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3) 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 SOUTHEAST CORNER OF JOHN STREET EAST AND DIAGONAL ROAD IN THE TOWN OF WINGHAM IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO. 1)

NOTICE ON INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Wingham intends to designate the property, including lands and buildings, at the following municipal address as a property of architectural and/or historical value or interest under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, R.S.O., 1980, Chapter 337.

MUNICIPAL ADDRESS - Southeast corner of John Street East and Diagonal Road, Wingham.

REASONS FOR THE PROPOSED DESIGNATION - The land for erection of a War Memorial was selected over four other sites by a committee of council in conjunction with a committee of the Wingham Lions Club in 1922 and a debenture issue for the purpose was approved by the electorate in the election at the end of the same year.

The bronze monument was unveiled by Sir Arthur Currie on August 26, 1924. Two bronze column lights, erected by the Women's Patriotic Society were turned on for the first time on November 11, 1924.

The property selected already contained a bench mark monument placed by the Geodetic Survey of Canada in 1917.

Subsequent additions to the War Memorial commemorate the Second World War and the Korean War.

This property has come to be one of the most revered landmarks in the Town of Wingham.

Notice of objection to the proposed designation, together with a statement of reasons for the objection and all relevant facts may be served on the Clerk of the Town of Wingham before the 9th day of September, 1988.

Dated at Wingham this 2nd day of August, 1988.

J. Byron Adams
(Clerk)