

The
Port Clinton
Area Heritage
Foundation

September 2], 1992

Dear Friend of the Ottawa County Historical Museum:

I am sure you are aware of the loss last spring of our curator, Elizabeth Denney. Elizabeth had served the museum in that capacity for many years and was truly the center around which the museum revolved. The sudden loss of this remarkable woman has required a cessation of museum activities while the Board took time to absorb the resulting void in leadership.

In August notice was made that the Board was beginning the search for a new curator. They were gratified by the large number of applications received. After a great deal of thought and discussion a short list of applicants were interviewed, the position was offered to Barbara J. Bailey, and the offer was accepted. She began work as of September 10, 1992.

Barbara's past work experience has been as a certified teacher and as a licensed social worker. She is an active genealogist, spinner, herbalist, antiquarian, choir member, and has served on a variety of civic and charitable boards in the county. Several years ago she organized a series of lectures on various historical topics which, with the co-operation of the curator, were held in the old museum quarters at the Port Clinton City Hall.

The Board feels that they are now prepared to move forward, and hope that all those who have so generously supported the Port Clinton Historical Museum in the past will approve of their decisions and move forward with them. Enclosed you will find a membership form for September 1, 1992 to August 3], 1993, and a return envelope. Also enclosed is your membership card to eliminate the extra cost of another mailing.

Your support in the past has been greatly appreciated. Your interest and support in the future are necessary to provide the county with a repository for the history and artifacts which provide the soil for the roots of Ottawa County.

Sincerely,

The Board of Trustees
The Port Clinton Area
Heritage Foundation

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