

# S. J. McKee Archives



## May Yoh collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8073>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MG 3 1.19

Accession Number: 34-2007

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1982-1998

Physical Description: 36 cm

History /

Biographical:

May Yoh was born in Shanghai and raised in Hong Kong. She left for London, England in 1963 after finishing an honors B.A. Yoh completed a M.A. in Philosophy and History of Science at the University of London (London School of Economics) in 1965. From there, she moved to Baltimore, Maryland where she obtained another M.A. at Johns Hopkins University. While teaching at Brandon University she obtained her Ph.D. from York University in 1980. Yoh was awarded the Brandon University Alumni Association's Excellent in Teaching Award in October 1997.

The Manitoba Intercultural Council (MIC) was established to advise the Manitoba government on multicultural issues. The standing committees of MIC raised concerns, developed policy proposals and so on. May Yoh was the Executive Treasurer of MIC (1983-1985) and a member of the Standing Committee on Immigrant Settlement. As an Executive she received minutes of all standing committees' minutes.

Custodial History:

Records were collected by May Yoh during the course of her involvement with the Manitoba Multicultural Resources Centre (MMRC) and the Manitoba Intercultural Council (MIC). They remained in her possession until she transferred them to the Archives in 2007.

Scope and Content:

Collection consists of records produced by and related to the Manitoba Multicultural Resources Centre (MMRC) and the Manitoba Intercultural Council (MIC).

Notes: May Yoh history/bio information from the Fall 1997 issue of Alumni News.

Storage Location: MG 3 Brandon University Teaching and Administration  
MG 3 1.19 May Yoh



## John Weldon Grant collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8219>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MG 3 1.21  
Accession Number: 3-2008  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1910; predominant 1961-1977.  
Physical Description: 40 cm text; prints and art work.

History /

Biographical:

Professor John Weldon Grant was born 12 March 1919 in Sunnybrae, Nova Scotia, son of Alec and Linda Grant. He was raised in Sunnybrae and graduated from Pictou Academy in 1937. Prof. Grant entered Pine Hill Divinity School to study Theology. During his ministerial internship, he taught and preached in Rabbit Lake and Biggar, Saskatchewan. He graduated from Pine Hill in 1943 and entered the mission field with the United Church.

Professor Grant moved to Trinidad & Tobago in the 1940s. There he taught in both San Fernando and Siparia, towns located in the southwest tip of the island. Weldon Grant was the first head master off the Iere High School School in Siparia when it opened in 1955. Professor Grant is recalled by Kenneth Ramchand in his *\_The West Indian Novel And Its Background\_* as "his beloved English teacher" reading from an early Sam Selvon novel in a "Saskatchewan version of Trinidad dialect." That he was teaching Selvon – a West Indian writer - testifies to Grant's cultural pluralism. See Kenneth Ramchand, *\_The West Indian Novel and its background\_* (London: Faber and Faber, 2001 edition).

Professor Grant and Bernice Emma Moats were married in Gray, Saskatchewan 30 June 1954. They adopted three children in Nova Scotia and returned to Trinidad.

In 1961, the Grants returned to Canada. Weldon taught for one year at Vincent Massey High School and then joined the English Department at Brandon University where he taught in the English department until his retirement on August 31, 1984.

During a sabbatical he spent six months exploring Ireland and the poets that had been inspired by its countryside. He also loved stories of the sea and read many varied authors, both factual and fiction.

Custodial History:

Records were collected by Weldon Grant during his teaching career in Trinidad and Canada.

#### Scope and Content:

In the course of his teaching career in Trinidad & Tobago and at Brandon University Professor Grant acquired and retained a number of items with cultural, scholarly and sentimental value. These include The First Folio of Shakespeare, prepared by Charlton Himan, [Academic ed.]. Imprint New York : W.W. Norton, 1968. xxvii, 928 p. : port. ; 37 cm. Mr. William Shakespeares comedies, histories, & tragedies. Published according to the true original copies. London, Printed by Isaac Iaggard, and Ed. Blount, 1623.

The facsimile is described as "an ideal copy in which each page represents the best page selected from one of the 29 most satisfactory copies of the 80 copies in the Folger Shakespeare Library."

1 Self pronouncing Holy Bible, Oxford 1910.

1 print 22.4" x 17," "Baking in a Clay Oven," by Trinidad artist David Moore, June 1977 printed in Trinidad by the College Press.

2 water colour paintings 17.5" x 12" by artist "AM." One titled San Fernando (1961) one titled Royal Palm, Trinidad (1960).

1 black and white portrait 10" x 13" of Governor general Roland Michener and his wife (No: A-2) copyright Karsh dated 1970.

1 Asian art work, 12.5" x 18" embroidery on silk.

Notes:	Weldon Grant history/bio from Weldon Grant obituary Brandon Daily Sun c. April 14, 1999.
Name Access:	Weldon Grant
Subject Access:	English Department
Storage Location:	MG 3 Brandon University Teaching and Administration MG 3 1.21 John Weldon Grant



## Francis Chaplin collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8557>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MG 3 1.20

Accession Number: 13-2008

GMD: textual records

Physical Description: 13 m

History /

Biographical:

