

WATERLOO PAGE

Visitors Admire New Offices

The Canadian Bank of Commerce are in the handsome new offices on King street, north, the doors being opened for business this morning. At eight o'clock on Saturday evening the building was opened to the public when many visitors enjoyed the opportunity of going through it and many complimentary remarks on the attractiveness of the offices were heard. The ladies especially expressed their admiration of the furnishings of the sitting-room and chambers on the second floor.

Best Buckskin Moccasins, 60c to \$1.50 pair at Zick's.

Sunday at the Churches

AT EMMANUEL CHURCH

The members of Emmanuel Evangelical Church and friends and citizens enjoyed a musical treat at the church on Sunday evening when the former organist, Miss Ruby L. Nicholls, Mus. Bac., and Miss M. Homuth, of Whitby Ladies College, rendered delightful numbers. The ability of Miss Nicholls as an organist is well-known and her perfect manipulation of the keys last evening showed that her high reputation as such is well merited. The bringing out of the full, blending tones and the resonance in the most difficult parts was wonderful. No less worthy of eulogy was the singing of Miss Homuth, whose sweet soprano voice is most pleasing. The vocal numbers were "Lead Kindly Light" and the German, "O Selige Zeit."

OCCUPIED VACANT PULPIT

The vacant pulpit of the Waterloo Presbyterian Church was occupied by Mr. H. L. Binnie, of Knowlton, Toronto, yesterday. The congregation enjoyed two forceful sermons.

Wendell's cream dates 15c per pound.

Here's a sensible Xmas gift, a pair of Dr. Reed's cushion shoes. Get a pair at Zick's.

Miss Ruby Nicholls, Mus. Bac., Miss Marguerite Homuth and Mrs. Homuth, of Whitby, were the guests of the Misses Sarah and Lizzie Wegman during their stay in Waterloo.

Miss Edna Eschbach, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. Zick for the past four months, returned to her home in Grass Lake, Mich., this morning.

Do not overlook Sturm Brother's smokers' supplies in selecting your Christmas gifts.

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Notes on Sport

The following is the schedule of the Waterloo Financial Hockey League:

Dec. 22, Dominion Life and Mutual Life.
Dec. 29, Clerks and Bankers.
Jan. 5, Clerks and Dominion Life.
Jan. 7, Mutual Life and Bankers.
Jan. 12, Dominion Life and Bankers.
Jan. 14, Mutual Life and Clerks.
Jan. 19, Mutual Life and Dominion Life.
Jan. 21, Bankers and Clerks.
Jan. 26, Dominion Life and Clerks.
Jan. 28, Bankers and Mutual Life.

Feb. 2, Bankers and Dominion Life.
Feb. 4, Clerks and Mutual Life.
The first game which was to have been played to-morrow evening has been postponed until later in the season, the Mutual Life not being able to play on this date. An exhibition game between two of the teams in the league will be staged.

Eventually Wendell's Butter Scotch Why now now?

Grand Display of Christmas Meats

One of the finest displays of Christmas meats ever exhibited are now on exhibition in E. J. Fisher's meat market, Waterloo. This stock was all purchased by Mr. Fisher three and a half months ago and specially stall fed for the Christmas trade. Anybody wishing to have something very choice for Christmas dinner should not fail to see this display. The stock consists of three choice two-year-old heifers, fed by Martin M. Bowman, Waterloo; three choice two-year-old heifers fed by Joseph Baumann, Waterloo; four heifers fed by Ames Groff, Waterloo; one calf, twelve weeks old, 440 pounds live weight, a good one, fed by Paul Martin, Waterloo; one calf 8 weeks old, a dandy, fed by Enoch M. Weber, Conestoga; two lambs, fed by Milton Snider, Lexington; one lamb, fed by John Schaefer, Erieville; six hogs, fed by Abraham Snider, Waterloo; eight hogs, fed by Wesley Sittler, Waterloo; also a good supply of fowl smoked ham, bacon and sausages of every description.

