

# S. J. McKee Archives



## Ab Gowanlock of Dauphin

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14170

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 1-2015.239
Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [c.1984]

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: A typed label has been taped to the back of the photograph. Back of

photograph has yellowed. No other degredation observed. ST/2016

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from the Winnipeg Free Press Photo Department

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a platform party in front of the Westman Centennial Auditorium. At the microphone is Mayor Ken Burgess. Seated on the mayor's left is Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, to his right Lorne Watson. The party may have been assembled for the founding of the Brandon University School of Music's Queen Elizabeth II building.

Notes: Photograph was collected during the research phase of the monograph

"Manitoba: The Province & The People" (1987) written by Fred

McGuinness and Ken Coates.

Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Ab Gowanlock 85 years old of Dauphin, two-time winner of the Brier (once in 1938 at Toronto and once in Sudbury in 1953) at the wheel of a Rumley Oil Pull tractor during the Thursday afternoon parade of steam and oil and gas tractors. Mr. Gowanlock is not a newcomer to threshing as he was involved with it on a regular basis from 1916 to 1947. dirk...shot directly into sun and was hard

to print...

Name Access: Ab Gowanlock

Subject Access: Tractors

parades

Repro Restriction: Photograph may be subject to Canadian Copy Right Laws.

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

Arrangement:

McG 5.4 File 2

#### **Images**





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13836

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.147Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1923

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

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by G. Baldock in 1971

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of Aboriginal peoples sitting near a fair building. Several members are dressed in regalia.

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: 6 prints [20-2009.145 to 20-

2009.150]. Indians at the Brandon Fair. Camping off 18th St. back of fair

grounds. 1923

Name Access: Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

Brandon Summer Fair

Subject Access: fairs

summer fair

tipis

wagons children

First Nations

Aboriginals

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

Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

#### **Images**





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13837

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.148Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1923

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

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by G. Baldock in 1971

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of Aboriginal peoples standing in a circle surrounding a group in traditional regalia. An American flag is visible in the foreground.

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: 6 prints [20-2009.145 to 20-

2009.150]. Indians at the Brandon Fair. Camping off 18th St. back of fair

grounds. 1923

Name Access: Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

Brandon Summer Fair

Subject Access: fairs

summer fair

tipis

wagons children

First Nations Aboriginals

Storage Location:

RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

#### **Images**





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13838

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.149Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1923

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

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by G. Baldock in 1971

Scope and Content:

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An American flag is visible in the background

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: 6 prints [20-2009.145 to 20-

2009.150]. Indians at the Brandon Fair. Camping off 18th St. back of fair

grounds. 1923

Name Access: Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

Brandon Summer Fair

Subject Access: fairs

summer fair

tipis

wagons children

First Nations

Aboriginals

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

Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

#### **Images**





http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13839

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.150Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1923

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

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by G. Baldock in 1971

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the backside of a pair of Aboriginal men dressed in traditional regalia. Both are wearing beaded clothing and one is wearing a deer head headdress. An American flag is visible in the background

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: 6 prints [20-2009.145 to 20-

2009.150]. Indians at the Brandon Fair. Camping off 18th St. back of fair

grounds. 1923

Name Access: Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

Brandon Summer Fair

Subject Access: fairs

summer fair

tipis wagons

children First Nations

Aboriginals

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

Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

### **Images**





### Aboriginals camping at the Brandon Fair

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13834

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.145Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1923

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

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by G. Baldock in 1971

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Aboriginal camp site at the Brandon Fair. Pictured are wagon carts, tipis, and canvas tents.

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: 6 prints [20-2009.145 to 20-

2009.150]. Indians at the Brandon Fair. Camping off 18th St. back of fair

grounds. 1923

Name Access: Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

Brandon Summer Fair

Subject Access: fairs

summer fair

tipis wagons

First Nations

Aboriginals

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

Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

#### **Images**





### Aboriginals camping at the Brandon Fair

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13835

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.146Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1923

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

Material Details: reproduction

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by G. Baldock in 1971

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Aboriginal camp site at the Brandon Fair. Pictured are wagon carts and canvas tents. Two children can be seen sitting in a wagon.

