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Corporation of the Town of St. Marys Box 998, St. Marys ON N4X 1B6

January 16, 2008

Ontario Heritage Trust 10 Adelaide Street East Toronto, Ontario M5C 1J3

To whom it may concern:

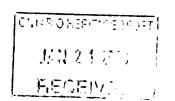
Re: Designation of property of architectural and heritage significance.

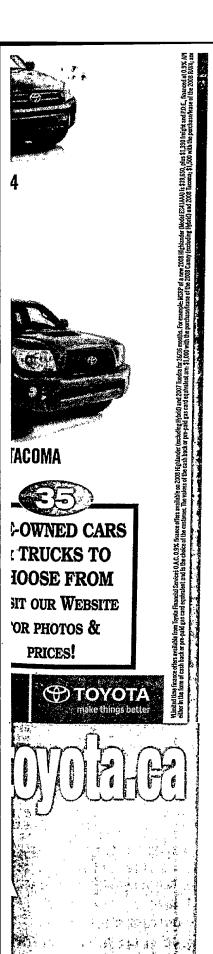
Please be advised that Town Council of the Corporation of the Town of St. Marys has published a notice of intent to designate a property at 135 Queen Street East, St. Marys, under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act.

Please find attached a copy of the statements of designation and of the published Notice of Intent.

Yours truly,

Mary A. Smith, Administrative Liaison for Heritage St. Marys





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Both Miriam and her daughter, Diane Miriam Smith competed in the piano classes during the 1940s and 50s. Diane now teaches piano in California and continues to be an ardent supporter of the Festival. Every year she brings a group of her students to compete. In 2007, one of her students, Matthew Heising topped the Chopin class and was awarded the Miriam Russell Smith Trophy which Diane had donated in memory of her mother.

The latest donation to the endowment fund arrived in the last month from Karl Wittig, a former New Hamburg piano teacher. The "Karl Wittig Award for Outstanding Achievement in Piano" will be awarded to the winner of the ARCT division at the Piano Finals. It will be an ongoing tribute to Karl's contribution to music in this community.

Entry deadline for the 2008 Kiwanis Festival of the Performing Arts is January 18. The new online registration system at *www.kiwanis.golden.net* will make entering the Festival this year easier than ever.



NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE A PLACE OF ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL VALUE

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the Separated Town of St. Marys intends to designate as a place of architectural and historical value the following property in accordance with the Ontario Heritage Act. Section 29. Part IV:

135 Queen Street East (East Part Lot 5, North Side Queen Street)

The two-storey stone and brick commercial building on this site was constructed in 1884 for William Andrews, Jeweller, in the Second Empire style. It is an outstanding example of the work of local architect, William Williams, and a showcase for the skills of local and area tradesmen. Unique original interior features are still in place. Its imposing storefront surmounted by the ornate clock and tower makes this building a focal point in the downtown core.

Detailed reasons for designation of this property can be seen or obtained from the office of Bruce Grant, Chief Administrative Officer, Town of St. Marys, Box 998, St. Marys, ON N4X 1B6 during normal office hours (9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Friday.)

Any person who objects to this intended designation must within 30 days of the publication of this notice serve on the CAO a notice of objection in writing, setting out the reason for the objection and all relevant facts. The Ontario Heritage Act provides that where a notice of objection has been served, the Council shall refer the matter to the Conservation Review Board for a hearing.

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Dated at St. Marys, Ontario, this 9th day of January, 2008.

Signed: Bruce Grant CAO/Clerk

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