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## Editor's Talk

THE first broadsided criticism ever levelled at professional baseball by any writer in a Canadian publication is printed in this issue from the pen of Mr. Ernest Pater-son. In publishing this article The Courier neither agrees nor disagrees with the writer. The article is published because it is interesting and because it contains absolutely a great deal of truth, viewed from that particular angle. The accompanying article, by "Bleacher," giving the opposite view, contains just as much truth from the other angle. Truth after all seems to be a matter of angles.

Miriam Elston's admirable description of the Ruthenian colony or church is the best bit of western writing that has reached this office since Nan Moulton closed her articles on the Mormons.

It will be news to many readers that Canada has twenty busi-ness agents in nearly every civilized country in the world. The illustrated article by W. A. Craick is the work of a writer who well understands how to make this sort of feature much more readable than the pages of some novels.

Within a few weeks the "Men and Religion Forward Move-ment" will be in full swing over this continent. Rev. H. Symonds, of Montreal, gives Courier readers a remarkably valuable appreciation of the real significance of this modern religious movement.

By the time this goes to press the greatest election campaign ever held in Canada will have been decided. Whichever way it goes the contest has done good to Canada. The reciprocity pact is of less importance than the effect of the reciprocity struggle on the national self-consciousness of a young country. We shall publish next week a full and fair appreciation of the ultimate meaning of this struggle.

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