

## WATERLOO NEWS RECORD

### A Victorian Order of Nurses To Be Organized in Waterloo

Town Council Makes Grant of \$400 To The Cause. Various Matters Dealt With at the First Meeting.

The first regular meeting of the Town Council was held last evening following the adjournment of the inaugural meeting in the morning and when the Mayor called the meeting to order the members were in their allotted places with the exception of Mr. Sturms who was still confined to the house through illness. There was a short meeting of the Finance Committee prior to the regular meeting when several accounts were passed and ordered paid.

#### To Sign Agreement Re Dam and Ice.

Before taking up the regular business Mr. C.N. Huether addressed the Council in regard to the leasing of the dam for ice purposes. As he had purchased the ice buildings and electric cutting outfit from Mr. Weber he did not care to go ahead with the putting up of larger buildings for the storing of ice and the improving of the plant unless assurance was given by the Council that he could retain the right to use the dam for a certain period of years. As Mr. Huether already conducts an ice plant at Kitchener he having many customers in Waterloo Mr. Foster asked what guarantee he would give that the price would not be raised seeing that he would have a monopoly in both towns and he was assured by Mr. Huether that he would sign an agreement that the price would not be any higher than last year.

This seemed satisfactory to the Council and an agreement between Mr. Huether and the town will be drawn up to that effect.

Mr. Haberger, Manager of the Molsons Bank, and Mr. Wright, Manager of the Bank of Toronto both addressed the Council, along matter pertaining to the town's banking accounts and both were accorded an attentive hearing.

#### Promises Better Service.

The communication from the Kitchener Light Commission stating that better service was being supplied the town between 6.30 and 7 o'clock in the morning was graciously received and ordered filed.

#### Permission To Erect Telephone Pole.

The Bell Telephone Co., who were granted permission to erect additional poles on certain streets in town to take care of increased service, the work to be done under the supervision of the Town Engineer. Request for Grant Laid Over.

The request for a grant to the Hospital for Sick children was laid over for the Finance Committee to deal with.

#### To Provide For Collection of Arrears.

Mr. Jacob Uffelman, tax-collector, stated that as there were some in arrears of taxes covering a period of three years or more the proper procedure would be to do the necessary three months advance warning and then sell the lands as covered by the arrears of taxes.

Last year a committee composed of Mr. A.H. Cochrane, the Clerk and the Tax Collector were appointed to carry out this order and the same committee were reappointed and ordered to go ahead.

**Fuel Commissioners.** Reeve Bohlender, Deputy Reeve Stroth, Councilors Sturms and Kiewit, with the Mayor will again fill the duties of Fuel Commissioners for the coming year.

**Various Appointments Made.** The bylaw appointing the different Municipal officers was given its third reading, the appointments being as follows:

**Princess Waterloo.** MON., TUES., WED. "THE PHANTOM BUCHANEER"

"THE JAKAROO"

Comedy: "Fire in Flapjack"—Vaudeville Attraction—Edgington and Lion in Comedy Sketch "Neutral Nut"

Coming: Thursday, Friday, Saturday Bryan Washburn in "TWENTY ONE"

**SCHREITERS** UNDERTAKING AND EMBALMING "OUR SERVICE EXCELS"

**WATERLOO OFFICE IN CHARGE OF MRS. KILROY, ALLAN ST. Phone 344.**

**KITCHENER OFFICES** Schreiter's, Phone 156. L. Selbert, Phone 653. A. G. Schreiter, Phone 1147.

dow of the late John Weber, Annie, and Martha of town and Laura (Mrs. Fred Miller, Baden).

To them the sympathy of the community is extended in this their hour of bereavement.

The deceased was in her 50th year.

The funeral will be held from her late residence on Willow Street on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Friends kindly omit flowers.

#### At the Big Annual Furniture Exhibit

The Event Promises to Be One of the Best Ever Held.

The Annual Furniture Exhibit opened yesterday afternoon and will continue until January 25th promises to be the most successful ever held in town. For some weeks past a number of our business men have been busy preparing their warehouses with a display of their wares and the outcome has been that the finest display of furniture ever seen in Waterloo.

A visit to the different warehouses, looking resplendent in the finest of furniture of every description and gaily decorated with the flags of the Allies and the other nations, is a sight not only from the dealers but the town people as well. Naturally in displays of this kind the honor of producing the most artistic and largest assortment must undoubtedly fall to the largest manufacturer and in this respect the firm of Snyder Bros. upholstering Co. and Peck Company have an exhibit that is par excellence.

