

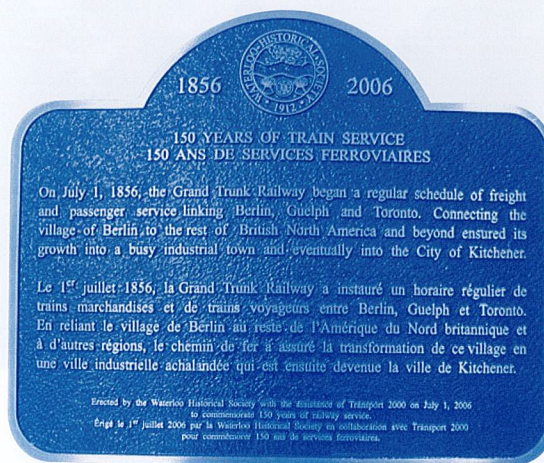


Children on Stanley Street  
in Ayr before 1901

Susan J. Hoffman Local History Fund  
Contributions complement the projects  
relating to the Grace Schmidt Room.  
Donations are payable to the Kitchener  
Public Library Foundation.



King Street West, Kitchener, 1929



### The Waterloo Historical Society:

- Erects plaques marking historical sites or honoring local people.
- Preserves precious documents such as the 1861 Tremaine map and other early community maps and photographs.
- Published award-winning histories: *Waterloo Township through Two Centuries* by Elizabeth Bloomfield and *Waterloo County: an Illustrated History* by Geoffrey Hayes.
- Administers competitive essay awards to history students at Wilfrid Laurier University and the University of Waterloo.

### DONATIONS

All monetary donations to the society are eligible for a tax receipt. Any amount is gratefully accepted to the special projects fund. By contributing \$100 to the annual volume you become a patron of the volume and are acknowledged in the publication.

# WATERLOO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Preserving The History Of  
Waterloo County/Region  
Since 1912



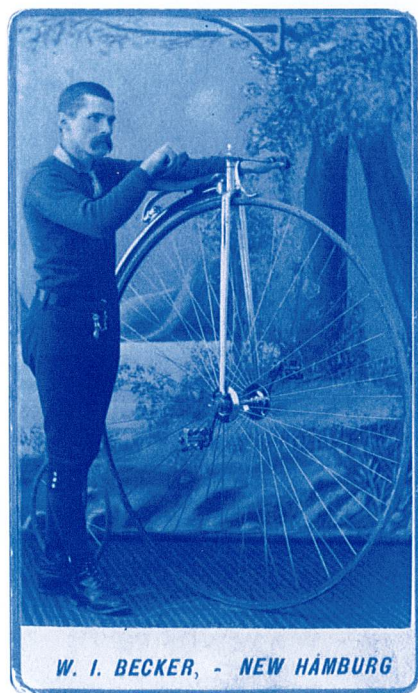
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## MISSION STATEMENT

To foster the recognition of our region's unique heritage and diligently encourage its preservation.

In fulfilling this mission the Waterloo Historical Society actively collects documents important to the history of Waterloo County/Region. This archival collection of early maps, photographs, county newspapers and genealogies is available for use by researchers and the public. The collection is located in the Grace Schmidt Room at the Kitchener Public Library. For more information call 519 743-0271, ext. 252. The Society welcomes donations to this growing collection.



Jacob Donenworth by New Hamburg  
photographer W.I. Becker



Galt Collegiate Institute before 1900

Public meetings of the Society with speakers on local history are held throughout the year in various parts of the region.

The Society has published an annual volume of articles on local history since 1913. Every WHS member receives a copy which is distributed in the spring of the year. Back issues of many years are available at a small cost.

Members receive the Society's newsletter quarterly which provides details of speakers, meeting locations, board activities and publications of interest.



Wm Hopp's milk wagon, Berlin, 1906

## WATERLOO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

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May WHS use your e-mail address to inform you of historical news and events in the region? \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Fee: \$~~30~~.00 per year  
For individual or family

Send completed application form to:

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