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THE EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY STUDIES

5-7 May 1977

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LOCATION OF MEETING ROOMS
Meetings will be held in the following locations on the grounds of the University of Victoria (See University Map, p. 23):

**Plenary Sessions**: MacLaurin 144 (Auditorium)

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**Banquet**: Crystal Ballroom, Empress Hotel, 721 Government Street, Victoria.

REGISTRATION
Delegates staying at the Empress Hotel may register there on the evening of Wednesday, 4 May, between 6:00 and 10:00 p.m.

Delegates staying in the Campus Residences may register in the adjoining Commons Block on the evening of Wednesday, 4 May, between 5:00 and 9:00 p.m. There will be a registration and information desk in the Main Hall of the MacLaurin Building, where delegates unable to register earlier may do so. The desk will also serve as information and message center for the meeting.

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The registration and information desk in the MacLaurin Building will be open throughout the Meeting for information or assistance.

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PROGRAM

Note: All papers, including seminar papers, will be read and no arrangements will be made by the Society for sending out copies prior to the meeting.

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THURSDAY MORNING—5 MAY

The Plenary Sessions on Thursday morning will commence 30 minutes later than usual in order to allow delegates time for registration and conversation in the Main Hall of the MacLaurin Building.

PLENARY SESSION I. Aspects of English Literature: Biography and Editing [9:30-11:30 a.m., MacLaurin 144 (Auditorium)].
Chairman: R. B. HELMAN, University of Washington.
1. Maynard Mack, Yale University, “The State of the Art: Pope’s Poetical Manuscripts” (30 mins.)
2. Joyce Hemlow, McGill University, “The Burney Papers” (30 mins.)

Coffee Break (11:00-11:20 a.m.)

PLENARY SESSION II. A Seminal Figure in German Literature [11:20 a.m.-12:00 noon, MacLaurin 144].
Chairman: VICTOR Lange, Princeton University.
1. Hans Eichtner, University of Toronto, “Limits of Communication: Romantic Elements in Lessing’s Thought” (30 mins.)

Lunch Break (12:00 noon-1:30 p.m.)

Lunch will be taken in the Commons Block. For those who are not staying on the Campus, a self-service lunch will be available on Thursday and Friday in cafeterias adjoining the Commons Block.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON—5 MAY

Seminars (1:30-3:15 p.m.)

Seminar 1. Jean-Jacques Rousseau [Cornell 263].
Chairwoman: MADELEINE B. TheKien, University of Maryland.
1. Josué V. Harari, Cornell University, “Emile, or the Pedagogic Ruse”
2. English Showalter, Camden College, Rutgers University, “The Plotting of Book VIII of the Confessions”

Seminar 2. Science and the Resources of Nature [MacLaurin 103].
Chairman: TREVOR H. LIEVER, University of Toronto.
1. Percy Adams, University of Tennessee, “Science and the Travel Literature of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries”
2. Larry Stewart, University of Saskatchewan, “Longitude and Economics in Early Eighteenth-Century England”
3. Jean-Claude Guédon, Université de Montréal, “Coal vs. Wood: The Ideological Uses of Medicine”
4. Ruth T. Dawson, University of Hawai'i at Manoa, “The Geologist Captain Cook Refused”

Chairman: FRANK O'GORMAN, University of Manchester.
1. Donald E. Ginter, Sir George Williams University, “The Origins of British Political Parties: a Reinterpretation”
2. William D. Griffin, St. John's University, “The Emotional Factor in Eighteenth-Century Irish Politics”
Thursday Afternoon, 5 May

3. Derek Jarrett, Goldsmith's College, London, “Independency in the House of Commons, 1761-84”
4. John B. Owen, St. Mary's University, "The Relevance of the Namierite Model"

Chairman: Basil J. Guy, University of California, Berkeley.
2. Richard E. Quaintance Jr., Douglass College, Rutgers University, “Chambers’ Chinese Gardens: How They Grew”

Seminar 5. Henry Fielding: Aspects of Tom Jones With an Appetizer on the Hogarthian Fielding [Cornell 112].
Chairman: Henry Knight Miller, Princeton University.
2. Robert J. Merrett, University of Alberta, “Empiricism and Judgment in Fielding’s Tom Jones”
4. William Park, Sarah Lawrence College, “The Two Readers of Tom Jones”
5. Sheridan Baker, University of Michigan, “That Comic-Epic-in-Prose-Romance Again”

Coffee Break (3:15-3:30 p.m.)
Seminars (3:30-5:15 p.m.)

