

# S. J. McKee Archives



## Crepelee locale Radiocarbon Report I

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11968>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Sub sub series

Series Number: 1.5.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 2003-2008

Physical Description: 3 pages

Material Details: Radiocarbon date reports have been scanned in multi-page PDF files.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Crepelee locale Radiocarbon Dates. C14 report by IsoTrace Laboratory for Crepelee site 2005 XU 8.

From 2003 to 2008 field work took place at the Crepelee locale with 75 - 1m x1m units excavated.

To help establish the cultural sequence at the locale Radiocarbon dates were obtained from the three sites in the Crepelee locale.

#### Radiocarbon dating

The technique of radiocarbon dating was developed by Willard Libby and his colleagues at the University of Chicago in 1949.

Radiocarbon dating is used to estimate the age of organic remains from archaeological sites. Organic matter has a radioactive form of carbon (C14) that begins to decay upon death. C14 decays at a steady, known rate of a half life of 5,730 years. The technique is useful for material up to 50,000 years. Fluctuations of C14 in the atmosphere can affect results so dates are calibrated against dendrochronology. Radiocarbon dates are calibrated to calendar years.

Dates are reported in radiocarbon years or Before Present. Before Present refers to dates before 1950. The introduction of massive amounts of C14, due to atomic bomb and surface testing of atomic weapons, has widely increased the standard deviation on all dates after A.D. 1700 causing these dates to be unreliable.

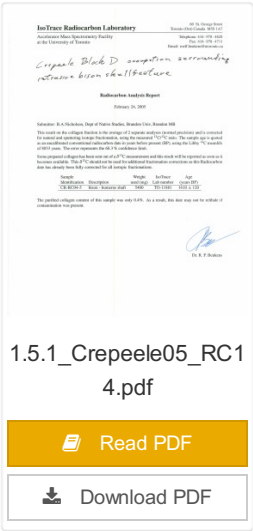
Accelerated mass spectrometry can more accurately measure C14 with smaller samples and can date materials to 80,000 years.

#### Scope and Content:

Sub sub series contains radiocarbon dates from: Crepelee, Sarah and Graham sites.

Name Access: Crepelee locale Radiocarbon Report I

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepelee locale  
Crepelee locale Radiocarbon Dates



North Lauder locale Radiocarbon Report I

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12327>

- Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds
- Description Level: Sub sub series
- Series Number: 2.5.1
- Accession Number: 1-2010
- GMD: multiple media
- Date Range: 1997-2000
- Physical Description: 2 pages
- Material Details: Radiocarbon date reports have been scanned in multi-page PDF files.

History /

Biographical:

North Lauder Radiocarbon Date report by IsoTrace Laboratory for Atkinson II site #TO-11882.

#### Radiocarbon dating

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Dates are reported in radiocarbon years or Before Present. Before Present refers to dates before 1950. The introduction of massive amounts of C14, due to atomic bomb and surface testing of atomic weapons, has widely increased the standard deviation on all dates after A.D. 1700 causing these dates to be unreliable.

Accelerated mass spectrometry can more accurately measure C14 with smaller samples and can date materials to 80,000 years.


Scope and Content:

Sub sub series contains radiocarbon dates from: Atkinson site and Flintstone Hill.

Name Access: North Lauder locale Radiocarbon Report I

Subject Access: Archaeology  
North Lauder locale  
North Lauder locale Radiocarbon Report I

## Documents



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## McGuinness library

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13683>

Other Title Info: Title based on the contents of the series

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Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection  
Description Level: Series  
Series Number: McG 8  
Accession Number: 1-2015  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: c. 1882-2010  
Physical Description: Approximately 2 m  
83 books and other materials (see Material Details Note)  
Material Details: 49 booklets  
3 maps  
3 newsletters  
18 periodicals  
16 pamphlets  
35 newspapers [oversize drawer]

History /

Biographical:

The publications in this series were collected by Fred McGuinness during the course of his career as a newspaperman. McGuinness' personal library contained over 500 volumes pertaining to local history. He regularly consulted these materials when writing his radio broadcasts, newspaper columns, and monographs. McGuinness was known to file related materials (e.g., correspondence, newspaper clippings, invitations) between book covers of various titles.

McGuinness donated a substantial portion of his personal library to Brandon University's John E. Robbins Library when he moved to River Heights Terrace (Brandon, Manitoba). That collection can be found in BU's library catalogue under the McGuinness local history collection. The titles McGuinness retained upon his move were donated to the McKee Archives by his estate in 2011.

Custodial History:

Accession 1-2015 contains records created and collected over the course of McGuinness' career as a newspaper journalist and freelance writer. The Estate of Fred McGuinness donated the materials to the SJ McKee Archives circa 2011. The Archives accessioned the records in 2015.

