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## ELMIRA EVENTS

Miss Ada Held of Fisherville was a visitor here during New Years holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Hacob Elix.

Mr. Fred Seigner, Fred Ruppel and Miss Alice Snyder of the Ruppel Co. staff are at present laid up with the "flu". We wish them speedy recovery.

Congratulations are in order to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ains. Mr. Amy one of our young and prominent merchants was married at Midway on Dec 26-18 to Miss Lillian Seeling a popular young

lady of that town. May Mr. and Mrs. Amy enjoy together many years of prosperous and happy wedded life.

Dr. J.H. Cormack M.D. has taken over the practice of the late Dr. Pauls and as a new citizen we extend to the Doctor our hearty welcome. May he prosper and be spared to spend with us many years of health and citizenship.

**New Year's Wish**  
As we have passed into the new year. Let us give thanks unto the Lord May He uplift our hearts to His noble cause.

And in so doing create among us, Real brotherly love and kindness. Let us choose the better part in

life. Towards one another show truer and kinder deeds.

Those in need both in spirit and keep. Let us give good counsel and aid. But guide our hearts and ways. To look to these for good in all we do and say.

But above all learn us, Oh God to pray. And then when we have passed through the day.

We hope and trust with Thee to stay. Mrs. Herman and daughter were visitors here during Xmas holidays.

The dedication of the New Pipe organ in the Evangelical church was largely

and well attended on Sunday evening. The service was conducted by Rev. Brown and Geiger the latter preaching a very interesting, appropriate and impressive sermon. The choir sang several selections and the selections rendered by the Bricker sisters and the male quartette was very pleasing and appropriate for the occasion.

A lecture was delivered on Monday evening by Rev. Geiger a returned Chaplain who very ably outlined some of his experiences in and during his work in France, and England. Every body present sure enjoyed Rev. Geiger's lecture. On Tuesday evening a rare treat was enjoyed by the many attendants at the organ recital at which Mr. Lyle member of the Edward Lyle and sons pipe organ builders certainly showed in his able manner all the beauty in tone and deliverance which can be brought out of a good pipe organ such of which the Evangelical congregation can feel proud of. Another treat was the grand singing of one of Canada's foremost singers, Ruthven McDonald, baritone singer with his selections sure pleased the audience. We hope the congregation will enjoy all the good for many years with this fine instrument in their church to which they can sing praises to the Most High in all its glory.

Mr. and Mrs. Tax Herz and family of Waterloo were visitors here during New Years holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Ruppel.

Miss Alma Altemann was a visitor here on Christmas with parents.

Miss Dorothy Schaefer of Toronto and her brother Kilborn of Beausville were visitors here during New Years holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schmidt of Stratford and daughter Emily were visitors here during holiday time with Mrs. Hy Zilliox.

Mr. Fred Vogt of Mishawaka U.S.A. was visiting here during New Years holidays with his mother and other relatives.

Miss Loraine Duke of Toronto was a visitor here with relatives and friends during the holiday week.

New Years Eve service was held here on Tuesday evening in the St. James Lutheran Church Rev. Stromper officiating.

Miss Alice Miller of Wellesey and Mr. Kater were visitors here on New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. Will Stearnagle.

Mr. Nicolls of was a visitor here with relatives and friends during New Years holidays.

Elmira citizens will have the pleasure of voting here on Monday. From the present outlook there will be a hot contest both for Reeve and council.

Mr. F. Meyer former Reeve will be opposed by Mr. P.F. Stumpf, and the following men are in the field for Council namely: Walter Quickfall, Albert Schewidow, Hy Brodecker, Mic Algeier, Amasa Winger, Thomas Dilliken and John Small. The former four men were formerly in the council.

Mr. Henry Weichel was elected by acclamation on the Utilities Commission and Mr. D. Hollinger remains another year on the same commission.

Mrs. J.W. Ford had the misfortune of breaking her arm at the wrist on Tuesday morning. Her many friends regret very much to hear such and wish her speedy recovery.

