

S. J. McKee Archives



Albert Edward McKenzie

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4301>

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MG 1 1.7

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1940?-1960?

Physical Description: 39 cm textual records
4 photographs

History /

Biographical:

A.E. McKenzie was born in Wilcox Lake, York County, Ontario in 1870 to F.B. and Maria (Carley) McKenzie. His family came to Manitoba in 1883. He was educated in Brandon, Manitoba and graduated from the Collegiate Institute at age 21. In 1897 he founded the Brandon Seed House. McKenzie was present at the cornerstone-laying ceremony of Brandon College on July 13, 1900. From that moment on, he was very involved in the College, first as an interested businessman, and later as a member of its Board of Directors. In 1902, McKenzie married Laura Bell in Port Arthur. They had two daughters, Marjorie Bell and Kathleen. In 1906 the Brandon Seed House was incorporated and from then on was known as the "A.E. McKenzie Co. Ltd.."

McKenzie became a member of the Brandon College Endowment Committee in 1918. The following year he was on the Finance Committee. By 1925, McKenzie was a member of the Board of Directors. In 1928, he was part of a syndicate that advised the Baptist Union that they were developing an endowment plan to provide continuing financial support to the College and talked the Union into providing \$10 000 towards the accumulated deficit.

In 1931, McKenzie organized the Brandon Board of Trade to help save Brandon College when the Baptists said they could no longer afford to keep the College. After the By-law failed, he helped to organize the Brandon Citizen's Campaign to raise enough money so that the College could open the following year.

When the Baptists withdrew support in 1938, McKenzie was one of the central figures on the Brandon Board of Trade that decided to save the College from closure. A representative delegation from Southwestern Manitoba of over 60 men descended upon Premier Bracken's office to try and convince him to help the College. On June 12, 1938 McKenzie said he would set up a \$100 000 endowment to Brandon College. He subsequently raised this amount to \$300 000. On August 1, 1938 the Board of Trade launched a campaign to raise \$15 000 to match what the government was prepared to offer the College. McKenzie was asked to provide Brandon College with \$3000 personally. In September of 1938, McKenzie upped his endowment once more to \$500 000. The fund raising worked however, and the charter establishing Brandon College Incorporated was assented to on April 17, 1939. On June 6, 1939 a by-law was again presented to the citizens of Brandon, and fortunately it passed.

In 1941, McKenzie received an honorary L.L.D. from the University of Manitoba. The A.E. McKenzie Foundation was created in 1945 by the provincial government, who had assumed 90% of the A.E. McKenzie Co. Ltd. stock.

On September 25, 1964 McKenzie died at the age of 94. He never retired, but worked full time until two weeks before his death. The funeral was held in the J.R.C. Evans Lecture Theatre. The Arts and Library Building at Brandon College was completed in 1960, and is known as the A.E. McKenzie building, in honour of the man who contributed so much time, effort and financial help to the College during a crucial period in its history.

Custodial History:

Records were accessioned by the McKee Archives in 1998. Prior custodial history is unknown.

Scope and Content:

A.E. McKenzie's records in the Brandon College fonds are very useful from an administrative point of view. Because McKenzie was so involved in Brandon College from the very beginning until his death in 1964, it is easy to understand how the College Administration arrived at decisions. There is correspondence between McKenzie and various regarding College and Board of Director business. There are Brandon College financial statements and letters regarding the A.E. McKenzie Foundation. The records contain newspaper clippings, pamphlets and lists of names of members of various Brandon organizations. As well, McKenzie has letters regarding Building Expansion in the 1940's and minutes of Board of Director meetings. There are also several photographs. One photograph is the 1919 graduation picture of Zoe Hough. Another is tentatively identified as Frances Wolverton, also of the Class of 1919. There are two more photographs of unidentified young women.

Name Access:	A.E. McKenzie A.E. McKenzie Foundation Brandon College Zoe Hough Frances Wolverton
Subject Access:	Class of 1919 administration board of directors building expansion
Storage Location:	MG 1 Brandon College Teaching and Administration 1.7 Albert Edward McKenzie
Related Material:	RG 3 A.E. McKenzie Seeds Co. Ltd. fonds



Anglo

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11076>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.A26m
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 of the exterior of an Anglo building, with Christmas decorations on the front lawn.

Name Access: CKX
Anglo
Subject Access: television broadcasting
commercial buildings
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Bamboo Garden (Neepawa) - exterior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11267>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B10a
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954
Physical Description: 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image shows the exterior of the Bamboo Garden restaurant in Neepawa.