Francis (Eugene) Chaplin, violinist, was born in Newcastle, NB on Dec. 30th, 1927 and died in Brandon, MB on Dec. 3rd, 1993. He received his Artist Diploma from the Juilliard School in 1950, a Graduate Diploma from Juilliard in 1951, and an honorary D Mus from Mt Allison University in 1974. His childhood musical education began with Hans Graae in Newcastle, continued with Clayton Hare from 1940-45 at Mount Allison Academy in Sackville, NB and by private study in Calgary. His debut, at age 16 in Toronto, was described as brilliant. He continued at the Juilliard School as a full scholarship student with Louis Persinger 1946-49 and Ivan Galamian 1949-53, and upon graduation received the Morris Loeb Memorial Award. He moved in 1953 to Halifax, where he was concertmaster of the CBC Halifax Orchestra and the Halifax (Atlantic) Symphony Orchestra. Chaplin gave weekly recitals for Halifax CBC radio and later on national CBC TV's Souvenirs and Reflections programs. He appeared as recitalist and as soloist with major orchestras in Toronto, Calgary, Edmonton, Regina, Quebec City, Hamilton and Halifax, and at the New York Museum of Modern Art. He was a member of the Halifax (later Brandon University) Trio and the Halifax String Quartet. The trio moved to Brandon University in 1966 and Chaplin began teaching violin and viola there in 1967. He continued as a member of the School of Music faculty until his death. Among his pupils were James Ehnes, Gwen Hoebig, Tom Williams, and other accomplished violinists. Chaplin recorded for the CBC with the Brandon Trio, and with Judy Loman and the Johnny Burt orchestra. In 1984 Chaplin recorded 10 Caprices for Solo Violin by S.C. Eckhardt-Gramatte for the Masters of the Bow label; he also edited an edition of the Caprices (Brandon University School of Music Press, 1993). Chaplin died from smoke inhalation following a house fire. - Biographical information taken from the Canadian Encyclopedia

Scope and Content:

Sub-series consists of annotated musical scores and resources pertaining to teaching of private violin and viola students

Notes: Description by Donna Lowe.

Storage Range: MG 3 Brandon University Teaching and Administration  
1.20 Francis Chaplin

Related Material: RG 6 Brandon University fonds, Series 7 Faculties and Schools, 7.4 School of Music.

Arrangement:

Original order was maintained.



## Lawrence Stuckey photograph collection - Brandon history

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9030>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Many of the images presented were captured by Mr. Stuckey himself. However being a well known and accomplished photographer and amateur historian, he also bought, sold and traded negatives with other collectors. Therefore the viewer is reminded that many images, although part of his collection, were created and/or provided for Mr. Stuckey by other collectors. In addition, it is believed that some images contained within his collection were created by photographing a pre-existing negative or print. We have attempted to note the authorship of all images when possible.

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 3.1

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

History /

Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

This sub-series consists of photographic negatives related to the history of Brandon, Manitoba.

All of the images contained within this sub-series were part of Mr. Stuckey's lifelong personal collection of photographic negatives and prints. Images include those related to people, street scenes, buildings, various city departments and so forth.

Notes: All of the images from Mr. Stuckey's collection of negatives and prints were reproduced and digitized using an Epson scanner and software suite. All attempts have been made to reproduce the images in such a manner that balances our desire to portray the negatives and photographs as they originally appear, with the need to create an optimal digital image for viewing. Therefore it is noted that minor alterations to image size and contrast have occurred.

With few exceptions, all digitizing and database entry of images and descriptions was conducted during the summer of 2009 at Brandon University by Patrick Elves.

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

#### Arrangement:

Unless otherwise noted, the arrangement of these images was drawn from the original classification scheme used by Mr. Stuckey.

The information specific to each image, for the most part, was gained from Mr. Stuckey's personal notes regarding that particular photograph or similar photograph. Observations or notes contained within square brackets are explanatory or missing materials that have been added by someone other than Mr. Stuckey.

We have attempted to present the information that accompanies each image in the same format as was used by Mr. Stuckey himself.

#### Subseries 1 - Brandon History

- A. People
- B. Bridges
- C. Streets
- D. Buildings
- E. Business
- F. Fire Dept.
- G. Hospitals
- H. Industries
- I. Streetcars
- J. Utilities
- K. Construction
- L. Transportation (other than rail)
- M. Exhibition
- N. Misc. History
- O. Environs
- P. Railroads



## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9523>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Lawrence Stuckey

Description Level: Box

Series Number: 2

File Number: 1

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1955-1980

Physical Description: 411 colour slides

History /

Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

Glendenning (10): October 5, 1980

Assiniboine River (37): July 14, 1963 to December 25, 1979

Souris River (57): 1962 to August 16, 1977

Manitoba Harvest Scenes and Manitoba Autumn Colours (129): March 4, 1962 to October 4, 1979

Manitoba Sidney - Firdale (4): September 5, 1976 to September 19, 1976

Manitoba Whiteshell (18): August 23, 1959 to June 23, 1974

Small Rivers & Creeks (27): 1955 to April 17, 1977

Manitoba Carberry Hills (Onah) (25): Fall 1976

Manitoba Baldhead Hills (26) October 6, 1968 to August 21, 1979

Manitoba Sprucewoods (48): August 23, 1964 to June 9, 1976

Manitoba Winter (30): August 23, 1959 to June 25, 1974

Notes: Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.

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Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection  
Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection



## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9524>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Lawrence Stuckey

Description Level: Box

Series Number: 2

File Number: 2

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1958-1979

Physical Description: 411 colour slides

#### History /

#### Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

Manitoba North & West of Brandon (20): July 11, 1962 to June 26, 1979

Northwest Brandon, Duck Mountains Rossburn (26): May 17, 1964 to August 4, 1971

Manitoba Winter & Spring (25): April 30, 1961 to February 24, 1974

Manitoba Routes to Thompson (22): July 3, 1972 to June 24, 1973

Manitoba Kelsey Trail (46): May 17, 1964 to June 22, 1973

Manitoba East of Winnipeg (14): July 5, 1964 to July 1, 1970

Manitoba E.T. Seton Park (18): July 15, 1962 to August 8, 1965

Steeprock Bay & River (6): May 17, 1964 to June 21, 1973

Flin Flon, Manitoba (10): July 31, 1966 to July 4, 1972

Rocky Lake, Manitoba (18): July 31, 1966 to June 22, 1973

Manitoba South of Brandon (8): May 31, 1961 to October 6, 1963

Manitoba Lake Winnipegosis (12): July 27, 1958 to June 21, 1973

Manitoba Natural Impressions (50): July 16, 1965 to October 19, 1975

Manitoba Turtle Mountains (50): July 25, 1962 to July 12, 1972

Riding Mountain Moon Lake (23): July 10, 1966 to September 30, 1973

Riding Mountain Lake Katherine (14): July 4, 1973 to September 2, 1973

Riding Mountain Southwest Shore (22): July 17, 1966 to June 29, 1974

Notes: Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection  
Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection





## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9525>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Lawrence Stuckey

Description Level: Box

Series Number: 2

File Number: 3

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1954-1981

Physical Description: 401 colour slides

### History /

#### Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

Riding Mountains Ice in Clear Lake (22): May 12, 1965 to May 5, 1968

Riding Mountain Arrowhead Trail (7): August 1, 1971 to July 15, 1972

Riding Mountain B&B Trail (8): September 23, 1973 to September 30, 1973

Riding Mountain Ominik Trail (11): July 15, 1972 to October 8, 1972

Miscellaneous Horticulture Ontario 80-81: May 26, 1980 to May 10, 1981

Scarborough, Ontario (31): June 2, 1980 to May 17, 1981

Trip 80 Edwards Gardens (9): June 4, 1980 to May 5, 1981

Trip 80 Royal Botanical Gardens (33): June 3, 1980 to May 13, 1981

Saskatchewan Mines (17): July 2, 1961 to July 24, 1966

Saskatchewan Flin Flon - Prince Albert (7): July 2, 1968

Saskatchewan Saskatoon (16): July 3, 1968

Saskatchewan Duck Mountains Lake Madge (17): May 18, 1964 to July 10, 1966

Winnipeg City Parks (44): May 19, 1963 to April 23, 1977

Saskatchewan (22): June 20, 1965 to October 16, 1982

Peace Gardens (35): May 24, 1961 to September 18, 1974

South Dakota's Black Hills (46): July 7, 1954 to September 17, 1961

\*An additional 8 slides in this group are located in Box 4

Notes: Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.

Accruals: Additional slides of flora and fauna taken by Stuckey during his travels are housed in the McKee Archives. Those slides are unprocessed at present.

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection  
Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection



## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9539>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Lawrence Stuckey

Description Level: Box

Series Number: 2

File Number: 4

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1954-1981

Physical Description: 442 colour slides

### History /

#### Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

South Dakota's Black Hills (8): July 7, 1954 to September 17, 1961

\*An additional 46 slides in this group are located in Box 3

South Dakota's Badlands (4): July 3, 1954

North Dakota (41): September 6, 1959 to August 16, 1976

Ontario-Quebec Trip (5): May 23-24, 1971

Kenora, Ontario (South & East) (58): July 15, 1962 to June 14, 1964

Qu'Appelle Valley (Saskatchewan) (12): July 2, 1961 to July 1, 1973

South Dakota (6): September 6, 1959

North Dakota Badlands, Theodore Roosevelt National Monument (19): September 6, 1959 to October 9, 1966

Toronto, Ontario (25): May 30, 1980 to May 10, 1981

Point Pelee, Ontario (9): May 28, 1980

Port Dover, Ontario (5): May 24, 1980 to May 3, 1981

Windsor, Ontario (15): May 27, 1980 to April 10, 1981

Yellowstone National Park (Wyoming) (111): August 27, 1970 to September 1, 1970

Ottawa (5): 1971

Scotsbluff, Nebraska (43): May 28, 1962 to July 16, 1962

Yellowstone (7): August 23, 1955

Yellowstone (41): May 28-29, 1962

Nebraska (28): June 28, 1954 to September 1967

\*An additional 12 slides in this group are located in Box 5

Notes:	Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.
Accruals:	Additional slides of flora and fauna taken by Stuckey during his travels are housed in the McKee Archives. Those slides are unprocessed at present.
Repro Restriction:	The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.
Storage Location:	Lawrence Stuckey collection Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection

## Lawrence Stuckey slides



<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9541>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Lawrence Stuckey

Description Level: Box

Series Number: 2

File Number: 5

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1954-1971

Physical Description: 354 colour slides

History /

Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

Nebraska (12): June 28, 1954 to September 1967

\*An additional 28 slides in this group are located in Box 4

Mt. Evans Road Colorado (19): September 1960 & September 12-13, 1970

Berthoud Pass Colorado (5): September 11, 1970

Milner Pass Colorado (6): September 8, 1970

Dinosaur Park Colorado (10): September 7, 1970

Trail Ridge Colorado (5): September 8, 1970

Trail Ridge Colorado (36): September 1960

Rollins Pass Colorado (22): May 1956 & September 9-10, 1970

Grand Teton & Vic. Wyoming (12): September 1961 & September 1-3, 1970

Beartooth Pass Montana (13): August 26, 1970

Colorado (32): May 9, 1956 to September 16, 1970

Craters of the Moon Idaho (49): September 1961 to June 4, 1962

Wyoming (17): June 22, 1954 to September 3, 1970

Medicine Bow National Fort Wyoming (14): June 22, 1954

Michigan-Wisconsin (12): May 19, 1971

Idaho (36): September 1961 to September 14, 1970

Quebec City (54): dates unknown

Notes:	Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.
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Repro Restriction:	The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.
Storage Location:	Lawrence Stuckey collection Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection



## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9542>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Lawrence Stuckey

Description Level: Box

Series Number: 2

File Number: 6

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1961-1978

Physical Description: 372 colour slides

History /

Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

Mt. Tremblant Park Quebec (28): May 31 - June 1, 1971

Sugar Camp (J.W.) Quebec (6): July 17, 1971

Sainte-Anne-de-Bellevue Canal Quebec (6): June 3, 1971

Montreal and Area (49): September 1967 to June 4, 1971

Banff National Park - Larch Valley (29): September 4, 1963 & September 18, 1964

Banff National Park - Sentinel Pass (13): September 4, 1963 & August 1, 1975

Banff to Calgary (34): September 1961 to September 1969

Banff National Park - Lake Louise (18): September 1961 to September 13, 1968

Banff National Park - Moraine Lake (10): September 1961 & September 8, 1963

Banff National Park - Athabaska River (8): September 1961

Banff to Jasper (23): September 1961

Banff National Park - Plain of Six (17): August 4, 1975

Banff National Park - Columbia Icefield (30): September 1961 to September 11, 1968

Banff National Park area (26): September 1961 to June 27, 1969

Banff National Park - Bow River (5): September 1961 & June 23, 1978

Banff National Park - Victoria Glacier (21): September 8, 1963 & September 13, 1968

Yoho Pass (40): September 25, 1962 to August 2, 1975

Yoho National Park - Wapta Falls (9): September 27, 1962 & September 2, 1963

Notes: Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.

