

Heritage Ottawa

CP/PO Box 510, Station B, Ottawa Ontario

INFORMATION PLEASE!

THE ARCHVILLE HALL, 1895

Some heritage structures take more noticing than others.

How many commuters to the Elysian Fields of Alta Vista and beyond, pause for the stop light at Main and Hawthorn, while staring blankly, at a rather dowdy brick pile, with the date 1895 engraved over the entrance? This is a relic of the days when "Archville" was an independent community, a rural suburb of the Capital.

Legend has it that this building was once the Town Hall of Archville. Another and more convincing version is that this was once a school, standing at the crossroads of the so-called "macadamized road" (1890) - Now Main Street.



This building is presently owned by the city and used by a French-language theatre group, an English drama theatre group, certain Youth programs and for general storage.

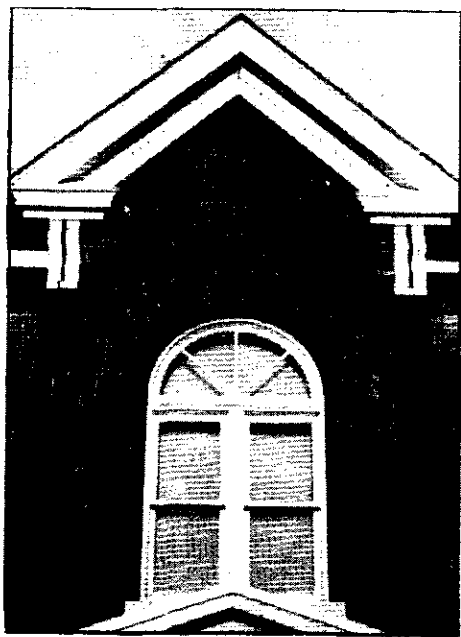
Can any Heritage Ottawa members give us more details on its background?

Here's where our membership counts. Phone Mrs. Phillips at 236-3773.

ONTARIO HERITAGE PROTECTION ACT

The ONTARIO HERITAGE PROTECTION ACT, promised to the Citizens of this province for many years, has never reached the legislature for consideration by our elected representatives. Although the ACT, which has been in preparation for an extended period, has been completed, the Ontario Government has not brought it to the floor. Without this legislation, historic sites and structures in Ontario have little guarantee of protection by the province or municipal government.

Heritage organizations, and historical societies across Ontario are asking their members to write to the Ontario government to enquire why the ONTARIO HERITAGE PROTECTION ACT has not been presented to the legislature and to request that it be brought down in this session before the Christmas recess. This Act falls under the jurisdiction of James Auld, the Minister of Colleges and Universities at Queen's Park.



newsletter



MEMBERSHIP IN HERITAGE CANADA

If 10% of our members join Heritage Canada through our treasurer, Heritage Ottawa will become a participating member of Heritage Canada at no cost. This means a seat on the new regional council of local heritage societies, sharing and influencing heritage programs across Canada. It also means a reduced membership rate in Heritage Canada for you.

Please send us renewal of your Heritage Ottawa membership and simultaneously your membership fee for Heritage Canada. Even if your membership is not due, it will automatically be extended from its present date of expiry. That will mean one cheque made payable to Heritage Ottawa for:

- Household - \$7.00 for Heritage Ottawa plus \$5.00 for Heritage Canada = \$12.00.
- Single - \$5.00 for Heritage Ottawa plus \$3.00 for Heritage Canada = \$8.00
- Senior Citizens & Students - \$2.00 for Heritage Ottawa plus \$2.00 for Heritage Canada = \$4.00.

