

# S. J. McKee Archives



## Matheson Lumber (Souris)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13111>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S107b  
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 trucks in front of Matheson Lumber.

Name Access: CKX  
Matheson Lumber  
Subject Access: businesses  
building exteriors  
Trucks  
employees  
hardware stores  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Mike Shopka (retired City employee)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13203>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S58  
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:

Portrait of Mike Shopka.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: persons  
portraits  
employees  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Modern Groceries (Souris)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13113>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: S  
Item Number: 11-2010.S106b  
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 interior of Modern Groceries.

Name Access: CKX  
Modern Groceries  
Subject Access: businesses  
store interiors  
grocery trade  
employees  
persons  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## MPE B 22 Miscellaneous

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10484>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MPE B.22

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1925-1973

Physical Description: 26 cm

History /

Biographical:

See fonds level description of RG 4 for history/bio of MPE

Scope and Content:

This sub-series consists of miscellaneous MPE records:

Box 1:

1a-5. Miscellaneous files March 5 1925-Nov 19 1973

Box 2:

6. Membership Lists

7. Training and Development

8. Member Complaints

9. MPE Employee Handbook

10. Plebiscite Nov 24 1951

11. Quiz Programs 1940, 1948

Canadian Wheat Pool Visitors Book 1930-1956

12. Delivery Ledger 1967-1968

13. Information re: Wheat Export Shipments 1924-1930

14. Important Issues by Association June 2 1944

15. Grain Booklets

Notes: Description by Jillian Sutherland (2010)

Name Access: Coarse Grains Plebiscite

Canadian Wheat Pool

Subject Access: employees

Storage Location: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Series B: Central Office records



## Murray's Garage (Neepawa) - exterior

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions14337>

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: M

Item Number: 11-2010.M7a

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1954  
Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Murray's Garage opened in 1932 by Melvin Earl Murray. The business was later renamed Murray's of Neepawa in 1964.

Custodial History:

See Fonds level description for custodial history

Scope and Content:

Murray's Garage opened in 1932 by Melvin Earl Murray. Before it's opening in 1932 the building was used as a truck and storage facility, the business opened for automotive sales after Earl Murray had recieved a contract by General Motors in 1932. The first sale of a vehicle occurred in 1933 when a customer from Winnipeg bought a Pontiac vehicle. During the first few years of operation Earl Murray served as the Office Manager, Parts Manager, and Salesman. In 1934 an additional contract with the International Harvester Co. giving license to the additional sale of farm equipment. This new expansion resulted in the hiring of other staff to handle Parts and Service while the sales of the farm machinery remained Earl's responsibility.

The business aquired many contracts over the course of its existence as such new propoerties were aquired to allow for this expansions and new additions were added to the original building. When the new addition was near completion an explosion occured which resulted in 100% loss of the original building as well as all the contents it enclosed. Luckily, the fire department was able to save most of the new addition. A sizable loan was required for the buisness to rebuild after this disaster. Once the business was open again, car sales, need for parts, and service volume increased resulting in the complete recovery of the buisness.

In 1940 due to the war the purchase of new vehicles was limited to emergency service, it was at this time that General Motors added the Cheverolet-Oldsmobile to their contracts. Shortly after this a tornado hit the building causing substantial damage however it was soon repaired and business resumed.

Earl's son, Gerald, had worked in the business since his return from the war in 1945. He schooled in in Flint Michigan at a General Motors Business Institute to assist his father with the business. In 1960 Gerald took a course in Detroit Michigan in a Post Graduate School of Modern Merchandising and Management. After his completion of this course Gerald moved back to Neepawa and took of the position of Sales Manager at his fathers garage. The business was later renamed Murray's of Neepawa in 1964 when Earl handed the keys to the business over to his son Gerald.

Notes: Description by Jillian Combs. Information from Manitoba Hisotrical Society,

Name Access: D.R. MacKay

Subject Access: building exteriors  
downtown  
Neepawa

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Related Material: D.R. MacKay fonds, Brandon College fonds, Brandon University fonds

Arrangement:

Original order maintained. Series arranged alphabetically by letter (A-Z) but negatives not alphabetical within each series.

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## Pepsi shopping spree

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13551>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P56b  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: May 2, 1964  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a lady being interviewed.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: interviews  
grocery stores  
employees  
persons  
store interiors  
grocery trade

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Pepsi shopping spree

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13552>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P56a  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: May 2, 1964  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of groceries being loaded into a car.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: grocery stores  
employees  
persons  
grocery trade  
cars  
store exteriors  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Picket line

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13558>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P50b  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: April 23, 1965  
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 CKX employees on strike.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: employees  
strikes  
building exteriors  
persons

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Picket line

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13559>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P50a  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: April 23, 1965  
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 CKX employees on strike.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: employees  
strikes  
building exteriors  
persons  
cars

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Plains Western Gas Co. - office staff

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13629>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P20b  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1968  
Physical Description: 1.5" x 1.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of the office staff.

Name Access: CKX  
Plains Western Gas Company  
Subject Access: office interiors  
employees  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Porteous Manufacturing

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13641>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P15d  
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 an employee of Porteous Manufacturing.

Name Access: CKX  
Porteous Manufacturing  
Subject Access: employees  
industries  
commercial buildings  
businesses  
machinery  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Post office (new building)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13542>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P57i  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 196?  
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 a post office being constructed.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: post offices  
construction of buildings  
building exteriors  
construction equipment  
employees  
Trucks  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Post office (new building)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13543>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P57h  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 196?  
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 a post office being constructed.

Name Access: CKX  
Eaton's  
Subject Access: post offices  
construction of buildings  
building exteriors  
employees  
store exteriors  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Post office (new building)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13544>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P57g  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 196?  
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 a post office being constructed.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: post offices  
construction of buildings  
building exteriors  
employees  
construction equipment  
signs and signboards  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Post office (new building)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13545>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P57f  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 196?  
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 a post office being constructed.

Name Access: CKX  
Doig's Store Ltd.

Subject Access: post offices  
construction of buildings  
building exteriors  
employees  
construction equipment  
signs and signboards

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Post office (new building)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13546>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P57e  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 196?  
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 a post office being constructed.

Name Access: CKX  
Court House  
Bottomley's  
Subject Access: post offices  
construction of buildings  
building exteriors  
employees  
construction equipment  
Trucks  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Post office (new building)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13547>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P57d  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 196?  
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 a post office being constructed.

Name Access: CKX  
Court House  
Subject Access: post offices  
construction of buildings  
building exteriors  
employees  
construction equipment  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Post office (new building)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13550>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P57a  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 196?  
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 a post office being constructed.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: post offices  
construction of buildings  
building exteriors  
construction equipment  
employees  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Potash plant (Esterhazy, SK)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13638>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P16c  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: after 1954  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative  
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of a potash plant.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: cars  
employees  
industries  
commercial buildings  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Potash plant (Esterhazy, SK)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13639>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P16b  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: after 1954  
Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

### Scope and Content:

Image of a potash plant.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: cars  
employees  
industries  
commercial buildings  
water towers  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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