Seminar 6. Isaac Newton [Cornell 163].
Chairman: Donald D. Ault, Vanderbilt University.
1. G. S. Rousseau, University of California, Los Angeles, “Where is Newton in The Dunciad?”
2. Joseph A. Witebreck, University of Maryland, “His Serene Eye: Newton Among the Prophets”
3. Donald M. Hassler, Kent State University, “Newtonianism in the Late Eighteenth Century: ‘All Causes are Occult’”
4. Martin Dyck, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, “Goethe’s Response to Newton Reappraised”

Thursday Afternoon, 5 May

Seminar 7. New Directions in Johnson Studies [Cornell 112].
Chairman: Paul K. Alkon, University of Minnesota.
1. James L. Clifford, Columbia University, “New Directions in Johnsonian Biography”
Commentator: Arthur Sherbo, Michigan State University
2. Chester Chapin, formerly University of Michigan, “New Directions in the Study of Johnson’s Religion”
Commentator: Harvey D. Goldstein, University of Southern California
3. Richard B. Schwartz, University of Wisconsin, “New Directions in the Study of Johnson’s Thought”
Commentator: Robert Folenik, University of California, Irvine
4. Oliver Sigworth, University of Arizona, “New Directions in the Study of Johnson’s Literary Criticism”
Commentator: Leopold Damrosch, Jr., University of Virginia

Seminar 8. Politics and Literature from Defoe to Bolingbroke [Cornell 263].
Chairman: Manuel Schonhorn, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale.
1. John A. Dussinger, University of Illinois, “‘The Lovely System of Lord Shaftesbury’: An Answer to Locke in the Aftermath of 1688?”
2. Clayton Roberts, Ohio State University, “Defoe and Harvey”

Chairman: William H. Williams, University of Maryland.
A. Popular Religion
1. Clarke Garrett, Dickinson College, “From Possession to Ecstasy in French Popular Religion”
Commentator: Bernard Plongeron, Institut Catholique de Paris
B. Anglo-American Political Theology
Thursday Afternoon—Evening, 5 May

2. Sara E. Malung, Oregon State University, “American Sermon Attitudes toward the French Nation, 1745-1812”
   Commentator: Clifford R. Johnson, University of Pittsburgh

Seminar 10. The Relationship of Music to Poetry and Dance in the Eighteenth Century [MacLaurin 144].
   Chairman: Leonard G. Ratner, Stanford University.
   1. Paul F. Marks, McGill University, “The Reform of Subject and Style in Ballet Pantomime at Vienna in Mid Eighteenth Century”
   3. Wilbert D. Jerome, Camden College, Rutgers University, “Thomas Webb’s Observations on the Correspondence between Poetry and Music”
   4. Wendy Hilton, “French Court Dances and their Music” (with demonstration)

THURSDAY EVENING—5 MAY

A MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT [8:00 p.m., Auditorium, Student Union Building].
   A concert of eighteenth-century chamber music will be presented by members of the Music Department at the University of Victoria. Delegates should purchase their tickets for the performance ($2 each) in advance, either when preregistering by mail or at the registration table in the MacLaurin Building. The performance takes approximately two hours.

Friday Morning—Afternoon, 6 May

FRIDAY MORNING—6 MAY

PLENARY SESSION III. Social History and Music [9:00-10:20 a.m., MacLaurin 144 (Auditorium)].
   Chairman: Paul J. Korshin, University of Pennsylvania.
   1. J. H. Plumb, Christ’s College, Cambridge University, “The Acceptance of Modernity” (30 mins.)
   2. Daniel Heartz, University of California, Berkeley, “Music and Musicians in Le Neveu de Rameau” (30 mins.)
   Coffee Break (10:20-10:40 a.m.)

