

NEWSLETTER

TOUR OF EARNSCLIFFE

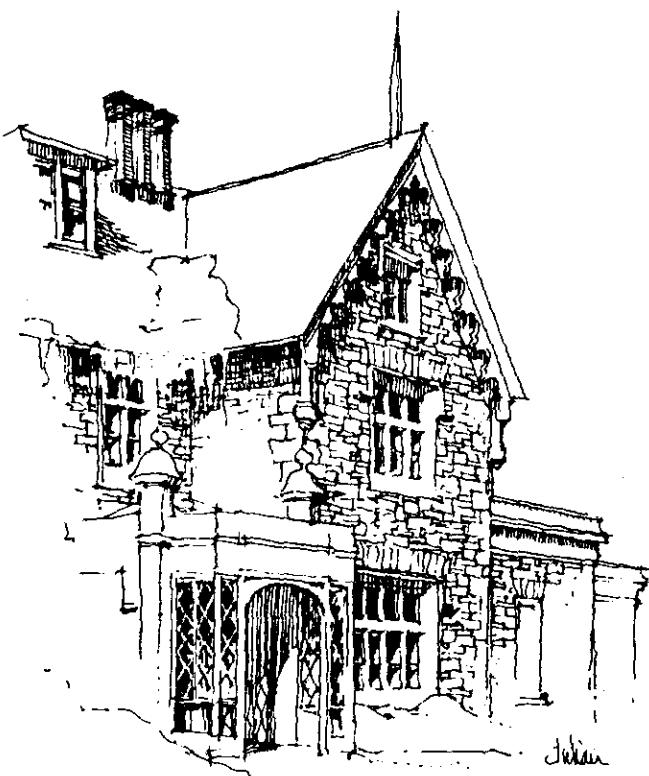
Date: Thursday, March 24, 1977
Time: 8:00 p.m.

Through the generous co-operation of Sir John Johnston, K.C.M.V., K.C.V.O., the British High Commissioner, and Lady Johnston, members of Heritage Ottawa are invited to tour portions of their residence, Earnscliffe, on Sussex Drive in Ottawa.

The home is spacious and will accommodate a tour of up to sixty people. The tour is limited to members of Heritage Ottawa and there is no charge for tickets. Arrangements may be made by contacting Mrs. Jenny Morgan, Heritage Ottawa Executive Secretary, at 745-0551.

Mrs. Morgan is there from 10:00 a.m. till 3:00 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Members are invited to have coffee at the Fraser Schoolhouse at the conclusion of the tour.



EARNSCLIFFE
The Residence of the British High Commissioner

This NEWSLETTER dated March 14, 1977.

HERITAGE OTTAWA ANTIQUES FORUM

We are proud to announce another series of lectures on heritage subjects, this series entitled:

DECORATIVE ARTS IN THE OTTAWA VALLEY

Dates: March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 1977
Time: Monday evenings at 8:00 p.m.
Place: Algonquin College Auditorium
Lees Avenue Campus

Tickets: \$1.50 per lecture,
\$5.00 for the series.

The lectures will be as follows:

March 21 - Early Canadian Lighting Devices

Lecturer: M. J. Copeland,
Antiquarian and Collector

March 28 - Furniture Restoration;
emphasizing preservation
of original finishes
Lecturer: Nigel Hutchins,
Antiquarian and Restoration
Designer

April 4 - Glass in Canada 1850-1920
Lecturer: Betty Shute

April 11 - Canadian Folk Art and
Naive Painting
Lecturer: Wesley C. Mattie,
Curator, Folk Art Studies,
National Museum of Man

NOTE: The auditorium is at 200 Lees Avenue and is served by the No. 4 bus.

HERITAGE DAY

At a ceremony at City Hall on Thursday, February 17th, Mayor Lorry Greenberg proclaimed February 21st to be Heritage Day. In conjunction with the proclamation Heritage Ottawa presented awards to four Ottawa citizens and to the City of Ottawa for their support and participation in heritage projects during the past year. The four citizens so honoured are Dr. Lucien Brault, Mr. Alfred Friedman, Mrs. Eleanor Polk, Mr. Zeev Vered.

As part of Heritage Day observance we held a members meeting at the Public Archives of Canada auditorium.

PRETORIA AVENUE BRIDGE

The Board of Directors of Heritage Ottawa have discussed the current controversy about the bridge and have arranged that a letter setting forth our feelings be sent to Regional Government. The letter asks that due consideration be given to completing necessary repairs and maintaining the bridge in use.

EXHIBITIONS

Jerry White would appreciate offers to help him set up minor exhibitions concerning heritage at upcoming events around town. Call Jerry at 234-2873.

THANK YOU

Jerry White and Stuart Lazear would like to thank those volunteers who helped set up and man our booth at the Nepean Heritage Fair, and we all thank Barbara Hacksby and the other volunteers who helped with the recent decorating at the schoolhouse.

HERITAGE TOURS

Heritage Ottawa has agreed to plan tours of Ottawa to point out historic buildings and sites to visiting groups. We will provide a guide for each tour who will give the commentary. We are already committed to at least one tour in mid-June. The directors would like to receive offers from those who might be willing to serve as guides, and therefore as unofficial greeters, on tours, either weekdays or weekends. We will provide you with the necessary information and material for any commentary. Call Mrs. Jenny Morgan at 745-0551.

HERITAGE OTTAWA GALLERY

The gallery will re-open on Saturday, March 12th with the new exhibition entitled "Heritage Sculpture". This will be a display of colour photographs by Lawrence Hayward of selected works of about twenty sculptors. This exhibition will run until May 14, 1977.