



*The Sarnia Tunnel Station (built in 1889-90), c.1910*

The Sarnia Tunnel Station was built in anticipation of accommodating the passenger traffic that would travel along the rail line that fed the St. Clair Tunnel. Its architectural style was unique to only a handful of stations built by the Grand Trunk Railroad during the last dozen years of the 19th century. Similar looking buildings were constructed in Chatham, Strathroy, Woodstock

and Niagara Falls. The large eaves were purposely incorporated into the station's design in order to provide shelter to awaiting passengers. Today, this building still serves as a passenger station. However, the slate roof, fluted chimneys and decorative painting have long since disappeared.

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