Name Access: CKX
Bamboo Garden
Neepawa, Manitoba
Wickett's Pharmacy
Victory Block
Subject Access: restaurants
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Bamboo Garden (Neepawa) - exterior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11272>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B10d
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954
Physical Description: 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image shows the exterior of the Bamboo Garden restaurant in Neepawa.

Name Access: CKX
Bamboo Garden
Neepawa, Manitoba
Wickett's Pharmacy
Victory Block
Bank of Montreal
Subject Access: restaurants
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barker Drugs (Birtle) - exterior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11304>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B14a
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the exterior of Barker Drugs in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barker Drugs
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: drug stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barker Drugs (Birtle) - interior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11305>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B14b
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the interior of Barker Drugs in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barker Drugs
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: drug stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barker Drugs (Birtle) - interior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11308>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B14d
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the interior of Barker Drugs in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barker Drugs
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: drug stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barker Drugs (Birtle) - interior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11309>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B14e
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the interior of Barker Drugs in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barker Drugs
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: drug stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barker Drugs (Birtle) - precriptions counter

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11307>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B14c
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the prescriptions counter in Barker Drugs in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barker Drugs
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: drug stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barkers Men's Wear (Birtle) - exterior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11310>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B15a
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
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 of the exterior of Barkers Men's Wear in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barkers Men's Wear
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: clothing stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barkers Men's Wear (Birtle) - interior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11311>

Part Of: CKX fonds
 Creator: CKX
 Description Level: Item
 Item Number: 11-2010.B15b(1) and (2)
 Accession Number: 11-2010
 GMD: graphic
 Date Range: September 1963
 Physical Description: 2 negatives - each 2.5"x 2.25" (b/w)
 Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Images of the interior of Barkers Men's Wear in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
 Barkers Men's Wear
 Birtle, Manitoba
 Subject Access: clothing stores
 Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barkers Men's Wear (Birtle) - interior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11312>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B15c
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.25"x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the interior of Barkers Men's Wear in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barkers Men's Wear
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: clothing stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barkers Men's Wear (Birtle) - interior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11313>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B15d
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.25"x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the interior of Barkers Men's Wear in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barkers Men's Wear
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: clothing stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barkers Men's Wear (Birtle) - interior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11314>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B15e
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: September 1963
Physical Description: 2.25"x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the interior of Barkers Men's Wear in Birtle.

Name Access: CKX
Barkers Men's Wear
Birtle, Manitoba
Subject Access: clothing stores
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images



Barney's Drive Inn - Ranch House exterior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11273>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B11a(1) and (2)



Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954
Physical Description: 2 negatives - each 2.25" x 2.25" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Images show the exterior of the Ranch House restaurant at Barney's Drive Inn.

Name Access: CKX
Barney's Drive Inn
Ranch House
Northill
North Hill
Subject Access: restaurants
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Barr-Repka Ltd.

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11569>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B108a
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: 1969
Physical Description: 1.5" x 1" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the exterior of Barr-Repka Ltd.

Name Access: CKX
Barr-Repka Ltd.
Subject Access: contractors
trades
Buildings
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





B.C. tree fruit - apples on air

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11283>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B21s
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 consists of a table displaying a box of B.C. apples and a metal lunch box, with a broadcaster leaning on the table. In front of the broadcaster is a CKX-TV television camera, and behind him is a weather map.

Name Access: CKX
B.C. Fruit Growers
Subject Access: displays
advertising
commercials
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





B.C. tree fruit - apricots on air

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11284>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B21t
Accession Number: 11-2010
GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954
Physical Description: 4.75" x 4" (b/w)
Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image consists of a table displaying a box of B.C. apricots and some jars of canned apricots, with a broadcaster standing beside the table. Behind the broadcaster is a weather map. A CKX-TV television camera man appears to be filming a commercial.

Name Access: CKX
B.C. Fruit Growers
Subject Access: displays
advertising
commercials
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





B.C. tree fruit - apricots on air

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11333>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B21u
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 consists of a table displaying a bowl of B.C. apricots, a canning kettle and some jars of canned apricots, with broadcaster Harold Robbins standing beside the table holding a jar of canned apricots. Behind the Robbins is a weather map.

Name Access: CKX
B.C. Fruit Growers
Subject Access: displays
advertising
commercials
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





B.C. tree fruit - Sun-Rype pie filling on air

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11341>

Part Of: CKX fonds
Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item
Item Number: 11-2010.B21w
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 consists of broadcaster Harold Robbins standing beside a display of various Sun-Rype pie fillings.

Name Access: CKX
B.C. Fruit Growers
Subject Access: displays
advertising
commercials
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images