PLENARY SESSION IV. The History of Ideas [10:40 a.m.-12:00 noon, MacLaurin 144].
   Chairman: Lester G. Crocker, University of Virginia.
   1. F. E. L. Priestley, University of Toronto, “Some Roots and Branches of English Deism” (30 mins.)
   2. J. T. Fraser, Fordham University, “Aspects of Time, Infinity, and the World in Enlightenment Thought” (30 mins.)
   Lunch Break (12:00 noon-1:30 p.m.) Lunch will be available in the Commons Block.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON—6 MAY

BUSINESS MEETING [1:30-2:30 p.m., MacLaurin 144 (Auditorium)].
   President: Gwen J. Koll, University of Chicago, President of the American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies.
   2. Report of the Executive Secretary. Paul J. Korshin, University of Pennsylvania
   3. Questions and Discussion
   Coffee Break (2:30-3:00 p.m.)
   Seminars (3:00-4:45 p.m.)

Seminar 11. Dryden and Writers of Other Times and Places [Carnall 112].
   Chairman: William Frost, University of California, Santa Barbara.
1. T. E. D. Braun, University of Delaware, “Atzire and The Indian Emperor: Voltaire’s Debt to Dryden”
2. Ian Donaldson, Australian National University, “Dryden and Jonson”
3. Laura B. Kennelly, “Conrad’s Great Grandfather: Dryden and Byron”
5. Beryl Bowland, York University, “Dryden and Chaucer”

Seminar 12. Impressions of Scotland in the Eighteenth Century
[MacLaurin 103].
Chairman: W. R. McLeod, West Virginia University.
2. Patricia Murphy, University of New Mexico, “Scotland and the Scots as seen in Prévost’s Le Pour et Contre and in the Writings of Voltaire”

Chairwoman: HELEN H. NAIGLE, Georgia Institute of Technology.
1. Louis T. Micle, Cleveland State University, “Toward a History of Applied Stylistics in the Eighteenth Century”
3. Maxine Turner, Georgia Institute of Technology, “Style and Diction and the Eighteenth-Century Hymn”
5. Thomas M. Carr, University of Nebraska, “Voltaire on Rhetoric and Rhetoricians”

Seminar 14. Leibniz [MacLaurin 111].
Chairman: ROBERT McCRAE, University of Toronto.

Seminar 15. Swift: The Man in the Artist [Cornell 163].
Chairman: Philip Pavek, University of British Columbia.
1. John Irwin Fischer, Louisiana State University, “From Static Ideals to Dramatic Ideas: Swift’s Quickening in his Early Odes”
2. James Woolley, University of Pennsylvania, “Friendship, Enmity, and Verses on the Death of Dr. Swift”

Chairwoman: PATRICIA BRUCKMANN, Trinity College, University of Toronto.
1. Felicity Nussbaum, Syracuse University, “The Better Women in the Eighteenth Century”
2. Joseph Reish, Western Michigan University, “Madame de Genlis in America, 1780-1800”
3. Monica Letzring, Temple University, “Catherine Macaulay and the American Revolution”
4. Sherryl O’Donnell, University of Arizona, “Mr. Locke and the Ladies: The Indelible Words on the Tabula Rasa”

FRIDAY EVENING—6 MAY

Delegates’ Banquet. Delegates must make reservations in advance, either when preregistering by mail or immediately upon registering in Victoria. Tickets are $12 each (including wine but not cocktails).
Cocktails [6:30-7:30 p.m., Crystal Ballroom, Empress Hotel].
Banquet [7:30 p.m., Crystal Ballroom].
Presidential Address: OWEN J. KOHN, Professor of English, University of Chicago, President of the American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies.
SATURDAY MORNING—7 MAY

PLENARY SESSION V. Art History and Literature [9:00-10:20 a.m.], MacLaurin 144 (Auditorium).
Chairman: GEORGE KNOX, University of British Columbia.
1. Ronald Paulson, Yale University, "G. D. Tiepolo's Puchi-nello" (30 mins.)
2. Robert Halsband, University of Illinois, Urbana, "From Alexander Pope to Henry Fuseli: The Rape of the Lock and its Eighteenth-Century Illustrations" (30 mins.)
Coffee Break (10:20-10:40 a.m.)

