

WATERLOO NEWS RECORD

INTERESTING PRESENTATION.
A number of friends of Mr. Eugene Wey, Waterloo, gathered at his home last evening and sprang a real surprise.

Mr. Wey was presented with a beautiful leather rocker, and an exceptionally pleasant evening was spent in progressive euchre.

Miss Irene Spricker and Mr. Hen Bass carried the prizes, and Mr. Lee Henneboffer and Mrs. M. Fischer took the booby.

Refreshments were served, bringing to a close a real enjoyable evening.

Miss Edie Conrad has returned home after spending the past few weeks with her sister in Windsor.

Mr. W. Bartlett of London was a business visitor in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowfield of Kingston are visiting friends and relatives in town for a few days.

Mr. W. Bearinger of Toronto is a welcome visitor in town renewing old acquaintances.

The Finance Committee of the town Council will meet in regular session this evening.

Mr. F. Petheringham of Toronto was a business visitor in town yesterday.

Mr. A. Coggins of Hamilton was in town on business.

Mr. J. Harris of Chatham was a business visitor in town yesterday.

MILK TEST
The following is the result of the Milk Test held yesterday by M.H.O. Dr. C.T. Noecker.

Weber	3.4
Shantz	3.2
Behling	3.2
Dubrick	3.2
Good	3.1
Nahrgang	3.0
Green	3.0

Get the News Record to-morrow—even if you have to borrow your neighbor's paper—and read our aluminum ad. M. Weichel & Son. It.

HARD, SOFT OR BLEEDING?
No matter what kind or where located any corn is promptly cured by Putnam's Corn Extract; being purely vegetable it causes no pain. Guaranteed with every bottle of "Putnam's" use no other. Sold at all dealers.

See Sicks window for genuine shoe price reductions. It.

Mr. Joe Shandon of Toronto was visitor in town this morning.

Up pairs of Women's shoes sizes 2 1/2 to 3 worth up to \$5.00 while they last \$1.00 per pair at Sicks. It.

LA. H.G. Hasenflug was a welcome visitor at the home of Mrs. Albert S. Heller and family yesterday.

LA. Hasenflug arrived in town on Tuesday from Toronto and was a passenger on the S.S. Olympic.

Mystic Seven 6. Kitchener Locals
A keen and close game of hockey was fought between the "Mystic Seven" and "local boys from Kitchener" Thursday night in which the Mystic Seven were victorious by a score of 6-1.

A Berlin wireless message says that the whole of Germany's western army had been transported to demobilization centres by January 18.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS MAY BE OVERCOME

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or are even just a little hard of hearing, you have heard noises go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parment (double strength), and add to it 2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should be open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone losing hearing or who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

Princess Waterloo

Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Charlotte Walker in MARY LAWSON'S SECRET

5 Acts

Pearl White in THE FATAL RING

Comedy—Harold Lloyd in THE BIG IDEA

2 Reels

Show starts 7.45 p.m.

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WATERLOO OFFICE IN CHARGE OF MRS. KILROY, ALLAN ST.

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Schreiter's, Phone 156.

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Officers and Council

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as secretary of the Grand River Board of Trade and he urged the Board to keep up their membership in that body and also to retain the secretaryship for the city.

Regarding a letter from the Ontario Associated Boards of Trade who drew attention to the fact that the annual meeting would be held on Mar. 27th and 28th and that resolutions to be presented to that body should now be prepared, Mr. L. J. Breithaupt, a member of the Executive of the Associated Boards of Trade, strongly urged the Board to be represented.

He suggested the incoming Council of the Board to select delegates to attend. The suggestion was adopted.

The Goderich Board of Trade believes that the rates for hydro power should be uniform all over the system. They calculate that the rate should be about \$19. Regarding this matter Mr. A. S. Capwell remarked: "This question was before the Western Ontario Boards meeting at London last fall, when Mr. Hume, a very able high school teacher, and secretary of the Goderich Board, was present and spoke on it. He explained what he thought should be done and how he figured it out that the rates should be uniform. However, some of the other delegates, when they spoke, knocked the bottom out of some of his arguments."

