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## Lovstrom Block E 1991 - site co-ordinates

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12656>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.6.3.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1991

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History /

Biographical:

Large scale excavations of two block sites took place in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Brett Waddell as crew chief and Theresa Hill as assistant. Block E consisted of 10 additional excavation units.

Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block E 1991 - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block E

## Documents

Lovstrom Block E 1991 - site co-ordinates

Lovstrom Block E

Lovstrom Block E 1991

Summary Information:

During the 1988 Lovstrom Excavations, Archaeological Field School student excavations were part of Lovstrom Block E and H at the Lovstrom locale. Excavations were under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Brett Waddell as crew chief and Theresa Hill as assistant.

This excavation was part of Block E. The initial data was consolidated as PDF's, a subsequent data with the co-ordinates of 2000/00/00 was used to facilitate computer cataloging.

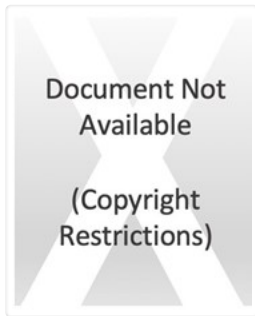
Excavation	Original Context	Catalogue Context	Crew
101-109	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Brett Waddell
101-110	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Bev Nicholson
101-111	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Theresa Hill
101-112	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	John Waddell
101-113	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Bev Nicholson/Theresa Hill
101-114	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Bev Nicholson
101-115	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Bev Nicholson
101-116	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Bev Nicholson
101-117	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Bev Nicholson
101-118	2000/00/00	2000/00/00	Bev Nicholson

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## Lovstrom Block G 1988 - site co-ordinates

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12629>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds  
Description Level: sub sub sub series  
Series Number: 3.8.1.1  
Accession Number: 1-2010  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1988  
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Large scale excavations of four block sites took place in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Ian Kuijt as crew chief. Block G consisted of 4 excavation units.

#### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block  
G 1988 - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block G

## Documents

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## Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site co-ordinates

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12640>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.9.1.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1988

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History /

Biographical:

Large scale excavations of four block sites took place in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Ian Kuijt as crew chief. Block H consisted of eight excavation units.

Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1988 - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block H

## Documents

ABC 10 & Lovstrom Locals 1988-1

ABC 10 Lovstrom Block H


ABC 10 Summary Information:


Large scale excavations of four block sites took place in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Ian Kuijt as crew chief.

Block H consisted of eight excavation units. The unit data was established as follows: a comparison of the co-ordinates of 1988/89 was used to determine original co-ords.

Excavation	Original Crew	Catalogue Crew	Crew
101	201/001/01	201/001/01	Ian Kuijt
102	201/001/02	201/001/02	Ian Kuijt
103	201/001/03	201/001/03	Ian Kuijt
104	201/001/04	201/001/04	Ian Kuijt
105	201/001/05	201/001/05	Ian Kuijt
106	201/001/06	201/001/06	Ian Kuijt
107	201/001/07	201/001/07	Ian Kuijt
108	201/001/08	201/001/08	Ian Kuijt

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# Lovstrom Block D 1988 - site co-ordinates

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12555>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.5.2.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1988

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

## History /

### Biographical:

Large scale excavations of five block sites took place in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Ian Kuijt as crew chief. Four excavation units were added to Block D.

### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block D 1988 - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block D

## Documents

ABC W & Lovstrom Locals 1988-1

3.5.2.1 Lovstrom Block D

3.5.2.1 Summary Information:

Excavations continued in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Ian Kuijt as crew chief.

Four additional excavation units were excavated at Block D. The total datum was established at 1000.0, a reference datum with the coordinates of 1000000.000 was used as the datum for all excavations. The block was divided into four units.

Excavation	Original Co-ords	Calculated Co-ords	Crew
101	1000000.000	1000000.000	Bev Nicholson
102	1000000.000	1000000.000	Bev Nicholson
103	1000000.000	1000000.000	Bev Nicholson
104	1000000.000	1000000.000	Bev Nicholson

Further Excavated in 101, 102 and 103. Mapquest Map/Photo/Google Maps/Local

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## Lovstrom Block A - site co-ordinates

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12452>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.2.1.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1987

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History /

Biographical:

Large scale excavations of five block sites took place in 1987 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Jane Gibson as crew chief. Block A consisted of 12 excavation units.

Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block A - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block A

## Documents

ABO 70 A Lovstrom Locals 1987

3.2 Lovstrom Block A

3.2.1 Lovstrom Block A 1987

3.2.1.1 Summary Information:

Large scale excavations of five block sites took place in 1987 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Jane Gibson as crew chief. Block A consisted of 12 excavation units.

The initial dataset was established as PMSI, a subsequent dataset with the co-ordinates of 50000000 was used to facilitate computer cataloging.

Excavation	Original Name	Coordinate	Owner
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.1	41000000	John Davidson/Lynn Thomas
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.2	41000000	Lynn Thomas
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.3	41000000	Margaret Nicholson
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.4	41000000	Margaret Gibson
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.5	41000000	Lynn Thomas
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.6	41000000	John Davidson/Lynn Thomas
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.7	41000000	Thomas Hill
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.8	41000000	Thomas Hill
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.9	41000000	Mike Gibson
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.10	41000000	Lynn Thomas
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.11	41000000	Rick Davidson/Margaret Gibson
3.2.1.1	3.2.1.1.12	41000000	Lynn Thomas

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## Lovstrom Block F - site co-ordinates

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.7.1.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1988

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Large scale excavations of four block sites took place in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Ian Kuijt as crew chief. Block F consisted of 4 excavation units.

#### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block F - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology

Lovstrom locale

Lovstrom Block F

## Documents

ABC W & L Lovstrom Locale 1988

3.7.1 Lovstrom Block F

3.7.1.1 Summary Information

Large scale excavations of four block sites took place in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Ian Kuijt as crew chief. Block F consisted of 4 excavation units.

Block F consisted of four excavation units. The spatial domain was established as 1988, a subsequent domain with the coordinates of 1988/1989 was used to facilitate comparison with other sites.

Excavation	Original Code	Catalogue Code	Cover
3.7.1.1.1	3.7.1.1.1.1	3.7.1.1.1.1	Philip 16
3.7.1.1.2	3.7.1.1.1.2	3.7.1.1.1.2	Thompson Map/Photos
3.7.1.1.3	3.7.1.1.1.3	3.7.1.1.1.3	Ian Kuijt/Philip 16
3.7.1.1.4	3.7.1.1.1.4	3.7.1.1.1.4	Philip 16

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# Lovstrom Block B - site co-ordinates

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.3.1.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1987

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History /

Biographical:

Large scale excavations of five block sites took place in 1987 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Jane Gibson as crew chief. Block B consisted of 21 excavation units.

Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block B - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block B

## Documents

ABC W & L Lovstrom Locale 1987

3.3.1 Lovstrom Block B

3.3.1.1 Summary Information

A large scale excavation of five block sites took place in 1987 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Jane Gibson as crew chief. Block B consisted of 21 excavation units.

Block B consisted of 21 excavation units located near T1-4 at (Original Coordinates 20004000 of original coordinates 20004000).

The actual dates were established as 1987, a subsequent date with the co-ordinates of 20004000 was used to facilitate computer cataloging.

Excavation	Original Co-ords	Catalogue Co-ords	Crew
101-01	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-02	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-03	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-04	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-05	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-06	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-07	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-08	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-09	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-10	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-11	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-12	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-13	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-14	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-15	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-16	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-17	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-18	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-19	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-20	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson
101-21	20004000	20004000	Bev Nicholson

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## Lovstrom Block C - site co-ordinates

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.4.1.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1987

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Large scale excavations of five block sites took place in 1987 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Jane Gibson as crew chief. Block C consisted of nine excavation units. Miggs Green was Block C assistant.

#### Scope and Content:


Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.


Name Access: Lovstrom Block C - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block C

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## Lovstrom Block H 1991 - site co-ordinates

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.9.2.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1991

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Large scale excavations of two block sites took place in 1988 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Brett Waddell as crew chief and Theresa Hill as assistant. Block H consisted of nine additional excavation units.

#### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block H 1991 - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block H

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## Lovstrom Block D 1987 - site co-ordinates

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Part Of:	RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds
Description Level:	sub sub sub series
Series Number:	3.5.1.1
Accession Number:	1-2010
GMD:	multiple media
Date Range:	1987
Material Details:	Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Large scale excavations of five block sites took place in 1987 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Jane Gibson as crew chief. Block D consisted of 2 excavation units.

#### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access:	Lovstrom Block D 1987 - site co-ordinates
Subject Access:	Archaeology
	Lovstrom locale
	Lovstrom Block D

## Documents

ABC W & L Lovstrom Locale 1987

3.5.1.1 Summary Information

Large scale excavations of five block sites took place in 1987 under the direction of Bev Nicholson with Jane Gibson as crew chief.

Block D consisted of 2 excavation units. The initial plan was to excavate in 1987, a subsequent plan with the excavations of 1987/1988 was used in the block's complete excavation. The final excavation was in 1988.

Excavation	Original Crew	Original Crew	Crew
3.5.1.1	3.5.1.1.1	3.5.1.1.2	3.5.1.1.3

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## Lovstrom Block E 1988

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds  
Description Level: Sub sub series  
Series Number: 3.6.2  
Accession Number: 1-2010  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1988  
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History /  
Biographical:

Directed by Dr. Nicholson and with Ian Kuijt as crew chief, fourteen additional units were excavated in Block E in 1988. Stratigraphic evidence of distinct activity areas at successive depths and radiocarbon dates indicate at least three occupations (380 BP, 700 BP and 860 B P).

Three identified activity clusters occur stratigraphically, supporting these dated occupations. A clear distinction between Blackduck and Vickers Focus ceramics is evident in this Block. Sixteen small side-notched and un-notched points were recovered in this excavation series as well as numerous unifacial scrapers. Fragments from a grey soapstone tube were also recovered.

Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position; Field journals are daily records of recoveries, features and activities at the site; Site records include excavation level and unit summaries, feature sheets, profiles; sample records and maps; Artifact catalogues are lists and identifications of all artifacts recovered; Photographs are of excavation units, features, the landscape and personnel.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block E 1988  
Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block E



## Lovstrom survey 1985 - site co-ordinates

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12410>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 3.1.1.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1985

Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History /

Biographical:

In 1985 the Lovstrom locale was tested by Drs. Nicholson and Hamilton with 5 students. An extensive survey and nine excavations units were opened. This testing indicated the presence of artifacts manufactured by Blackduck and Duckbay peoples from the boreal forest and northern parkland areas. Other ceramics diagnostic of groups from the Saskatchewan Basin and the Middle Missouri area were also recovered in surface collection from the cultivated area of the locale.

Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom survey 1985 - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom survey 1985

## Documents

ARCH 3.1 Lovstrom Locale 1985-1

3.1.1.1 Lovstrom survey and testing 1985

3.1.1.1.1 Summary Information

In 1985 Drs. Nicholson and Scott Hamilton with a small crew of students set up survey lines within the locale. Surface finds were designated as catalogue numbers 1 and surface 2 with consecutive surface numbers. Five test units were excavated in the stratified zone of the locale.

Excavation units were: Brenda Lonsdale, Alan Fries, Alan Fries, and Alan, Steve and Jennifer Nicholson.

The initial data was established as PDF with the base of 200 000 and 200 000. A subsequent data with the co-ordinates of 1000 000 was used to facilitate computer cataloging.

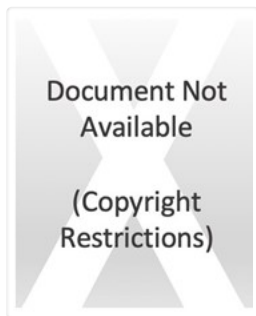
Excavation Unit	Original Name	Catalogue Name	Area
NU 1	200001W	200001W	Alan Fries
NU 2	200002W	200002W	Alan Fries
NU 3	200003W	200003W	Brenda Lonsdale
NU 4	200004W	200004W	Alan Fries
NU 5	200005W	200005W	Alan Fries
NU 6	200006W	200006W	Alan Fries
NU 7	200007W	200007W	Alan Fries
NU 8	200008W	200008W	Alan Fries
NU 9	200009W	200009W	Alan Fries

NU 1-9: Alan Fries, Scott Hamilton

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## Lovstrom survey 1986 - site co-ordinates

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12411>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds  
Description Level: sub sub sub series  
Series Number: 3.1.2.1  
Accession Number: 1-2010  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1986  
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Under Dr. Nicholson's direction and crew chief Brenda Kramarchuk with crew of Kate Peach and Blaine Frenette an additional sample of 15 units were excavated in 1986. This work confirmed the results of the first season, and resulted in an increased sample of faunal material, lithics, ceramics, and in the identification of distinctive ceramic clusters from different locations within the locale. These two seasons of testing satisfactorily demonstrated the presence of a large Prehistoric locale that warranted further exploration.

#### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position.

Name Access: Lovstrom survey 1986 - site co-ordinates

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom survey 1986

## Documents

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## Lovstrom Block E 1991

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds  
Description Level: Sub sub series  
Series Number: 3.6.3  
Accession Number: 1-2010  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1991  
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Excavations took place in block E in 1987 and 1988 with 21 units opened. Ten further units were excavated in 1991 as part of the Brandon University Archaeological Field School, directed by Dr. Nicholson with Brett Waddell as crew chief and Theresa Hill as field assistant.

In 1991 a hearth was identified in Block E as well as a cluster of spoil dirt piles believed to represent material from a pit feature identified in the 1988 excavations. The pit feature is believed to be related to the recovery of clay that may have been used to build ceramic vessels.

Stratigraphic evidence of distinct activity areas at successive depths and radiocarbon dates indicate at least three occupations (380 BP, 700 BP and 860 B P). Three identified activity clusters occur stratigraphically, supporting these dated occupations.

Large numbers of lithics were recovered, forming an assemblage dominated by SRC and KRF with lesser amounts of porcellanite and quartzite. The upper occupation contained some Tongue River Silicified Sediment (TRSS). Eight Prairie Side-Notched points were recovered as well as a lunate biface and an end scraper. Fragments from a grey soapstone tube were also recovered.

#### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position; Field journals are daily records of recoveries, features and activities at the site; Site records include excavation level and unit summaries, feature sheets, profiles; sample records and maps; Artifact catalogues are lists and identifications of all artifacts recovered; Photographs are of excavation units, features, the landscape and personnel.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block E 1991  
Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block E





## Lovstrom Block E - summary

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 3.6

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1987 - 1991

History /

Biographical:

This site is situated in a naturally sheltered area with a low rise to the east and south partly encircling a flat area open to the west. Present natural vegetation is an open oak forest with a light understory of saskatoon, hazelnut, poison ivy and sarsaparilla. It is situated on the till plain at the upper end of a ravine leading to Jock's Creek.

Two test units six meters apart were excavated in 1987 and produced cultural materials which warranted a block excavation, so seven contiguous 1m<sup>2</sup> units were then opened. These units proved to be very productive of cultural remains. Subsequent excavations in 1988 increased the number of excavated units to 21. In 1991 a further eight units were excavated for a total of 29 excavations and two test units. Excavations went deeper in this block than in Blocks C or B. Remains from the block included bison bone, bone tools, fire-cracked rock, ceramics, lithics including tools and debitage and a hearth. Another occupation was recovered in 1991 containing a hearth and living floor.

Radiocarbon samples have produced two distinct sets of radiocarbon dates from 1987 and 1988 excavations. There appears to be two or possibly three cultural horizons definable within this block.

An upper cultural horizon, located between 14-21 cm below surface, contains large bison bone and fire-cracked rock dating to 465/100B.P from XU 128.

A lower horizon in the 20-25 cm level contained FCR, bison bone and lithic scatter that was dated to 675/70 B.P. from XU 122 and 715/110 from XU 114.

Scope and Content:

Sub-series has been divided into sub sub series including: Lovstrom Block E 1987, Lovstrom Block E 1988 and Lovstrom Block E 1991.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block E - summary

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block E



## Lovstrom Block E 1987

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds  
Description Level: Sub sub series  
Series Number: 3.6.1  
Accession Number: 1-2010  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1987  
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

History /  
Biographical:

Directed by Dr. Nicholson and with Jane Gibson as crew chief, two test units TU 107 and TU 108 were excavated six meters apart in 1987 and produced cultural materials which warranted a block excavation. Seven contiguous 1m2 units were opened in 1987 (XU 118, 119, 122, 123, 125, 126 (TU108) and 127). This block proved to be very productive of cultural remains. Large bison bone and fire-cracked rock indicated butchering/processing areas. Two bone tools, fabricated from scapulae were recovered. One is a bone knife – possibly a squash knife – and the other is a bifurcated scapula, which may have been a hoe.

### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position; Field journals are daily records of recoveries, features and activities at the site; Site records include excavation level and unit summaries, feature sheets, profiles; sample records and maps; Artifact catalogues are lists and identifications of all artifacts recovered; Photographs are of excavation units, features, the landscape and personnel.

Name Access: Lovstrom Block E 1987  
Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block E



## Lovstrom Block H 1988

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12639>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds  
Description Level: Sub sub series  
Series Number: 3.9.1  
Accession Number: 1-2010  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1988  
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

Directed by Dr. Nicholson and with Ian Kuijt as crew chief, eight units were excavated in Block H in 1988. The vegetation is similar to other areas in the locale with an open oak forest with a light understory of saskatoon, hazelnut, poison ivy and sarsaparilla.

Radiocarbon dates from this block indicate two occupations separated in time by some 300 years. The excavation of the eight 1m<sup>2</sup> units resulted in the recovery of over 650 ceramic fragments including 20 rim sherds from at least four vessels, a grooved maul, fire-cracked rock, lithic debitage and a reworked Avonlea projectile point. A large amount of bison bone, including a number of axial elements and a fragmented skull were also recovered.

The 650 ceramics recovered are of two kinds, representing at least four vessels. Stylistically, two of these vessels appear to be from the Vickers Focus and the third vessel may be Mortlach ware. The fourth vessel appears to be Blackduck and probably comes from the lower occupation. Also encountered were what is possibly a thin ash deposit in unit 180. The presence of a large number of bison axial elements is suggestive of primary butchering activities. Several canid bones were recovered scattered among the bison bone. Although there is no visible stratigraphic evidence, the 14C dates and the different ceramic types indicate more than one occupation in this area and it is likely that several types of behavior and use of space are represented.

High numbers of ceramic fragments are often assumed to be associated with activities characteristic of habitation areas, rather than hunting or butchering behavior. The lithic material assemblage is intermediate between Blocks G and E with KRF being the most frequent material category followed by local cherts.

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Lovstrom Block H



## Lovstrom Block D 1988

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds  
Description Level: Sub sub series  
Series Number: 3.5.2  
Accession Number: 1-2010  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 1988  
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Block D is a wooded with oak and an understory of saskatoon and hazelnut with a thick ground cover of poison ivy and sarsaparilla. Root and rodent disturbance was extensive.

Directed by Dr. Nicholson with Ian Kuijit as crew chief, five units were opened in Block D in 1988. Four units were excavated: 88, 91, 92 and 94. A feature in units 91 and 92 contained extensive deposits of large bison bone and fire-cracked rock. Several of the lower limb elements were articulated. Bone deposits were associated with numerous large fire-cracked rocks and were clustered in an area of one meter. Also recovered were a side-notched projectile point and two historic gun flints.

Judging from the association of the gun flints, projectile points, and bison bone, as well as the radiocarbon date of 230+/-90 B.P. recovered in 1987, it appears that this feature is from the Protohistoric period and related to refuse disposal.

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Subject Access: Archaeology  
Lovstrom locale  
Lovstrom Block D



## Lovstrom Block G 1988 - summary

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Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 3.8

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1988

History /

Biographical:

In 1988 four units were excavated in Block G. The vegetation is similar to other areas in the locale with an open oak forest with a light understory of saskatoon, hazelnut, poison ivy and sarsaparilla.

Excavations recovered artifacts between 0 cm – 15 cm b.s. The cultural deposits are very shallow and it is quite possible that what appears to be a single occupation may in fact represent multiple occupation compressed deposits as a result of deflation or the lack of sedimentation in this raised area. This latter view is supported by the ceramics which appear to be a mixture of Blackduck and Vickers Focus wares.

The frequency and distribution of cultural material from block G contrasts with that of other sites in the locale. While the diagnostic materials are similar, the nature of the background debris and the associated lithic assemblage suggests that this area was utilized for a different set of activities.

Unlike Blocks E and H, there is very little in the way of ceramics, fire-cracked rock or bison bone, yet a significant amount of lithic debitage and six Plains/Prairie Side-notched projectile points were recovered. No unifaces or scrapers were recovered. This may be an area where activities such as manufacture and hafting of projectile points; hunting activities, butchering and refuse disposal took place.

No RC dates were taken.

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Lovstrom Block G