## **CHARGES OF FRAUD**

Old Members' Committee Attacks Management of Canadian Home Circles.

### OBJECT TO BILL

Are Strenuously Opposed to Society's Measure Now Before Legislature.

contest being waged before the special nittee of the Ontario Legislature by the officers of the Order of Canadian Home Circles and the old members' committee, Chairman C. W. bers' committee, Chairman C, W. Steele and Secretary W. Jordan of the latter committee made public last night charges of fraud and theft against the society in the matter of the distribution of the life expectancy fund of \$200,000.

Their contentions were stated in a letter, copies of which were distributed to all members of the legislative body. In this statement, which makes a review of the controversy which

a review of the controversy which began in 1913, when increased rates

which it was directed to distribute by a select committee of the legislature in 1915.

More than 10,600 people interested in the distribution of this money would be affected by any legislation. The matter went to the legislature as a tranch line. If the C. N. R. could succeed in getting a line from Toronto to Niagara Falls then the that the case of Rushbrook against O.C.H.C., in which the judge decided that the members of the order among whom the \$200,000 was to be distributed were entitled to the interest on the funds, and in addition that their shares were not subject to five per cent. discount, as charged by the society.

The two officers of the old members committee made its report in 1915 and directed that the money be divided they expected that the instructions given it by the legislature proceeded at once to go the people of the money by appropriating the instructions given it by the legislature proceeded at once to go the people of the money by appropriating the instructions given it by the legislature proceeded at once to go the people of the money by appropriating the interest and by charging them a discount of five per cent. on their shares.

Order Wants Interest and Discount. The old members maintain that the fudgment corrects this abuse, and now the order is before the legislature seeking legislation which in effect will give it the power to take the interest.

seeking legislation which in effect will give it the power to take the interest on the fund, amounting to approximately \$25,000 and five per cent. discount on the amount. This will amount to between \$50,000 and \$75. the amount. This will between \$50,000 and \$75,-

As a further argument the chairman ecretary contend that the amendments of the constitution of the so-ciety do not bind members of their committee who are no longer affiliated with the organization. They request the legislative committee to give the subject confidence of the subject careful consideration and af-ford an opportunity to the old members to present their claims in detail.

The litigation is the outgrowth of a decision in 1914 by the supreme body of the officers adopting a report which recommended an increase in the rates as a plan to respect the commended as a plan to respect the commended as a plan to respect the commended as a plan to respect to the commended as a plan as a plan to resuscitate the organiza-

tion. Under this ruling the old members were forced out, they say. As a result the membership fell off from 19.000 in 1914 to less than 8,000 in Heralding the action of the supreme officers as "pernicious proced-ure," the old members organized for a legal contest to obtain their life expectancy. The court judgment was given in favor of the plaintiffs, allow-The court judgment was ing for the payment of the life expectancy in a ten-year instaln plan. The appealed, the judgment of the lower court was sustained; and then the supreme officers by "their wire-pulling," in the words of the old members, induced the government to pass legislation which annulled the decision of the judges, making a "farce of the law courts. In a letter to Premier Hearst the old members characterized this legislation as "the most vicious and farce legislation ever enacted in the Province of Ontario."

Letter is Pointed.

"No such legislation would be permitted in Great Britain," the letter to Premier Hearst read in part, "altho it might be in Germany or in a Mohammedan country such as Turkey, but we never thought it could be possible in Canada. The members and their friends will remember the drastic legislation Mr. McPherson and his friends -Messrs. Sinclair, Somerville, Dunlop, I'all, Young & Co.—railroaded thru to defraud these old members, who have but a short time to live, of their life expectancy. You can draw your own conclusions in regard to the supreme officers endeavoring by these prohibi-tive rates to drive the old members out of the order and rob them of their ife expectancy, which was due and payable, and by your legislation they are now debarred from drawing one

The special committee of the legislature will meet in a few days to discuss the matter in detail and prepare its report, which will be submitted to

### Capt. James E. Hahn, M.C., Receives Further Honor

Capt. James E. Holm of Stratford, winner of the military cross, who rethree weeks ago, is now brigade-major at Hastings Camp. During his service at the front he was wounded everal times and on several occasions

### NO ICE DAMAGE THIS YEAR.

### THE VALIDATING CLAUSE BILINGUAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE WILL REPORT

AGAINST SOCIETY Anything About the City Building Cars Must Come Up in the House.