No action was taken on the matter. No action was taken on an invitation from the Ontario Safety League urging the Board to attend a luncheon at the annual meeting in Toronto on February 3rd.

Information About the City Needed
Retiring Secretary A. J. Cundick alluded to the necessity of the Board compiling statistics and other information about the city. "Time and again I have received requests for this information from outside industries which wish to locate in a favorable place. I certainly think something should be done. I believe the incoming Council of the Board of Trade should appoint a committee to take up the matter. Perhaps they could go before the City Council and secure a grant. It certainly is a pity that we haven't this information in a tabulated form. We are asked so frequently for it and we can't give it."

Mr. H. J. Sims: "I might say that for about fifteen years the Board used to issue an annual report. In the old days about one thousand copies were issued and every year they were all disposed of. The Board used to secure a grant from the City Council for the purpose. Some of the older members of the Board will recall this."

The retiring president, Mr. A. S. Capwell, delivered his farewell message which was followed by a few words by Mr. N. M. Davidson who had been called to take the chair after the ex-president's address.

Mr. Capwell's address follows:

January 30th, 1919.

"On account of the demand which the war has made upon us during the past year the activities of the Board of Trade, in common with the Boards of many other cities, have been curtailed somewhat, but we have nevertheless been active and much good work has been accomplished. Now, however, we are thankful to say this is all changed and we can give our undivided attention to the work before us. It is only when we really stop and think that we fully realize the full import of the events that are taking place in the world about us today. The war which has just ended has changed our view point regarding many things, and peace is bringing with it great problems whose solution will tax not only our efforts, but even the minds of our best leaders, and brainiest statesmen as well. Our best efforts before, for these efforts to be used in solving the problems which are looming up before us.

"Problems of labor, education, betterment of social conditions, progress in municipal affairs, all demand attention. Naturally, however, most of our interest centers about the city in which we live, and our own local problems here. We are all proud of Kitchener, of her position as a progressive manufacturing center, proud of her enviable reputation for industry and thrift, proud of the fact that this is a city of homes owned by the workmen who live in them. The fact that we live in such a city, however, imposes upon us all greater responsibility and the necessity for increased effort to keep her in the position she has won.

"We must not be content to stand still, but must keep up with the demands upon us, and not rest on the reputation of the past. Unfortunately conditions for the past few years have sadly interfered with our progress here, and hampered our efforts to do many things which we have all wanted to accomplish, but I am happy to say there is no longer any excuse for their existence, and I am sure from what I personally know that the

Mothers!

Watch the tongue of your young! Clean the clogged-up places! Bring joy to little faces! Kiddies will eat and smile, When you do away with bile. Careful mothers of the land Always keep Cascarets at hand. Children think them dandy—They are mild cathartic candy, Cascarets sell for a dime! They "work" every time.



When a child has a coated tongue, tainted breath or is bilious, constipated, feverish, or full of cold, give Cascarets. Children gladly take this harmless candy cathartic which thoroughly cleanses their little stomachs, livers and bowels without griping. Each 10 cent box of Cascarets contains directions for dose for children aged one year and upwards.

burst, J. C. Breithaupt, A. J. Cundick, A. S. Capwell, W. Downing, J. H. Dobbie, H. J. Sims, J. C. D. Forsyth, A. R. Goudie, G. Wanless and others.

Before Stock-Taking, Bargain in Used Organs.

We will sacrifice the following organs—Dominion Organ, 5 octaves, 9 stops, high top, Walnut case, thoroughly repaired \$15.00

Bell Organ, 5 octave, 11 stops, high top, Walnut case, good tone \$20.00

Chicago Cottage Organ, 5 octaves, 11 stops, high top without mirror, Walnut case, nice appearance \$25.00

Powell Organ, 5 octave, 10 stops, high top. This organ has five sets of reeds, surely a bargain \$25.00

Karn Organ, Piano case, 6 octave, 11 stops, Walnut case, mirror in top, beautiful organ \$35.00

Karn Organ, Piano case, 6 octave, 11 stops, Mahogany case, \$40.00

Mason & Risch, Limited, 34 King St. W., Kitchener.