Mr. McKenzie, Drug clerk with A. Werner are pleased to note is improving nicely since his severe attack of "flu" he is being looked after by Miss Adell O'Neill nurse.

Mrs. David Ratz and son David after spending a few months in the West arrived home again. Their

many friends are glad to see them. Miss Metilda Wildfang of Toronto spent New Years holidays with parents here.

Death called away one of our well known men Mr. Joseph Ruth who lives near Elmira and who at one time was a resident here. The deceased was ailing for a number of years and was gradually becoming weaker from time to time when on New Years morning he passed away. He leaves to mourn a sorrowing widow, and a large family. The remains will be brought to Elmira St. Theresa church on Friday morning after which the body will be interred in the R.C. Cemetery in Woolwich. The late Joe Ruth was about 70 years of age was well liked and had many friends who extended their deepest sympathy to the bereaved wife and family.

The funeral of Mr. Joseph Ruth will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday from the residence to St. Theresa Church, Elmira thence to the cemetery.

The Misses A. Herz and M. Hera of Kitchener were visitors here with relatives and friends on New Years day.

The entertainment given in the Thastory under the auspices of ladies aid of the Methodist Church was a success and the attendance was good.

Selections by Mr. Arthur Lashinger Misses Hattie Ruppel and Grace Erix Amandus Herz, Miss Tyle and Messrs W.L. Badley, Mr. Hermann, C.J. Hohman & C.P. Kuppel was much appreciated and enjoyed by the audience.

Last but not least was the lecture "The Most talked of man in the Crowd" by Rev. Webster sure was most interesting and well given. This man played in his able manner his force of speech with convincing words and sure had the audience spellbound at times proving that they were much interested in his lecture. No doubt those who heard Mr. Webster will again go to hear him when opportunity permits.

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## TALKING IT OVER

With Lorna Moon

## IMPRESSIONS AND CONVICTIONS

Yesterday Jamie and I went to the art gallery. Jamie is ten and is already taking an interest in the developing of his muscles; the main object of our trip was to allow him to gaze enviously on the big muscles of Hercules and Atlas, and Mercury with his winged feet.

Later we looked at the pictures—Jamie has a commercial turn of mind. He looked over the pictures with a critical eye and then asked "Are they for sale?"

"Some are and some are not," "About how much would they want for one of them," he asked tilting his head appraisingly on one side.

"Oh the prices differ—some would cost around a hundred dollars and some many thousand."

"Wheel" was his only answer to this. Then after a little thought, "I guess it's pretty hard to paint pictures like this—requires pretty skilled hands and—all that" this questioning, clearly he wanted me to express my self.

"More than skill dear, artists are born with a gift, and then they spend years learning to perfect their art."

"And how do they know when they HAVE learned it?"

"I answered "when the world recognizes them," but I knew that I spoke a half-truth. World recognition isn't always a proof of art. I had just been watching a group of society women babbling extravagant praise over a futurist daub by an impressionist who is all the rage. It represented I believe, a girl binding her hair—but it looked equally like a rag doll in hysterics—it, or she, had tabular arms and octagonal knees and the hair liked like avoid syrup misplacéd— one is supposed to receive some kind of an 'impression' when one looks at a picture and I didn't get an impression, but I

got a conviction that the guilty party should be conducted gently but firmly to some remote place of captivity: I can't blame Jamie for wondering "how they know when they have learned it" Some of the wild messes that are recognized as art would puzzle a wiser and older head than his.

## FROM HERE AND THERE

Versailles, where the most historic meeting the world has ever known is soon to take place, is one of the show cities of France and is more frequented by foreigners than perhaps any other French city, not even excepting Paris, for Versailles is a great city for pleasure, and has been so for hundreds of years. It is about eleven miles to the southwest of Paris, and is one of the most regularly laid out towns of Europe, its streets nearly all being very wide and straight, and at right angles to one another. It is a town of avenues and squares, both being lined with elm trees.

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