

## Institute Meeting-

The roll call, "Describe a Historical Site somewhere in Canada, was well responded to.

Mrs. Fitch next read some very old-fashioned sounding "Home Remedies, some hints on carpet cleaning, a several Recipes for soap-making, cooking meats, and two breakfast menus.

In closing, the speaker read a verse from an old Autograph Album -

Let memories sometime bring thee back  
To other days almost forgot;  
And when you think of friends who loved thee  
Forget me not.

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## Historical Society Asks County Council Help Secure Quarters

The Northumberland Historical Society met with Counties' Council last week in order to ask the twin County body to provide some place for the Society to call home. W. P. Hinman and P. Davidson, of the Society, went before the Council.

During the talk by Mr. Davidson it was pointed out that the Society which is in its infancy started out with 12 members and now has 100. The speaker, also told Council that the organization cannot go any further until it has a place where "it can exhibit the fruit of its labors". It is wholly dependent upon membership fees for financial support, Mr. Davidson told the Counties' Council:

Since it is a County organization the place to ask for help in securing quarters was "naturally the Counties".

It was revealed there is no room scheduled in the new Counties' building for the Society which cannot accept a place that is not almost completely fireproof in view of the fact that much of the material and records it owns are irreplaceable. Such a place would be the County Registry Office on King Street east say the Society members. It is expected that the Registry Office will be taken into the new Counties Building

when it is completed.

While no definite promise of a haven was made by the Counties' Council it was decided that a committee will meet with Historical Society officers to discuss the problem.