Death of Infant.
The death occurred this morning of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Bokryska of Arthur Place.

The little girl was nineteen months old and will be buried from St. Mary's Church at 9:30 tomorrow morning.

Getting Matters In Shape.
In preparation for the events to be held at Bridgeport next summer "Pop" Philip is daily engaged in getting matters under way. The first part of the equipment necessary to operate such "coney-carts" has been delivered to the scene at Bridgeport.

Stops Backache In Few Minutes

Rub Lumbago pain, soreness, stiffness right out with "St. Jacob's Limentine"

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago sciatica or neuritis has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old honest "St. Jacob's Limentine" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating liniment takes the ache and pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin. Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica and lame back misery so promptly and surely. It never disappoints!

Scout Notes.
The Boy Scouts held their regular weekly meeting at St. Andrew's Church Thursday evening. The opening was read by one of the scouts and was taken from the 19th Psalm. The Scout Law and promise were then repeated after which the Scouts were put under the charge of the Signal Instructor who put them through the semaphore alphabet while the Scoutmaster corrected the angles at which the flags were held by some of the Scouts.

Two Scouts were initiated and "road the goat" and are now full fledged Tenderfoot Scouts.

The Scoutmaster then gave the boys a talk on "Honour your Father and Mother" and wished to tell them to what advantage this would have to them in later life.

A number of the Bridgeport Scouts were present and were given a hearty welcome. They will continue to attend Kitchener Scout meetings until Spring when they will have their weekly meeting held in Bridgeport.

All those who wish to participate in a hike will meet at the market square Saturday Feb. 1st. This will also include the Bridgeport Scouts.

OHIO COLLEGE GIRL Overworked, Nervous, Run-down—Health Restored by Vinol

Urbana, Ohio—"I am attending college and got into a nervous, run-down condition, no appetite, was weak and exhausted—Vinol has given me a good appetite and built up my strength and health, and I can heartily recommend it to anyone in such conditions"—Miss Adelaide Carter.

The reason Vinol was so successful in Miss Carter's case is because it contains the very elements needed to build up a weakened, run-down system make rich, red blood and create strength.

A. Roos, Kitchener, A.E. Haehele, Waterloo, and at the best drug store in every town and city in the country.

Interesting Letter
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since coming over here. It was thru the battlefields and into the territory which the Boche held for more than four years but from which he was driven out just prior to the armistice.

I left Neufchateau in a Cadillac touring car on December 26th, 1918, and our first stop was Toul where it was necessary for us to get a supply of gasoline sufficient to last for our entire journey because the territory into which we were going was as devoid of gasoline as a snake is of hips, as the saying goes.

Toul is very near to what used to be the front line and all around the outskirts of the city barbed wire has been strung and trenches have been outlined so that in case of an advance they were well prepared to meet it in the best way possible. We left Toul via the Metz road and although our intention was to visit Metz the Military Police advised us that the city was closed and so we changed our route.

The territory in and about here was not so badly torn up because this was one of the so-called "quiet sectors" and there was very little fighting here after the fall of 1914. But as we got along further toward Pont-aux-Mousses which was the right wing of the first American drive in the St. Mihiel sector, it began to look like some of the pictures which you see in the papers and magazines. The little villages which we passed thru were all battered up and in some cases there wasn't even a wall left standing.

We met scenes such as this all along from this point on. Maybe there would be one or two houses which had miraculously escaped the destruction

and the people were slowly drifting back to what used to be their homes in an attempt to rebuild or repair the damage so as to make it habitable. It really is pitiable to think of all this. Some of the towns were quite large and before the war could boast of a population of at least 15 or 20,000 souls and now all this is left of the city is material for road building.

