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**Tours with Queen** *Intell Apr 21/82*

PICTON - Jeanne Minhinnick, a Picton resident who received the Order of Canada medal, last weekend toured the restored rooms of the East Block of the Parliament Buildings with Queen Elizabeth.

Mrs. Minhinnick, who is a nationally recognized authority on 19th century life in the province of Ontario, was a consultant in the restoration of five of the rooms on the second floor of the East Block. They include the privy council chamber and ante room, Sir John A. Macdonald's office and the offices of George Etienne Cartier and Governor General Lord Dufferin.

She returned to Picton, this week and said that during the tour, her colleague on the project, Richard Raycroft who is a designer with Public Works Canada, described the rooms to the Queen.

Mrs. Minhinnick, 78, said she had an excellent view of the proclamation proceedings from the window of Sir John A. Macdonald's office.

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