Notes: Writing on back of photograph reads: 6 prints [20-2009.145 to 20-

2009.150]. Indians at the Brandon Fair. Camping off 18th St. back of fair

grounds. 1923

Name Access: Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba

Brandon Summer Fair

Subject Access: fairs

summer fair

tipis wagons

children

First Nations Aboriginals

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

Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

#### **Images**





### Austin Threshermen's Reunion

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14172

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:1-2015.241Accession Number:1-2015GMD:graphicDate Range:1985

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Emulsive side of image has residue and mock-up lines. A typed label has

been taped to the back of the photograph. Back of photograph has

yellowed. No other degredation observed. ST/2016

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from the Winnipeg Free Press Photo Department

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a steam tractor on display at the Austin, Manitoba's Threshermen's Reunion.

Notes: Photograph was collected during the research phase of the monograph

"Manitoba: The Province & The People" (1987) written by Fred

McGuinness and Ken Coates.

Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Kevin Milne and Makinak and Gordon Down of Winnipeg chugging up a storm at Austin Thursday.

Dirk Aberson for Greg McComb. 1985

Name Access: Manitoba Threshermen's Reunion & Stampede

Subject Access: Tractors

parades

Repro Restriction: Photograph may be subject to Canadian Copy Right Laws.

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

Arrangement:

McG 5.4 File 2

#### **Images**





### Austin Threshermen's Reunion

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14173

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:1-2015.242Accession Number:1-2015GMD:graphicDate Range:1979

Physical Description: 10" x 8" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Emulsive side of image has mock-up lines.

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from the Winnipeg Free Press Photo Department

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows historic tractors on display at the Austin, Manitoba's Threshermen's Reunion. The tractors are parading on an outdoor track before a packed grandstand.

Notes: Photograph was collected during the research phase of the monograph

"Manitoba: The Province & The People" (1987) written by Fred

McGuinness and Ken Coates.

Writing on the front of the photograph reads: Austin Parade Thursday,

July 27/79

Name Access: Manitoba Threshermen's Reunion & Stampede

Subject Access: Tractors

parades

Repro Restriction: Photograph may be subject to Canadian Copy Right Laws.

Storage Location:

RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

McG 5.4 File 2

#### **Images**



### Austin Threshermen's Reunion

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14174



Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:1-2015.243Accession Number:1-2015GMD:graphic

Date Range: 1982

Physical Description: 8" x 10" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Emulsive side of image has mock-up lines.

Custodial History:

Photograph sent to Fred McGuinness from the Winnipeg Free Press Photo Department

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a small steam engine to which a tug of rope is affixed. Seven young boys are pulling counter to the engine as an engine operator makes adjustment. Bemused spectators look on.

Notes: Photograph was collected during the research phase of the monograph

"Manitoba: The Province & The People" (1987) written by Fred

McGuinness and Ken Coates.

Writing on the label filed with the photograph reads: A miniature case steam engine gets an unexpected load as a group of boys try to haul it to

a stop during the Thursday afternoon parade. dirk. 19/82

Name Access: Manitoba Threshermen's Reunion & Stampede

Subject Access: Tractors

parades

entertainment

Repro Restriction: Photograph may be subject to Canadian Copy Right Laws.

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

Arrangement:

McG 5.4 File 2

#### **Images**





### Brandon Implements - tractor repair

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11395

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Item Number: 11-2010.B61b

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:

Image shows a Massey Harris tractor under repair in the shop at Brandon Implements.

Name Access: CKX Television

**Brandon Implements** 

Subject Access: Tractors

farm implements

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

### **Images**





### Brandon Implements - tractor repair

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11396

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Item Number: 11-2010.B61c

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:

Image shows a tractor being repaired in the shop at Brandon Implements.

Name Access: CKX Television

Brandon Implements

Subject Access: Tractors

farm implements

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

### **Images**





### Brandon Implements - tractor repair

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11397

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Item Number: 11-2010.B61d

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:

Image shows a tractor being repaired in the shop at Brandon Implements.