Accession 20-2009 contain records created and collected by Fred McGuinness over the course of his career as a newspaper journalist and during the research and writing period of the Brandon history book, *The Wheat City*. Records remained in his possession at his home until their transfer to the McKee Archives on July 28, 2009.

Accession 6-2008 contains records created and collected during the writing of the Provincial Exhibition book, *Pride of the Land*. Fred McGuinness, who co-authored the book with Ken Coates, donated these records to the McKee Archives circa 1988. The materials relating to Souris, Manitoba, were given to McGuinness by Kay Sullivan in August 2007, and were subsequently deposited in the Archives.

#### Scope and Content:

This series contains publications collected by Fred McGuinness during the course of his lifetime as a newspaperman. McGuinness was a well-known local history enthusiast and frequently wrote about Brandon's local history. Many of his readers forwarded booklets and pamphlets for his consideration and review.

Materials in this series include books, booklets pamphlets, periodicals, newspapers and maps. Subjects include, but are not exclusive to: the city of Brandon, the town of Souris, memoirs, family histories, Canadian Pacific Railway, and local businesses.

Accruals:	Closed
Finding Aid:	A file level inventory is available
Storage Location:	All library titles, except the newspapers in the McGuinness oversize drawer, are located in Special Collections

#### Arrangement:

Arrangement was artificially created by the Archives.

McG 8 McGuinness library

McG 8.1 Books

McG 8.2 Booklets

McG 8.3 Maps, newsletters, and periodicals

McG 8.4 Pamphlets

McG 8.5 Magazines and newspapers (oversize)

## Documents

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McG 8 McGuinness  
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## Brandon College - Library Furnishings, New Lecture Building and Theatre

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8343>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Creator: Architect: Green, Blankstien, Russell, and Associates (Winnipeg)  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 2.1.1  
Item Number: 15  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: c. 1960  
Physical Description: 6 blueprints, 51 x 76 cm  
Physical Condition: good  
Scope and Content:  
A series of six blueprints containing plans for library furnishings.  
Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition Layout and Grounds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8394>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Creator: Architect: MCM Architects Inc. (Winnipeg)  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 2.1.1  
Item Number: 16  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1991  
Physical Description: 3 blueprints, 76 X 109 cm  
Physical Condition: good  
Scope and Content:  
A series of three blueprints containing plans for the external layout and grounds including grading and planters surrounding the library addition.  
Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8395>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Creator: Architect: MCM Architects Inc.  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 2.1.1  
Item Number: 17  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: c. 1991  
Physical Description: 5 blueprints, 76 X 109 cm  
Physical Condition: good

### Scope and Content:

A series of five blueprints containing plans for the library addition c. 1991. Blueprints include main floor of addition including existing foyer, second floor including existing arts building and the mezzanine floor of the existing library and arts building.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Detailed Plans

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8396>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Creator: Architect: MCM Architects Inc. (Winnipeg)  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 2.1.1  
Item Number: 18  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: c. 1991  
Physical Description: 16 blueprints, 76 X 109 cm  
Physical Condition: good

### Scope and Content:

A series of sixteen blueprints A 4 - A19 ( A -1, A -2, A -3 missing) containing detailed plans for the construction of the library addition. Blueprints include main floor of addition including existing foyer, second floor including existing arts building, and the mezzanine floor of the existing library and arts building.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Preliminary Blueprints

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8397>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Creator: Architect: MCM Architects Inc.(Winnipeg)  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 2.1.1  
Item Number: 19  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: c. 1991  
Physical Description: 8 blueprints, 76 X 109 cm  
Physical Condition: good  
Scope and Content:

A series of eight blueprints containing plans for the construction of the library addition. Blueprints include site plan including entire campus circa 1991, main floor of addition including existing foyer, second floor including existing arts building, the mezzanine floor of the existing library and arts building, and external view north west elevation.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Handrail Detail

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8425>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Creator: Specialloy Industries (Winnipeg)  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 2.1.1  
Item Number: 21  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: c. 1992  
Physical Description: 4 blueprints, 45 x 60 cm  
Physical Condition: good  
Scope and Content:

A series of four blueprints containing detailed plans for the handrail fixtures for the stairwell connecting the main and second floors of the library addition.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents





## Brandon University - Library Addition - Site Plan Proposal

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8426>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: MCM Architects (Brandon)

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1.1

Item Number: 22

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1986

Physical Description: 7 blueprints, 77 x 115 cm

Physical Condition: good

### Scope and Content:

A series of seven blueprints containing detailed drawings of a proposed site plan for a library addition.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 2: Board of Governors

2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Plumbing and Heating Utilities

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8427>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: MCM Architects (Brandon)