The show rooms are a bower of beauty and artistic taste and show large and careful labor. The display of the manufactured products to the best advantage. The Woeller Building Co. The Waterloo Furniture Co. and the other institutions, manufacturing these lines also have made fine displays and for the next two weeks the above and all Furniture factories in town will be kept busy displaying their wares and booking orders for spring delivery.

The Chesterfield undoubtedly hold the premier position in the exhibit. Large and massive and with coverings of suitable patterns and beautiful design they can be seen in different styles and in great numbers. There are Chesterfields for small rooms and Chesterfields for large rooms and the coming season will see a large increase in the use of this popular style of furniture. The mahogany and oak suites being upholstered in the finest of new silk are also coming back into style and while new designs are being shown the year owing to the ban on new designs the old styles will still prove popular. Dining room suites, bedroom furniture, library and study furniture, and a great variety of household goods are on display and the assortment is the finest ever seen in Waterloo. Spaces does not permit us to give a detailed description of the many handsome exhibits suffice to say that whether a prospective buyer or not you will be made welcome to visit any of the warehouses during the time the exhibition is on. Although the exhibition only opened yesterday afternoon a great number of buyers have arrived from points as far west as Winnipeg and as far east as Fredericton N.B. and everyone has the same eager desire to give a detailed description of the many handsome exhibits suffice to say that whether a prospective buyer or not you will be made welcome to visit any of the warehouses during the time the exhibition is on.

No doubt was a substantial grant be made by the Council they would take up the work. There was considerable discussion and it was finally passed that a grant of \$400 be passed to the establishing of an order in town.

Deputy Reeve Stroth, explained of the Dobbin Garage had erected a gasoline service tank in front of his place of business on King Street and while it apparently was all right the Engineer would inspect the same and report at the next meeting.

This concluded the business and adjournment was made at 10.15 P.M.

#### Chicago Man on Trade Generally

A visitor in town yesterday was Mr. Greenbaum of Chicago, head of one of the largest leather concerns in that City who was on an annual visit to the Waterloo Glove Co. In speaking about trade in general he said there were small prospects of prices coming down, in fact the market at the present time had an upward tendency and prices would most likely soar to some time to come.

The labor problem would be one to consider while there were lots of men to be had the great difficulty was in getting men to do the rough work and that now the war is over many will hire themselves to the old country. However he seemed optimistic as to the future and before returning home will visit Toronto, Montreal and other centres.

#### Sudden Death While Attending Funeral

MRS. HERMAN SCHMIDT PASSED AWAY.

Death came with startling suddenness yesterday afternoon to the beloved wife of Mr. Herman Schmidt, being due to an affliction of this heart. Apparently in good health she was attending the last rites of her son-in-law, the late John Weber, who passed away last Friday night. She was overcome and when medical aid was summoned she had passed away.

To mourn her sudden demise there are left the sorrowing husband, four sons, Jacob, Henry, Albert and Clarence, all of Waterloo and four daughters, Bertha, Wil-

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#### Was Honored by The "Hard Gang"

MR. WM. GASTMEIER AGREEABLY SURPRISED.

Mr. William Gastmeier, Bridgeport, night Chief Engineer of the Dominion Sugar Co., was agreeably surprised, and was honored, by the "Hard Gang" at his home last evening. Following an address, read by Mr. W. Blain and a presentation, of a handsome chair and a box of cigars through the medium of Mr. Hermie Hertel, the gathering spent an enjoyable time, the program including games, and a social hour.

The good wishes were embodied in the following address:

After spending another very pleasant campaign under your cheerful guidance we thought that this

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A New York woman asks: "Can any girl remember when it was considered 'bad form' for a lady to work, and 'unfortunate' for a girl to have to earn her own living? Sh. Geraldine! Don't give away your age."

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## Winter WEATHER DANGERS

Keep Peps handy as the sure and safe remedy for winter coughs, colds, sore throat, influenza and bronchitis.

Keep the boys at the front well supplied too. They can have nothing better than Peps to ward off colds and chest troubles caused by exposure to bad weather.

The Peps medicine is breathed in as a Peps tablet dissolves in the mouth. It penetrates where liquid medicine cannot reach; and provides direct and instant protection for every part of the throat and chest.

#### FREE TRIAL

Send this advertisement and 1c. stamp (for return postage) to Peps Co., Dupont St., Toronto and free trial package will be sent you.

## PEPS

Too Late to Classify

Wanted—Immediately Chicken Pen size and price. Box 30

For Sale—Beautiful davenport good as new. Apply 150 Church St. 1-14-30

To Let—Comfortable steam heated furnished room suitable for two with or without board. Apply 42 Schneider Ave. 1-14-30

Lost—Lonsville watch on Monday, one block from Dominion. Finder leave at News Record. 1-14-30.

