

S. J. McKee Archives



Barber George Irwin in shop

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13767

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.78

Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic
Date Range: [1909?]
Physical Description: 6" x 4" (b/w)

Physical Condition: Photograph is scratched

History /
Biographical:

Gordon Irwin (1878 - 1968) was a long-time barber in Brandon, Manitoba. Irwin was born in Allenbank, Ontario. He married Elizabeth Jane Rollings (b. 04 Dec 1880, Napanee, ON; d. 24 Jul 1976, Brandon, MB) in Malton, Ontario, on January 11, 1905, and the couple moved to Brandon shortly thereafter. According to Henderson's Brandon City Directories, Gordon Irwin worked as a barber, for more than 49 years, in various establishments throughout the city. Notable shops include: the Imperial Hotel (1906), the CPR Barbers (1913-1923), Heise's (1929-1935), Kidds (1930-1941), and Robert Fowles (1949-1955). The Irwins celebrated their diamond anniversary in 1965, which was photographed and profiled in the Brandon Sun (14 Jan 1965, 8). According to his Brandon Sun obituary (19 April 1968, 12), Gordon Irwin passed away in Brandon on April 17, 1968, and was interned in the Rosewood Cemetery.

The decorative ceiling and border are consistent with another photograph of a tobacconist's shop in the McGuinness collection (see 20-2009.1). According to Henderson's 1909 Brandon City Directory, Gordon Irwin - a barber - and tobacconist J.S. Rosby shared at storefront at 919 Rosser Avenue. This address is situated on the north side of Rosser Avenue, adjacent to a laneway. It is possible that the back of the shop overlooks the Grand Union Hotel on the corner of Pacific Avenue and 10th Street.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the interior of a barber shop. Three barbers are posing by their chairs and two customers are receiving a shave. The barber in the centre has been identified as Gordon Irwin. A display for Rudolf's Patent Pipes is in the foreground. An ornate tin ceiling and elaborate border are visible in the photograph. Framed pictures hang above the mirror, including an advertisement for undertakers Vincent & Macpherson (1901-1906).

Notes: Writing on the back of the photograph reads: Dave Dick says centre

barber is Gordon IRWIN, location may have been about 813 Rosser. May have been Kidd's Barber Shop. Harold Tackaberry confirms IRWIN.

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Name Access: Gordon Irwin

J.S. Rosby

Rosser Avenue

Subject Access: store interiors

building interiors

barbers

barber shops

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

Related Material: McG 20-2009.1

Images





Sutherland Agencies Ltd.

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13193

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: S

Item Number: 11-2010.S64

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: after 1954

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the Sutherland Agencies building.

Name Access: CKX

Sutherland Agencies

Subject Access: building exteriors

businesses

signs and signboards

barber shops

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Reston dealers and merchants - Berry's Barber Billiards

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13331

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: R

Item Number: 11-2010.R107 Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: October 1964

Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the Berry's Barber Billiards building.

Name Access: CKX

Berry's Barber Billiards

Subject Access: building exteriors

businesses

signs and signboards

barber shops

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images





Store interior, possibly 919 Rosser Avenue.

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13691

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection
Creator: Photographer: J.W. Wilson Co.

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.1
Accession Number: 20-2009
GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1909?]

Physical Description: 6.25" x 4.5" (b/w)

Material Details: On matting

History / Biographical:

The decorative ceiling and border are consistent with another photograph in the McGuinness collection (see 20-2009.78) in which Gordon Irwin is identified. According to Henderson's 1909 Brandon City Directory, Gordon Irwin - a barber - and tobacconist J.S. Rosby shared at storefront at 919 Rosser Avenue. This address is situated on the north side of Rosser Avenue, adjacent to a laneway. It is possible that the back of the shop overlooks the Grand Union Hotel on the corner of Pacific Avenue and 10th Street.

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the interior of a store primarily selling pipes and cigars. An ornate tin ceiling and wallpaper border are evident. A barber shop area can be seen in the back of the shop near the exit.

Notes: Writing on the back reads: Harold Tackaberry says may have been Jory's

or Waldron's, now part of Knowlton's. The handwriting is Fred

McGuinness'.

