of the church as a parlor for meetings and social purposes. Each organization will bear its respective share of the expense. The S. S. is arranging for an Easter Children's Service. The duplex envelope system having been so successful in this congregation since its introduction two years ago, it has been decided to introduce it into the Sunday School also, beginning with the first Sunday in May. The Sunday School officers have also requested the student pastor to hold special services for the men of the congregation some Sunday. This will be done on April 29. A special effort will be made to have every man in the congregation and as many as possible outside of it attend the services that day. Special Lenten sermons are being preached at the Sunday evening services and nightly services will be held in Holy Week. Special Quadri-Centennial sermons are being preached at the morning services throughout this year. During the past month Manuel Ott, a charter member of our congregation here, and an invalid for a number of years, was called home by the Master. The funeral was conducted by the Student Pastor to Hespeler Cemetery. Deceased was 37 years of age and is survived by a sorrowing wife, of Galt, and by his mother, Mrs. M. Ott, a brother Herbert, and a sister, Mrs. Guenther, all of Hespeler.

March 12, the Executive Committee of the Canada L. L. met in Galt and made big preparations for the coming convention in Waterloo on May 24. (Particulars of this will be found elsewhere).

A Mr. Molnar, of Boston, Mass., has lately come to Galt and, though told by his Mo. pastor that there was no Lutheran Church here, he hunted us up and feels quite at home at our services. During the student pastor's absence from Galt, recently, the pulpit was supplied by Students Wahl, Sorensen and Irschick.

## Guelph.

On account of the shortage of coal St. Paul's has been holding service in the Sunday School room. The ninth anniversary birthday party under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid was a success. We thank all our friends who were so kind and prompt in returning the envelopes with the offerings. The Luther League is holding devotional meetings every second Sunday evening after services when papers are presented and the League topics

discussed. The Junior League still continues as lively as ever.

The death occurred at his home on Feb. 2, of Mr. Conrad Liphardt in his 75th year. Mr. Liphardt has always resided in this city since coming to Canada in 1871. He is survived by his widow and three sons. Mr. Liphardt was the oldest member of our Church and of the Church Council.

## Hamilton.

Our Catechetical Class is being attended regularly by all who have enrolled only one of the members in the class will be eligible for confirmation on the coming Palm Sunday. The others, who have only had a few months instructions, will continue their Catechetical exercises until a more mature age is reached; and a more thorough knowledge of the fundamentals obtained. Our Junior Luther League is making preparations to engage in missionary work. The nature of its work has not yet been fully outlined. In the meantime they are going to take orders for a portrait of Martin Luther. Many of our members will be glad to secure one of these paintings for their homes, to serve as a Quadri-Centennial memo.

The Senior Luther League is engaged in paying off a debt. We are pleased to report it is rapidly vanishing. Four new members were taken into the Society at its last meeting. At the devotional meetings, held on Sunday evenings after service, they are studying appropriate Lenten subjects, and after Easter will again study Reformation themes. Pennants, Quadri-Centennial Jubilee stamps, medals and a history on the Reformation, are being placed into the hands of all our members who desire to have them, by Miss Alice Pierce, Mr. Geo. Kiehl and Mr. F. W. Otterbein. A number have already been placed. Sunday School will again be held in the morning beginning with April 1st. The Church Council held its monthly meeting on March 5th. The finances are in a commendable state. One new member was added to the congregation.

## Humberstone.

Sunday evening, March 4th, at the conclusion of the service, the Luther League of Holy Trinity Church through its officers, honored one of its members, Pte. Reuben Cronmiller, of 176th Bn., in recognition of his recent enlistment for overseas service. After the reading of a congratulatory address, a Luther signet