Accruals: Additional slides of flora and fauna taken by Stuckey during his travels are housed in the McKee Archives. Those slides are unprocessed at present.

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection  
Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection



## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9544>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Lawrence Stuckey

Description Level: Box

Series Number: 2

File Number: 7

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1961-1982

Physical Description: 438 colour slides

### History /

#### Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

#### Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

Yoho National Park - Hoodoo Park (11): September 27, 1962 to September 2, 1963

Yoho National Park - Waterfall Valley (20): September 9, 1968

Yoho National Park - Highline Trail (22): September 24, 1962 to September 9, 1965

Burgess Pass (22): September 25, 1962 to September 9, 1965

Takakaw Falls (28): September 1961 to August 2, 1975

Yoho National Park - Kicking Horse (25): September 1961 to June 19, 1978

Yoho National Park - Skyline Trail (23): September 9, 1963 to June 29, 1969

Waterton Lakes National Park (20): June 5, 1962

Yoho National Park Trans Canada (27): September 1961 to September 6, 1982

Yoho National Park - Emerald Lake (75): September 1961 to August 3, 1975

Yoho National Park - Natural Bridge (24): September 22, 1962 to August 3, 1975

Yoho National Park - Yoho Valley (64): September 1962 to June 29, 1969

Twin Falls Creek (42): September 1961 to August 2, 1975

\*An additional 35 slides in this group are located in Box 8

Notes:	Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.
Accruals:	Additional slides of flora and fauna taken by Stuckey during his travels are housed in the McKee Archives. Those slides are unprocessed at present.
Repro Restriction:	The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.
Storage Location:	Lawrence Stuckey collection Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection



## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9826>

Part Of:	RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds
Creator:	Lawrence Stuckey
Description Level:	Box
Series Number:	2
File Number:	8
Accession Number:	1-2002
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1957-1982



Physical Description: 399 colour slides

History /

Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

Twin Falls Creek (35): September 1961 to August 2, 1975

\*An additional 42 slides in this group are located in Box 7

Gallup, New Mexico - Cortez, Colorado (5): 1957

Mesa Verde (14): 1957

Arizona - New Mexico (21): no dates

Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming (31): August 27 - September 1, 1970

Little Qualicum Park, B.C. (14): September 17, 1969 & April 20, 1974

Honeymoon Bay, B.C. (11): April 21 & 23, 1974

Yoho National Park - Mt. Paget Trail (49): September 30, 1962 to June 17, 1978

Trans-Canada Highway B.C. (79): September 3, 1964 to June 13, 1978

Victoria, B.C. (8): September 1965 to May 4, 1974

Miscellaneous, Victoria Island, B.C. (16): September 1965 to May 2, 1974

Glacier National Park (68): September 26, 1969 to September 7, 1982

Pacific Rim National Park (32): September 13, 1969 to April 28, 1974

Victoria B.C. Marineland 66 (16): September 1965 to September 1969

Notes: Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.

Accruals: Additional slides of flora and fauna taken by Stuckey during his travels are housed in the McKee Archives. Those slides are unprocessed at present.

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection  
Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection



## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9827>

Part Of:	RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds
Creator:	Lawrence Stuckey
Description Level:	Box
Series Number:	2
File Number:	9
Accession Number:	1-2002
GMD:	graphic
Date Range:	1962-1974
Physical Description:	490 colour slides
History / Biographical:	For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.
Custodial History:	For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.
Scope and Content:	Box contains the following slides:
	Victoria B.C. Sealand 72 (22): September 17, 1972
	North of Vancouver, B.C. (14): September 8, 1966
	Fence Art, Victoria 1966 (22): September 11, 1966
	Victoria Thetis Lake Park (13): April 22 - May 4, 1974
	Parks on Victoria Island, B.C. (16): September 1965 to May 5, 1974
	Southern Routes B.C. (12): October 2, 1962 to September 1969
	Okanagan Valley, B.C. (48): June 6, 1962 to September 20, 1966
	Yoho National Park - Sherbrooke Trail (3): September 12, 1963
	Yoho National Park - Miscellaneous (32): June 8, 1962 to June 14, 1978
	Mt. Baker - Washington (110): September 27, 1965
	Olympic National Park - Beaches (198): September 7, 1963 to September 15, 1972
Notes:	Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.
Accruals:	Additional slides of flora and fauna taken by Stuckey during his travels are housed in the McKee Archives. Those slides are unprocessed at present.
Repro Restriction:	The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.
Storage Location:	Lawrence Stuckey collection Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection



## Lawrence Stuckey slides

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9828>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: Lawrence Stuckey

Description Level: Box

Series Number: 2

File Number: 10

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1964-1972

Physical Description: 181 colour slides

History /

Biographical:

For history/bio information see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Custodial History:

For custodial history see the collection level description of the Lawrence Stuckey collection.

Scope and Content:

Box contains the following slides:

Olympic National Park - Forests (97): September 3, 1964 to September 13, 1972

Olympic National Park - Mountains (26): September 4, 1964 to September 25, 1965

Olympic National Park - Hurricane Ridge (35): September 3, 1964 to September 13, 1972

Washington - Miscellaneous (23): September 11, 1964 to September 18, 1966

Notes: Slide descriptions are as follows: Location (Number of Slides): Date of slides. Information on each slide was provided by Stuckey.

