

S. J. McKee Archives



Buckskin Brigadier : the story of the Alberta Field Force

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Part Of:	MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection
Collection:	George E Thorman School Textbook Collection
Creator:	McCourt, Edward, 1907
Description Level:	ltem
Item Number:	Archives 11-999-10-273
Item Number Range:	Archives 11-999-10-273
Responsibility:	by Edward McCourt ; illustrated by Vernon Mould
Start Date:	1955
Date Range:	1955
Publication:	Toronto : Macmillan
Publisher Series:	Great stories of Canada
Physical Description:	150 p. : ill. ; 22 cm
Name Access:	Strange
	T. Bland
	(Thomas Bland)
	1831-1925
Subject Access:	Riel Rebellion
	1885
	Children's literature
	Canadian
	Cree Indians Wars
Storage Location:	Box 10 - Stories
Storage Range:	Box 10 - Stories



Dorothy Cox collection

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Part Of:	RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection	
Description Level:	Collection	
Accession Number:	11-2012	
GMD:	multiple media	
Date Range:	1878-1970	
Physical Description:	17 cm textual records	
	4 color photographs	

Physical Condition:

Cover of Young School minute book is moderately damaged, but pages are in good condition with only minor water damage and a few ripped pages.

History /

Biographical:

Dorothy Cox (nee Frost) moved from Elm Creek to Justice in 1946 to work as a schoolteacher. In 1948, she married Laval Cox and together they had four children: Larry, Herd, Rosalie and Heather.

In 1949, Dorothy and Laval purchased Gibb Gillespie's PSV business and began hauling grain, cattle and agricultural equipment. Dorothy went back to teaching in 1959, first at Justice and then Elton Collegiate. After retiring from teaching in 1978, Dorothy started a greenhouse, which operated for 21 years.

All six members of the Cox family were active in community events and organizations. Dorothy was involved in establishing the baby band in 1951; her sons Larry and Herb were members. Along with Laval, Dorothy was a leader of the Cubs in 1955-1956 and again in 1958-1959. Laval was the leader of the local hockey club in 1958, and of a bible study group in 1960. Larry, Herb and Rosalie were avid skaters in 1960-64. Heather and Rosalie were enrolled in senior grades of Sunday school in 1970.

Custodial History:

Records were collected by Dorothy Cox, a resident of Justice, over a number of years. She donated them to the McKee Archives on April 4, 2012.

Scope and Content:

Collection consists of records related to the history of the Justice district. It includes a history of the Justice Church (1910-1970); minute and expense books for the Justice Hockey Club (1949-1966); a minute and expense book for Young Protestant School (1884-1898); a copy of the Justice 100th Anniversary community history (2009); and four color photographs of Justice Church.

Notes:	History/Bio information taken from the content of the collection. Description by James Heaman (2012).
Name Access:	Justice, MB
Subject Access:	churches
	local histories
	Hockey
Repro Restriction:	Church photos taken in 1970 are subject to Canadian copyright restrictions, which researchers are required to comply with.
Related Material:	Lawrence Stuckey fonds 1-2002 (photographs of Justice school, church, elevator and houses)



Gerry Beaubier collection

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 Part Of:
 RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

 Description Level:
 Collection

Accession Number:	11-2013
GMD:	electronic records
Date Range:	1916-1917
Physical Description:	35 digital photographs
Material Details:	JPEGs
History /	

Biographical:

Gerry Beaubier was born in Wainwright, Alberta to Beatty and Babe Beaubier. He completed his high school in Saskatoon, before receiving a BSc in Geography from Brandon University.

Before attending university Gerry served in the army as a special reserve, while working as a night clerk at the Bessbourough Hotel in Saskatoon. His post-graduate career consisted primarily of work for Canada Agriculture, under the PFRA Branch (Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration). Later he would work as an Executive Manager, helping develop forage and range management programs for several post secondary schools, including, Assiniboine Community College, as well as schools in Red Deer, Lethbridge, and Saskatoon.

Gerry Beaubier married Joyce Abercrombie, of Saskatoon. Together they had two sons: Neil and Dean. Neil, an Account Advisor for the Royal Bank, was born in Regina, and currently works in Swift Current. Dean was born in Swift Current, received his PhD in Education and currently lives in Forrest working at Elton Collegiate.

