

November 2022



MEMBERS ONLY



The Carleton Place and Beckwith Heritage Museum, looking cozy in our first snowfall of the season. The restored windows on this south side of the building look fabulous, as do the freshly painted tin panels and trim. Thanks again to the Town of Carleton Place and to Browne's Millwork and Joinery for this first phase of the project.

Our Winter Hours:
Open Thursday, Friday and Saturday
10 am - 4pm

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WHAT'S HAPPENING?



A Christmas fundraising sale!
Saturday November 19

Shop for vintage items, collectibles, local souvenirs, and some new items. Always a surprise! A fun shopping experience that supports your local museum!

Paint Your Own Holiday Cards!
Saturday, November 26

Beginners welcome! Everything you need to create 6 cards is provided.

To reserve send \$40/person via e-transfer to janet.beath@sympatico.ca



MEMBERS ONLY TOUR OF MONTAGUE FARM MUSEUM!



We had a wonderful afternoon touring the Montague Farm Museum on Sunday, October 23. It was a beautiful sunny, warm day! We thank Bill Dobson for showing us his collection, and for sharing so many wonderful stories!



A. LOWE LIVERY



Albert Lowe was born in 1855 in the Cedar Hill area of Pakenham Township. He married Selina Halpenny from Fitzroy Harbour, and in 1894 the couple sold their farm and moved to Carleton Place with their daughter Irene. Here he established a livery business, hiring out carriages, sleighs and other horse drawn vehicles, along with horses to pull them. He also provided a place for those coming into town to leave their horses for safe keeping and protection from the weather.

His first livery stable was located on the west side of Bridge Street just south of the Queen's Hotel. In 1906 he purchased a lot at the corner of Bridge and College Streets, ordered 44,000 bricks from the Carleton Place Brickyards and built himself a new two story red brick building with three large doors to accommodate horse drawn vehicles.

Lowe was 70 in 1925 when he sold the building, by which time it had been converted into a car repair business. It was purchased by Norman Bowland and Stanley Shannon, and became known as the Central Garage.

This metal sign is in the collection of Bill Dobson of Montague Farm Museum, and likely was hung in front of Albert Lowe's first livery stable on Bridge Street.

JOIN US DECEMBER 9TH!

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6 - 7:30 PM

OUTDOOR CAROLING

IN THE MUSEUM GARDENS

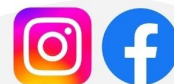
Join the St. James Church
choir and organist Ian
Guenette as we
sing along to the bells!

FREE!

- hot cocoa
- cookies
- ornament craft
- indoor exhibits
- accepting donations to the food bank

It's happening at

The Carleton Place and Beckwith Heritage Museum
267 Edmund Street



Love baking and willing to donate some cookies for this event? Call Jennifer at 613-253-7013.