

# S. J. McKee Archives



## Central School

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9370>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1DA19

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1940

Physical Description: 2 1/2" x 4 1/2"

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

Built 1892; Razed 1971.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Central School

Notes: Located on the south side of the 500 block of Lorne Ave.

Collection of George H. Harris Winnipeg, Man.

Name Access: Central School

Subject Access: schools

elementary schools

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Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

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## Central School class

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13751>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.62

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1906-1907

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Postcard has two thumb tack holes in its corners, bottom left corner is creased, face of one student is blotted out.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Central School was situated on Lorne Avenue between 5th Street and 6th Street.

#### Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by Allena Strath (nee Coombs).

#### Scope and Content:

Postcard depicts an outdoor class photograph of the 1906-1907 Central School Grade 5? class. The class is posing outside of the school. The girls are wearing dresses and boots. Most of the boys are wearing suits and ties.

Notes: Back of postcard reads: Allena Coombs, 1906-1907. All the students' names are listed. The class teacher is identified as Miss [Nettie?] Harrison.

Name Access: Central School  
Allena Coombs

Subject Access: schools  
class portraits

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

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## Central School Grade VI class

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13750>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection  
Description Level: Item  
Series Number: McG 9  
Item Number: 20-2009.61  
Accession Number: 20-2009  
GMD: graphic  
Date Range: 1907-1908  
Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)  
Material Details: postcard  
Physical Condition: Postcard has four thumb tack holes in its corners

### History /

#### Biographical:

Central School was situated on Lorne Avenue between 5th Street and 6th Street.

#### Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by Allena Strath (nee Coombs).

#### Scope and Content:

Postcard depicts an outdoor class photograph of the 1907-1908 Central School Grade 6 class. The class is posing outside of the school. The girls are wearing dresses and the boys are wearing suits and ties.

Notes: Back of postcard reads: Grade VI, Allena Coombs, 1907-1908.

Name Access: Central School  
Naomi Moore  
Allena Coombs

Subject Access: schools  
class portraits

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

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## Central School Grade VII class

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13749>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.60

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1908-1909

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

Physical Condition: Postcard has four thumb tack holes in its corners

### History /

#### Biographical:

Central School was situated on Lorne Avenue between 5th Street and 6th Street.

#### Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by Allena Strath (nee Coombs).

#### Scope and Content:

Postcard depicts an outdoor class picture of the 1908-1909 Central School Grade 7 class.

The class is posing outside of the school. The girls are wearing dresses and bows in their hair.

The boys are wearing suits and ties. Teacher Naomi Moore stands to the right of the class.

Notes: Back of postcard reads: Grade VII, Teacher, Naomi Moore, Allena Coombs, 1908-1909.

Name Access: Central School

Naomi Moore

Allena Coombs

Subject Access: schools

class portraits

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

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## Central School Grade VIII class

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13748>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.59

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1909-1910

Physical Description: 5.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Material Details: postcard

History /

Biographical:

Central School was situated on Lorne Avenue between 5th Street and 6th Street.

Custodial History:

Donated to Fred McGuinness by Allena Strath (nee Coombs).

Scope and Content:

Postcard is an outdoor class photograph of the 1909-1910 Central School Grade 8 class. The girls are wearing dresses and the boys suits and ties. School principal, Bedford A. Tingley, lays in front of the class.

Notes: Back of postcard reads: Grade VIII, Teacher, B.A. Tingely [sic.], Allena Coombs

Name Access: Central School  
Bedford a. Tingley  
Allena Coombs

Subject Access: schools  
class portraits

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

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## First Central School

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9309>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: [James Brock?]

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1DA1

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1884?]

Physical Description: 3" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

### History /

#### Biographical:

Built 1882. Sold to Hughes & Co. July 1, 1905. Became part of Strathcona Block, built on front out to 10th Street in 1905.

[From 1871 to 1890 the Manitoba school system was based on the Quebec model of religiously-aligned primary education. As such, Brandon's first Central School was actually the first school built as part of the Brandon Protestant School Board. In contrast, St. Joseph's Academy provided education to the children of Brandon's Catholic community and was overseen by its own Catholic school board. Many non-secular school boards would be eliminated in Manitoba in 1890. (Mitchell, T. 1986. In the Image of Ontario: Public Schools in Brandon 1881-1890. Manitoba History, Number 12, Autumn 1986)]

#### Custodial History:

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

#### Scope and Content:

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## Grade V room, Central School

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13909>

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Creator: Photographer: R.M. Coleman

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.219

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 1930s

Physical Description: 4.5" x 3.5" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph has been cut

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows a

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Orma McGuinness, R.M. Coleman, Free Lance Photography, Brandon, Manitoba.

Name Access: Central School

Orma McGuinness

Subject Access: class portraits

schools

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

Arrangement:

From 20-2009 #4 plastic envelope #2

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## Remains of First Central School

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9312>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1DA2  
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:

[This photo shows the remains of Brandon's first Central School, built 1882. A "T" shaped addition was added to the east side of the original school in 1883. In 1905 the Brandon School District sold the building to Hughes & Company, who subsequently added an eastward extension to the building bringing it out to 10th Street. This combined building would become known as the Strathcona Block. P.E. 12/06/09]

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Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

Rear [west side] of Strathcona Block

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Strathcona Block  
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## View of Central School from Firehall

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9378>

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1DA25

Accession Number: 1-2002

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [189-?]

Physical Description: 3 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

### Custodial History:

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

### Scope and Content:

View southeast from Old Firehall showing Central School.

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