Scott County Historic Preservation Society, Inc.

The Priester House in the Gold Coast 811 W. 7th Street 6:30 p.m.



From the Gold Coast-Hamburg Historic District Association's Walking Tour Brochure: Built in 1888 by Adolf and Ida Priester. He was cashier at the Citizens Bank and Director of the Davenport Brewing Company.

Pictured above is the 7th street side, the formal side is on the south facing the Mississippi River.

Thanks to Maurice and Lois Woods for allowing SCHPS this



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Next SCHPS meeting November 8, 2012 6:30 p.m. 811 W. 7th Street Davenport, IA

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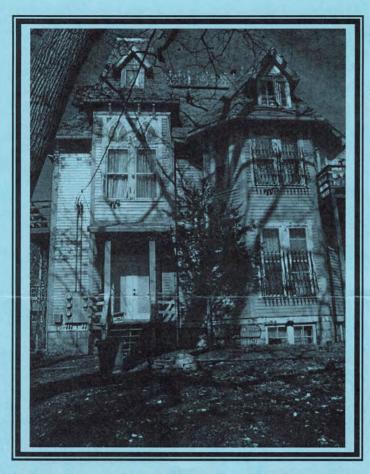
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The Preister House: a view of the formal side that faces the river.

The house follows the stick style architecture form on the exterior which features a tower and iron cresting on the roof. The inside has been nicely restored.

At the Figge Art Museum Portrait of Maquoketa by artist Rose Frantzen. This is a spectacular exhibit you will not want to miss.

HISTORY BREAKS AT THE ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL

Topic: Mississippi River Navigation History.

These sessions are open to the public. There is no cost, and you can bring your own lunch or pick up lunch at Bld. 60 Cafeteria. Since the Caisson Room holds only 50 people, reservations are needed. Please call 563-355-6165 (Linda Miller) or e-mail her at <u>chiicaliinda@aol.com</u>.



Do you have any ideas for future meetings? If so, contact any board member with your suggestions.

Other Activities Nov. 11—Col.Davenport Historical Foundation Trivia. Doors open at 3pm. Play begins at 3:30, Building 60.

Nov. 12—Rock Island County Historical Society Fall Membership Meeting. 6 pm at O'Melia's, Rock Island. Dinner at 6:30; Program: Gary Blessman on the 126th Regiment: IL Infantry in the Civil War. \$20.00/person. RSVP by Nov. 5th.

Nov. 15—Martinis and a Movie: Rescue 3D at the Putnam Museum and Giant Screen Theatre. Reservations required. For more info see <u>www.putnam.org</u>.

Nov. 25—Walnut Grove Pioneer Village Christmas Walk 1-5pm Enjoy the village decorated for Christmas. Visit Santa, make and take crafts, refreshments. Free.