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MEMBERS OF BAND HONOR THEIR LEADER

The parents and members of the London Juvenile Pipe Band, which is under the direction of Police Sergt. Thomas MacDonald, held a banquet on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, William street, where they presented Mr. and Mrs. Taylor with a lovely library lamp and Pipe-Major and Mrs. MacDonald with a handsome pedestal and fern as a slight token of their esteem and appreciation of their efforts in bringing the band to its present state of high efficiency.

This band, which is composed of about sixteen young Londoners, has made a specialty of patriotic work during the last two years, and has made its appearance in many towns in Ontario, where it was appreciated.

MURDER CHARGE DISMISSED.

Rochester, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Gladys Gamon Webster, on trial at Geneseo for the murder of Edwin Dyer Webster in August last, is a free woman. On motion of District Attorney Wheeler this morning Judge Thompson dismissed the charge of murder.

MANITOBA TO HAVE 200 MEMBERS OF R. N. W. M. P. FORCE

Winnipeg, Dec. 22.—Manitoba is to have a strong detachment of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, with provincial headquarters at Brandon. This advices from Ottawa state that a force of 1,200 men are to be located west of the great lakes, and that Manitoba's proportion is to be 200.

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Make Your Christmas Gift Breathe Cheer This Year!

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PEACE ON EARTH FAVORITE THEME IN CHURCHES ON SUNDAY; CHRISTMAS MUSIC RENDERED BY THE CHOIRS

First Peace Christmas for Four Years Brings Many Returned Soldiers to Worship, Some Maimed and Shell-Shocked, But All Cheerful and Thankful War Has Ended.

"Peace on Earth, Goodwill to Men" was the theme taken by the majority of the ministers of the city yesterday. Christmas Sunday was generally observed throughout the churches of the city, and along with the Christmas sermons special music appropriate to the day was rendered by all the choirs assisted by various talented soloists. For the first Christmas since that of 1913, the angel of peace has spread his wings over the battle-scarred fields of Belgium, France and Flandera. Hundreds of London boys who one year ago, were in the trenches, have returned to their families, and others are on their way home. These facts no doubt helped to make the services of the day more realistic. Mingled with the throngs of worshipers one could see young men in khaki, some who had lost one arm, or a leg, others shell-shocked, who had been invalided home before the armistice had been signed. These, judging by their looks, enjoyed the various anthems as much if not more than any others present at the service.

True Christmas Spirit.

Exhibiting the true Christmas spirit, they forgot themselves and heartily gave thanks that the war which has saddened so many homes, has at last come to an honorable end for the Allies. Thankful they were that their pals with whom they had fought side by side were now out of the trenches, many of them on their way home to loved ones. Large congregations turned out to enjoy the special services which had been prepared for Christmas Sunday. In addition to the special music, Holy Communion was observed in the Anglican churches of the city.

Services were conducted in the First Methodist Church by Rev. R. G. Peever, D. D. Among the special musical offerings of the day in this church were the following numbers:

Special Music.

Anthem—"Sing, O Heavens" (Tours). Soloist, Miss Lillian Moran.
Contralto Solo—"Star of the East" (Whitney Coombs), Miss Lulta Laymon.
Violin Obligato—Miss Florence Eggestone.
Anthem—"Blessed Be the Lord" (Williams). Carmen Learn soloist.
Offertory—"Christmas in Sicily" (Yon), A. D. Jordan.
Contralto Solo—"There's a Song in the Air" (Oley Speakes), Miss Lulta Laymon.
'Cello Solo—"Andante," from "Cantilene" (Golterman), Gladstone Paul.
Anthem—"Christmas" (Shelley). Soloist, Miss Muriel Jackson.
Quartet—Misses Bentley, Laymon and Stansfield.
Instrumental Trio—"Andante Religioso," Grant Milligan, Gladstone Paul, and A. D. Jordan.
Tenor Solo—"Virgin Mother's Lullaby" (Godard), Sidney Johns.
Violin Obligato—Grant Milligan.
Violin Solo—"Aria" (Goldmark), Grant Milligan.
Anthem—"O Holy Night" (Adams), Miss Irene Parkinson, soloist.
Organ Prelude—Morning, "March of the Magi" (Dubois); evening, "Sonata in F" (Corelli).
Organ Postlude—Morning "Hallelujah Chorus" (Handel); evening "Toccata" (Widor), from the Fifth Symphony.

Bishop Preached.

In St. Paul's Cathedral, of which Rev. L. N. Tucker, M.A., D.C.L., is the rector, the special Christmas sermon was given by the lord bishop of Huron, Bishop Williams.

