

S. J. McKee Archives



Audrey Silvius collection

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Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection
Accession Number: 21-2000

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1959-1988; predominant 1963-1974

Physical Description: 19 cm textual records; 4 photographs; 1 drawing

History / Biographical:

Born on February 10, 1924, in Elgin, Manitoba, Audrey Ellen Silvius (nee Honeyman) was raised in Fairfax, Manitoba on the Honeyman homestead. In 1964, she received her Indian name, Blue Star. Silvius completed her high school education in Fairfax before moving to Winnipeg in 1943, to earn her Nursing degree from Grace Hospital. She later completed her post-graduate degree in Psychiatric Nursing at the Brandon Mental Health Centre. Married to Merritt W. Silvius, Audrey Silvius raised four children, David, Kay, Lorna (Downie) and Gail (Campos) while working in her chosen field. In addition to her family and her career, she was also involved with the Brandon Council of Women and the United Church in Brandon. Silvius was the first executive director of the Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre, a founding member of the local branches of the Marquis Project and Amnesty International and initiated a project called Tools for Peace. She was also involved in various other peace and human rights organizations. In 1987, she received the Order of the Buffalo Hunt from the Province of Manitoba in recognition of her work relating to women's issues. In 1992, she was awarded a Confederation medal for community service.

Custodial History:

The records found within the collection were collected by Audrey Silvius from a number of people, including Jean Halliday, Grace Godmaire and Norma Walmsley, involved in various projects with her throughout the years. Prior to their donation to the McKee Archives at Brandon University in October and November 2000, the records were stored at Mrs. Silvius' home.

Scope and Content:

Collection consists of meeting minutes, agendas, speeches, correspondence, newsletters, brochures, written publications and newspaper clippings. Four photographs and one pencil drawing are also included within the collection.

The records deal with the creation, activities, and history of the Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre, as well as the activities of its Board of Directors. In addition, materials located within the collection can be divided into two areas: (1) those that relate to various organizations associated with the Friendship Centre itself, such as the Council of Christians and Jews and the Brandon Council of Women; (2) materials related to projects of important individuals involved with the Friendship Centre, such as the South Western Manitoba Recreation Council and the 4F Club of Minnedosa. Other records deal with general aboriginal issues in Canada during the time frame of the Audrey Silvius collection.

Notes: CAIN No. 202607. Description by Christy Henry (2000).

Subject Access: Council of Christians and Jews

Brandon Council of Women

4F Club

Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre

cross cultural relations

Aboriginal issues

community development

Storage Location: 2000 accessions Storage Range: 2000 accessions

Arrangement:

The collection is divided into ten (10) series:

- 1. The Brandon Indian-Metis Friendship Centre
- 2. The Scout Friendship Centre newsletter
- 3. The Brandon Council of Women
- 4. Council of Christians and Jews
- 5. Aboriginal Glee Club/Dancers
- 6. The South Western Manitoba Recreation Council
- 7. 4F Club of Minnedosa
- 8. Miscellaneous Publications related to Aboriginal Issues
- 9. Miscellaneous Newspaper Clippings related to Aboriginal Issues
- 10. Photographs and pencil drawing



The approach to Shakespeare

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Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection

Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection

Creator: Shakespeare, William, 1564-1616

Shakespeare, William, 1564-1616. Paraphrases, tales, etc

Lang, Leonora Blanche, comp Lamb, Charles, 1775-1834 Lamb, Mary Ann, 1764-1847

Description Level: Item

Item Number: PR 2877.L3

Archives 11-999-4-110

Item Number Range: PR 2877.L3

Archives 11-999-4-110

Standard number: System Control Number 87072429

Responsibility: [containing an introd. by Mrs. Andrew Lang and selections from the plays

and Lamb's Tales]

Start Date: 1925 Date Range: 1925

Publication: London; Edinburgh: Thomas Nelson and Sons Ltd

Physical Description: 256 p.:ill.;16 cm Subject Access: Shakespeare

William

1564-1616

Storage Location: Box 4 - Plays (Archives copy)
Storage Range: Box 4 - Plays (Archives copy)



Revolt in the West: the story of the Riel Rebellion

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections905

Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection

Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection

Creator: McCourt, Edward A., 1907

Description Level: Item

Item Number: Archives 11-999-10-274
Item Number Range: Archives 11-999-10-274

Standard number: System Control Number (OCoLC)05532441
Responsibility: by Edward McCourt; illus. by Jack Ferguson

Start Date: 1958 Date Range: 1958

Publication: Toronto : Macmillan

Publisher Series: Great stories of Canada; 17

Physical Description: 159 p. : ill. ; 22 cm Subject Access: Riel Rebellion

1885 Juvenile literature

Northwest

Canadian History Juvenile literature

Storage Location: Box 10 - Stories
Storage Range: Box 10 - Stories



Medi©Œval and modern history

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections1043

Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection

Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection

Creator: Myers, Philip Van Ness, 1846-1937

Description Level: Item

Item Number:Archives 11-999-15-410Item Number Range:Archives 11-999-15-410Responsibility:by Philp Van Ness Myers

Start Date: 1885 Date Range: 1885

Publication: Boston; New York: Ginn and company

Physical Description: xvi, 751 p.: front., illus., plates, maps; 20 cm

Subject Access: Middle ages History

history Modern World War 1914-1918

Storage Location: Box 15 - History
Storage Range: Box 15 - History