

Next Meeting

**Tuesday
January 17,
1995**

Auditorium of the
Quinte Living Centre
370 Front St. Belleville

7:30 Coffee

8:00 Meeting

GUEST SPEAKER

**Mr. Douglas Crawford
Hillier, Prince
Edward County.**

Researcher and Historian
Citizen of the Year Award
(Prince Edward County
Chamber of Commerce)

TOPIC:

**"History of the Canning
Factories of Prince
Edward County"**

On display will be many
labels from factories of
yester year.

*The public and members
are cordially invited.*

Here's your opportunity to
renew your membership
for 1995 if you have not
already done so.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



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ANNUAL MEETING

TWO FOR THE PRICE ONE!!!

Yes, only in 1994 did members of the Hastings County Historical Society have the opportunity to attend two annual meetings of the Society. Each featured a short business meeting, followed by our Vice-Chairman Maurice McLeod, antique expert, identifying and describing the origin, use and value of the various heirlooms, collectibles and curiosities brought by members and Maurice. Both annual meetings were followed with delicious desserts, tea and coffee. This unique situation occurred because the board, for several sensible reasons, decided that the Society's year-end should correspond with the calendar year-end.

The November meeting featured President Leona Hendry's overview of report highlights, and the unanimous acceptance of the 1995 budget as presented by Treasurer John Anderson. Also approved was the slate of officers presented by the nominat-

ing committee, for the 1995 year. New members nominated were: Dr. Ken Douglas, Bill Hunt, Elizabeth Mitchell, Edna Wright and Lewis Zandbergen. They join present board members Leona Hendry, Barbara Coulman, Rev. Maurice McLeod and Diane Zegouras.

Retiring members of the board were presented with "Good Citizen" Certificates by President Hendry. They included: John Anderson, Marion Fisher, Beth Green, Mary McConnell and Bernard Wright.

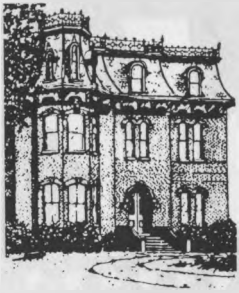
ANNUAL MEETING

A.C.O. Quinte Branch

Architectural Conservancy of Ontario members are reminded of the A.C.O. Annual meeting on January 15 at 2pm. The location is the Napanee Town Hall. The speaker probably will be Tom Cruikshank, editor of Century Home and author of the Prince Edward County architectural record, *The Settler's Dream*.

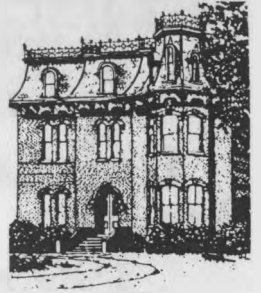
SINCERE SYMPATHY

To the family of the late JACK ELLIS, former MP. A strong supporter of the heritage movement, Jack was known for his appearances in a costume modelled on that of Captain John Meyers UE, Belleville founder. In 1990 Jack narrated the Bicentennial reenactment of Sidney Township's first town meeting of May, 1790.



Your County Museum

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1994 DONATIONS

Hastings County Museum personnel would like to thank all those who donated their family's heirlooms in 1994. It is donations from the community which enable the Museum to offer quality education and exhibit programmes.

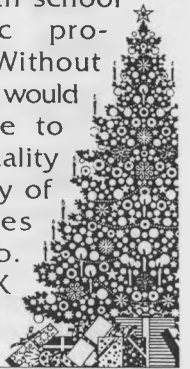
Among the many donations received were two large donations from Mrs. Elizabeth Purdy and Miss. Queenie Cooke. The Purdy donation is on display in the dining room and consists of a service for eight of Royal Crown Derby "Traditional Imari" china, 32 pieces of cross and olive crystal stemware, and a service for eight of Birks silverplate flatware.

The Cooke donation consists of 2 complete cocoa sets, a large fruit bowl with ten matching fruit nappies, and several small individual pieces.

1994 CHRISTMAS SEASON

The Museum hosted another successful

Christmas season. The staff, as always, are grateful to all those volunteers who assisted with school and public programmes. Without your help we would not be able to offer the quality and quantity of programmes we do.
T H A N K
YOU!!!



County News

1994 was a good heritage year. Add the following evidence to the list of 20 "Happy Events" in the September Outlook:
continuing success of Trenton's enlarged RCAF Memorial Museum
agreement between Trenton Council and the Trent Port Historical Society for preservation of the Old Town Hall
a Heritage Belleville Team (Elizabeth Saunders, Carol Wolfgarth, and Helen Woods) researching buildings on the West Hill for 20 weeks
improvements to the

North Hastings Museum at Bancroft
planning for the Marmora Library and Heritage Centre
a feasibility study by the Quinte Arts Council to consider possible uses for BCIVS
successful activities of the Stirling and District Historical Society and the Madoc Historical Foundation, including haunted house at Halloween, car rally, and Victorian House Tour
relocation of the extensive reference library of the Quinte Branch of the Ontario Genealogical Society to the Marilyn Adams Genealogical

Research Centre in Ameliasburgh
re-election to municipal councils of such heritage supporters as Andre Philpot (Marmora Village Reeve), Evan Morton (Tweed Deputy Reeve), and this writer (Councillor, Belleville)
continuing successful Sunday walking tours by the Quinte Branch of the Architectural Conservancy of Ontario
publication in The Napanee Beaver of Chapter Two in the developing history of Heavens on Fire - Oronhyatekha by James B. Maracle and Allan H. Gale.
publication of four his-

torical postcards by the Marmora Historical Foundation
acquisition by the Tweed and Area Historical Society of a permanent home for its Heritage Centre - the former clinic of Drs. Allen and Berry; our thanks to Clyde Bell for sending news of this important event
election of Lloyd Churchill (Bancroft Reeve and North Hastings heritage advocate) as Warden of Hastings County for 1995
"I am my own grandfather." - a revelation from a Bancroft newspaper in 1902, to be reprinted in Outlook's next issue.

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