PLENARY SESSION VI. The Influence of French Thought [10:40 a.m.-12:00 noon, MacLaurin 144].
Chairwoman: ELIZABETH L. EISENSTEIN, University of Michigan.
1. Jean A. Perkins, Swarthmore College, "The Physiocrats and the Encyclopedists" (30 mins.)
2. John Barker, Trent University, "Beast, Angel, or Thinking Reed?: Pascal's Pensées and John Wesley's 'Important Question' " (30 mins.)
Lunch Break (12:00 noon-1:30 p.m.)

A Luncheon sponsored by the Government of British Columbia will be taken in the Commons Block (Special Room).

SATURDAY AFTERNOON—7 MAY

Seminars (1:30-3:15 p.m.)

Seminar 17. Alexander Pope and the 'Inheritance' of Culture [Cornett 163].
Chairman: HOWARD D. WEINBROT, University of Wisconsin, Madison.
2. Lawrence J. Lipking, Princeton University, "Bays and Ivy: Pope as a Poet-Critic"

Seminar 18. The Rococo [Cornett 112].
Chairman: ROBERT J. ELLIS, University of Washington.
2. H. Grant Sampson, Queen's University, "Rococo in England"
3. Judith Frommer, Harvard University, "Marivaudian Esthetics and the Rococo"

Seminar 19. The Eighteenth Century and Modern Methodologies [MacLaurin 101].
Chairman: JEFFREY R. SMITHEY, Texas Tech University.
1. Mark Poster, University of California, Irvine, "Sartre and Althusser on History"
2. Gregory Ulmer, University of Florida, "Rousseau and Modern Theory"
3. Murray Cohen, Berkeley, California, "Eighteenth-Century English Literature and Modern Methodologies"
4. Joel Weinheimer, University of California, Irvine, "Mrs. Siddons, the Tragic Muse, and the Portrait of 'As' "
Saturday Afternoon, 7 May

Seminar 20. Utopia and the Question of Origins [MacLaurin 111].
Chairman: WILLIAM KINSEY, Université de Montréal.
1. Mark Madoff, "The Useful Myth of Gothic Ancestry"
2. Christie V. McDonald, Université de Montréal, "The Text as Utopia: Diderot's Encyclopédie"
3. Walter Mose, Université de Montréal, "Kant: From Paradise to the Everlasting Peace"

Seminar 21. Women's Caucus of the American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies [MacLaurin 103].
Business Meeting.

Chairman: KAM J. FINK, University of Illinois.
1. David Stevenson, Kearney State College, "Vico: A Man of His Age, or a Man for the Ages?"
2. K. Michael Seibt, Brigham Young University, "Herder, History, and Hermeneutics"
3. Harry Ritter, Western Washington State College, "Science and the Imagination in the Thought of Schiller"
Commentator: James W. Marchand, University of Illinois
Coffee Break (3:15-3:30 p.m.)
Seminars (3:30-5:15 p.m.)

Seminar 23. Voltaire: Irony and Persuasion [MacLaurin 111].
Chairwoman: ROSEANNE RUNYE, Dalhousie University.
1. David Jory, University of New Brunswick, "Voltaire and the Jews of Metz: Tolerance or Anti-Semitism?"
2. J. Patrick Lee, University of Georgia, "Voltaire and the Philosophical Sermon"
3. Virgil Topacio, Rice University, "Voltaire, Lexicographer of the Enlightenment"
There will also be an informal discussion on editing Voltaire led by Michael Cartwright, McGill University; the time and location of this discussion will be announced during Seminar 23.

