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The Village



of Paisley

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TO:



ONTARIO HERITAGE FOUNDATION

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Village of Paisley, on the 4th day of July 1977 decided to designate the land and building municipally known as the Shoemaker's Jewellers; as a property of historical and architectural value or interest under the Ontario Heritage Act, 1974 S.O. Chapter 122.

SHORT STATEMENT OF THE REASONS FOR THE PROPOSED DESIGNATION

Shoemaker's Jewellers on Queen Street, a century-old building, is recommended for designation for architectural reasons because its scale and somewhat restrained, sombre air, though altered, still compliments the many later, larger and more ornate Victorian buildings on Queen Street. The building is thus important in retaining an older, simpler quality in the features of the landscape. The successive owners of the building have served the Village as Councillors and Reeves, Mr. I. Shoemaker being as well the first county Warden from Paisley. Historically, the building marks a time when Paisley had successfully emerged from a pioneer state to declare its position as a Corporation in prosperity and a new leisure. The building served for twenty years as a private bank; since the turn of the century it has been a jewellery store, providing those things which only have interest after a certain degree of security and sophistication has been established.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served in writing on the Clerk within 30 days of the 13th day of July 1977.

Dated at Paisley, Ontario this 13th day of July 1977.

RON BROWN
CLERK