left.

Notes: Writing on back photograph reads: ?, Ted Harden, ?, Kate Harden.

Photograph is stamped Crawford's Drug Store, Brandon, Man. [Date

range determined from drug store period.]

Name Access: Edward Harden

Kate Harden

Subject Access: portraits

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

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 27

Images

