

This two story frame home that stands on the north side of lower Queen St; occupies a section of land known as the Cruikshank Block. The house originally consisted of three rooms on the ground floor, and a narrow stairway leading from the front door to a hallway and two bedrooms on the second floor.

In latter years the house went to a close relative of Cruikshank a miss Miller who in later years married into the Attwood family. She was the mother of Mrs. Raymond who lived in Fort Erie for most of her life. In 1917 Mrs. Attwood had several changes made to the house. A small building that stood at the front of the property by the road was moved back of the present house; and converted into a kitchen. Between it and the back of the existing house, she had another room added for use as a dining room. Above these additions, on the second floor, she added a bathroom and a large attic. Some time later she had a row of windows added to the east wall of the second parlor. To provide for a large walk in closet on the second floor she had the front stairs changed, so that they entered into the front parlor. At the back of the house was a large fruit cellar with a dirt floor; but the house is without basement. When the present owner bought the home in the 1950's the floors were in such bad shape that they had to be replaced.

The small building that had become the kitchen for Mrs. Attwood had been used for many years as a shoe repair shop; and was a very old building.

After the death of Mrs. Attwood's husband she and the family moved to Buffalo and the house was rented. Years later, Mrs. Attwood's daughter came to live in the old homestead with her husband Mr. Raymond; and it was their that they raised their two children Pat and Hughie.

When her family had married and moved away, and Mrs. Raymond was left a widower; she moved to the small cottage next door and the house was in turn rented.

It was owned by Mr. And Mrs. Honey for many years and from here, Mr. Honey carried on his law practise.

MRS. NONEY

CRUIKSHANK PROPERTY.

ON north side of Queen St.

Part. of lot 2.3.4. N.S. of Queen St

on plan of the Village of Fort
Erie according to the Willima Wallace
and Douglas Plan 1857.

17 Queen St. corner of Waterloo. N.W., 1876*^s SEPT 19 -
part of the original Cruikshank holdings.

around the turn of the Century this small cottage was occupied by Mr. Lou. Harris & family/. Mrs. Atwood moved to this home from the house next door where she was living with her daughter Mrs. Raymond and her husband Stan.

When Mrs. M. Atwood died, and the two children of Stan & Margaret Raymond had grown up and left home, they in turn moved into the small cottage. Mrs Raymond continued to live at this address after the death of her husband, till the time of her own in . After her death the place was sold to Bob Renshaw.

(1885-1965)
RAYMOND — Marguerite Atwood. At Douglas Memorial Hospital, Fort Erie, on Thursday, Dec. 23, 1965, Marguerite Atwood Raymond, 17 Queen St., Fort Erie, in her 80th year, beloved wife of the late Stanley H. Raymond and dear mother of Mrs. Walter S. Yaronhuk (Patricia), of Dryden, Ont., Hugh A. Raymond of Montreal, dear grandmother of Hugh Scott Raymond.

Friends may call at the Baechler Funeral Home, 21 Wintemute St. after 11 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 26. Service at St. John's Anglican Church Ridgemount, Monday at 11 p.m. The Reverend C. T. Stanger officiating. Interment in St. John's Cemetery. Family will be present at the Funeral Home Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9.30 p.m.



MARGUERITE A. RAYMOND is a niece of General Cruikshank who was a prominent citizen of Fort Erie and Bertie township and a prolific writer on the early history of the Niagara Frontier. At the time of his death he was in charge of the Dominion Archives at Ottawa.

JIM & Helen Harris & son Lou.

moved from this home to 39 Forsyth st.