

## CALDER INTRODUCES IMMIGRATION BILL IN FEDERAL HOUSE

Measure Debars From Canada  
Persons Opposed to Consti-  
tutional Government.

### G. T. R. COMMENT

R. L. Richardson Questions  
Granting Right to Company  
to Issue More Debentures.

Ottawa, April 7.—Persons of Bolshev-  
ik tendency are to be debarred from  
admittance to Canada, according to  
legislation proposed by the federal  
government.

The government immigration bill  
was introduced into the house of com-  
mons today by Hon. J. A. Calder. The  
bill extends the restrictions on im-  
migration now in force. It extends  
the time during which immigrants  
may be deported from three to five  
years.

Prohibited classes are also extend-  
ed under the bill. Those mentally or  
physically unfit will be excluded, also  
persons unable to read. Persons who  
believed in the overthrow of consti-  
tutional government or alien  
enemies who have been interned or  
deported from Canada or allied coun-  
tries, will be excluded.

Extend Government Powers.  
The present law contains a pro-  
vision defining the responsibilities of  
transportation companies. The term  
transportation company is to be ex-  
tended so as to include federal and  
provincial transportation facilities.  
Thus, officials who may be in charge  
of government boats will be respon-  
sible for the carrying out of the law  
just as are officials of ordinary trans-  
portation companies.

Under the present law, the govern-  
ment has power by order-in-council  
to prohibit certain classes of persons  
from entering Canada. Government powers  
in this regard are extended.  
Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux inquired if  
the government had come to any de-  
cision on the question of daylight  
saving. He said it had been stated  
that the railway commission having  
heard the pros and cons, was now  
awaiting the action of the senate,  
and if the senate was in favor of  
daylight saving, the railway commis-  
sion would be also.

Action on Time Law.  
Sir Thomas White replied that he  
was not aware of any truth in the  
statement, and he should doubt if  
very much. He said he had informed  
the house last week that after the  
decision of the railway commis-  
sion had been given, the govern-  
ment would take such action as  
might be proper, and might meet  
the views of the members.

Tributes to Capt. J. Read.  
The acting prime minister paid a  
tribute to the memory of Capt. Joseph  
Read, late member for Queen's, P. E.  
I., who died on Sunday night. Capt.  
Read, said Sir Thomas, was a good  
kindly man who had made a most fa-  
vorable impression. He was popular  
largely because of his strong individ-  
uality.

D. D. McKenzie, leader of the opposi-  
tion, endorsed everything that Sir  
Thomas White had said about the late  
member, Capt. Read, who had been a  
very excellent Canadian.

Criticism G. T. R. Bill.  
Third reading was given to a num-  
ber of private bills. One of them,  
granting the G. T. R. Company the  
right to issue debentures for the pur-  
pose of financing the construction of  
the new line from the Port of Hope  
to the north end of the Grand Trunk,  
was considered taking over the Grand  
Trunk, perhaps the bill was unneces-  
sary.

Sir Thomas White stated he had given  
an explanation of the bill, and he  
second reading. The company had  
many liabilities and withholding from  
the power to issue debentures might  
have serious consequences. The gov-  
ernment was in a position to control  
the issue. The bill was given its third  
reading.

Dr. Sheard's bill to incorporate the  
National Wholesale Grocers' Association  
of Canada was referred to the pri-  
vate bills committee.  
J. E. D'Amour, of Rimouski, was in-  
formed by Gen. McArthur that Dr. Ru-  
fus H. Parent of Ottawa, had been in-  
formed by the government as medical  
officer of the 22nd Battalion, from  
April 15, 1916, to January 4, 1917, on  
the French-Canadian front, and that  
he received the following payments:  
Pay, \$1,327; field allowance \$452; sub-  
sistence allowance, \$1,302; traveling  
allowance, \$688; and traveling expenses,  
\$5.

Major Power was informed that the  
future organization of life associations  
in Canada was under consideration.  
Siberian Forces.  
Gen. McArthur stated in reply to  
Major Power that it was not consid-  
ered in the public interest at present  
to make public the total number of  
Canadians engaged with the allied ex-  
peditionary force in northern Russia.  
He said these Canadian soldiers were  
fighting against the Bolsheviks, but  
the information was not available in Can-  
ada as to whether or not a considerable  
number of them had previously been  
casualties in France.

Hon. MacInnis said in reply to  
Mr. H. E. LeGarde that it was not  
the intention of the government to re-  
sume the giving of the grant of \$50,000  
which for many years had been given  
to Dominion exhibitions.

