

The BOARD 'N' BATTEN

FEBRUARY 1980

A monthly Newsletter published by and about the Heritage Society

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-Publicize events sponsored by or of interest to the Society

-Survey citizen attitudes toward preservation

-Coordinate news coverage of Society activities

-Submit articles for "The Heritage Corner" in the Pacific Grove Tribune

-Promote new memberships

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-Circulate information deemed of concern to Pacific Grove residents

-Print items of interest to the heritage-conscious segment of public everywhere

Program Committee

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-Arrange for special events throughout the year

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-Photograph project: coordinate the collection and reproduction of photographs of early Pacific Grove

-Historic buildings inventory: research county assessor's records for all homes of early Pacific Grove

-Newspaper research: conduct research into the history of Pacific Grove

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-Provide advice to the citizens of Pacific Grove in regard to the restoration of buildings, houses and other structures

-Monitor new construction and alterations to buildings

-Maintain a file of persons having restoration experience and skills

-Restore and dispose of historic properties given to or purchased by the Society

-Interact with all levels of the City government on preservation matters

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- Inform all new and prospective members of the objectives and activities of the Society

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the President's Message

Your new executive Board envisions this year's Heritage Society as expanding to represent all of Pacific Grove. Therefore, we look to our membership for the participation we need on the different committees to make the Pacific Grove Heritage Society a vital, active, and meaningful contributor to the quality of life here.

And if you are not sure what your capabilities are, we will be happy to help you realize them!

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Announcing
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Molecules,
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&
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SOCIETY GAINS LEGAL CONSULTANT

Pacific Grove attorney John Staples has offered to make some time available as needed to serve the organization as legal counselor. The offer has been accepted, with much appreciation for this valuable service.



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"The spectacle of a town without a saloon is worth traveling to see ... the mountains, the woods, and the sea combine to aid its sanitary conditions and make a peculiarly delightful and tonic atmosphere of Pacific Grove."

Pacific Grove Review, 1895





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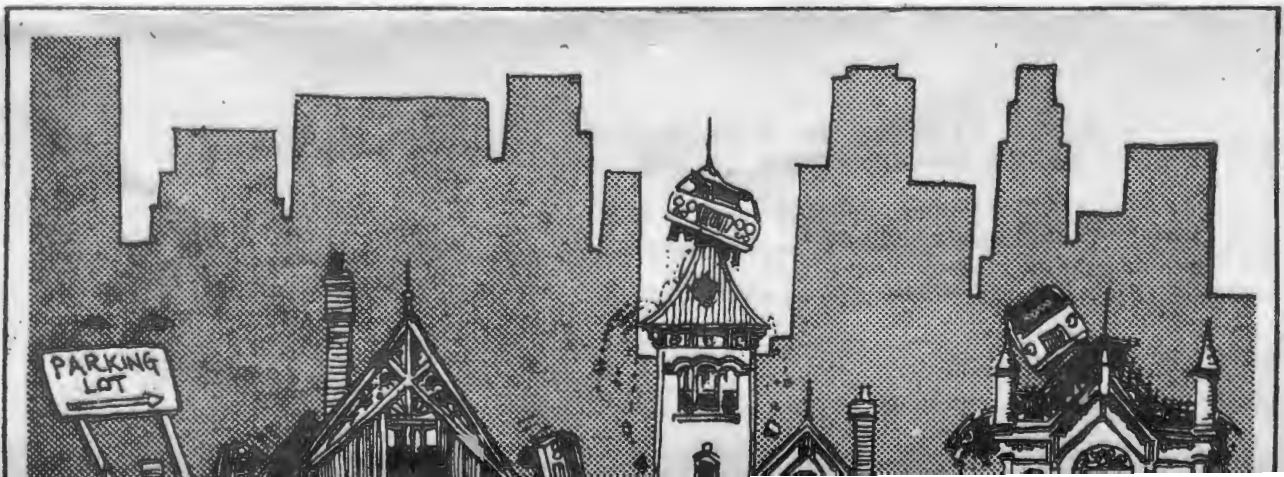
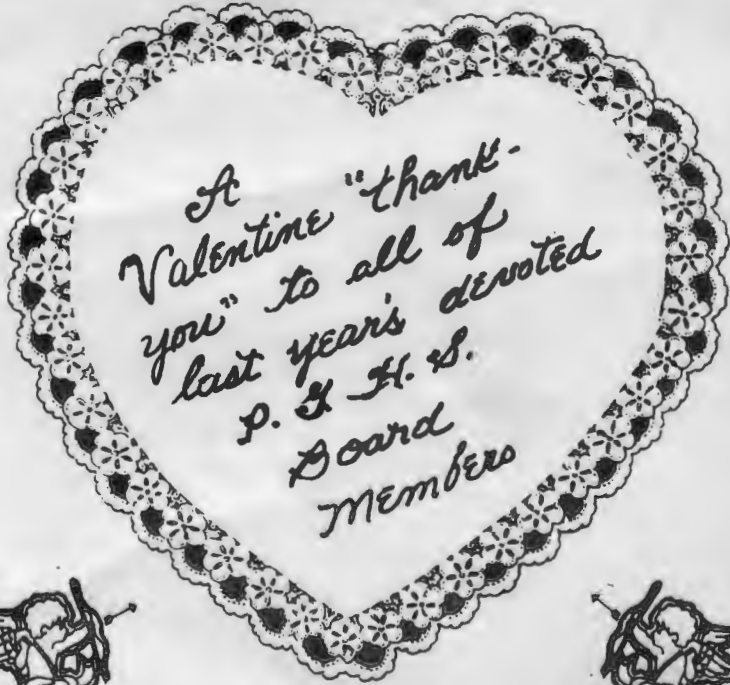
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Restoration & Refurbishing
of your oil paintings.
Barry Masteller 649-0347
(No charge for estimates)

Pepper D'Noal James
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646-8467

Victorian restoration a specialty
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Henry A. Dóvilas for Preservation News

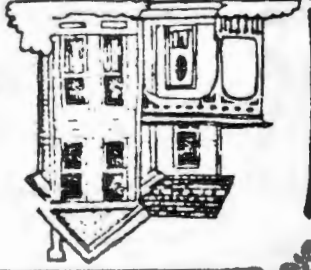


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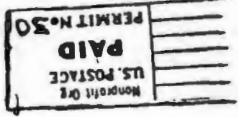
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