A GIFT THAT COUNTS

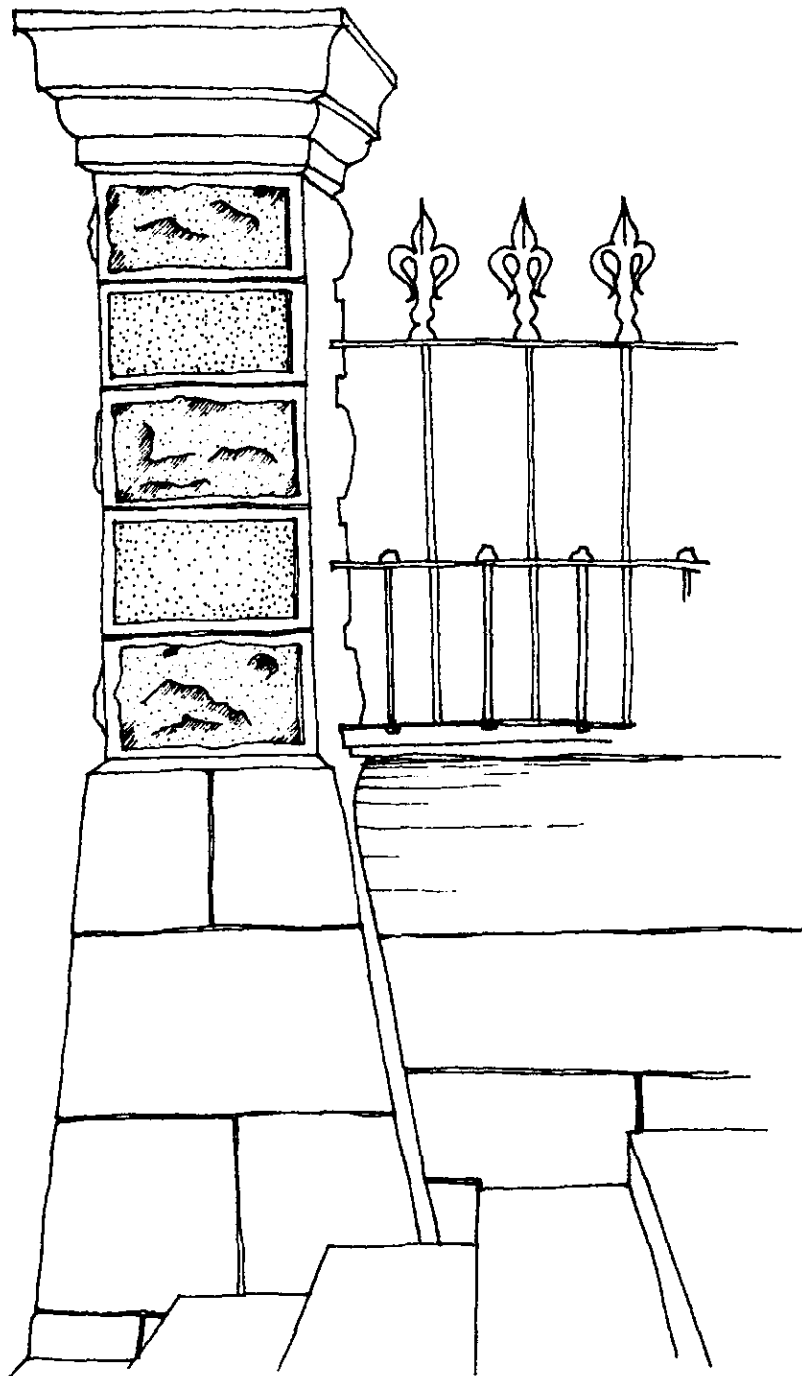
When renewing your subscription you may wish to send a Christmas gift membership to a friend. Heritage Canada will send out an attractive card announcing your thoughtfulness with the words:

"One of the most precious gifts within our power to give is the heritage of men and of nature which is Canada's".

GIFT RATES ARE:

Heritage Ottawa	Heritage Canada	Heritage Canada if the recipient is also a member of Heritage Ottawa
\$7.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
\$5.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00

If you wish to give memberships in both organizations, the reduced Heritage Canada rates apply, and the card will announce your double generosity. Your gift will also count as part of the 10% membership mentioned earlier.



PUBLICATIONS

As a participating member of Heritage Canada we have a convenient new sales outlet for our Walking Tours, The East Block and future publications, at 150 Elgin Street.

The Walking Tours of Sandy Hill & New Edinburgh are available at:
INTERNATIONAL BOOKSTORES

- CLASSICS
- HERITAGE CANADA
- "ANTIQUES" 12 BEECHWOOD AVE.
- BYTOWN GLASS 21 YORK ST.
- OTTAWA HEALTH AIDS 280 NELSON
- UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA BOOKSTORE
- HISTADRUT CENTRE 292 LAURIER EAST
- HERITAGE OTTAWA P.O. BOX 510
- STATION B OTTAWA





The next meetings of Heritage
Ottawa will be: MONDAY
JAN.13
FEB.17 "HERITAGE DAY"
MARCH 10

If you can offer your help in
planning these meetings please call
Martin Weil at 238-3608 or Bob Haig
at 733-0201. City-wide exhibits of
photographs and art reflecting
Ottawa's heritage....films.....
lectures at the gallery...the library
...the archives.... the museums....
seminars at the universities....in
the community centres...debates on
heritage legislation...WILL NOT
HAPPEN...in the week of Feb.17 unless
you help. Please call.

If you have some free time to help
on the Telephone Committee please
contact Gloria Sanders or any
member of the executive.

The new executive of Heritage
Ottawa follows:
Martin Weil-president
Mary Anne Phillips-secretary
Nest Brigstocke-treasurer
Eleanor Polk-past president
John Connolly-legal whiz
Sandy Attack-walking tour pusher
Gertrude Holt-head folder

Audrey Crook
Ted MacDonald
Gloria Sanders
Elizabeth Mackenzie
Stuart Lazear
Ash Randev
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Bob Phillips
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