

Agenda Item No: 11

Report to: Museums Committee

Date of Meeting: 6 December 2010

Report Title: Museum Acquisitions

Report By: Cathy Walling
Museum Curator

Purpose of Report

to inform members of items acquired by the Museum since September 2010

Recommendation(s)

- 1. the report is for noting; the Chairman to sign the acknowledgments of thanks to the donors**

Reasons for Recommendations

Acquisitions

1. Painting 'Marsh Road Days (Furtive Aching Painting1) by Alan Rankle

Donor: Tramman Trust through the Art Fund

2. Bronze Age axes and associated metalwork.

Donor: Vicat Cole Fund

3. Hastings Souvenir Guide, and leaflets, from the honeymoon of Reginald and Valerie Cooper, 1950.

Donor: Mrs R. Gibbins

4. Album of photos of Grey Owl etc, with Charko family

Donor: Mrs Margaret Charko

5. Edwardian Ladies Blouse, from Metcalf and Kirkpatrick, Hastings.

Donor: Mr Lewis Orchard

6. Cup and Saucer commemorating visit of Prince of Wales to Hastings, 1927

Donor: Mrs S Novis

7. Souvenir Jug from World War 1

Donor: Mrs W Pattenden

8. 1940s half-pint milk bottle from Penshurst Dairies, Hastings

Donor: Mrs Turk

9. Postcard of interior of 'Balmoral, Warrior Square, c 1906

LP recording of John Simpson's Symphony No.1, played by Hastings Area Youth Symphony Orchestra, 1978.

Donor: Cllr A Cartwright

10. Collection of 17 ceramic pieces from Hastings Pottery

Donor: Mrs R Acheson

11. Seated figure and Church window from Hastings Miniature Village

Donor: Anon

12. Pair of moccasins with letter written to Archie (Belaney?) from Hugh

Donor: Mr G Woods

13. 2 plastic tokens from Hastings Tramways

Donor: Miss Manners

14. 1930s souvenir bowl from Hastings

Donor: Mrs A Donovan

15. Collection of Sussex pottery from Dicker Pottery

Donor: Mr R Buscombe

16. Licence plate from early television set.

Newnes Television Manual, 1945

Radio-Electronics Magazine, 1950

Edition of Dryden Poems, with bookplate of Marie Brassey

Donor: Mr R Mucci

Wards Affected

Ashdown, Baird, Braybrooke, Castle, Central St. Leonards, Conquest, Gensing, Hollington, Maze Hill, Old Hastings, Ore, Silverhill, St. Helens, Tressell, West St. Leonards, Wishing Tree

Area(s) Affected

Central Hastings, East Hastings, North St. Leonards, South St. Leonards

Policy Implications

Please identify if this report contains any implications for the following:

Equalities and Community Cohesiveness	No
Crime and Fear of Crime (Section 17)	Yes
Risk Management	Yes
Environmental Issues	No
Economic/Financial Implications	Yes
Human Rights Act	No
Organisational Consequences	Yes

Background Information

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