



Factory owner, shipowner and merchant  
**Carl Daniel Renström**

(b. 1824 - d. 1913)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 48**

Carl Daniel Renström was known for the punch he made in his alcohol distillery.

Fishmonger

**Oskar Koskinen**

(b. 1873 - d. 1951)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 48**

Oskar Koskinen was a fishmonger and had his salting house on Kalaranta in Kaskinen.

Weaver of fishing nets

**Alexandra Enroth**

(b. 1869 - d. 1942)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 73**

Alexandra was single and supported herself by weaving nets on Kalaranta in Kaskinen.

Tailor

**Onni Lauha**

(b. 1902 - d. 1968)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 46B**

Onni Lauha was one of the last old-fashioned men's tailors in Kaskinen.

Milk shop owners

**Etel & Katy Ahlqvist**

(b. 1909 - d. 1991) (b. 1908 - d. 1982)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 44**

The Ahlqvist sisters had a milk shop in the house previously owned by their grandmother, I. Höblom.

Sea captain and shipowner

**Gustav Thuring**

(b. 1809 - d. 1880)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 26**

Gustav Fredrik Thuring owned a vessel called Hilja – the biggest ever built in Kaskinen.

Restaurant owner

**Ester Castel**

(b. 1900 - d. 1995)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 22**

Ester Castel owned and ran the popular Hotell Centrum restaurant from 1939 until 1971.

Company director

**Jalmari Ollila**

(b. 1892 - d. 1976)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 16**

Ollila was well-travelled and enterprising, and founded many of the town's companies.

Pharmacist and shipowner

**Carl Bäcker**

(b. 1800 - d. 1860)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 14**

Carl Bäcker was the first person to run a proper pharmacy in Kaskinen.

Painter

**Birgitta Recksén,**

(b. 1919 - d. 2004)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 8**

As a child, the painter Birgitta Recksén lived in the house her father built in 1912.

Town physician

**Uno Fleege**

(b. 1870 - d. 1922)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 4**

Uno Axel Fleege was Kaskinen's town physician from 1905 until his death in 1922.

Painter and teacher

**Helga Söderström**

(b. 1849 - d. 1936)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 3**

Helga Söderström worked as an art teacher and was part of the so-called Düsseldorf school of painting.

Painter

**Thure Sundell**

(d. 1864 - d. 1924)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 21**

Thure Sundell lived in the house which once stood at Raatihuoneenkatu 21. His pavilion still stands in the garden.

Fisherman

**John Ekman**

(b. 1897 - d. 1970)

**Kirkkokatu 65**

John Ekman was a professional fisherman, and one of the last traditional coastal fishermen in Kaskinen.

Revue artist and actor

**Sune Mangs**

(b. 1932 - d. 1994)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 51**

Sune Mangs is known for his roles in variety shows, musicals and films in Sweden.

Editor

**Artur Jacklin**

(b. 1886 - d. 1956)

**Aleksanterinkatu 45**

Artur Jacklin was the first typographer at the Kaskö Tidning newspaper when it started in 1914.

Sea captain

**Axel "Smiling" Sjöblom**

(b. 1894 - d. 1983)

**Kuningas Kustaan aukio 7**

Captain Sjöblom sailed the world's oceans and employed young men from Kaskinen on his boat.

Casual labourer

**Henrika Peltonen**

(b. 1885 - d. 1964)

**Aleksanterinkatu 36**

Henrika Peltonen worked at the harbour, at the Pikkusaha saw mill and did people's laundry in order to support her five children.

Photographer and chimney-sweep

**Ville Kasanen**

(b. 1889 - d. 1967)

**Bladhintie 25**

Ville Kasanen was a respected photographer and the last tower guard to work at Kaskinen's old town hall.

Astronomer and mathematician

**Karl Fritiof Sundman**

(b. 1873 - d. 1949)

**Raatihuoneenkatu 23**

Karl Sundman achieved notoriety in 1912 after solving the three-body problem.