We passed this kind of thing for about 90 or 100 miles and then got into what used to be German territory. Conflans was the first town at which we stopped. That was used by the Boche for a rail head from which they supplied all of their fighting forces in that vicinity and signs are evident of Allied bombing all through the town and especially around the station and railroad yards. The Hun had just been out of that town about a month before we got there.

We went right along thru the devastated area, thru coney-carts and other towns along the supply railroad, until we came to Stenay which was the first town of any size along this railroad that the Americans captured. We went to a little town of Inor and that was our farthest advance.

The Americans had taken all of our territory just about three days before the armistice was signed and the Salvage troops in going over the fields about three weeks later found a good number of dead bodies still lying around. The town of Inor where we stopped was used by the Boche as a hospital center and there wasn't a sign of a ruin in the town. The Crown Prince also made his Headquarters right close to here for 33 months but at that time it was far enough behind the lines so that he wouldn't get hurt.

Anyone who has seen this terrain about here would wonder how the Americans ever pushed them back. It is all hills and all of the lowlands are marshes. You know it rained almost incessantly while our push was going on and if they didn't have to storm a hill they had to push on thru small rivers, etc.

On the way from Stenay to Verdun we went right thru what used to be "No Man's Land" during the big fight of Verdun in 1916 when the Germans made their big attempt to take that city. The Salvage squads are still at work in this area and ammunition is piled high all over. The dug-outs can still be seen scattered everywhere and also the old trenches. The shell holes are so numerous in some of the places that they are right beside each other at far as you can see.

We explored some of the dug outs and picked up some souvenirs. Verdun is almost all in ruins although the destruction is piled high all over. The ground is still intact. We stayed here for the night and then are going on back to Neufchateau.

I have tried to explain some of the things which I have seen but I suppose my attempt wasn't very good. Also the typewriter is bad so excuse errors.

Your loving son,
Charlie.

Four Year Old Girl Run Down By Auto

ACCIDENT HAPPENED ON FREDERICK STREET

Part of Evidence Heard in Police Court

Following an accident near Locust street on Frederick street shortly after six o'clock last evening a charge of criminal negligence was heard in Police Court this morning. The defendant is Mr. Fernando Bitchey of New Germany.

The victim in the accident was Mildred the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lincoln, 301 Frederick street who was run down by an automobile and sustained bruises principally on the head, and had a narrow escape from more serious injury.

In court today Mr. Bitchey pleaded not guilty to the charge preferred against him. The evidence of Mr. Milton Cressman who is leaving for the west within a few days was heard, after which the case was adjourned until February 5th. Mr. Bitchey furnished bail to the extent of \$500.

Mr. Cressman in giving evidence stated he was walking easterly on right hand side of Frederick street in the vicinity of Locust street where several children were playing on the sidewalk. A few seconds later he heard a yell behind him. Looking back he noticed a child had been knocked down by an automobile which was going easterly and was slightly to the right of the centre road. The automobile driver, it appeared to him had almost stopped his car when the car struck the child apparently having applied the brakes. Then the machine again started to move on. He

SATURDAY BARGAINS

You will find some wonderful snaps waiting for you at our BIG STORES for to-morrow. Below we quote you a few of them.

Come in and have a look around.

50 small and big boys' overcoats at 4 price. Regular \$10.00, for \$5.00. Regular \$12.00, for \$6.00

Boys' fleecy lined underwear, reg. 90c, for.....69c

Men's natural wool combination underwear, reg. \$5.00 for \$3.48

Buy your shoes and rubbers from us for you will find that our prices are greatly reduced and we can save you money.

Extra big cuts on all our men's and boys' overcoats and suits. We can save you 33 1-3 off the

regular price. This is reg. \$24.00 for \$16.00; reg. \$15 for \$10

Sweater coat bargains for men's and boys, reg. \$10.00, for \$7.48

Reg. \$8.00 for \$5.98; Reg. \$4.00 for.....\$2.98

Men's odd trousers, very special at \$3.48, \$4.48 and \$5.98