The Beaubiers, who were originally from Ireland, emigrated to the Canadian West, making Gerry part of the fourth generation of his family to call the region home. His great-grandfather, along with his grandfather and great uncle were amongst the first one hundred settlers in Brandon. Together they first built the Beaubier House, a boarding house for early settlers and travellers. After it burnt down they began construction on the Beaubier Hotel, which stood at the corner of 8th Street and Princess Avenue in Brandon until August 17th, 2008. His grandfather, David Wilson Beaubier, continued to build and operate hotels throughout the prairies, including the Empire Hotels (of Brandon and Saskatoon) and The Park (Moose Jaw).

David Wilson Beaubier served as a secretary of the Orange Lodge of Manitoba. As an Orange Lodge Colonel, he worked with other Orange Lodge members, to recruit throughout the prairies for the purpose of World War One. For his efforts, David was promoted to Leftenant Colonel, and later Captain of the 99th Manitoba Rangers. David's sons (Gerry's father, at University of Manitoba, and uncle at McGill), were both working towards undergraduate degrees when war broke out in 1914, and each would leave school to join their father at Camp Hughes.

Custodial History:

Gerry Beaubier collected these photos primarily in the years 2000-2011, largely from family and friends who knew of his interest in the topic. They were donated to the S.J. Mckee Archives in 2011.

Scope and Content:

Collection consists of digital photographs of those who trained for battle in World War I at Camp Hughes and in Brandon, Manitoba. It also includes a digital copy of the cover of the Nominal Roll of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, who departed from Brandon in 1917.

The photos, taken primarily at Camp Hughes, are of a number of battalions, including the 34th, 100th, 108th, 181st and 214th. The photo, PT in England, is a postcard sent home from Beaty Beaubier. The Massey Harris building seen on the right side of, WW1 B parade0001, was used to house troops throughout the war. The man standing alone at the front of the parade in, 181 Parade, is David Wilson Beaubier.

Notes:	Information for the biographical and custodial histories was provided by Gerry Beaubier on September 25, 2013. Description by Dustin Lane (October 2013).
Name Access:	Gerald Beaubier
	Gerry Beaubier
	Beaubier family
	Camp Hughes
	Brandon, MB
	Lieut. D. Slemin
	Capt. C. Smith
	Capt. J. Strong
	Capt. Ridgeway
	Lieut. W. Smith
	Lieut. T. Williams
	Lieut. H. Craig
	Capt. S.R. Wallace
	Lieut. D.H. Beaubier
	David Wilson Beaubier
	Capt. E.L. Abbott
	Major E.R.C. Wilcox
	Major N.F. McCahey
	LtCol. Sutherland
	LtCol. Foster
	Major Lawless
	Major Collier
	Capt. J.D. Young
	Capt. A.E. Vanderpump
	Capt. J.E. West
	Capt. Munro
	Lieut. Watson
	Lieut. Johnstone
	Lieut. McIntosh
	Lieut. Cherry
	Lieut. Bryan
	Lieut. J.L. Evans
	Lieut. J. Kavanaugh
	Lieut. I. Vipond
	Capt. Rutherford
	Lieut. Cluff
	Capt. Maples
	Lieut. Lane
	Lieut. E.C. Whitehead
	Lieut. R. Carleton
	Lieut. B.F. Beaubier
	Fincher

Lieut. Beaver

Lieut. McCool Lieut. A.P. Milk Lieut. Joseph Hardy Lieut. K. Spencer Lieut. J. Faulkner Lieut. F. Keall 181st Battalion 181st Brandon Overseas Battalion Band A. Gov. Lines 108th No. 13 Platoon 108th Battalion 184th Battalion 34th Fort Garry 100th Battalion 214th Battalion 108th Signallers Stretcher Bearer Section 108th Machine Gun Section 108th Battalion 181st Brandon Overseas Battalion Subject Access: armed forces military personnel barracks public ceremonies downtown historic sites railroads military services parades regional parks passenger trains Veterans railway stations train stations restaurants food services war World War I World War One First World War The Great War Storage Location: T: drive/shared 02/web photos