Accruals: Additional slides of flora and fauna taken by Stuckey during his travels are housed in the McKee Archives. Those slides are unprocessed at present.

Repro Restriction: The McKee Archives is the copyright holder for the Stuckey materials.

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection  
Series 2: Lawrence Stuckey slide collection



## Margaret Hawley Speers collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9831>

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds  
Description Level: Sub-series  
Series Number: MG 2 2.32  
Accession Number: 19-2009  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1925, 1928  
Physical Description: 1 photograph  
1mm textual records

### History /

#### Biographical:

Margaret Hawley Speers was born on February 18, 1908 in Alexander, MB. She attended Alexander School, Brandon College (Class of 1928), the University of Saskatchewan and the University of Manitoba receiving Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Education degrees.

Speers had a lengthy teaching career, first as Principal of schools in Saskatchewan at Ravenscrag and Scotsguard, then in Manitoba at Basswood, Newdale and Miniota. In Winnipeg, she taught at Rupertsland Girls' School, and then in Winnipeg School District No. 1 at Cecil Rhodes, River Heights and Kelvin High School.

Following her retirement Speers enjoyed travelling and various forms of volunteer work, including that at the Manitoba Museum of Man and Nature and the Winnipeg Art Gallery. She was also a member of St. Andrew's River Heights United Church.

Margaret Hawley Speers died September 26, 2008 at St. Boniface Hospital.

#### Custodial History:

Items came from the estate of Margaret Hawley Speers. They were donated to the McKee Archives by her cousin David Speers in July 2009.

#### Scope and Content:

Collection consists of a copy of the 1927-1928 Sickle and a photograph of the Brandon College Arts Class of 1928 taken in 1925.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry. History/Bio information taken from Speers' obituary which appeared in the September 29, 2008 edition of the Winnipeg Free Press.

Storage Location: Photograph: Oversize drawer 5  
BUPC 9.102

Sickle: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 14: BUSU  
14.5 BUSU publications  
14.5.1 The Sickle  
14.5.1.2 The Sickle - archival copies



## Errol Black collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions3992>

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Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: MG 3 1.1

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1909-2010

Physical Description: 4.2 m textual records; 5 cassette tapes; 2 cd roms, 110 photographs (colour and b/w) various sizes

History /

Biographical:

Errol Black was born on September 8, 1939 in Brandon, Manitoba. He was the son of Thomas Alexander Black, who immigrated to Canada from Limerick, Ireland in 1929, and Roberta Jean (nee Groat) Black, a native of Chatham, New Brunswick. Black attended King George Elementary, Earl Haig Junior High, Brandon Collegiate Institute for Grade 10, and completed high school through correspondence courses for Grades 11 and 12. He left school in 1956 to work a variety of jobs in Brandon, Calgary and on the west coast. He spent a short time in the Royal Canadian Navy. Errol Black undertook post-secondary education at Brandon College (1963-1965, graduated with a B.A.), the University of Alberta (1965-1967, graduated 1973 with an M.A. in economics) and Warwick University (1975-1977). Black taught economics at Brandon University from 1970 until his retirement in 2002. Following retirement he was granted Professor Emeritus status in 2003.

Errol Black has published three books, as well as many articles and reports in leading academic journals. He has a longstanding interest in the history of organized labour and working-class politics in Brandon. These remain important themes in his research and writing. He served on the Executive of the Brandon University Faculty Association for many years, and was President of the Manitoba Organization of Faculty Associations for two years. Black is also a member of the Brandon District Labour Council, a founding member of the Manitoba branch of the Canadian centre for Policy Alternatives, and a board member of the Brandon Regional Health Authority (2000-2006). He was elected to Brandon City Council in 1998, and for a second term in 2001. In 1999 he was the federal NDP candidate for Brandon-Souris.

Black married Margaret Millard from Waskada, MB in 1961, with whom he had three sons: Sean, Dennis and Tom.

Custodial History:

Accession 17-1997 was originally owned by Jim Davis, brother to Communist activist Stanley Forkin. Taimi Davis, Jim Davis' wife, mailed the collection from her residence in Ontario to Errol Black in 1994. Professor Black donated the collection to the McKee Archives. Accession 02-2003 was donated to the Archives in November 2002 by Errol Black. Accession 15-2003 was donated to the Archives on April 30, 2003 by Errol Black. Accession 17-2003 was donated to the Archives on July 15, 2003 by Errol Black.

Scope and Content:

The collection consists of a number of accessions. Accession 17-1997, dating from 1935-1936, consists of twelve of the thirteen issues of the "Unemployed Worker," published in Brandon in the 1930s. The "Unemployed Worker" was the organ of the Brandon Unemployed Workers' Council. This Council, like its counterparts in other communities, was created by Canadian Communist Party militants. The "Unemployed Worker" covered the activities of the Unemployed Workers' Council, the plight of Brandon's unemployed, efforts by the city's unemployed to improve their lives, and City Council decisions, specifically those regarding relief policy.

Accession 02-2003, dating 1917, 1936-1939, 1970-2002 (predominant 1970-2002), contains extensive correspondence from former Brandon University Economic Professor Don Wheeler to Errol Black. In addition, the accession contains an important body of correspondence

received by Professor Black from Taimi Davis written by Pat Forkin and his wife Pheobe Forkin to family members in Canada during the years 1936-1939, while Pat was a Moscow based correspondent for the Canadian Communist Party Clarion. The accession also contains personal correspondence of Errol Black dating from ca. 1970, drafts of papers, newspaper clippings, pamphlets related to labour and labour political matters. Two publications of note include: "Labour in Brandon" published by the Brandon and District Labour Council and a student guide to labour law written by George MacDowell. The accession also contains several documents related to Black's involvement in the provincial Industrial Adjustment Committee.