> The clause in the City of Toronto's bill validating the railway board's order that 200 more cars must be put on by the Toronto Street Railway Company in the next two years will be reported to the house as passed by the private bills committee, according to that committee's decision yesterday. If any clause is to be added compelling or parmitting the city to get the If any clause is to be added compeling or permitting the city to get the cars and sell them to the company, it must be added in the house.
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> The city presented a clause yesterday making such action on the part of the city permissive, but the committee decided that it would not be fair to adopt it in the absence of representatives of the company.

# **BEAT SUBURBAN**

Sir Adam Attacks Duplication of Lines and Carries Committee.

The Hydro Radial Association, members' committee declared that if the legislature passes the law asked by the society it would be "putting a premium on dishonesty and take away from 7600 people who are no longer members of the order their vested rights to the money that the court has found is properly theirs."

An application has been made to the Legislature of Ontario by the order asking for an act confirming certain actions of the order in respect to the distribution of the fund of \$200,000 which it was directed to distribute by a select committee of the legislature in 1915.

Championed by Sir Adam Beck, J. W.

Lyon and T. J. Hannigan, before the railway committee of the legislature of the legislature application of the Toronito Suburban Railway for an extension of time to complete its radial line between Guelph, Kitchener, Galt and Preston, I. F. Hellmuth, K.C., appealing for the company, said \$2,000,000 had siready been spent by the road which now runs from Lambton to Guelph and Weston to Woodbridge. War had prevented completion, he said.

The hydro did not want the line, said Mr. Lyon, it was only a "scrap road"

report of the consolidation of the Grand Trunk and the C. N. R., which would thus help to do away with the dup-ilicating of railways," said Sir Adam in ension should not be granted.

### SCORE'S TOGGERY SHOP.

For this week-end special we are showing a Scotch zephyr shirt in the butcher blue shade. Besides the plain color, some have white hairline stripe in the three different widths, which makes a most neat effect and very popular for business wear. Guaranteed fast dyes. Special price \$2.00. See our west R. Score & Son, Limited, tailors and

haberdashers, 77 King street west. JUDGMENT ANNOUNCED

IN TOUGH-OAKES CASES New Directors of Company Are

Granted Injunction Asked For in Suit.

Justice Kelly at Osgoode Hall yesterday afternoon gave out two lengthy judgments in the two actions that arose amongst the shareholders of the Tough-Oakes Mining Company. The first case was brought by Harry Oakes, William H. Wright, J. W. Morrison, R. J. Robins, John B. Holden, Albert Bert and J. B. Murdock on behalf of themselves and other shareholders, against the directors of the company, Clement E. Foster, J. H. Tough, E. W. Kearney, W. H. Jones and the Bank of Ottawa. H. Tough, E. W. Kearney, W. H. Jones and the Bank of Ottawa.

Up till the annual meeting of the company, on Jan. 26 last, Foster, a mining engineer, was president and managing director of the corporation, and Kearney secretary. When the annual meeting was called, Harry Oakes was elected president, R. J. Robins vice-president, and Albert Bert secretary-treasurer.

The newly-elected board canceled the authority of the old board to issue cheques. The former officers refused to hand over the books or seals of the company, and Foster and Kearney continued to act as president and secretary, respectively. The new directors sued and are granted an injunction restraining the

the new board.

The second case was brought by Foster and the Tough-Oakes Gold Mines against Myrtle Oakes and Winnifred Robins, for a declaration that he was the owner of two blocks of stock, and an order re-straining them from disposing of the

straining them from disposing of the stock.

Myrtle Oakes held 25,000 shares of stock, valued at five dollars a share, and Winnifred Robins 15,000 shares. Foster in his statement of claim declared that he purchased the two blocks of stock in 1313, under an agreement whereby he would have time to make the payments. Justice Kelly dismissed the action and ordered Foster to return 232 shares and 31398.88 to Myrtle Oakes. Foster is also 31398.88 to Myrtie Oakes. Foster is also directed to return 500 shares and \$339.33 to Winnifred Robins, as well as an accounting of 25,000 shares of Kirkland Lake property which he has in his pos-

## AGAIN DISCUSSED

Echoes of Old Dispute Are Heard in the Legislature.

### CONCILIATORY METHOD

Inspectors Are Told to Deal Carefully With

Situation.

