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Letter to the Editor:

I appreciate reporter Pru Sowers highlighting the wonderful material from the Town's archived Heritage collection (Archives Team Turns up Gems, March 29<sup>th</sup>). The article, however, may have led readers to believe this archives team is comprised of only four people, when in reality there are over twenty volunteers from the community who are tirelessly donating their time in the ongoing process of assessment, prioritization and scanning the vast amount of remarkable material, all in an effort to preserve and provide greater access to Provincetown's past. Volunteer support for the History Preservation Project, a story in itself, is a true inspiration, for without it the project would have no hope of succeeding. I have included a full listing of History Preservation Project volunteers in a separate card of thanks so that the entire community can know of their good work, and I invite the community to join us in our efforts to insure that the important work we have begun continues.

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### **Card of Thanks**

Thank you History Preservation Project Volunteers Joan Barron, Astrid Berg, Dana Berry, Stephen Borkowski, Duff Bramley, Gerry Brennan, Polly Burnell, Dick Chaoutte, Roger Chauvette, Don Cote, Debra DeJonker-Berry, Josephine Del Deo, Steve Desroches, Joyce Guide, Lyn Kratz, Lorraine Kujawa, Susan Leonard, David Mayo, Bob Payn, Taylor Polites, Lori Stewart, and Ed Terrill. While much work remains, your invaluable help through the winter has moved us closer to our goal of preserving important historical material in the Town's care and is so very much appreciated!

Doug Johnstone  
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