Accession 15-2003, dating 1930-2002 (predominant 1930-1939; 1971-2002), contains extensive clippings from the Canadian Communist Party publications "The Worker" and the "Daily Clarion" from the years 1930-1939; twenty-one personal and family photographs (b/w 3x5) of the Forkin family of Brandon, many of whom were active in the Canadian Communist Party; various historical photographs (b/w 8x10) related to the history of labour in Brandon, Manitoba; personal files containing correspondence, letters and opinion pieces to various newspapers, course outlines, research materials and draft publications, arbitration awards and documents related to Black's involvement with the Manitoba Organization of Faculty Associations (MOFA).

Accession 17-2003, dating 1970-2002, contains correspondence, a manuscript of an autobiography written by Black's father Tom Black, research files, letters to the editor and draft publications by Errol Black.

Accession 3-2011, dating 1909-2010, contains an extensive record of newspaper clippings often of Professor Black's correspondence with the Brandon Sun from the early 1970s through to 2011. Clippings relate to civic issues, labour relations, social justice, economic questions. Documents (membership cards, cards of thanks, stamps) of various kinds, and photographs of Professor Black, family members, and various labour related events including parades and rallies, appear throughout these clippings. Collection includes miscellaneous files relating to the 75th Anniversary of the Winnipeg General Strike including the Brandon Sympathetic Strike of 1919, the Brandon Greys Baseball team, the Assiniboine College BMHC lobby campaign, Brandon and Area Environmental Council, the Brandon East NDP Constituency Association. Editions (1925-31) of the Sons of England - Official Organ of the Sons of England Benefit Society - published in Oshawa, Ontario, and copies of documents related to the Commission of Inquiry (1928) into labour issues at the Brandon Mental Hospital are included. Collection also contains extensive correspondence associated with Professor Black's activities as a department member, scholar, and activist in the Department of Economics at Brandon University. Collection contains as well research materials related to the Brandon labour movement, strikes at A.E. McKenzie Seed Company 1940s, cd roms containing research materials - clippings and images - for Labour Council Anniversary book (2006), and civic politics in Brandon. Records also contain research materials on various members of the Forkin family - in particular the Pat Forkin, Tom Forkin, and Stephen Forkin (aka Jim Davis) - who were active members of the Canadian Communist Party during their adult lives. A collection of family photographs and six tape cassettes containing accounts of the experiences of single unemployed men during the Great Depression and the funeral of Stephen Forkin (Jim Davis) and correspondence from Taimi Davis the widow of Stephen Forkin (Jim Davis) supplement the sources on the Forkin family.

Notes: Photographs of Joe Forkin, Pat Forkin, Stan Forkin, Jim Davis and other members of the Forkin family are contained in Box 3 (15-2003) and Box 10 (3-2011).

Name Access:	<p>Errol Black</p> <p>Stanley Forkin</p> <p>Stephem Forkin (a.k.a Jim Davies)</p> <p>Assiniboine Community College</p> <p>Brandon Greys Baseball Team</p> <p>Brandon Mental Hospital</p> <p>Brandon Unemployed Workers' Council</p> <p>Canadian Communist Party</p> <p>Brandon</p> <p>Don Wheeler</p> <p>Phoebe Forkin</p> <p>Pat Forkin</p> <p>Daily Clarion</p> <p>A. E. Mckenzie</p> <p>The Worker</p> <p>Industrial Adjustment Committee (Manitoba)</p> <p>Manitoba Organization of Faculty Associations</p> <p>Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives</p> <p>Sons of England</p>
Subject Access:	<p>The Great Depression</p> <p>unemployment</p> <p>radical press</p> <p>Brandon</p> <p>labour</p> <p>Communism</p> <p>industrial relations</p> <p>collective bargaining</p>
Accruals:	Further accruals are expected.
Access Restriction:	Some restrictions. Consult the University Archivist for access.
Repro Restriction:	Researchers are responsible for observing Canadian copyright restrictions.
Storage Location:	<p>MG 3 Brandon University Teaching and Administration</p> <p>1.1 Errol Black</p>
Related Material:	<p>MG 3 1.12 contains additional records related to George MacDowell; RG 6, Series 15 (BUFA) contains additional records on the Brandon University Faculty Association; RG 6, Series 7, Sub sub series 7.1.5 (Department of Economics) contains additional records related to the Department of Economics at Brandon University; RG 6, Series 7, Sub-series 7.1 (Dean of Arts) contains files on Don Wheeler and George MacDowell.</p>



## George F. MacDowell collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4049>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Description Level: Sub-series  
Series Number: MG 3 1.12  
Accession Number: 9-2002  
GMD: textual records  
Date Range: 1941-1987, predominant 1960-1982  
Physical Description: 8.1 m  
Physical Condition: Good

History /

Biographical:

George F. MacDowell was born in 1913, in Prince Edward Island. He studied at Dalhousie University from 1930 to 1933, but did not complete a degree. During WWII, MacDowell served in Canada and Europe as a member of the Royal Canadian Signals Corps. After the war, he returned to Dalhousie University, graduating with a B.A. in 1947. Subsequently, he graduated with a Masters Degree in Economics from Clark University in Worcester, Massachusetts. George McDowell taught at both Mount Allison University and the University of Alberta before coming to Brandon in 1957 to teach at Brandon College. He remained as a professor in the Economic Department until his retirement in 1979.

MacDowell's work was published in the Canadian Journal of Economics and Political Science. In 1971, McClelland & Stewart published his account of the Brandon Packers strike of 1960 titled "The Brandon Packer's Strike: A Tragedy of Errors." In Brandon, MacDowell maintained a relationship with the local Association of Fire Fighters, aiding them with collective bargaining procedures. He also served as Chairman for the MacKenzie Seeds Board, and was a member of the Manitoba Development Corporation Board.

