

# S. J. McKee Archives

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## 9th Street aerial view facing south, Brandon, Manitoba

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8419>

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection

Creator: Photographer: Jerrett Photo

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.1

Item Number: 3-1997.1.41

Accession Number: 3-1997

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1940

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Postcard shows an aerial view of 9th Street facing south in Brandon, Manitoba. Visible businesses and landmarks include: Beaubier Hotel, YMCA/police station, the original CKX Radio station towers on 8th Street (est. 1928 - moved 1940), the old City Hall, Prince Edward Hotel, and the original Manitoba Power commission smokestack on 10th Street.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph reads: Brandon, Man., Jerrett Photo. This photograph shows a rare view of the 800-block between Rosser and Princess Avenues.

Name Access: Beaubier Hotel  
City Hall  
CKX  
Prince Edward Hotel  
Manitoba Power Company

Subject Access: downtowns  
street scenes  
Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940  
aerial views  
building exteriors

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

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Aerial view of 10th Street facing south from Princess Avenue



<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8420>

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection  
Creator: Photographer: Jerrett Photo  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 3-1997.1  
Item Number: 3-1997.1.42  
Accession Number: 3-1997  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: c.1940  
Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: postcard  
Physical Condition: Red ink stain is on the front right corner of postcard  
Scope and Content:

Photograph shows 10th Street facing south from Princess Avenue. Visible landmarks and businesses include: Manitoba Power Commission (MPC)'s power sub-station, First Baptist Church, Wheat City Arena, and the grand stand at the Exhibition Grounds.

The partial sign visible at the bottom of the photograph on the east side of 10th Street reads Yates and Neale, which refers to a plumbing and heating company that dissolved in 1943 to be replaced by Neale, Stothard and Chapman.

Businesses on the west side of 10th Street include: Dominion Tire & Radio Co., Bolts Barber Shop, Elviss T.E. Co. Stables.

Notes: Information concerning Yates and Neale courtesy Jack Stothard. Writing on the front of the postcard reads: Brandon, Looking S.W., Jerrett Photo. This photograph shows a rare view of the 200-block of 10th Street.

Name Access: Manitoba Power Company  
10th Street  
Dominion Tire & Radio Co.  
T.E. Elviss Co. Stables  
First Baptist Church

Subject Access: downtowns  
street scenes  
Brandon business buildings & facilities before 1940  
aerial views  
building exteriors  
residences  
churches

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer

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## Brandon College Platoon

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14257>

Part Of: Joseph H. Hughes collection  
Creator: Photographer: Davidson Studio  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 3-1997.1  
Item Number: 3-1997.1.66  
Accession Number: 3-1997  
Other Numbers: Hughes #81  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1916  
Physical Description: 13.5" x 10.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: on matting  
Physical Condition: Photograph beginning to separate from matting

### History /

#### Biographical:

Brandon College established a Canadian Officer Training Corps (COTC) program in 1916 and had enough students for a platoon that would join the 196th Western Universities Battalion's B Company. COTC logs for in the SJ McKee Archives show that at least 40 men regularly attended classes on campus during the 1916 winter term.

The Brandon Daily Sun published the names of 60 potential platoon recruits before they headed to Camp Hughes to train in the summer of 1916. Although Lt. J.R.C. Evans spearheaded the training of the COTC enlistees at Brandon College, he was found medically unfit for overseas service. In his stead, the son of the college's founder, Lt. William Carey McKee, lead the platoon to Camp Hughes where they joined the 196th Battalion. Of the 60 recruits identified in the local paper, 20 would not survive the war, including Lt. McKee. [ST/2016]

#### Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a group of 40 men wearing WWI uniforms. The men have the Canada general service cap badge on their headdress. The officer in the centre of the group (i.e., the man with the cane) is J.R.C. Evans. The group of men are likely members of the first Brandon College Platoon, which joined the 196th Western Universities Battalion.

Name Access: J.R.C. Evans  
Subject Access: portraits  
First World War  
Great War  
Storage Location: Hughes oversize drawer  
Related Material: Daly House Museum  
The Clark Hall Scrapbook

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