Chairman: THOMAS PELZEL, University of California, Riverside.
1. Gerard Le Coat, Université Laval, "Thomas Jefferson's Academical Village at the University of Virginia: A Republican Vision of Environment and Education"
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Please reserve: 
Single room at $22 per night 
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Friday and Saturday (breakfast only)—$14.85 
Saturday night and Sunday (breakfast only)—$14.85 

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Wednesday night and Thursday (breakfast, lunch, and dinner)—$17.95 each 
Thursday night and Friday (breakfast and lunch)—$14.45 each 
Friday night and Saturday (breakfast only)—$11.70 each 
Saturday night and Sunday (breakfast only)—$11.70 each

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PLEASE FILL IN REVERSE SIDE.
2. Carole Fabricant, University of California, Riverside, "The Augustan Framing of Women and Landscapes"
3. John Bender, Stanford University, "The Prison as Environment: A Study in Eighteenth-Century Aesthetics"
5. Marcia Allentuck, City College, CUNY, "Sir Uvedale Price and the Picturesque: Improvement, Innovation, and Ecology in Eighteenth-Century Britain"

Seminar 25. The Lessing Society of America [MacLaurin 110].
Co-Chairman: ROBERT R. HEITGER, University of Illinois, and MICHAEL L. HADLEY, University of Victoria.
1. Wulf Koepke, Texas A. & M. University, "The Concept of 'SpätAufklärung' in German Literary History and in a European Context"
2. Hans-Jürgen Schlüter, University of Western Ontario, "... als ob die Wahrheit Münze wäre: Zu Nathan der Weise, III.6"
3. Klaus Bergahn, University of Wisconsin, "Lessings zweiter fusel"
4. Alison Scott-Prelorontos, University of Alberta, "Lessing's Lisettes: The Female Servant in the Early Comedies"

Seminar 26. Rochester [Consort 163].
Chairman: DAVID M. VUETH, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.
2. Kristoffer F. Paulson, Simon Fraser University, "Rochester and Swift: The Perpetual Anguish of Being Well Deceived"
3. Reba Wilcoxen, Vanderbilt University, "Rochester's Sexual Politics"
4. John O'Neill, Hamilton College, "Rochester's 'Imperfect Enjoyment': The True Vein of Satyre' in Sexual Poetry"

Seminar 27. Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Eighteenth-Century Women [MacLaurin 103].
Chairwoman: BARBARA B. SCHNORRENBURG.
1. Carol Gold, University of Minnesota, "Did Mette Run? Sex-Role Patterns in Eighteenth-Century Danish Primers"
Saturday Afternoon, 7 May


Seminar 28, New Directions in Research on Drama [Cornell 263].
Chairwoman: Sherry S. Kenny, University of Maryland.
1. Philip H. Highfill Jr., George Washington University, “Problems and Promises in Theatrical Biography”
2. Leo Hughes, University of Texas, “Promptbooks and Playhouse Copies”

Seminar 29, Special Session for Contributors to The Eighteenth Century: A Current Bibliography [MacLaurin 115].
Chairman: Robert R. Allen, University of Southern California.

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE MEETING

Accommodations: There are many hotels and motels in downtown Victoria, which is about four miles from the University, but there are no hotels near the Campus. Special rates for this meeting have been obtained from the Empress Hotel ($22 per single or $29 per double room). For these special rates reserve directly with the Empress Hotel at least one month before the meeting, stating that you are a delegate to the ASECs Annual Meeting.

Accommodation has also been arranged in the student residences on the University of Victoria Campus. For special rates, including meals, see the separate reservation form.

Banking: The Bank of Montreal on campus provides a full banking service, and is open Monday to Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., and Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

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Map of the University Grounds: A map appears on page 23 of this Program.

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POINTS OF INTEREST IN VICTORIA

The Provincial Museum. Immediately south of the Empress Hotel, the Provincial Museum is the largest in Western Canada. Apart from natural history and anthropology there are many realistic scenes depicting such local life and industry as mining, logging, fishing, agriculture, gold rush, fur trade, and a turn-of-the-century street in Victoria. There is a full-scale replica, stern to midship, of Captain Vancouver's ship H.M.S. Discovery. A new Indian gallery has just been opened and is highly recommended. Open daily 10:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Admission free.

Parliament Buildings. Seat of British Columbia Government; Legislative Chambers on view to the public when the House is not in session.

Thunderbird Park. Adjacent to the Provincial Museum, the park contains a collection of fine totem poles carved by native craftsmen.

The Butchart Gardens. Known throughout the world for their beauty, the Butchart Gardens lie 14 miles north of Victoria and can be reached either by car or tour bus from the Empress Hotel.

