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NEWSLETTER

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SECOND ANNUAL ANTIQUES & APPRAISALS FAIR

Building on the success of last year's Antiques & Appraisals Fair, we are getting a head start on the festivities for 2001.

This year's event will be held at a mansion in Glen Cove and will feature an enhanced panel of appraisers and a full display of antiques and collectibles. Our popular lectures on antiques will be repeated.

As last year, the event will be kicked off with a Preview Party and a Silent Auction.

Gather up your appraisable items and prepare for a fun weekend this spring. Detailed information will be announced as the plans are finalized.

The committee is still in formation, so if you would like to participate in the preparations, contact the Museum office to volunteer your services.

RAFFLE

The Museum is the grateful recipient of another beautiful painting by Glen Cove artist Maria Lewis. Last year's picture of the Police/Courthouse was the first prize in a lively raffle held at our Gold Coast dinner.

This year's depiction of the "JP Morgan Bridge" will be the first prize in our current raffle. Raffles (\$2 each and 3 for \$5) will be sold at all of the Museum's events.

DID YOU FORGET TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP ?



There is still time to renew your membership for the 2000-2001 season. Membership categories include:

- \$10 - Individual**
- \$15 - Household**
- \$5 - Child**

You may send your tax deductible check payable to the North Shore Historical Museum to our office at 14 Glen Street, Suite 302, Glen Cove, NY 11542 and you will receive your membership card for the 2000-2001 season.

Any additional contributions will be most welcome, of course.

FOUNDER'S PLAQUES

With sponsorship, you, your company, or your designated honoree, will appear on a Founder's Plaque to be placed on a sponsorship wall in the Museum.

INDIVIDUAL or CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP

GOLD	\$1000
SILVER	500
BRONZE	100

PLEASE INCLUDE THE NAME(S)
AS YOU WOULD LIKE THEM TO
APPEAR ON THE PLAQUE

ANNUAL MEETING "AFTER NINE CLUB" AT THE METROPOLITAN

We are pleased to announce that our Annual Meeting will take place on March 8, 2001 at 7PM at the "After Nine Club" at The Metropolitan on Glen Cove Avenue in Glen Cove.

Our Board of Trustees has voted to enlarge the Board to include some exciting new members from our North Shore community. We invite you to come to our open meeting to meet the Trustees and learn about the progress we are making.

Please send in the tear-off at the bottom of this newsletter to reserve a place at the meeting. We invite you to join us at a Wine and Cheese fundraiser following the meeting, for which there will be a moderate charge.

You will be brought up to date regarding our efforts to acquire the Police/Court House building as well as our ongoing plans for making this dream a reality.

Come to share your ideas, comments and enthusiasm with us. We hope you will stay for the fundraiser where you can mingle with the Board members and discuss this project which is so important to us all.

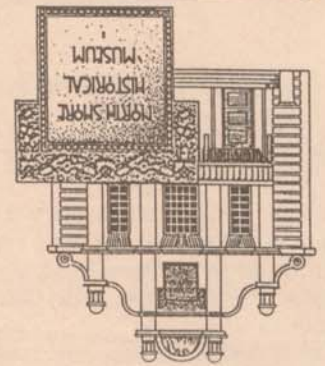
Historic Notes on the Metropolitan Site

As far back as 1710, a grist mill was located on the site of the current Metropolitan building. In 1873, it became the Ketcham and Cocks grist mill. When the mill pond was filled in (prior to the construction of Route 107), a brick building was constructed. In the 70's and 80's it became an

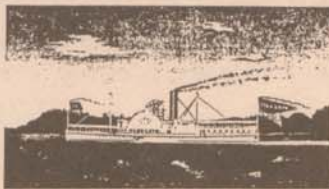
auction house and the site of many lively auctions. The building became run down and was acquired by the G.C. Urban Renewal Agency and subsequently sold and reconstructed into the imposing brick building which now houses the Metropolitan. Much of the interior layout has been retained.

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LONG ISLAND SOUND STEAMBOAT
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FREE !

Pick up your free membership copy of the historic steamboat "Glen Cove" at our annual meeting. Available as long as supplies last.

The poster is a reproduction of a wonderful painting done in 1885 by James Bard and commemorates a steamboat which started its life plying the waters of Long Island Sound and ended on the James River in Richmond, Virginia serving the Confederacy during the Civil War. The original painting hangs in the Historical Room of the Glen Cove Public Library.

"STOUT" *Singers to repeat performances this summer*

The North Shore Historical Museum has agreed to sponsor two concerts again this summer by the notable folk song group "STOUT".

"Songs of the 19th Century" will be performed for North Shore audiences by this trio of talented performers through the auspices of a NYS Council on the Arts grant. They will perform songs of the sea and songs of 19th Century America. They have been enthusiastically received by audiences at Mystic Seaport, Great Hudson River Revival, Snug Harbor Cultural Center, South Street Seaport and many festivals in the New York area.

The Museum has agreed to sponsor two concerts to entertain and inform the public about these aspects of America's musical heritage. Further details of this exciting event will be forthcoming.



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