Dr. Peter McGeheon, Muskoka, was  
informed by Gen. McArthur that a  
Canadian soldier had lost his four  
limbs, 66 had lost the sight of both  
eyes, and 74 for the remainder of their  
lives would be compelled to remain in  
bed.

Mr. McGeheon concluded by saying  
that a royal commission would be ap-  
pointed to investigate the charges. The  
powers of the commission would be  
ample so that the whole matter would  
be dug up to the bottom. There was  
nothing to conceal. The commission  
would be able to act as soon as the  
minister of justice returned.

Mr. H. C. Hocken said that he wished  
to support the resolution because of  
the circumstances surrounding the  
raid. The fact that inmates of the hos-  
pital had resisted investigation by  
the military officers was responsible

## REVIVAL CAMPAIGN TO ERADICATE VICE

A great revival campaign to erad-  
icate vice in the downtown district  
was inaugurated yesterday, under the  
auspices of the Christian Men's  
Federation of Canada, in Queen  
Street Methodist Church. Rev. R. W.  
Williamson of St. John, New Brun-  
swick, has been secured as special  
speaker for the campaign, and his ad-  
dress last night was a marked suc-  
cess in the number who came for-  
ward for conversion.

Mr. Williamson charged the mini-  
sters of today with being too apt to  
smooth over the results of sin.  
Rev. T. A. Moore, D.D., general sec-  
retary of the Methodist Church, is  
president of the campaign committee.

## CANADA LOSES EMINENT DIVINE

Rev. Prof. Robert Law Sud-  
denly Taken When About  
to Preach.

In the death of Rev. Prof. Robert  
Law, D.D., of Knox and assistant pas-  
tor of Old St. Andrew's, yesterday  
morning, not only Toronto, but also  
Ontario and all of Canada lose one  
of its most eminent divines. The de-  
ceased was in his fifty-ninth year.

The first intimation of falling health  
came on Sunday last, as he was ready  
to enter the pulpit of Old St. Andrew's  
to deliver his sermon. He complained  
of faintness, and Dr. Shields was in-  
stantly called. J. H. Moore, a student of  
Knox, conducted the service and  
Dr. Law was taken to his home. A  
consultation attended by Drs. W. P.  
Caven, H. B. Anderson, Dr. Mann and  
Dr. Shields, held later, it was decided  
that the seizure was owing to cardiac  
trouble, due to overwork.

Besides lecturing at Knox on New  
Testament literature and exegesis, the  
deceased was filling, at interim, the  
vacant pastorate of Old St. Andrew's.  
He was noted throughout Canada for his  
scholarly and deeply reverent utter-  
ances. The deceased was born in West  
Lothian, Scotland, in 1860, the son of  
James Law, a farmer. Educated at  
Daniel Stewart's College, Edinburgh,  
and Edinburgh University and the  
United Presbyterian Theological Hall,  
he never forgot the deeply religious  
training which he passed in youth.  
D.D. of Edinburgh.

Prof. Law was minister of the  
United Presbyterian and United Free  
Church in Means, 1885-91; Kilkar-  
nock, 1891-97; Bridge of Allan, 1902-9;  
now awaiting the action of the senate,  
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Many prominent men in public life,  
as well as eminent associates, of the  
late Prof. Law spoke yesterday of the  
great good he had accomplished dur-  
ing his long and useful life. Dr. Gan-  
dier said: "I thought a great deal of  
him personally, and am overwhelmed  
by the sense of loss. His death will be  
tremendously regretted by every-  
one who knew him. Rev. J. Ballan-  
tine and President Falconer paid tri-  
butes to his greatness. Rev. Dr. C.  
Daniel Stewart of Wycliffe College  
(Anglican) expressed the opinion that  
in some respects he was the finest  
tribune of the faith since the days of  
the Reformation."

Mr. Law, one daughter and five  
sons survive. The funeral, it is ex-  
pected, will take place tomorrow af-  
ternoon, probably from the deceased's  
late residence, 70 St. Albans street.

## CITY WILL OPPOSE TOWNSHIP BILL

Will Ask Legislature to Defer  
Action—Object to  
Sewerage.