Name Access: Rosser Avenue

Gordon Irwin

J.S. Rosby

Subject Access: tobacconists

store interiors cigar dealer barber shops

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

Related Material: McG 9 20-2009.78

Images





600 block of Tenth Street

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9279

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1CA27(1)

Accession Number: 1-2002 GMD: graphic

Date Range: February 13, 1977

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

Material Details: Negative

History / Biographical:

Lawrence Stuckey was born at 645 10th Street.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Barber and beauty shop located on the east side of the 600 block of 10th Street.

Name Access: 600 Block of Tenth Street

Subject Access: businesses

merchants beauty salons barber shops

Brandon Street Scenes After 1940

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

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

Arrangement:

[Mr. Stuckey put 4 negatives in the same envelope. We have separated them and numbered them CA27(1) through CA27(4).]

Images





Rexall dealers in Manitoba - unidentified store front (same as R28d)

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13371

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX

Description Level: Item

Series Number: R

Item Number:11-2010.R87cAccession Number:11-2010GMD:graphic

Date Range: October 1964

Physical Description: 2.5" x 2.5" (b/w)

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of a Rexall pharmacy building.

Name Access: CKX

Rexall Drugs

Subject Access: building exteriors

store exteriors
businesses
barber shops

signs and signboards

drug stores

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

Images



600 block of Tenth Street

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9280



Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1CA27(2)

Accession Number: 1-2002
GMD: graphic

Date Range: February 13, 1977

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

Material Details: Negative

History / Biographical:

Lawrence Stuckey was born at 645 10th Street.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Houses and businesses located on the east side of the 600 block of 10th Street.

Name Access: 600 Block of Tenth Street

George Strange Gidding's Grocery

Subject Access: businesses

merchants
grocery stores
beauty salons
barber shops

Brandon Street Scenes After 1940

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

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

Arrangement:

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Images





600 block of Tenth Street

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions9281

Part Of: RG 11 Lawrence Stuckey fonds

Creator: L.A. Stuckey

Description Level: Item
Series Number: 3.1

Item Number: 1-2002.3.1CA27(4)

Accession Number: 1-2002 GMD: graphic

Date Range: February 13, 1977

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

Material Details: Negative

History / Biographical:

Lawrence Stuckey was born at 645 10th Street.

Custodial History:

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

Scope and Content:

Houses and businesses located on the east side of the 600 block of 10th Street.

Name Access: 600 Block of Tenth Street

George Strange Gidding's Grocery

Subject Access: businesses

merchants grocery stores beauty salons barber shops

Brandon Street Scenes After 1940

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

Storage Location: Lawrence Stuckey collection

Arrangement:

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Pringle's Men's Wear (Boissevain)

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13636

Part Of: CKX fonds

Creator: CKX
Description Level: Item

Series Number: F

Item Number: 11-2010.P18a

Accession Number: 11-2010

GMD: graphic
Date Range: after 1954

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (b/w)

Material Details: Negative

Custodial History:

See fonds level of the CKX records for custodial history.

Scope and Content:

Image of the Pringle's Men's Wear sign.

Name Access: CKX

Pringle's Men's Wear

Chapmen's

Subject Access: building exteriors

signs and signboards

clothing stores

businesses

cars

Grain elevators barber shops

automobile dealerships

Storage Location: CKX fonds - 2010 accessions

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8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13768



Fred McGuinness collection Part Of: ltem

Series Number: McG 9

Description Level:

20-2009.79 Item Number: Accession Number: 20-2009 GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1906]

Physical Description: 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has

warped over time

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of the northeast intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are parked along the east side of 8th Street. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is standing on a soap box and is surrounded by a crowd in the middle of 8th Street. Another man can be seen standing behind a booth on the northwest street corner. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 297. One

> photograph (20-2009.80) is glued below the photograph. Another photograph is glued on the reverse side. Page appears to be from a

photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Fleming's Drug Store

Frank Gowen Photographer

Liverpool House

Hotel Imperial Annex

8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Aagaard's

R.S. Thompson

8th Street Bridge

Subject Access: Street scene

Transportation

downtown

storefronts

store exteriors

hotels

boarding houses barber shops

restaurants

druggists

photographers

bridge horses dogs

buggies

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

Images





Street scene 8th Street in winter

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13703

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9
Item Number: 20-2009.13
Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic Date Range: 1906