The Maritime Museum. 28 Bastion Square (off Government Street). Maritime history including material related to the expeditions of Captains Vancouver and Cook. Open weekdays 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Sundays noon to 4:00 p.m.

Sightseeing Tours are available from the desk in the lobby of the Empress Hotel and from the Causeway in the Harbour Area.

Shopping Areas

Government Street, north of Empress Hotel, English woolsens, china, souvenirs.

Noelke's Court, Humboldt Street near Empress, imported goods and local pottery.

Bastion Square, off Government Street, imports and local crafts.

Market Square, 300 block Johnson Street (further north on Government); interesting old town shopping square, open Sundays.

Fort Street, 1000 block, antiques.

Department stores on Douglas Street, Eaton's and the Bay.
To realize Victoria you must take all that the eye admires most in Bournemouth, Torquay, the Isle of Wight, the Happy Valley at Hong Kong—the Doon, Sorrento, and Camps Bay; add reminiscences of the Thousand Islands and arrange the whole around the Bay of Naples, with some Himalayas for the background.

Rudyard Kipling

In the early 1840's the Hudson's Bay Company established a trading post on the southern end of Vancouver Island. Other settlers were attracted to the area and within a decade a small colonial town which was named Victoria had come into being. In due course Victoria became the capital of the colony and later of the province of British Columbia.

Almost from the first Victoria was somewhat different from many similar urban communities in North America. Early visitors commented upon its essentially English character; this was not so much manifested in its architecture—although the William Morris influence was noticeable—but rather in something more intangible. The population "gloried in the name of Briton," and while many settlers elsewhere on the North American continent were of British origin, local conditions had worked a subtle change in their personalities. In Victoria the ambiance was such that this transmogrification did not occur; the settlers imposed on their new home an English way of life and an English outlook.

To be sure, initially they were helped by the relative remoteness of the colony situated as it was far from the cultural patterns of eastern Canada; and then the climate encouraged the English love of gardening which has never diminished. Not to garden in Victoria is almost a sure sign of impermanency. Victorians did not undertake to create the vast formal garden of the stately home; instead they lavished their enthusiasm on the typical cottage garden of rural England. They were concerned for the picturesque, something that would have found favour with Repton and Brown. Green lawns, the use of trees in a rather romantic pattern, luxurious beds of flowers—all provided the residents with a sense of identity with nature.

With gardening went a way of life, a somewhat leisurely pace, a concern for individual values, but at the same time Victorians were realistic and reckoned that their community had to have more than mere charm to survive. The city was not only the provincial capital, but it had a thriving business community, some local industry, and it was to have deep-water port facilities and the Canadian Defence Force bases. Despite a natural concern for economic viability the citizens of Victoria have maintained their unburthened and un-North American view of the world. They regard their city and its environs as particularly agreeable and are reluctant to change them for the hustle of modern urban life.

To enjoy the city the visitor should emulate the local people—a walk through Beacon Hill Park (two blocks from the Empress Hotel) or in Butchart's Gardens (a few miles from the centre of the town), a stroll along Dallas Road or a parambolination through James Bay (both pleasant walking distance from the Empress) or Oak Bay all will serve to present the town to the discerning. The vista from the Inner Harbour with the local legislative building—a sort of mugul's palace from the days of the raj—on one side and the Empress Hotel—a symbol of the railway, the iron band that united Canada—on the other sets the tone.

Nowhere are you far from the sea. Victoria is not famous for man-made embellishments but for those provided by nature.

Victoria has managed to retain a sense of itself; it has resisted attempts to make it just another city. Its people are proud of their eccentricities and individualism. From its foundation it has been noted for its hospitality and its affability.

Emily Carr, an eminent Canadian artist, perhaps summed it up most adequately:

... every aspect is lovely. North, South, East and West—blue sky, purple hills, snow-capped Olympic mountains bounding her southern horizon, little bays and beaches heaped with storm-tossed drift, pine trees everywhere, oak and maple in plenty. So stands tranquil Victoria in her Island setting—Western as West can be before earth's gentle rounding pulls West east again.

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