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1.1

Item Number: 23

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1991

Physical Description: 3 blueprints, 77 x 115 cm

Physical Condition: good

### Scope and Content:

A series of three blueprints containing detailed drawings of the site plan, existing underground utilities and proposed heating and plumbing utilities for a library addition.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Series 2: Board of Governors

2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Floor Plan Stacks and Periodicals

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8428>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: MCM Architects (Brandon)

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1.1

Item Number: 24

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. no date

Physical Description: 3 blueprints, 77 x 115 cm

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

A series of three blueprints containing detailed drawings of floor plans for the library addition c. 1991 including the existing library. The drawings relate in particular to the location of books stacks, periodical and reference publication storage.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Heritage Floor

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8429>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: MCM Architects (Brandon)

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1.1

Item Number: 25

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1990

Physical Description: 1 blueprint, 77 x 115 cm

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

One blueprint containing detailed drawings of the basement floor of the proposed library addition. This area was referred to as the heritage floor as it was initially devoted to museum and archaeological classroom and laboratory spec.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
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## Brandon University - Library Addition - Circulation/Service

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8430>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Creator: Hilderman Witty Crosby Hanna & Associates - Landscape Architects & Planners  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 2.1.1  
Item Number: 26  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: no date  
Physical Description: 1 blueprints, 77 x 115 cm  
Physical Condition: good  
Scope and Content:  
One blueprint containing detailed drawings of the "revised circulation/service concept" concerning the movement of people and the servicing of the proposed library addition.  
Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Preliminary Plans

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8431>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Creator: MCM Architects (Winnipeg)  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: 2.1.1  
Item Number: 27  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: c. 1991  
Physical Description: 11 blueprints, 77 x 115 cm  
Physical Condition: good  
Scope and Content:  
Eleven blueprints containing detailed preliminary drawings for the construction of the library addition to the John E. Robbins Library. Several pages are missing including A 1, A 10, A 11, A 12, A 13, A 14, and A 16.  
Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Site Plan Electrical Services

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8432>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: MCM Architects (Winnipeg)

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1.1

Item Number: 28

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1991

Physical Description: 11 blueprints, 77 x 115 cm

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Eleven blueprints containing detailed drawings for electrical services in the proposed library addition.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## Brandon University - Library Addition - Structural Drawings

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8434>

Part Of: RG 6 Brandon University fonds

Creator: MCM Architects (Winnipeg)

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1.1

Item Number: 30

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1991

Physical Description: 7 blueprints, 77 x 115 cm

Physical Condition: good

Scope and Content:

Seven blueprints containing detailed drawings - foundation and framing - for the construction of the library addition.

Storage Location: RG 6 Brandon University fonds  
Series 2: Board of Governors  
2.1 Documents



## I am he that liveth

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8982>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3-1997.2

Item Number: 7

Accession Number: 9-2009

GMD: textual records

Date Range: [n.d.]

Publisher Series: Oliver Ditson Company's Sacred Selections

Physical Description: 17 cm x 27 cm

Material Details: 7 pages

Scope and Content:

Copy of I Am He That Liveth (Easter Anthem) composed by Caleb Simper.

Notes: Stamped with "The Property of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Choir, Brandon, Man."

Storage Location: 2009 accessions

Storage Range: 2009 accessions



## Merchants Bank (Public Library) Building

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9273>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1CA23(1)

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: March 23, 1980

Physical Description: 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Merchants Bank (Public Library) building.

Notes: View east on Rosser Ave., including above.

[Mr. Stuckey wrote "2 negs." on the envelope, but there was only one enclosed.]

Name Access: Merchants Bank

Public Library

Chamber of Commerce

Subject Access:       downtowns  
                              businesses  
                              banks  
                              libraries  
                              chambers of commerce  
                              Brandon Street Scenes After 1940

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

Storage Location:     Lawrence Stuckey collection

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### Merchants Bank (Public Library) Building

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9295>

Part Of:               RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level:   Item

Series Number:       3.1

Item Number:         1-2002.3.1D9(1)

Accession Number:   1-2002

GMD:                 graphic

Date Range:          January 21, 1979

Physical Description: 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"

Material Details:    Negative

History /

Biographical:

Built 1906-07; Former Merchants Bank of Canada; Library moved to former Co-op store on 7th Street & Princess Ave in 1984; This building became the Brandon Chamber of Commerce in September of 1985; Façade to remain as heritage building, interior renovations to be conducted with government financing.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

The Merchants Bank of Canada (Western Manitoba Regional Library)

Notes: [Mr. Stuckey wrote on envelope "3 negs." but there is only one in the envelope.]

Name Access: Merchants Bank  
Public Library  
Chamber of Commerce  
Smith's Tobacco  
Fraser Block  
Scotia Towers

Subject Access: downtowns  
businesses  
libraries  
banks  
chambers of commerce  
Brandon Public Buildings

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

## Images

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