Physical Description: 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over

time

History / Biographical:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue in the winter. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio. Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton. The Imperial Hotel is visible on the west side of 8th Street. The 8th Street Bridge is visible in the background.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 338, November

1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the southwest corner of 8th

Street and Rosser Avenue.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Frank Gowen Photographer

Liverpool House

Hotel Imperial Annex

8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Aagaard's

R.S. Thompson 8th Street Bridge

Bank of Hamilton

Imperial Hotel

Subject Access: Street scene

downtown

storefronts

store exteriors

hotels

boarding houses

barber shops

restaurants

druggists

photographers

bridge

banks

winter

land agents

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

Images





8th Street and Rosser Avenue intersection

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13701

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item

Series Number: McG 9

Item Number: 20-2009.11

Accession Number: 20-2009

GMD: graphic

Date Range: [1906]

Physical Description: 6.5" x 4.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph is scratched and has been glued to a backing board that has

warped over time

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue. Horse and buggies are travelling on both roads. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio, and Fleming's Drug Store. A possible street fair is in progress on Rosser Avenue. One man is surrounded by a crowd adjacent to the Fleming Block, another man stands on a soap box in the middle of the intersection, while a third man is standing behind a booth. Building construction appears to be happening on the west corner of 7th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 296. One

photograph (20-2009.12) is glued above and two others are glued on the

reverse side. Page appears to be from a photo album.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Fleming's Drug Store

Frank Gowen Photographer

Liverpool House

Hotel Imperial Annex

8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Aagaard's

R.S. Thompson

8th Street Bridge

Subject Access: Street scene

Transportation

downtown storefronts

store exteriors

hotels

boarding houses

barber shops

restaurants

druggists

photographers

bridge

horses

dogs

land agents

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

Images





Street scene 8th Street in winter

http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions13704

Part Of: Fred McGuinness collection

Description Level: Item
Series Number: McG 9

Item Number:20-2009.14Accession Number:20-2009GMD:graphicDate Range:1906

Physical Description: 4.25" x 3.25" (b/w)

Material Details: on matting

Physical Condition: Photograph has been glued to a backing board that has warped over

time

History / Biographical:

On 16 November 1906, Manitoba was hit by a severe winter storm that began that Thursday evening and extended through the weekend. The Brandon Daily Sun ("Storm Extends Over a Large Territory," 17 Nov. 1906, 1) reported that rail and telegraph services had been disrupted, country roads were impassable, and business in town was at a stand still. Following the weekend, the daily reported the blizzard was one of the greatest in recent memory. CPR trains had been caught in drifts by Carberry and an express car had caught fire and was destroyed ("Worst Storm in Many Years," Brandon Daily Sun, 19 Nov. 1906, 1).

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows street view of intersection of the 000 block of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue in the winter. Businesses on the east side of 8th Street from Pacific to Rosser Avenues are clearly visible and include: a Lunch Room (likely Aagaard's Lunch Counter), the Hotel Imperial Annex, Liverpool House (a boarding house), R.S. Thompson and Company Real Estate Office (Land Office), a barber shop (likely J. Coulter's), Frank Gowen photography studio. Fleming's Drug Store on the corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue has been replaced by the Bank of Hamilton. The Imperial Hotel is visible on the west side of 8th Street. The 8th Street Bridge is visible in the background. Men in winter coats and hats are crossing the street at the intersection. A horse-drawn sleigh is parked on 8th Street.

Notes: Writing on the front of the photograph matting reads: 340, after the storm

November 1906. Page appears to be from a photo album. The photograph appears to be taken from the interior of a builing on the

southwest corner of 8th Street and Rosser Avenue.

Name Access: Fleming Block

Frank Gowen Photographer

Liverpool House

Hotel Imperial Annex

8th Street

Rosser Avenue

Aagaard's

R.S. Thompson 8th Street Bridge

Bank of Hamilton

Imperial Hotel

Subject Access: Street scene

downtown

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druggists

photographers

bridges

banks

winter

Transportation

sleighs

storms

land agents

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

Images