Special Christmas music, under the direction of Clarence E. Gilmour, organist and choirmaster, was rendered during the services. The following numbers were given:

Organ Prelude—"Herald Angels" (Dinelli).
Processional Hymn—"O Come, All Ye Faithful."
Versicles and Responses—Tallis, in G.
Venite Exultemus Domino—Sir John Goss.
Proper Psalms to Anglican Chants—Boyce, Cooke, Hall.
Te Deum Laudamus in B Flat—Sir Charles Villiers Stanford.
Benedictus in B Flat—King Hall.
Kyrie Eleison, Gloria Tibi, and Gratias—Berthold Tours.
Hymn—"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night."
Offertory—Anthem—"O Holy Night" (Adolphe Adam).
Obligato Solo—Miss Simcox.
Sursum Corda, Ter Sanctus—Berthold Tours.
Gloria in Excelsis—King Hall in C.
Sevenfold Amen—Stainer.
Recessional Hymn—"Hark the Herald Angels Sing."
Organ Postlude—"March for a Church Festival" (Driffield).
Clarence E. Gilmour organist and choirmaster.

At St. Andrew's.

Rev. D. C. MacGregor, B.A., occupied the pulpit in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church after an absence in Hamilton of several months, while he was engaged among the soldiers as a chaplain. "On Earth Peace" and "The Rule of the Prince of Peace" were the subjects on which he chose to base his sermons of the day. Special Christmas music under the direction of C. H. Wheeler was the feature of the services. Cordn Ward Buchner, violinist; Misses Cochrill, Fetherston and Mastin, C. J. Pink and E. A. Webster, soloists, also assisted with the musical program, which was as follows:

Organ—"Pastorale in A" (Guilmant).
Christmas Fantasy on a Theme by Baca (Rebing).
Anthem—"The Earth Lay Wrapt in Slumber" (Sheldon).
Solo—"No Candle Was There and No Fire" (Lehmann).
Anthem—"I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day" (Stevenson).
Violin Solo—"Romanza" (Wilhelm).
Solo and Chorus—"Peace on Earth" (Lorenz).
Postlude—"Scherzo Symphonique" (Frysinger).
Organ—"The Shepherds in the Field"; "Christmas Eve" (Malling).
Anthem—"Tidings of Great Joy" (Simper).
Solo—"The Star of Bethlehem" (Adams).
Violin Solo—"Nocturne" (Bull).
Solo—"The First Christmas Morn" (Newton).
Solo and Chorus—"The Christmas Song" (Adolphe Adam).
Postlude—"March in F" (Guilmant).

Special Sermons.

Special sermons were given in Dundas Centre Methodist Church by the pastor, Rev. W. E. Prescott, B.A. Appropriate numbers were given on the organ by J. Parnell Morris, organist at both services. Assistance in the musical part of the service was also given by the following soloists: Miss Lila Thompson, Bert Howcroft, and Walter Nixon. The following numbers were rendered.

Anthem—"Christians Awake! Salute the Happy Morn!" (Maunder).
Tenor Solo—"The Angel's Song" (Stickles).
Anthem—"Holy Night" (Wood), Miss Lila Thomson and choir.
Anthem—"The Strain Upraise" (Nichol).
Soprano Solo—"Ring Out, O Bells of Peace" (Cara Roma).
Anthem—"Glory to God" (Tertius Noble).
Tenor Solo—"Abide With Me" (Liddle).
Anthem—"The Hallelujah Chorus" ("Messiah").

Purpose of Christ's Life.

"The Purpose of Christ's Life" was the subject taken by Rev. W. J. Knox at the First Presbyterian Church yesterday morning. In the evening Major C. M. R. Graham spoke on "The Religious Life of the Soldiers at the Front." The following musical program was given under the direction of George Lethbridge, organist and choir leader, assisted by Mr. Wright as soloist:

Organ—"Une Vierge Pucelle" (Le Beque).
Christmas Carol.
Chorus—"There Shall Come a Star," from "The Message of the Star" (Woodman).
Organ—"Grand Jeu" (Du Mage).
Organ—"Good News From Heaven" (Pachelbel).
Christmas Chorale—
Short Christmas Cantata—"Hymn of Peace" (Coombs); solos by Mr. Wright.
Organ—"Hallelujah!" (Handel).

At Talbot Street.

In the Talbot Street Baptist Church, Rev. H. H. Bingham preached Christmas sermons on the subjects, "The Prince of Peace" and "If Christ Had Not Come." In addition to the regular hymns, the following special musical numbers were given under the direction of Mrs. McHardy-Smith, choir leader and organist:

Anthems—"Glory to God in the Highest" (Pergolesi); "Child of the Star" (Westtholm).
Solo—"The First Christmas Morn" (Rodney), Miss Were.
Anthems—"Praise the Lord" (Randegger); "Child of the Star" (Westenholm); "And the Glory of the Lord" ("Messiah").
Solo—"To Victory" Neidlinger), Miss M. Robinson.

