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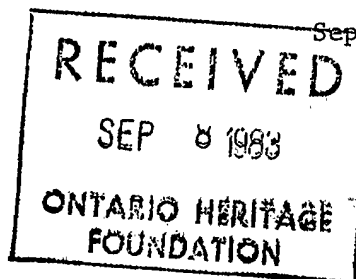


77 BECKWITH STREET, NORTH
P.O. BOX 695
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Municipal Offices

SMITHS FALLS
ONTARIO

September 6, 1983.



Ontario Heritage Foundation,
77 Bloor Street West,
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 2R9

Gentlemen:

Attached please find Notice of Intention to Designate certain lands in the Town of Smiths Falls under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, Chapter 337, R.S.O. 1980.

The properties to be designated are municipally known as:

81 Beckwith Street North
57 Chambers Street
2 Bay Street North

The notice is dated the 7th day of September, 1980 and any notice of objection should be received prior to the 7th day of October, 1983.

Yours truly,

W. M. Metcalfe, P. Eng.,
Clerk-Administrator

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TOWN
CREST

IN THE MATTER OF THE
ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT
Chapter 337, R.S.O.-1980 :

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE
LANDS AND PREMISES
AT THE
FOLLOWING MUNICIPAL
ADDRESSES
IN THE TOWN OF SMITHS FALLS
IN THE PROVINCE OF
ONTARIO
NOTICE OF INTENTION
TO DESIGNATE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Smiths Falls intends to designate the property, including lands and buildings, at the following municipal addresses as properties of architectural and historical value or interest under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, Chapter 337, R.S.O. 1980.

1. 81 Beckwith Street North

This property is comprised of Lot Number 283 on the corner of Beckwith Street and Elmsley Street as shown on registered plan 2857 (now 13884) and is the site of the Smiths Falls Public Library.

The building to be designated was constructed in 1903 of yellow brick on a limestone foundation and is one of the last remaining Carnegie Library buildings in the area. The facade features a large portico supported by four smooth, circular columns and four pilasters, all of which are crowned by ionic capitals. The facade is also highlighted by two symmetrical round windows, with contrasting ornamental brick work, raised quoins, decorative bricks over windows and an elaborately decorated entablature.

2. 57 Chambers Street

This land is composed of part of Lots 143, 144 and 145 North of Block "Reserved" and Part of Lots 148, 149 and 151 and all of Lot 150 on the Southerly side of Chambers Street, Registered Plan 13884.

This property is being designated due to its architectural and historical interest, having been built in the early 1830's for Abel Ward, one of the founders of Smiths Falls.

This Neo Classical house is constructed of natural cut brown sandstone, being two and one half stories with three columned porches, two of which have upper wooden railings. The building has decorated brick chimneys and three bay windows containing some stained glass and is surrounded by an ornamental iron fence. Reference is not made to the interior of the building.

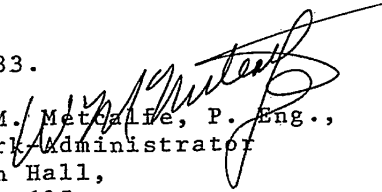
3. 2 Bay Street North

This property is composed of Lot Number 191 on the north side of Main Street, Registered Plan 13884.

The building is recommended for designation due to its architectural and historical value, being originally known as Craine House, the home of Dr. Agnes Craine, one of Canada's pioneer women in medicine. The building with its two split double flue chimneys and original board and batten attached shed is a fine example of local stone buildings of the 1840 period.

Any person may, within thirty days of the first publication of this notice, send by registered mail or deliver to the Clerk of the Town of Smiths Falls notice of his or her objection to the proposed designation together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts. If such a Notice of Objection is received, the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Smiths Falls shall refer the matter to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing.

Dated at Smiths Falls
this 7th day of September, 1983.


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