

OCTOBER 1979 – NEWSLETTER

NEW EXECUTIVE

At the A.G.M. on September 12, the following keen and eager members were elected to guide us through our eighth year of existence.

President:

- Stuart Stark 252 Memorial Crescent

Vice President:

- Tom Mayne 4525 Montford

Treasurer and Membership:

- Bill Murphy 1012 Richardson

Corresponding Secretary:

- Michael Halleran 8-1711 Duchess

Members at Large:

- Doug Franklin 415-1063 Foul Bay Rd.
- Rosemary Cross 349 Linden
- John Keay 310 Huntingdon

WANTED

Unfortunately, we had no nominations for the exciting, rewarding position of RECORDING SECRETARY. This is your chance to become a member of the Executive and get in on the action. If you would like to nominate yourself or someone else, please phone Stuart Stark right away. Executive meetings are every other week, usually on Wed. nights.

FOUNDATION TRUSTEES

Also at the A.G.M. the 1979-80 Board of Trustees for the Heritage Building Foundation was elected. In addition to the Hallmark Society President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Corresponding Secretary who are automatically on the Board, the following are also Trustees:

Martin Segger

Jim Lee

John Keay

Don Reksten

HERITAGE CANADA SIXTH ANNUAL MEETING

This major heritage happening is being held in Victoria this year and is hosted by the HALLMARK SOCIETY. This is our big chance to contribute to the heritage preservation movement on a national scale by taking part in the proceedings; and our chance to further our local interests by bending the collective ears of "those Heritage Canada people".

The meeting runs from October 17 to 21 and includes conference sessions, technical workshops, business meeting and tours. The agenda attached does not indicate prices. Costs for some of the main events are:

- Conference sessions (7) \$40
- Annual dinner \$25 single, \$45 couple
- NRC Workshop \$20

There is a possibility that Hallmark members will get reduced rates. We hope you will all make every effort to attend at least some of these important events.

Attendance is limited but phone Jay Coulter, 592-2942 for registration and more detailed information.

ELECTION OF GOVERNORS

All Society members have a vote in the election of a new Governor to represent the B.C. - Yukon Region. The 3 nominees are Victoria's own (and Society member) Martin Segger; Garry Anderson, director of the Cranbrook Archives, Museum and Landmark Foundation; and Robert Watt, Chief Curator of the Vancouver Centennial Museum. The support we get from Heritage Canada will depend on an active and enthusiastic representative. Be sure to vote at the

Heritage Canada Business Meeting, 9:30 - 11:15 am, October 19, Newcombe Auditorium.

SOCIETY BAR

One event you won't want to miss is the cash bar hosted by the Hallmark Society on Thurs. Oct. 18 from 7 - 9 pm at the Empress. (See bulletin board in lobby for location.) A show of strength from the Society is in order. This is a chance to meet Heritage Canada reps. in a convivial atmosphere. Name tags will be available. (If attendance is greater than at General Meetings we may consider a new meeting format.)

BUS TOUR

The Society (through the kind efforts of George Radford and Bruce Gibson) and the Chinese Benevolent Association (with David Lai) are sponsoring the Tour of Victoria's Old Town and Chinatown on Sun. Oct. 21. The tour includes a preview slide show and a hot Chinese lunch. Reserve now for this exciting tour. Cost \$11 single, \$21 couple.

TAKE PART

As you can see, the Society is putting a great deal of time and effort toward making this Annual Meeting a success. So please turn out and support the Society. Let Heritage Canada know we are alive and well.

HILLSIDE BAZAAR OCTOBER 26

One of our fund-raising efforts is coming up on Friday, October 26 - the Hillside Mall Bazaar. We need more contributions in the form of small white elephant(?) and craft items, and books. These can be dropped off at Candy Wyatt's, 805 Linden, 388-6562. We also need volunteers to man the booth for 1 or 2 hour spells. contact Isla Tuck, 382-7932 or Jill Sewell, 658-5713 if you can help out or if you want more info on suitable bazaar items. We need your support to keep the Society solvent (and membership dues down).