

# 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



## Crop insurance in Manitoba : a report on the feasibility and practicability of crop insurance in Manitoba

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections68>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds  
Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection  
Creator: Manitoba. Crop Insurance Committee  
Manitoba Economic Survey Board  
Description Level: Item  
Item Number: HG 9968.C75C283  
Archives 14-7.2-9  
Item Number Range: HG 9968.C75C283  
Archives 14-7.2-9  
Standard number: System Control Number 87100521  
Start Date: 1940  
Date Range: 1940  
Publication: [Winnipeg?] : Economic Survey Board  
Physical Description: 74 l. : maps (part fold.) tables ; 28 cm  
Subject Access: Insurance  
Agricultural Crops Manitoba  
Storage Location: Box 7.2 - Manitoba I (Archives copy)  
Storage Range: Box 7.2 - Manitoba I (Archives copy)



## Keystone Centre development and construction fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions4854>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection  
Description Level: Collection  
Accession Number: 22-1998  
GMD: textual records  
Date Range: 1957-1974; predominant 1970-1974  
Physical Description: 36 cm

#### History /

##### Biographical:

The idea of the Keystone Centre was first mentioned in 1958, at a meeting of the board of directors of the Manitoba Winter Fair. The Manitoba Winter Fair wanted a new facility because the old Wheat City Arena had a leaking roof and a deteriorating west wall. The old facility also had limited space and the Winter Fair felt it needed more space for expansion. The Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba also had problems with their facilities, such as old barns and poor display areas. The idea of the Keystone Centre was put on hold until 1969, when the boards of the Provincial Exhibition and the Manitoba Winter Fair joined together as the Provincial Exhibition Association of Manitoba and the Wheat City Arena was sold and demolished. The original estimate for the cost of the Keystone Centre facilities was \$4.5 million and funding would be proportioned so that the federal and provincial governments would each put in one-third of the money, with the rest coming from local donations. The financial campaign for the Keystone Centre began in 1970, and construction began in November 1970. The grand opening of the Centre was in March 1973, and coincided with the Royal Manitoba Winter Fair of that year.

##### Custodial History:

This fonds was accessioned by the McKee Archives in 1998. Prior custodial history is unknown.

##### Scope and Content:

Fonds contains many folders full of correspondence, financial statements, meeting minutes and other documents relating to the development and construction of the Keystone Centre from 1970-1974, including those from the Keystone Executive Committee, as well as the Building Committee. Fonds also contains one folder that pertains to the Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey from 1959. This folder contains the names and locations of all farmers in the Brandon area in 1959. The Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey was created in 1959, in order to make farming in the Brandon area more profitable. The survey was aided by Doane Agricultural Service from St. Louis, Missouri, who had success creating agricultural development programs in the United States. Fonds also contains folders from the Provincial Exhibition with correspondence, pamphlets, estimates, and studies from the 1960's. There is also one folder belonging to the Manitoba Winter Fair, which contains correspondence and financial statements relating to the Wheat City Arena. Fonds also contains information pertaining to the proposals made in the 1960's, for the building of the Keystone Centre, as well as one folder about the Keystone campaign from 1970-73. There is also one folder about the opening of the Keystone Centre, which contains newspaper clippings and guest lists. Finally, the fonds contains information about a court case involving Albert Bobyk and Robert Stewart. Stewart was the project manager for the Building Committee and Bobyk worked on the Keystone Center. The fonds includes a report about the trial of the two men who were charged with fraud involving their work on the Keystone Centre.

##### Notes:

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Subject Access:	Ray Forbes Fred McGuinness Brandon Area Agricultural Development Survey Doane Agricultural Service Inc Agricultural & Homemaking School of Brandon Royal Manitoba Winter Fair Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba South-Western District Agricultural Society 4-H Manitoba Department of Agriculture City of Brandon Keystone Committee Keystone Building Committee agriculture architecture exhibitions swine farming sheep farming cereal grain farming rural life winter fairs
Storage Location:	1998 accessions
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## Report of the Manitoba Crop Insurance Commission

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/specialcollections227>

Part Of: RG 4 Manitoba Pool Elevator fonds

Collection: Manitoba Pool Elevator Library Collection

Creator: Manitoba. Crop Insurance Commission

Description Level: Item

Item Number: Archives 14-7.2-5

Item Number Range: Archives 14-7.2-5

Start Date: 1955

Date Range: 1955

Publication: [Winnipeg] : Government of Manitoba

Physical Description: 87, [45] p. : ill. ; 24 cm

Notes: W.G. Malaher, Chairman  
"Submitted to the Government of Manitoba, Sept. 9, 1955."

Subject Access: Insurance  
Agricultural Crops Manitoba

Storage Location: Box 7.2 - Manitoba I

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