

# S. J. McKee Archives



Standard up-to-date practical letter writer : a comprehensive and practical guide to correspondence, showing the structure, composition, formalities and uses of the various kinds of letters, notes and cards

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections791>

Part Of: MG 2 2.15 George E Thorman Collection  
Collection: George E Thorman School Textbook Collection  
Creator: Strong, E. J. (Edward Jefferson), 1863  
Description Level: Item  
Item Number: Archives 11-999-3-73  
Item Number Range: Archives 11-999-3-73  
Responsibility: by E.J. Strong  
Start Date: 1914  
Date Range: 1914  
Publication: Chicago : C.C. Thompson Co  
Physical Description: 275 p. : ill. ; 20 cm  
Notes: Includes index  
Subject Access: Letter writing  
Commercial correspondence  
Etiquette  
Storage Location: Box 3 - English  
Storage Range: Box 3 - English



## Flora Cowan

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13861>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
Item Number: 20-2009.172  
Accession Number: 20-2009  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: [19-]  
Physical Description: 5" x 7" (b/w)  
Material Details: reproduction

## History /

### Biographical:

Mrs. Flora Cowan (1902-1986) was born on July 15, 1902 in Edinburgh, Scotland. She was the daughter of Adam and Helen Cruickshank and immigrated to Brandon with her parents in 1927. She married E.C. Cowan, and they had two children, Franklin and Ruth. From 1953 until Brandon College became Brandon University, she served as the Dean of Women. In 1966 she received the Good Citizenship Award of the Golden Boys of Manitoba. She was a member of the I.O.D.E. and a life-member of the International Peace Garden, and the Provincial Council of Women. From 1954 to 1970 Mrs. Cowan served as a member of the Brandon City Council and was the first woman to be appointed acting mayor. She was also the Chairman of the Board for Fairview Home, Inc. In 1967, Mrs. Cowan received the Trillium Business and Professional Club Woman of the Year Award. She was also a member of several other community committees. The women's residence at Brandon University, Flora Cowan, is named in her honour. In December 1980, Mrs. Cowan finally retired from her many positions. She died in Brandon on September 25, 1986 at the age of 84.

### Scope and Content:

Photograph is a portrait of Flora Cowan

Name Access: Flora Cowan

Subject Access: portraits

Storage Location: RG 5 photograph storage drawer 2 (hanging photos)

Related Material: Trillium Business and Professional Women's Club records

### Arrangement:

From 2009 loose photos, from File 13

## Images

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## Registration Day

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions1709>

Part Of: Brandon University Photograph Collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 6

Item Number: 6.7.8

GMD: graphic

Date Range: post-1963

Physical Description: 5.25" x 7.25" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Left side of the photograph has been trimmed.

Scope and Content:

Photograph of three female students registering as residents of the Women's Residence at Brandon University. Behind counter: Flora Cowan.

Name Access: Flora Cowan

Subject Access: registration

student activities

campus life

Storage Location: Faculty activities photo box

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