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In the matter of The Ontario Heritage Act, Chapter 337, R.S.O. 1980, Part 4.

And in the matter of the lands and premises known municipally as "The Galt House" in the Town of Goderich in the Province of Ontario.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

To:

[REDACTED]
35 Nelson Street East
Goderich, Ontario
N7A 1R7

Ontario Heritage Foundation

Take notice that the Council of The Corporation of the Town of Goderich, on the 15th day of July, 1985 decided to designate the lands and buildings, known municipally as "The Galt House" as a property of architectural and/or historical significance under The Ontario Heritage Act, Chapter 337, R.S.O. 1980, Part 4.

REASON FOR PROPOSED DESIGNATION

The Galt House, 35 Nelson Street, has been proposed for designation for architectural and historical reasons. The original red brick house was built c. 1855 for Mr. Alex MacKidd, a newly settled Reverend. John Galt returned to Goderich in 1899 and lived in the house for 40 years.

The structure is quite Georgian with some interesting features that are not commonly found together. The doorway has a classical enframement by using pilasters which frame rectangular side and transom lites. There is also a frieze using a decorative motif to create emphasis beneath a deep soffit. Above is a typical hipped roof with symmetrical chimneys. The interior and exterior of this decorative Georgian house are, in general, extremely well preserved.)

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Town Clerk within thirty days (30) of the 17th day of July, 1985.

Dated at Goderich, Ontario this 17th day of July, 1985.

Signed

TOWN CLERK

