

## Indian Residential Schools Collection

**Title:** Indian Residential Schools Collection

**Date:** 1891-1947

**Extent:** 10 cm of textual records, bound volumes and photographs

**Repository:** United Church of Canada Archives Winnipeg

### **Custodial History:**

This collection was created in 2014 while preparing materials to be sent to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission on Indian Residential Schools.

The Collection consists a small collection of *Progress* (Newsletter), materials that were previously in the Vertical Files (4 folders of material of unknown origin) and a collection of photographs which were accessioned with material from Coulter Pastoral Charge (Manitoba) but had no known connection with the Charge. The collection spans 1891-1947.

All the items in this collection are included in the United Church of Canada Archives Winnipeg 2014 Index of IRS Related Records and were digitized for submission to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

### **Restrictions on Access:**

One document in Folder 3 is restricted.

### **Language:**

The materials are in English.

### **Accurals:**

Since this Collection was created by the Archives from material of unknown provenance no further accurals are expected.

### **Record Level Description:**

***Progress***, Folder 1

*Progress* is a newsletter produced by the students of the Indian Industrial School (Presbyterian), Regina, North West Territories. Its stated purpose: "to further the interests of the Indian work of the Presbyterian Church in Canada and to give the public information regarding the race and its advancement." The contents include school news, short stories, poems, practical tips and humour.

The holdings consist of 8 bound newsletters: Vol. X, November 1903, No.3; Vol. X, December 1903, No.4; Vol. XI, January 1904, No.5; Vol. XI, February 1904, No.6; Vol. XI, May 1904, No.9; Vol. XI, June 1904, No. 10; Vol. XII, October 1904, No. 11, Vol. XII, November 15, 1904, No. 13.

**Presbyterian Indian Residential School Records 1891-1907 Folder 2**

The source of these records is unknown. They include correspondence, invoices, Quarterly School reports, Student List

**Brandon Indian Residential School Records 1936-1959 Folder 3**

The source of these records is unknown. They include Yearbooks, newspaper clipping, correspondence. One document, a 1957 Memo, possibly written by E.E.M. Joblin, has Restricted Access due to personnel Assessment disclosures.

**Conference of Indian Residential School Principals 1934 Folder 4**

The source of these records is unknown. Agenda and Data Book from Conference of Indian Residential School Principals, Board of Home Missions, Woman's Missionary Society, The United Church of Canada January 29-30, 1934, P 86.

**Coulter Indian Residential School Photographs Collection Folder 5**

These photographs came with materials from the Coulter (Lyleton -Pierson) United Church Pastoral Charge, Manitoba. There was no information linking the photographs to the Charge. The photographs were relocated to this collection in April 2014.

(These photographs were placed on the Archive's website ([uccarchiveswinnipeg.ca](http://uccarchiveswinnipeg.ca)) in November 2014.)

Key for Photograph Description

- Line 1: File name**
- Line 2: Photographer/Collector Caption**
- Line 3: Keywords**
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Intermediate Room, Grades 3, 4, 5 & 6 c.1947.

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students

Brandon Residential School Students, Grades 3, 4, 5 & 6

1 photograph: b&w; 9 x 14.5 cm

coulter\_002

none

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students  
Physical Education Class, Brandon Residential School. c.1947  
1 photograph: b&w; 8.9 x 13.8 cm

coulter\_003

Primary Room Grades 1 & 2

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students  
Brandon Residential School Students, Grades 1 & 2  
1 photograph: b&w; 9 x 14.4 cm

coulter\_004

Mrs. Mc Neill and her 12 piano pupils

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students  
Mrs. Mc Neil and Piano students, Brandon Residential School. c.1947.  
1 photograph: b&w ; 9 x 13.8 cm

coulter\_005

Jessie and Ewart Manias

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; First Nations People--Staff; Nelson  
House

Jessie and Ewart Manias. c.1937

1 photograph: b&w ; 6.9 x 11.6 cm, Cross reference: bruce\_017n

coulter\_006

Jessie

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; First Nations People--Staff; Nelson  
House

Jessie Manias with kitten in front of house. c.1937.

1 photograph: b&w; 6.9 x 11.5 cm

coulter\_007

Ewart

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Residences--Houses; First Nations  
People--Staff; Nelson House

Ewart Monias with kitten in front of house. c.1937.

1 photograph: b&w ; 6.9 x 11.6 cm, Cross reference: bruce\_017n

coulter\_008

Picking crocuses - Easter

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students

Brandon Residential School Students picking crocuses at Easter.

1 photograph: b&w ; 12.2 x 7.6 cm

coulter\_009

Softball team

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Activities--Sports--Baseball Teams; Students; Staff

Brandon Residential School Student Girls Softball Team.

1 photograph: b&w ; 7 x 9.6 cm, Additional view available.

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two good friends

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students

Two Residential school students.

1 photograph: b&w ; 7 x 9.7 cm

coulter\_011

Ready for church

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Transportation--Trucks; Students; Staff

Students in transportation truck parked in front of school on way to church.

1 photograph: b&w ; 7 x 9.7 cm

coulter 012

Graduates

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students

Brandon Residential School Graduates.

1 photograph: b&w ; 7 x 9.7 cm

coulter\_013

Graduates

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students

Brandon Residential School Graduates.

1 photograph: b&w ; 7 x 9.7 cm

coulter\_014

School staff 1947 Principal Rev. O.B. Strapp (centre front row)

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Staff--Teachers-Principal

Brandon Residential School Staff with Principal Rev. O.B. Strapp. 1947.

1 photograph: b&w; 9 x 13.7 cm .

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Graduating class 1947

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students-Graduates

Brandon Residential School Graduating Class, 1947

1 photograph: b&w ; 9 x 13.8 cm

coulter\_016

Junior High School Grades 7, 8, & 9.

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students

Brandon Residential School Junior High School Grades 7, 8 & 9

1 photograph: b&w ; 9 x 14.6 cm

coulter\_017

Betty and Charlotte Bear

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; First Nations People-Community

Betty and Charlotte Bear

1 photograph: b&w; 6 x 8.4 cm

coulter\_018

Going to church - 1st United in Brandon

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Exteriors; Students; Transportation-  
Trucks

Female Students in Truck on way to First United Church, Brandon. c.1937.

1 photograph: b&w; 6.3 x 9 cm

coulter\_019

Matron Dorothy Doyle & young student

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Staff--Matrons; Students

Matron Dorothy Doyle and young student.

1 photograph: b&w; 7 x 9.7 cm

coulter\_020

New at School, Bdn

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Students

New students arrive at Brandon Residential School.

1 photograph: b&w ; 7 x 9.6 cm

coulter\_021

2 teachers: Bill Reid, high school & Viola Daly, elementary

Coulter Collection; Brandon Residential School; Staff-Teachers

Teachers Bill Reid and Deaconess Viola Daly

1 photograph: b&w; 7 x 11.7 cm