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THE LINCOLN HOTEL

E. A. BUCK, Proprietor

All Kinds of Soft Drinks
and Sandwiches



ROOMS
With or Without Board

Standard Hotel License Issued under Liquor Control Board of Ontario

CRYSTAL BEACH, ONT.

Bult in 1901 by Ed. Buck as a rooming house. It later included a General Store, and a post office. It was the first establishment to receive a licence to sell spirits after prohibition. At first it sold only light beer. The business was a family affair, and several members ran it. It served family meals, and was very popular with visitors as well as the local villagers. It was one of the few in the village to remain open during the winter. Mr. Buck was a barber by trade, and during the winter he practised in a shop in Ridgeway, while the women folk ran the Hotel. He was Justice of Peace, Reeve, Treasurer of the Village, and Postmaster for a time.

The Hotel gradually ran into disrepair, and rather than sink any more money into it to meet the requirements, he closed it in 1956. In 1981 a drive was made to restore the place and turn it into a museum, however this failed and in 1982 the old building was demolished.

Treasurer's Office
E. A. BUCK, Treasurer

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Village of Crystal Beach

Crystal Beach, Ont.,