

# S. J. McKee Archives



## Army

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11978>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Item Number: 11-2010.A18b  
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 Canadian Provost Corps soldiers in training, most likely at CFB Shilo.

Name Access: CKX Television  
Subject Access: television broadcasting  
military personnel  
military training  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Stuart Craig

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11981>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Item Number: 11-2010.C1a  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: March 4, 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 Stuart Craig adjusting the programming board.

Name Access: CKX Television  
Stuart Craig  
Subject Access: television broadcasting  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Ken Boyd

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11588>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Item Number: 11-2010.B116  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1969  
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 Ken Boyd behind the report desk at CKX Television.

Name Access: CKX Television

Ken Boyd

Subject Access: television broadcasting

sports

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Frank Bird with a bull

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11609>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Item Number: 11-2010.B125b  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1969  
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 Frank Bird in a field with a bull.

Name Access: CKX Television  
Frank Bird  
Subject Access: television broadcasting  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Frank Bird

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11611>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Item Number: 11-2010.B125d  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1966  
Physical Description: 1" x 1.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: Negative  
Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Portrait of Frank Bird for the Winter Fair program.

Name Access: CKX Television  
Frank Bird  
Subject Access: television broadcasting  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

### Images

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## Ruth and Archie MacLachlan fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions10093>

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds  
Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MG 2 2.33  
Accession Number: 23-2009  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1930-1934  
Physical Description: 27 cm textual records  
13 b/w photographs  
Physical Condition: Very good. Some of the letters written in pencil are a little faded.

History /

Biographical:

Ruth Alverda Wade was born July 11, 1912 in Brandon, MB to James and Etta Alverda. She had two younger siblings: sister Gwen and brother Sherry. The Wade family resided at 1837 Princess Avenue, Brandon, MB. Ruth graduated from Brandon College with the Class of 1933.

During her time at Brandon College Ruth met Archie MacLachlan. Archibald James MacLachlan was born in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan in 1907. He had four brothers: Howard, Edgar, Bruce, Curly and Stirling. When Archie was quite young the MacLachlan family moved to Alberta. Archie came to Brandon c. 1930 to attend Brandon College. During the summers of his years at Brandon College Archie held pastoral charges in Alberta. The first two summers were spent in the Peace River Country and the second two in Etzikom in Southern Alberta. This is the period during which the letters in the fonds were written.

Ruth Wade married Archie MacLachlan on September 19, 1934 in Brandon, MB. Following the wedding the couple moved to Hamilton, ON. Archie graduated from McMaster University with his Bachelor of Divinity degree in 1937. During this period their daughter Joann Ruth was born. After his ordination as a Baptist Minister the family moved to North Bay where Archie was minister for four years. The next six years were spent in Vancouver as Archie worked as minister at Fairview Baptist Church in Vancouver. The couple's sons Archibald James and Lachlan Wade were also born during this period.

At the end of the Second World War Archie decided to go back to school. The family travelled to Brandon, where Ruth and the children remained for part of a year while Archie went ahead to Andover Newton to enroll and find a parish that would support him while he went to school. The family was reunited in Penacook, New Hampshire; they lived there for two years while Archie completed his Masters in Sacred Theology. After a brief additional period of study at Harvard University, the MacLachlan family returned to Canada, settling in Toronto while Archie finished his second Masters degree (Psychology) and held positions as interim minister and then assistant minister at York Minster Church. Following the two years in Toronto they moved to Winnipeg.

Eventually Archie left the church ministry and became Chaplain at the Hamilton Psychiatric Hospital. He also continued to train students in Pastoral Education through the courses he had begun at the Divinity College of McMaster University. He remained at the Hospital until his retirement.

During their married life Ruth was kept busy raising the couple's children and with her work as a minister's wife, particularly her work in the community. She sat on a number of community boards, including positions as President of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec and a member of the Board of Governors for McMaster University's Divinity School.

Ruth MacLachlan died on October 29, 1983 in Mississauga, ON.

Archie married Kathleen Marie (Green) French (b. January 22, 1908, d. June 1, 1998) on June 20, 1987. Archie MacLachlan died in December 1997.

Custodial History:

Records were in the possession of Ruth and Archie MacLachlan until their deaths. At that time the records were inherited by their daughter Joann. Joann MacLachlan donated the records to the McKee Archives on October 24, 2009 at a donation event held as part of Homecoming 2009.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of approximately 197 letters written by Ruth and Archie to each other during the spring and summers of 1932, 1933 and 1934. The letters were written during the courtship of the couple and contain details not only on about their lives in Brandon and Alberta but also more personal information about their relationship, families and future plans. Because Ruth and Archie were students at Brandon College during this period the letters also often reflect on events and personalities related to the College, as well as their own personal studies.

Fonds also contains a scrapbook compiled by Ruth during her Brandon College years. It includes photographs, newspaper clippings, graduation cards, event programs, place cards and other ephemera. There are also a few miscellaneous documents - McMaster University examination papers, handwritten sheet music, postcards - that appear to have belonged to Archie. Fonds also contains a graduation photograph of Ruth.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry. History/Bio information taken from Joann MacLachlan's book Ruth and Archie: Brandon and Brandon College 1932-1934.

