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The BC Historical Federation is pleased to announce their 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Book Competition Prizes.

The Lieutenant Governor's Award and First Prize (\$600.00) for the top 2005 British Columbia Historical Book:

HISTORICAL ATLAS OF VANCOUVER AND THE LOWER FRASER VALLEY by Derek Hayes, Publisher Douglas & McIntyre

Second Prize (\$400.00):

VANISHING BRITISH COLUMBIA by Michael Kluckner, Publisher UBC Press

Third Prize (\$200.00):

ISLANDS IN THE SALISH SEA – A Community Atlas edited by Sheila Harrington and Judi Stevenson, Publisher Heritage House

#### Honourable Mention:

HOMEFRONT & BATTLEFRONT: NELSON BC IN WORLD WAR II by Sylvia Crooks, Publisher Granville Island Publishing

STELLA – UNREPENTANT MADAM by Linda Eversole, Publisher Heritage House

THE LIFE AND TIMES OF VICTORIA ARCHITECT, P. LEONARD JAMES by Rosemary J. Cross, Publisher Dear Brutus Publishing

The BC Historical Federation Book Prizes Ceremony took place at their annual BCHF Conference Banquet which was held in Kimberley, BC, on May 6th, 2006, 6pm at the Marriott Residence Inn.

Thank you to the Judges of the Book Competition: Diane Rogers, Alice Marwood and Barb Hynek

Submitted by Bob Mukai, Chair of the BCHF Book Writing Competition

The University of Victoria announced in July, 2006 that Pat Roy, President of the BC Historical Associaton has been made a fellow of the Royal Society of Canada.

### Best Article Award for 2005

Dr. Jean Barman, is the winner of the best article award for 2005 for her article "Lost Nanaimo — taking back our past" which appeared in BC History, Vol 38:3.

## Salt Spring Island Historical Society

Key personality at a recent meeting of the society was John Patton Booth, first elected to the B.C. Legislature in 1871. He failed to gain a seat in subsequent elections until in 1900 he held the office of Speaker of the House, which lasted until his death in February 1902. Booth was also a farmer on Salt Spring Island.

He was of course played by an actor but the grandchildren and great-grandchildren of the early pioneers were real. He introduced several who gave interesting stories of their forbears at a time when logging and farming were the principal activities, deer hunting supplied meat for the table, and cougars were a pest.

The organizers were lucky to find some half-dozen direct descendants of the pioneer settlers of Salt Spring Island still living on the island. Their ages rangedsm 20 to 80.

The event was co-sponsored by the Farmers' Institute, which was celebrating its 110th anniversary and offered its spacious hall for the performance. Agund 200 people from both organizations attended.

### The Land Conservancy Purchases Historic Property

The Land Conservancy of BC are official owners of the Historic Joy Kogawa House in Marpole. Thanks to 550 donors from around the globe and one last minute donation of about \$500,000 dollars from an anonymous corporate donor, the cultural landmark will be saved as part of Canada's history for future generations.