At a conference held yesterday af-  
ternoon between the board of control  
and the city officials regarding the  
proposed bill for incorporation of  
the town of York, which, if passed,  
would embrace the strip  
of territory around Toronto from the  
east limit of North York, and then  
eastward, thus effectively shutting  
off the growth of the city in the  
direction of the east, it was decided  
that the city would oppose the bill.  
Cont. McBride, in an interview,  
said: "We are going to ask the legis-  
lature to defer action until the  
matter can be further gone into."  
The whole thing had been sprung  
quite suddenly, and no action could  
have been taken. He had no objection  
to the incorporation of the town, but  
did most strenuously object to forc-  
ing the city to supply water and sewer-  
age facilities without proper compensa-  
tion.

Samuel R. Parke, 77 Fulton avenue,  
had his legs painfully lacerated yester-  
day afternoon when he was struck  
by the driver of a pile-driver at the  
beach. Parke was walking along when  
he slipped and fell beneath the  
machine. He was brought in one of  
the life-saving station boats to the  
foot of Yonge street, and from there  
was conveyed in the police ambulance  
to his home.

HELD FOR SHOPBREAKING.  
On charges of shopbreaking, Joseph  
Thompson, and Edward J. Williams,  
224 Sumach street, were taken into  
custody last night by Acting  
Detective Elliott. Thompson and  
Williams, both of the Melrose Company  
on Eastern street, and stole a quantity  
of brass fittings.

for a great deal of suspicion and dis-  
satisfaction among the people of  
Guelph and vicinity and warranted an  
investigation. The first persons, he said,  
who had drawn attention to conditions  
at the novitate were members of the  
Roman Catholic faith residing in  
the city. He said his sons drafted,  
while their neighbors' sons went to  
the novitate and escaped military serv-  
ice. One Roman Catholic priest, Rev.  
Father Minner, of Toronto, had de-  
clared himself as being in favor of an  
investigation.

The conductor of the Guelph minister-  
ial association said the speaker, had  
been admirable.

## T. AND Y. LIBERALS ELECT OFFICERS

Hartley Dewar Arraigns Gov-  
ernment on Every Con-  
ceivable Issue.

### HON. MACKENZIE KING

Emphasizes the Importance of  
Co-ordination Between  
Capital and Labor

That the whole gamut of true  
Liberalism would be behind the pre-  
sent government if it disclosed its in-  
tention of following a policy of real  
constructive reconstruction, was a  
statement made last night by Hon.  
William Lyon Mackenzie King at the  
inaugural meeting of the Toronto and  
York Liberal Association, held at For-  
est Hill Hall, College Street, near  
Yonge. Following the course of his  
addresses of recent date, the speaker  
emphasized the need of co-ordination  
between the four real parties of all  
countries, labor, capital, adminis-  
tration and community, each of these  
four signifying the four most impor-  
tant factors of communal life through-  
out the world. The speaker, who was  
the most common with all the  
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James A. Robb, M.P., Liberal whip  
at Ottawa, and member for the county  
of Chateauguay, P.Q., urged the need  
of helping to clear away any misun-  
derstandings which might have arisen  
as to conditions prevailing in politi-  
cal Quebec. He knew of many con-  
stituencies which had elected Protest-  
ant members to Ottawa and French-  
Canadian members to Quebec, a rep-  
resentative of the French Canadian  
element in the House of Commons.  
He paid a fine tribute to the  
memory of the late Liberal chief-  
tain. Continuing, he criticized the  
policy of the present government in  
public employment through the medium  
of public works as unwarranted. "If  
public works are made where they are  
not needed," he said, "it is simply  
trying to lift ourselves by our own  
bootstraps." Touching upon the prob-  
lem of the returned soldiers, he ex-  
pressed the opinion that the returned  
soldier who had been in the front  
lines was fully capable of looking after  
himself without the aid of jockeying official-  
dom.

Officers Elected.  
Major J. C. Tolmie, M.L.A. for Essex,  
a returned soldier with three ex-  
periences in France, delivered a  
stirring address of encouragement  
to the present, and Mr. Wesley  
Barker in a fine address gave the  
champions of hope of the women  
elected the following officers for  
the year:

Hon. lady president, Lady Laurier;  
hon. president, Sir Alvin Aylesworth;  
hon. vice-presidents, Hon. W. L.  
Mackenzie King, H. Hartley Dewar,  
K.C., M.P., P. C. Larkin, John  
O'Neill, Alex. D. Bruce, Unionville;  
president, H. D. Ramsden, Mount  
Carmel; vice-presidents, Mrs. Wesley  
Barker, Mrs. P. G. Kieley, Mrs. C.  
Greenwood Brown, Mrs. James Bell,  
Kleinberg; Mrs. A. F. Hall, Thorn-  
hill; Frank Denton, K.C., W. Kerr,  
Gordon Waldron, Alex. Macgregor,  
Ald. J. G. Ramsden, A. J. Young,  
HARRY WINBERG, Bury; J. J. Dunbar, John  
Kennedy, Sergeant J. A. Coffey, Corp.  
W. A. Gillies, hon. secretary, W. H.  
Adams, treasurer, J. E. Day, K.C.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza.  
LAXATIVE DRUGS QUININE Tablets re-  
move the cause. There is only one  
Quinine. See W. GROVE'S signature on  
the box.