Name Access: CKX Television

Brandon Implements

Subject Access: Tractors

farm implements

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

### **Images**



Image Not Available

(Copyright Restrictions)

# Christmas Tree Farm negative set 3, frames 1A to 13A

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14190

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.259

Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1980s]

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

Material Details: negatives

History / Biographical:

Fred McGuinness is popularly known for his work as the prairie essayist for CBC Radio's Morningside with Peter Gzowski, a position he held for 17 years. Many of McGuinness' Morningside essays were autobiographical in nature. He often reported about life on Christmas Tree Farm, a section of land where he and his wife, Christine, built their dream home in the late 1970s. The couple planted a Christmas tree farm on the property and Christine maintained an extensive kitchen garden, while Fred tended honey bees. Life on the farm made its way into radiobroadcasts, Neighborly News columns, and the book "Letters from Section 17: A Collection of Morningside Essays" (Winnipeg: Great Plains Publishing, 1999).

Scope and Content:

Set consists of 13 negatives showing work being conducted on the McGuinness property, Christmas Tree Farm, Section 17. The first 12 negatives show the McGuinness family planting with their tractor and the last negative shows a woman working on a swimming pool liner.

Notes: McGuinness drafted a manuscript, titled "Hole in the Ground," about the

family pool on Section 17. It was one manuscript McGuinness was re-

tooling before he passed away in 2011.

Name Access: Section 17

Christmas Tree Farm

Subject Access: Horticulture

farming

Tractors

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

Arrangement: Cigar boxes

#### **Images**

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### Farm tractor production costs: a study in economies of scale

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections70

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Creator: Canada. Royal Commission on Farm Machinery

MacDonald, Neil B

Description Level: Item

Item Number: \$ 760.C2R6 no.2
Item Number Range: \$ 760.C2R6 no.2

Standard number: System Control Number 87104952

Responsibility: Neil B. MacDonald ... [ et al.]

Start Date: 1969 Date Range: 1969

Publication: Ottawa: Royal Commission on Farm Machinery

Physical Description: xxx, 286 p.: ill.; 25 cm

Subject Access: Agricultural machinery industry Canada

Tractors

Storage Location: Box 18 - Royal Commissions & Manitoba II
Storage Range: Box 18 - Royal Commissions & Manitoba II



### George White Steam Tractor

### http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9690

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1H24

Accession Number: 1-2002
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [ca. 1960]
Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"
Material Details: Negative

History / Biographical:

George White's No. 2 plant was located in Brandon, north of the CPR tracks about 15th Street. These steam engines were assembled here, but the actual extent of manufacture is not known. LAS.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

George White steam traction engine

Notes: Photo taken in Killarney, Manitoba

Sign on smoke box door (front end) reads: George White & Sons;

London and Brandon; First Quality Line

Name Access: George White Steam Tractor

Subject Access: machinery

agricultural machinery

Tractors

Brandon Industries

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

#### **Images**





### H.E. Wright Farm Equipment

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions 12878

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item

Series Number: W

Item Number: 11-2010.W3b

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:

lmage of a tractor.

Name Access: CKX

H.E. Wright Farm Equipment

Federal Grain Limited

Subject Access: building exteriors

Grain elevators

Agriculture

Tractors

winter

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

#### **Images**





### H.E. Wright Farm Equipment

Item

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12879

Part Of: CKX fonds Creator: CKX

Description Level: Series Number: W

Item Number: 11-2010.W3a

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: after 1954

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

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of a tractor.

Name Access: CKX

H.E. Wright Farm Equipment

Federal Grain Limited

Subject Access: building exteriors

Grain elevators

Agriculture

Tractors

cars

businesses

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

### **Images**



## Mrs. Osmond (of Harding, MB) with dog and tractor

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14165

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection Creator: Photographer: Burton Strange



Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.234
Accession Number: 1-2015

GMD: graphic Date Range: 1974

Physical Description: 3.25" x 4.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is stained

History /
Biographical:

Mrs. Hilda Rosa Osmond (nee Bridgeman) was born in Hampshire, England in 1888 to parents Edwin Samuel Bridgeman (b.16 Jul 1852; d. 19 June 1922, Brandon) and Rosa Holkham (b. 26 Mar 1859; d. 27 May 1927, Brandon). Edwin was a sailor and Rosa was a dressmaker.