Name Access: Ruth Wade  
Ruth MacLachlan  
Archie MacLachlan  
Addrene Edwards  
Dorreene McGuinness  
Brandon  
Brandon College  
Trochu, Alberta  
Etzikom, Alberta  
First Baptist Church

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| Subject Access:   | land vehicles<br>Christianity<br>city life<br>rural life<br>convocations<br>Correspondence<br>crime<br>post-secondary education<br>mountains<br>pastoral activities<br>postal service<br>parsons<br>religious officials<br>Radio Broadcasts<br>tennis<br>rail transportation<br>weather<br>social events<br>music<br>clothing<br>theology<br>hobbies<br>liberal arts<br>horses<br>road transportation<br>travels<br>touring<br>depression era                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Language Note:    | Some of the letters contain German phrases.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Storage Location: | Textual records: 23-2009                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Related Material: | Photographs: RG 5 photograph storage drawer<br>Ruth and Archie's daughter Joann edited the letters into a book entitled Ruth and Archie: Brandon and Brandon College 1932-1934. A copy of the book is located in the Rare Book collection of the John E. Robbins Library, Brandon University.<br>William Ridley Sheridan Wade collection (28-2007)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Arrangement:      | <p>The letters are arranged in chronological order with all of Archie's letters to Ruth for a particular year grouped together, followed by Ruth's letters to Archie for that same year. For preservation purposes photographs in the scrapbook have been removed and placed in photograph storage, with their corresponding scrapbook page number noted on the back. Because of the fragile condition of the scrapbook a note has been made concerning the original location of many items that have become detached from their original location in the scrapbook. These items remain with the remnants of the scrapbook in one archival housing. Note that Ruth did not place items on every page so the numbering is not sequential for scrapbook items. Some items were loose at the back of the scrapbook and therefore have no corresponding page number.</p> |





## Program Directors visit

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13560>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P49b  
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 CKX employees.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: employees  
business and professional people  
building exteriors  
persons  
television broadcasting

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

### Images

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## Program Directors visit

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13561>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P49a  
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 CKX employees.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: employees  
business and professional people  
broadcasting equipment  
television broadcasting

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Promotions department (personalities & programs) - Don Messer visit

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13567>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P43d  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: after 1954  
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 a group of people on set.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: on set  
television segments  
broadcasting equipment  
employees  
persons  
performers  
television broadcasting  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Promotions department (personalities & programs) - Don Messer visit

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13568>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P43c  
Accession Number: 11-2010  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: after 1954  
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 a group of people on set.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: on set  
television segments  
broadcasting equipment  
employees  
persons  
television broadcasting  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

### Images

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## Promotions department (personalities & programs) - Champeen Teens

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13569>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
 Creator: CKX  
 Description Level: Item  
 Series Number: P  
 Item Number: 11-2010.P43b  
 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 Champeen Teens show.

Name Access: CKX  
 Champeen Teens  
 Subject Access: on set  
 television segments  
 broadcasting equipment  
 employees  
 persons  
 television broadcasting  
 Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

### Images

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## Promotions department (personalities & programs)

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13570>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P43a  
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 a group of kids.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: children  
television broadcasting  
advertising

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Picture Puzzle

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13571>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P42  
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 the Picture Puzzle show.

Name Access: CKX  
Picture Puzzle

Subject Access: television segments  
television broadcasting  
on set  
broadcasting equipment  
ckx staff

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Clare Powell

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13574>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P39b  
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 Clare Powell on set.

Name Access: CKX  
Clare Powell  
Subject Access: on set  
television segments  
ckx staff  
television broadcasting

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Lester Pearson

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13576>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P38b  
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 Lester B. Pearson on set.

Name Access: CKX  
Lester B. Pearson  
Doug Johnson  
Subject Access: on set  
ckx staff  
cars  
elected officials  
prime ministers  
television broadcasting

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Promotion

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13580>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P36k  
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 a group of men.

Name Access: CKX  
John S. Wallace  
Harold Roberts  
John Gilbert  
Henry Stothard  
Subject Access: building exteriors  
persons  
business and professional people  
ckx staff  
broadcasting  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Promotion

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13581>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P36j  
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 a photo of a group of men with their signatures.

Name Access: CKX  
John S. Wallace  
Harold Roberts  
John Gilbert  
Henry Stothard

Subject Access: building exteriors  
persons  
business and professional people  
ckx staff  
broadcasting  
photographs

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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## Promotion

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13582>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P36i  
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 people standing in a grocery store.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: store interiors  
persons  
grocery stores  
business and professional people  
broadcasting  
contests  
Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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## Promotion

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13587>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
 Creator: CKX  
 Description Level: Item  
 Series Number: P  
 Item Number: 11-2010.P36d  
 Accession Number: 11-2010  
 GMD: graphic  
 Date Range: after 1954  
 Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)  
 Material Details: Negative  
 Custodial History:

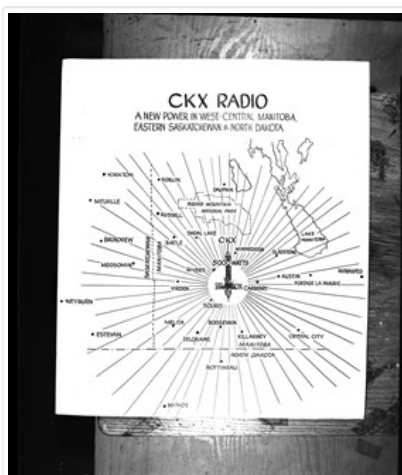
See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the broadcasting range for CKX.

Name Access: CKX  
 Subject Access: maps  
 broadcasting  
 Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images





## Promotion

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13589>

Part Of: CKX fonds  
Creator: CKX  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: P  
Item Number: 11-2010.P36b  
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 interview.

Name Access: CKX  
Subject Access: interviews  
broadcasting  
employees  
ckx staff

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

## Images

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