An acceptable gift! Wendell's Newport Christmas packages.

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa Claus: Will you please give me a big doll and a bed for my doll and some candies, shoes, nuts and a pair of ribbons, and an organ and a dress, a pair of skates, five story books, a carriage for my doll and a pair of mitts and some oranges.
Catharine Olenick.

Berlin, Ont., Dec. 19, 1914.

Dear Sir:—Please tell the Good fellows fund to tell Santa that shall come to us and bring me and my sister school dresses. Tell Santa to bring my brother a suit, he is four and I am 12 years old and my sister is ten. My big brother wants a suit too he is 15 years old and I have a little sister. She is four and she needs a dress and a coat. My father is sick and my mother is working and I have a big sister she wants a coat. So don't forget and send Santa to us.
So good-bye.
Ollie Plantz.
No. 131 Cedar St. south, Berlin, Ont.
1914.

Berlin, Ont., Dec. 10, 1914.

Dear Santa Claus:—Would you please be so kind and bring me a pair of button shoes and a suit, some nice candy and oranges, and a horse.
Joe Krolicki.
160 Strange St.
10 Gatenam Place.

Dear Santa Claus:—Will you bring my father a suit of clothes and my mother a suit, some nuts, candies and oranges and a parlour suit.
Master Carl Palkowski.

Berlin, Ont., Dec. 10, 1914.
Dear Santa Claus:—Would you please be so kind and bring me a big nice doll, a dress, a hat, a set of dishes and some nice candy and oranges. Good-bye, dear Santa Claus.
Constance Krolicki.
Berlin, Ont.
160 Strange St.
Berlin, Ont.

109 Elgin St.
Berlin, Ont., Nov. 24, 1914.

Dear Santa Claus:—Will you please get me a coat, a hat, a set of dishes, a stove, and candies, nuts, nigger toes, and oranges and don't forget.
Yours truly, Bye-bye, Santa Claus.
Viola Miehm.

SPLENDID LECTURE AT THE GRAND

The lecture at the Grand Theatre on Sunday afternoon was listened to by an audience of over 200, and Pastor MacPherson expounded the subject in a manner that was greatly appreciated by all. As one of the audience said, at the close, "I have often paid 50 cents for a lecture not as good as that."

Mr. Jack Milne who received serious injuries in a fall from the new Molson's Bank building, King and Erb streets, several weeks ago, and who has been laid up at the Berlin and Waterloo Hospital passed away at that institution shortly after 9 o'clock on Saturday evening. Death came unexpectedly as the result of a complication in the shape of pulmonary embolus, the result of the injuries sustained. Only five minutes prior to his death, friends had been to see him and had enjoyed a conversation with him. Up to the time of his death apparent progress towards recovery had been made. The deceased was about forty-five years of age.

A new \$15,000 residence in Orange, N.J., was totally destroyed by fire.

Major-Gen. George B. Davis, U.S.A., retired, is dead at his home in Washington.

AT ST. MATTHEW'S

An excellent sermon on "Thou shalt not steal" was delivered by Rev. C. R. Tappert at St. Matthew's Church last evening by a large congregation of worshippers. The pastor pointed out the fact that there was such a thing as the property of the individual but that some so-called radicalistic thinkers were taking the view that all property should belong to the people as a whole and there should be no private ownership. As a matter of fact everything belonged to God. It was merely placed in charge of man and was called his property.

The various kinds of thieving which though more prevalent in goney ages was still found in Christian nations were reviewed. These included such acts as stealing a ride on a street car, smuggling goods into the country and reducing employees wages in hard times.

Both morning and evening services were well attended the morning being German and the latter English.

SENTENCED FOR THREE YEARS

Todor Ignatoff, who the other day was found guilty of wrongdoing Pora Nikolick, appeared before Judge Hanning on Saturday afternoon and was sentenced to the Provincial Penitentiary at Kingston for a term of three years.

A diphtheria epidemic is feared in Jersey City, and three hundred school pupils have been dismissed.

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