Quebec.—Steps to promote a pro-  
ducers' association of poultry pro-  
ducers are being supported by the  
provincial department of agriculture.

Percepto Optical Co.  
W. M. Percy, Proprietor.  
Prescription Optician, 442 Yonge Street.

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A number of houses of the cheaper  
kind with it is expected, be erected on  
the Kingston road, near the Grand Trunk  
Railway, at prices ranging from \$2500  
to \$3000 this season.

But little interest is  
apparently being taken in the govern-  
ment's housing scheme by local build-  
ers, and would be quickly purchased  
local builders stated to The World, and  
until a shipment can be secured much of  
the building will have to be held up.

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occasioned considerable amusement and  
a great deal of inconvenience, but the  
town is now united insofar as the time  
is concerned.

## NORTH TORONTO "LADIES' NIGHT."

The annual "Ladies' Night" of the  
North Toronto Conservative Club, held  
last night, was a gratifying success, the  
attendance being very large and the pro-  
ceedings throughout of the most pleasing  
nature. Following a program of excep-  
tional merit given by Miss Mabel Bran-  
den, Miss Kimes, Miss Mary Ross,  
Miss Muriel Anderson, and Messrs. Park-  
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a great deal of inconvenience, but the  
town is now united insofar as the time  
is concerned.

## NORTH TORONTO "LADIES' NIGHT."

The annual "Ladies' Night" of the  
North Toronto Conservative Club, held  
last night, was a gratifying success, the  
attendance being very large and the pro-  
ceedings throughout of the most pleasing  
nature. Following a program of excep-  
tional merit given by Miss Mabel Bran-  
den, Miss Kimes, Miss Mary Ross,  
Miss Muriel Anderson, and Messrs. Park-  
er and Ross, Hon. George S. Henry and  
Ald. H. B. Ball spoke briefly. George A.  
Hodgson presided. Luncheon and a dance  
brought the gathering to a close.

## BEACHES HOUSING PROBLEM ACUTE IN BEACHES DISTRICT

The housing situation is acute in the  
Beaches district, and houses to rent are  
impossible to find. A three years' ten-  
ant house in Waverley road, with  
his rent paid to date, received notice to  
quit at the end of his term without the  
option of renewal yesterday, and rents  
have an upwards tendency in the sec-  
tion.

According to F. L. Clarkson, real  
estate broker, all real estate offices have  
waiting lists for houses to rent.  
There are some houses to sell, but  
there will be little building in the  
Beaches district this season owing to  
high cost of material and the high price  
of the vacant land available.

A number of houses of the cheaper  
kind with it is expected, be erected on  
the Kingston road, near the Grand Trunk  
Railway, at prices ranging from \$2500  
to \$3000 this season.

## ISLINGTON MANY DEPUTATIONS APPROACH COUNCIL

Improved Roadways is the  
General Appeal—Motor-  
ist Refused Redress.

Each week a number of representa-  
tive residents of the Beaches district  
was held in Kew Beach Presbyterian  
Church last night when the creation of  
a Y.M.C.A. branch for the district was  
discussed.

The general feeling was that the  
building should be in the vicinity of East  
Queen street, near Kew Beach Gardens.  
An official of the association, who re-  
cently looked over the ground, favored  
the site in the Kew Beach section. It was  
decided to write the Y.M.C.A. headquar-  
ters, stating the decision of the meeting.  
Rev. James H. Waverley, pastor of the  
Kew Beach Baptist Church, occupied the  
chair.

## SCARBORO RATEPAYERS HELD MASS MEETING

Unanimously in Favor of Railway Down  
Kingston Road—Committee Elected  
to Protect Scarboro Interests.

Ratepayers of the eastern section of the  
township of Scarboro held a mass meet-  
ing in Elliott's Hall, Highway Creek, on  
Friday, April 4th. There was a good  
attendance both from Highland Creek and  
West Hill. There were about 300 pres-  
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The following were nominated to look  
after Scarboro interests: Rev. J. Con-  
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J. Hodgson.