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David Bovington

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Part Of: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 2.4

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 1925-1926

Physical Description: 26.5 cm

History /

Biographical:

Dr. Bovington was born in Gonbridge Wells, Kent County, England on December 2, 1869 to Richard and Emma Bovington (nee Deuch). He came to Canada in 1890. After training for the ministry at Woodstock College and McMaster University, where he graduated in 1899, he attended Rochester Theological Seminary before being ordained in Victoria BC. In addition to Victoria, Bovington held pastorages in Windsor and St. Thomas, ON.

Bovington married his wife Martha Lockhart (1870-1957) in Oxford, ON on January 3, 1900. The couple had at least four children: Richard Dadson (1901-1972), Marguerite Agnes (1902-1975), David L (1904-1953) and Archibald T (1906-1983).

In 1906, Bovington went to Rochester to take his Doctor of Divinity; while there he was an instructor in Systematic Theology and Homiletics. In 1915, he took his Master's in Systematic Theology at the University of Chicago. From 1916 - 1925, Bovington served as the pastor of First Baptist Church, Cleveland, OH.

In 1925, Bovington was asked to become the fourth president of Brandon College. Although he accepted the position his wife and family did not accompany him to Brandon when he arrived in the summer of 1925. Bovington resigned from the Presidency on May 24, 1926, claiming that the pressure of trying to secure funds for the financial support of the school was beyond his strength.

David Bovington died in Cleveland, OH on August 21, 1955.

Scope and Content:

Dr. Bovington was President for only nine months. His collection includes correspondence regarding the Baptist Union of Western Canada, Modernists, and Dr. MacNeill. As well, religious field work is documented. There is quite a bit of correspondence from the Registrar and Bursar regarding student accounts. Fundraising for Brandon College is documented, especially the Davies' Fund campaign and the Endowment Fund campaign. There is quite a bit of correspondence to and from Dr. MacNeill, who was Acting President, from before Dr. Bovington arrived in Brandon and after he resigned.

Name Access: David Bovington

Harris MacNeill

Storage Location: RG 1 Brandon College fonds

Series 2: Office of the Principal/President



"The Wheat Market" - Pacific Avenue Brandon

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9190>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: James A. Brock (?)

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1C3

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: Nov. 30, 1885

Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Rebuilt Edie House became Merchants' Hotel in 1890

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

"The Wheat Market", Pacific Avenue east from Ninth Street

Notes: Showing hotels: Edie House built 1882; Grand View built 1882; Farmers' Rest

Name Access: "The Wheat Market" - Pacific Avenue Brandon

Subject Access: downtowns

businesses

Grain elevators

banks

Brandon Street Scenes Before 1940

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

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