



A CONVERSATION ABOUT FURNITURE MAKING

October 3, 2008 - Join folklorist and storyteller Dale Jarvis for a conversation with the grandson of one of Newfoundland's legendary furniture makers this Saturday afternoon at *The Rooms*.

“Henry William Winter was an ambitious self-taught furniture maker from Clarke's Beach, Conception Bay. His story is an example of our rich and diverse Intangible Cultural Heritage”, says Dale Jarvis, Intangible Cultural Heritage Development Officer.

“Among his tools was a foot-powered jig saw, a foot-operated lathe and a larger lathe designed to be driven manually or powered by a dog. His home stands today, beautifully restored by his family, as a Registered Heritage Structure.”

Newfoundland furniture expert Walter Peddle will introduce us to the work of Henry William Winter. Then, folklorist and storyteller Dale Jarvis will chat with Bill Winter about his grandfather's life and legacy.

The event begins at 2:00 at the Rooms and is part of "The Rooms Full of Furniture Symposium" taking place at *The Rooms* this weekend.

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