MacDowell never married and had no known children. He passed away on February 26th, 1986.

Custodial History:

This collection was in the possession of George MacDowell until his death. It was then held by the Brandon University Department of Economics until 1997, at which time it was transferred to the McKee Archives at Brandon University.



#### Scope and Content:

The bulk of this fonds falls into five main categories:

1. Records dealing with the Brandon Packers Strike of 1960 and the subsequent legal actions against the owners, including all 2215 pages of the Brandon Packers Strike Commission;
2. Records dealing with the Commission of Inquiry into The Pas Forestry and Industrial Complex, including the complete transcript of the inquiry measuring approximately 5m. This Commission dealt with the conduct of Churchill Forest Industries, a company owned by a Swiss financial firm, which, in the 1960's, was given approximately 93 million dollars by the Roblin Provincial Government to develop The Pas Forestry and Industrial Complex. Churchill Forest Industries and its parent company subsequently came under suspicion of fraud and accused of fraudulently transferring The Pas Forestry funds into other foreign business interests;
3. Records dealing with business loans awarded by the Manitoba Development Corporation during the 1970's and 1980's to businesses primarily within Manitoba;
4. Records dealing with McKenzie Seeds, and McKenzie Steele-Briggs Seeds during the early 1980's when George MacDowell was a board member of McKenzie Seeds;
5. Records dealing with Professor MacDowell's career as a Professor at Brandon University, including records relating to his courses and to administrative activities.

To a lesser extent, this collection includes records dealing with the University of Saskatchewan College of Commerce, the publication the "Manitoba New Democrat," issues associated with politics, labor and union in the prairie provinces from the 1960's to the 1980's, articles from various economic periodicals including "Economica" and "Public Finance," a variety of government reports from 1941 to 1981, and records dealing with George MacDowell's relationship with the Brandon Firefighters Association.

Notes: File level inventory available. Description written by Mike White (2002).

Name Access: Errol Black  
Brandon University  
University of Saskatchewan College of Commerce  
Manitoba New Democrat  
Manitoba Development Corporation  
Brandon Packers Strike Commission  
Bank Act  
A.E. McKenzie Steele Briggs Seeds  
Brandon Firefighters Association.

Subject Access: economics  
trade unions  
economics curriculum  
public service unions  
prairie politics  
Edward Schreyer government  
labour  
Manitoba business loans  
government economic reports

Access Restriction: Collection includes financial data on many Manitoba businesses. Consult the archivist for access.

Repro Restriction:	Researchers are responsible for observing Canadian copyright restrictions.
Storage Location:	MG 3 Brandon University Teaching and Administration 1.12 George F. MacDowell
Related Material:	Related material regarding George MacDowell's involvement with the A.E. McKenzie Company can be found in RG 3 McS A.E. McKenzie Company fonds.



## Ken Hanly collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4067>

Part Of:	RG 6 Brandon University fonds
Description Level:	Sub-series
Series Number:	MG 3 1.6
Accession Number:	16-1997
GMD:	sound recordings
Date Range:	1974
Physical Description:	6 sound recordings
Physical Condition:	Tapes are fragile

### History /

#### Biographical:

Kenneth Ralph Hanly was born in Clinton, Ontario on July 30, 1932. He obtained his B.A. (Honors in English and Philosophy) from the University of Saskatchewan in 1959, his M.A. in Philosophy from the same institution in 1960, and his Ph.D. in Philosophy with honors from the University of Oregon in 1967. Hanly was initially appointed to the Philosophy Department at Brandon University in 1963. He retired as of June 30, 1996 and in 1998, the Board of Governors of Brandon University conferred the title of Professor Emeritus on him.

At Brandon University, Hanly was the poetry co-editor of "Pierian Spring" for 1982 and 1983, the editor for that publication for 1984 and 1985, and the editor of "Dollar Poems" from 1983-1987. He also served as a representative on the University Tenure Committee and the Senate. His research interests included the Canadian left and political radicalism and labour movements in Brandon. During his tenure at Brandon University he was active in the NDP and particularly interested in municipal politics.

Hanly was also a member of the Manitoba Police Commission (1982-1987), the Manitoba Law Reform Commission (1970s), Amnesty International, the Canadian Authors Association, the Manitoba Writer's Guild, the Manitoba Association of Rights and Liberties, and an associate member of the League of Canadian Poets (1984-1986).

As of January 2006, Ken Hanly divides his time between Oakburn, MB and the Philippines. He can be contacted at [northsunm@yahoo.com](mailto:northsunm@yahoo.com).

#### Custodial History:

While doing research in 1974, Ken Hanly sent three tapes and a request to William Pritchard to record an oral history of the Socialist Party of Canada. The tapes were recorded in October of 1974. Wiszniowski and Pirozek were interviewed by Hanly himself in the same year. Magnacca was also interviewed by Hanly. Hanly kept these materials from 1974 until 1997 when he decided to donate them to the McKee Archives.

#### Scope and Content:

Fonds includes cassette tapes of a conversation with W. A. (Bill) Pritchard in which he provides an oral history of the Socialist Party of Canada (SPC) and describes his activities as a militant within the party from 1911 to 1927. Pritchard devotes a good deal of time to describing his many experiences as editor of the Western Clarion, the party newspaper, running in various elections, and his tours of B.C. and Alberta on behalf of the party. Pritchard also discusses the ideology of the Socialist Party of Canada and the ideological splits within it that occurred in the 1920s.

Fonds also includes a recording of a conversation with Brandon Communist Frank Wiszniowski dealing with Wiszniowski's involvement in various organizations following his arrival in Brandon in 1926. Fonds also includes a taped conversation with former Brandon Mayor Stephen Magnacca concerned with various features of political life in Brandon.

