

Town of Franklin
Historic Commission Meeting (interim mtg)
March 9, 2010
AGENDA

6:30PM

- Refurbishing the Museum - readiness to move in?
- Museum Inventory

A call was received from Stephanie's Treasure Chest Thrift Store located at 11 Main St. They have an old Singer sewing machine that is offered to the museum. It is an older electrified machine mounted in a cabinet with a folding work table and the machine folds down for storage. The machine is in working order with many attachments, but the wood cabinet shows use. I checked the serial number on the WEB and found that it was made Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu, Quebec, Canada in 1948. They are asking for \$30. Do we want to acquire it?

A search was conducted for Stanley Chilson bio info with no results so far. The Wrentham Historical Commission Chair Gregory Stahl (508 384-3498) was contacted and we discussed reciprocal exchange of photos by Chilson of our respective towns as we locate them. Chilson was also a photographer for Wrentham and they have many movies of Wrentham available on DVD for sale or available at their library. He suggested another contact - Gog Woodhans (508 384-3664) Additionally I have copied the list of his Franklin films and scene descriptions for each year.

- Labeling items and destination locations
- Finances – Any expenses to submit?
- Budget – Is our list of requested budget items complete?
- Museum Opening – Search for a pianist. Are we interested in having someone play the glass armonica?
- Research Requests?
- Demolition Requests – Del spoke with David Roche and informed him about our discussion of the 148 Washington Demo request. Public hearing needs to be published and scheduled. The owner may pay for the expense. Bob would like to document how this process works.
- Rehabilitation Notices?
- Mail
- New Business