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IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE
ACT, R.S.O. 1980, CHAPTER 337

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND
PREMISES KNOWN MUNICIPALLY AS 458
WILLIAM STREET IN THE TOWN OF
COBOURG IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

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

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cobourg on the 13th day of June, 1983 established its intention to designate the land and building known municipally as 458 William Street as a property of architectural and historical value or interest under part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1980, Chapter 337.

STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR THE PROPOSED DESIGNATION:

"This house has both historical and architectural significance. It was built c.1843 by Jacob Corrigan. Corrigan came to Canada from the Orkney Islands in 1791 to join the Hudson Bay Company becoming Chief Factor in 1825.

Around 1805 he married Mary, a member of the Cree Indian tribe and consequently had 7 children. He bought the land the house now stands on from Zacheus Burnham in 1841.

The house is designed in the Ontario cottage style with a second storey. It has a symmetrical form with hipped roof and tall chimneys. The windows are very large with deep sills, upstairs at the rear of the house there is a gothic window.

A balcony over the front door has an entrance to the second floor landing.

Doric style columns support the roof of the entrance porch and the front door is flanked with beautifully carved pilasters and has side lights similar to those by the doorway on the balcony level."

Notice of objection to the proposed designation, together with a statement of the reasons for the objection and all relevant facts may be served on the Chief Administrative Officer of the Town of Cobourg before the 8th day of August, 1983.

Dated at the Town of Cobourg this 8th day of July, 1983.

B. W. Baxter,
Chief Administrative
Officer.