Notes:	CD copies of the Pritchard tapes have been made.
Name Access:	William Pritchard Frank Wiszniowski S. Magnacca J. Pirozek
Subject Access:	Socialist Party of Canada Western Clarion Canadian Marxism Radicalism
Accruals:	Further accruals expected.
Repro Restriction:	Researchers are responsible for observing Canadian copyright restrictions.
Conservation:	Archives has determined that the Wiszniowski, Pirozek and Magnacca tapes are too fragile to make copies.
Location Original:	Originals and copies are being stored in the same box.
Storage Location:	MG 3 Brandon University Administration and Teaching 1.6 Ken Hanly
Related Material:	Copies of "Pierian Spring" and "Dollar Poems" are located in RG 6, series 7, sub sub series 7.1.2 (Faculty of Arts Publications).



## Carole Paintin-Dence collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4068>

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds  
Description Level: Sub-series  
Series Number: MG 2 2.12  
Accession Number: 8-1997  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1900-1964; predominant 1948-1964  
Physical Description: 85 cm textual records  
21 color slides

### History /

#### Biographical:

Carole Paintin-Dence was raised in Souris, Manitoba and attended Brandon College in the early 1960s. While at Brandon College she was active in the Glee Club, I.R.C. and French Clubs. She was also Quill reporter for the Music Department.

#### Scope and Content:

Collection consists of a small collection of Brandon College memorabilia and slides. The memorabilia includes programs from various Brandon College Student Association events, Alumni News, and a copy of "The New Brandon College School of Music" by Peggy Sharpe. The slide images include: the opening of the Music Building 1963 (3) - Sir Ernest MacMillan, Lady MacMillan and Lorne Watson; raising the class flag 1964 (2); the JRC Evans Lecture Theatre 1964 (1); Brandon College Original Building 1964 (1); Freshie Parade 1962 (1) - glee club float and 1963 (3) - "wedding of Jack & Jill"; French Immersion class Summer 1964 (4) - Mme Ragot, Neil Forsyth, Henri Francq; party for John 1963 (2) - Ken May, Morlene Sparrow, John Sushelnitsky, Norma Walmsley, Poppy Cumming, Chris Cassels, Pat Brake, Eleanor Riesberry; W.U.S. parties (4) - Joan Garnett, Norma Walmsley, Claude Paintin, Brian Foster, Rae Westcott, Clark Brownlee, Nina Kosakawiecz, Berth Paintin

Collection also includes school texts and pedagogical guides - forty-seven in total - dealing with reading, spelling, social studies and particularly music.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry.  
Name Access: World University Service  
Subject Access: freshie week  
building openings  
class flags  
convocations  
Storage Location: MG 2 Brandon College Students  
2.12 Carole Paintin-Dence  
Related Material: Paul Panton fonds



## T.R. Wilkins collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4298>

Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds  
Description Level: Sub-series  
Series Number: MG 1 1.4

Accession Number: 3-2016  
GMD: textual records  
Date Range: 1911?-1940  
Physical Description: 7 cm  
History /  
Biographical:

Thomas Russell Wilkins was born in Toronto in 1891. He received his B.A. from McMaster University in 1912, and became the Science Master at Woodstock College the following year. In 1916, he and his wife Olive moved to Chicago, where Wilkins was an instructor of Physics at the University of Chicago. The next year he served as a master signal electrician in the U.S. Signal Corps. During World War I, Wilkins completed pioneer research for the United States Navy, which led to the development of pulse sonar devices in the 1920s. He had also been researching the possibilities of a wireless telephone.

Wilkins and his wife moved to Brandon in 1918, where he took up the position of Professor of Physics. During his time at Brandon College, Wilkins introduced the latest technology to classrooms, designed the original Science Building, and along with the Brandon Citizen's Committee, secured building funds for the Citizen's Science Building.

Receiving his Ph.D. from the University of Chicago in 1921, Wilkins resigned from Brandon College in 1925 to pursue postgraduate study at Cambridge University. In 1926, he began research at the University of Rochester, where he also took up the position of Professor of Physics. From 1930 to 1938, he acted as the Director of the Institute of Optics.

Widely known for his work in the fields of cosmic rays and atomic disintegration, in April 1939, Wilkins announced the perfection of a camera that was able to record the "footprints" of invisible atoms after they collide. In October 1939, he received a medal from the Royal Photographic Society of Great Britain recognizing his work regarding the use of photographic emulsions in the study of radium. The following year, Wilkins perfected a camera that could determine the energy levels inside the nuclei of stable chemical elements. He received a grant from Sigma Xi, the National Society for the Promotion of Scientific Research, in November of 1940.

Wilkins married twice. The first marriage, to Olive Angles Cross took place on June 17, 1913. Olive Wilkins died suddenly on May 13, 1937, at the age of 45. Wilkins married Susan Gwendolyn Whidden, the daughter of former Brandon College president Dr. H.P. Whidden, in 1938.

Thomas Russell Wilkins died suddenly of a heart attack on December 10, 1940, on his way back to his laboratory after a faculty meeting. He was 49 years old.

Custodial History:

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

#### Scope and Content:

T. Russell Wilkins' records contain correspondence between himself and Mrs. Wilkins and Dr. Whidden concerning their employment with Brandon College. There are letters between the two men regarding the building of the Science Building in 1920. There is also a copy of the Canadian Baptist. Besides programmes and a picture, there is also correspondence between various people. Dr. Wilkins kept the papers he had written for various classes at McMaster University in the years 1911 and 1912. There is a "toast to the ladies" that he delivered at a banquet of some sort, that gives an interesting view on how Wilkins, and possibly other men of his time, viewed women. There are numerous newspapers clippings, and several pages taken from journals such as Popular Mechanics, Popular Electricity and others. Dr. Wilkins was at the top of his field of study. He was an extremely bright man who managed to create some very useful tools of science. His papers are interesting and informative to read.

Notes:	History/Bio information taken from Campus News May 1990
Name Access:	Olive Wilkins Thomas Wilkins H.P. Whidden
Subject Access:	science building science scientific development
Storage Location:	2016 accessions