Following the death of her brother Edwin Frederick Bridgeman (1886-1890), the family immigrated to Canada in 1891. The Bridgeman's took the train to Griswold, Manitoba, and settled near Edwin's brother, Albert Bridgeman, and together they farmed the N 1/2 of 36-12-23. The Bridgeman's had three more children, Ellen Grace (b. 27 Jan 1893; d. 22 Feb 1893), Harry Volantine/Valentine (b. 14 Feb 1894), and Charlie Cuthbert (b. 03 Aug 1896; d. 25 Aug 1901). Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bridgeman retired in 1913 and moved to Brandon where they lived until their respective deaths. The couple are interred in the Brandon Municipal Cemetery.

Hilda married William Arthur Osmond (b. 1867; d. 26 Oct 1943) of Baisingstoke, England, on 31 Jan 1913. They had a daughter Nellie who later married Glen Mossey. The family continued to farm the property on section 36.

Hilda Rosa Osmond passed away in 1980 at the age of 91. She is interred in the Greenwood Cemetery near Harding, Manitoba, where her husband and siblings also rest.

(Sources: England, Births and Christenings, 1538-1975. Salt Lake City, Utah: FamilySearch, 2013 [online]; Findagrave.com; Harding History Committee, Home to Harding 1879-1981 (Brandon: Leech Printing, 1981; Manitoba Vital Statistics Database)

Custodial History:

Photograph given to Fred McGuinness by Burton Strange of Kenton, 25 Nov 1974 Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Mrs. Osmond and her dog in front of her tractor that she purchased in 1947.

Notes: Label accompanying photograph reads: Mrs. Osmond tractor & dog

Name Access: Hilda Rosa Osmond

Hilda Osmond

Harding, Manitoba

Subject Access: dogs

Tractors farming Pioneers

Storage Location:

RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 49

### **Images**





### Mrs. Osmond on her tractor

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14167

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: Burton Strange

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 1-2015.236

Accession Number: 1-2015
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1974

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

Physical Condition: Photograph is stained

History / Biographical:

Mrs. Hilda Rosa Osmond (nee Bridgeman) was born in Hampshire, England in 1888 to parents Edwin Samuel Bridgeman (b.16 Jul 1852; d. 19 June 1922, Brandon) and Rosa Holkham (b. 26 Mar 1859; d. 27 May 1927, Brandon). Edwin was a sailor and Rosa was a dressmaker.

Following the death of her brother Edwin Frederick Bridgeman (1886-1890), the family immigrated to Canada in 1891. The Bridgeman's took the train to Griswold, Manitoba, and settled near Edwin's brother, Albert Bridgeman, and together they farmed the N 1/2 of 36-12-23. The Bridgeman's had three more children, Ellen Grace (b. 27 Jan 1893; d. 22 Feb 1893), Harry Volantine/Valentine (b. 14 Feb 1894), and Charlie Cuthbert (b. 03 Aug 1896; d. 25 Aug 1901). Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bridgeman retired in 1913 and moved to Brandon where they lived until their respective deaths. The couple are interred in the Brandon Municipal Cemetery.

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Custodial History:

Photograph given to Fred McGuinness by Burton Strange of Kenton, 25 Nov 1974 Scope and Content:

Photograph shows Mrs. Osmond and her dog in front of her tractor that she purchased in 1947.

Notes: Label accompanying photograph reads: Mrs. Osmond tractor & her 26

year old tractor

Name Access: Hilda Rosa Osmond

Hilda Osmond

Harding, Manitoba

Subject Access: Tractors

farming

Storage Location:

RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Arrangement:

McG 4.1 File 49

#### **Images**