Would be the most opportune time to show in a comparatively small way our appreciation of your efforts in our behalf, also knowing your need for a well-earned rest. With this in view we want you in all your spare moments to take it easy in this chair.

We therefore ask you to accept this gift as a token of good fellowship with best wishes for the coming year full of health and happiness.

On behalf of the Hard Gang, That's Us.

So here's to Friend Bill, the chief engineer, Who always is smiling and of very good cheer.

Then comes the repair man, fat Her-Ann Herie, If he gets much fatter he'll crawl like a turtle.

There's Frank Stevenpiper, his white cap on his head, Who says "When's a sweeper, the heater we'll clean."

Next comes Bill Blain, the electrician fair, When he stops the big engine on centre she's there.

The boiler house foreman, George Quill, gets the blame, When the steam is right down and the water's the same.

Then comes Lincoln Kuntz, the oiler you know, When he finds a hot bearing the oil sure does flow.

There's young Shorty Gould, who drives the first pumps, When wrestling with Thomas he sure gets some bumps.

Then last of the gang, Bill Heigitz, from the river, Who says, "Gee, but this place sure gets on my liver."

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## Recommendations

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When the City Clerk was asked whether the appointments had to be made at the meeting he replied that the law said that at the first meeting the Council should make certain appointments. He added, that the third reading could be deferred until the next meeting. The year of these public bodies wouldn't end until the end of this month.

Ald. Schreiter: "As a new member of the Council I would like to state that in order to check up the names I would prefer to have it laid over."

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like to be appointed to the Hospital Board," Ald. Baetz said.

"What are they?" Mayor Gross asked.

"Well, I am not in a position to say," Ald. Baetz stated.

The Mayor: Well, in what way has he special reason? Of what nature are they? Would it be a benefit to the Council or not?"

"Well, some might think it a benefit others not," Ald. Baetz replied with a smile.

THE DANGER TO CHILDREN.

Sleighting On Hills and on Streets. The fatality on Joseph street last Saturday when a lad lost his life has drawn the attention of the Mayor and Aldermen to the danger of young folks coasting on the sidewalks and sleighing across the streets, especially at certain points in the city.

Mayor Gross remarked: "If there is nothing else before the Council, before we adjourn I would like to draw your attention to one matter. You all undoubtedly have noticed that there was a sad accident last Saturday afternoon when a young boy lost his life by being run over by a truck while sleighing down a hill. I wonder whether it wouldn't be well were the Board of Works to take up the matter drawing special notice to the danger and help to eliminate it."

Ald. Goffon: "I might say that boys in that section have been warned time and again against the danger and still they have persisted in the dangerous practice. Warnings even by the members of the families don't seem to help. But I believe if a notice were inserted in the papers drawing attention to the danger much good would be done."

Ald. Baetz: "If the attention of the Police Commission were drawn to it, there would be a better effect than in any other way. You, Mr. Mayor, are a member of the Commission and could bring it to their attention."

"Yes," I could do that," the Mayor said.

Ald. C. Greb alluded to a similar nuisance on Lanester Street, where boys were continually participating in the dangerous practice he said.

Ald. Schreiter: "Wouldn't it be well if the Board of Works were to see that the boys would be urged to go out further in the City. Designate and have the boys use some particular hills, where there isn't the danger. You know we all were boys once and recall how we used to like to go out and enjoy ourselves."

Ald. Asmusen: "Well, it's a question whether parents would allow them to go out far. One cause of the danger at present is that some automobiles come down the street too fast."

Ald. Bowman: "Regarding the setting aside of some special hills for the purpose, the question arises whether the town would be liable if an accident occurred."

"That's a point," a member interjected.

"Well, if there is nothing before the Chair, a motion to adjourn is in order," the Mayor said.

The Council then adjourned at 2.55 o'clock.

The session was a short one for an inaugural meeting.

CRIPPLED SOLDIER PRAISES S. A. HUTS

Received Nothing But Kindness from officers who Served in France

A strong letter of indorsement of the Salvation Army's work at the front was written by a patient in the Davisville (Toronto) Military Hospital to the Red Shield Drive Committee. The man lost one of his limbs but was fortunate

Salvation Army—First to Serve—Last to Appeal.

"Another thing I will mention is that I was never turned away from the huts hungry if I did not have the money to pay for the food, but they always allowed me to pay up later on when I did have the money. This fact made the boys feel at home, even though they were thousands of miles away from their Canadian homes I feel that I owe this to the Salvation Army in letting them know the good they are doing for the boys overseas, but will ask you not to publish my name and number."

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