Service of Song.

Rev. J. T. Cosby Morris conducted the special services in Askin Street Methodist Church. The evening service was one of song with L. W. G. Quantz at the organ and Miss H. Westman at the piano. In addition to special organ music by Mr. Quantz, the following musical program was rendered:

A Christmas Carol Service—
Processional Hymn.
Solo and Chorus—"O Thou That Tell'st" ("Messiah," Handel), Miss F. E. Cullis and choir.
(a) Recit—"For Behold Darkness."
(b) Aria—"The People That Walked in Darkness"; Mr. A. G. McCulloch.
Solo—"Glory to God in the Highest" (Harker), Mr. Charles Jolly.
"The Advent Hymn" (Robert Schumann), Mrs. (Dr.) Munroe, quartet and choir.

Open sessions of the Sunday schools were held in many of the churches. Special music and addresses marked Christmas Sunday in many of the other churches of the city. In the Catholic churches also Christmas Sunday was appropriately observed by special sermons and music.

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A. O. F. BRANCHES ELECT OFFICERS

Court Forest City, No. 5744, A. O. F., at its special meeting, held on Friday, December 17, elected the following officers for the year 1919: Past chief ranger, Bro. W. R. Beer; chief ranger, Bro. F. Stanton; sub. chief ranger, Bro. H. Williams; financial secretary, Bro. W. Ridgway; assistant secretary, Bro. T. Chandler; secretary-treasurer, Bro. F. Tegler; junior woodward, Bro. Jos. C. Linkell; senior beadle, Bro. Jo. Posthumor beadle, Bro. A. Marr; medical officers, Bros. Drs. Pinsel and Stedman; trustees, Bros. Dr. Pinsel, T. Regan, C. N. Lewis, Chas. Bros, L. Le Seigle, J. Carter; juvenile committee, Bros. Dr. Pinsel, Dr. Pinsel, T. C. Bartlett, W. Richards, H. Carter, F. Stanton; auditing committee, Bros. H. Carter and W. J. Richards.

PRIDE OF THE EAST CIRCLE.

Pride of the East Circle, No. 35, A. O. F., at its special meeting held on Monday, December 16, elected the following officers for the year 1919: Past chief companion, Miss E. Webster; chief companion, Miss L. Martin; sub. chief companion, Mrs. L. Clayton; recording secretary, W. Richards; recording secretary, Mrs. L. Richards; financial secretary, S. Gibling; left guide, Miss N. Ball; right guard, Miss Morris; outer guard, C. C. Bartlett; medical officers, Drs. K. Pinsel and Stedman; T. J. Le Seigle and C. C. Bartlett; trustees, Companions Mary A. E. Richards, T. C. Bartlett; pianist, Companion K. Richards.

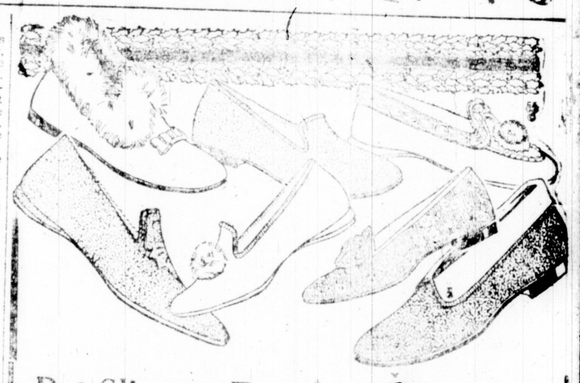
Circle No. 35 will entertain its juvenile branch companions at the next regular meeting.

JUVENILE BRANCH.

Juvenile Branch, No. 16, A. O. F., elected the following officers at its special meeting held on Wednesday, December 18, for the year 1919: chief ranger, Master Walter Ledgerwood; sub. chief ranger, Master Charles Hancock; senior woodward, Master Avon Treleaven; junior woodward, Master Charles Newman; senior beadle, Master Harry Dyson; junior beadle, Master Ernest Simmons; secretary, Master Richard Thompson.

After the election, Bro. Thomas C. Bartlett, financial secretary, presented each juvenile with a one-pound box of chocolates. The 40 juveniles thanked the donor and wished him a Merry Christmas and Happy and Prosperous New Year.

This branch elected two teams for a cricketball series during the winter season and the other juvenile branches, A. O. F., in the city will receive a challenge at an early date.



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