

warn Lieut. Fitzgibbon of the intended surprise of the American officers. When it died, over fifty years ago, see had it preserved because of its connection with that time. It is now the property of the Lundy's Lane Historical Society, who have kindly offered to loan that and Laura Secord's portrait for our exhibition. Canon Bull has also sent us the Militia Colors used at Stony Creek and Lundy's Lane, and other valuable articles.

I am sure when our citizens visit the Log Cabin, and see the vast number of historical relics exhibited there, many of which would be donated, sold or loaned, they will realize the pressing need of a museum, into which to collect them, before they are lost forever.

Our merchants have been most generous in their donations to the Encampment, and if all the citizens are equally liberal in patronizing it during the week it is open, the future of the Hamilton Historical Museum will be assured.

As to the attractions of the Encampment, Miss Davis will tell you of them in the programme, which follows the souvenir sketches.

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