Echoes of the old bilingual school ispute were heard yesterday v hen the ada big enough to intervene and settle the dispute, which was being used by the politicians to the great detriment of the country, and Mr. Racine, of Russell, complained that no matter whether Dr. Pyne was in the city or out of the city, Hon. Howard Ferguson seemed to be the minister of education, so far as bilingual schools were concerned. Premier Hearst made an excellent speech of a most conciliatory character. He denied that the government was handling the subject with any prejudice or bad temper. On the contrary, inspectors were told to be conciliatory, and not to try to find fault with the bilingual schools.

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schools of the province, particularly in the west and north, have shown con siderable improvement in the last year, according to Hon. Dr. Pyne, minister of education.

"The training situation has also improved," said the minister. "There are now 126 taking the training in the different training schools and 91 French teachers were certificated last year and are now qualified teachers."

A Shortage of Teachers.

"Is there a shortage of teachers yet?" asked Mr. Marshall, of Lincoln.

"Yes, but much less than .t was," said Dr. Pyne. "Nothing like it was. There are not enough for the demand, but I think pretty close to it."

The minister pointed out that not all the qualified teachers were teaching. In some out of the way places qualified teachers would not go, which accounted for the employment of those

Sam Carter, of South Wellington sam Carter, of South Wellington, started out by endorsing the government for its determination to enforce the law and ended up by criticism of its failure to solve the problem. He thought the government ought to find a man big enough to gain the confidence of the people to tackle the matter. He declared that the government should not approach the question in a spirit of animosity, but deal fairly

in a spirit of animosity, but deal fairly and squarely and kindly with the French-Canadians.

This brought from Sir William that Hearst an emphatic declaration that the government had approached the problem with the greatest considera-

ion for the French people.

"The government is trying to do its best," he said. "We are trying to meet this in a spirit of conciliation and meet this in a spirit or conciliation and consideration. That is the spirit we have adopted and that is the spirit in which we intend to carry on. We will discharge our duty in one of the most serious problems any government has ever had to face without fear and without favor and without unkindness or injustice to anyone in this province."

D. Racine, of Russell, expressed approved of the reliable of the reliable of the province of the reliable of proval of the prime minister's state-ment and hoped that it would be re-flected in the attitude of the inspec-tors, who had not always been kindly

### ROYAL FLYING CORPS TO HOLD TWO PARADES

Will Make Vigorous Efforts to Draw Attention to Need For Men.

As a stimulant, and to arouse interest and aid recruiting, the Royal Flying As a stimulant, and to arouse interest and aid recruiting, the Royal Flying Corps will hold street parades on Saturday and Sunday. The parade on Saturday will be held in the afternoon, and will take the form of a new recruiting campaign. On Sunday morning the corps and cadets will hold their first official thunk parade since the unit was formed and cadets will hold their first official church parade since the unit was formed in Toronto. Thru courtesy of Lieut.-Col. T. H. Lennox of the 208th Battalion and Lieut.-Col. Brown of the 220th Battalion, both bands will head the parade. At 2.10 Saturday afternoon the men will be formed up at Trinity College and march by way of Arthur street to Bathurst, to College, to Spadina, to Yonge, Yonge to Queen, and west on Queen to tively. The new directors sued and are granted an injunction restraining the defendants from drawing cheques. They were also granted orders for return of the books, seals and control of the company, and an order directing the Bank of Ottawa, who hold a large amount of money belonging to the concern, to transfer the money held by them over to the new board.

of it, will be given their uniforms the following day.

On Sunday the corps, 400 strong, including the cadets under command of Major D. L. Allan, will parade from the Trinity Church grounds at 3.30 a.m. to St. Paul's Church, Bloor street, where the service will be conducted by Archdeacon Cody. The bands of the 208th will also be in attendance.

### Two Owen Sound Soldiers Win' The Distinguished Conduct Medal

For gallant conduct on the field of action, two non-commissioned officers with Toronto units, Sergt, Fred Williams and Corpl. W. J. Whittaker, have received the distinguished con-duct medal. Mention of their bravery Believille, March 29.—The ice in the River Moirs passed out this year without doing any damage in the city. Some dams along the river outside of the city were damaged to some extent, and for one day a few yards on the west side of Front street, adjoining the river bank, were flooded.

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NAVIGATION OPEN AT KINGSTON

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Kingston. March 29.—Navigation was opened here today when the tug, Ray Stanton, broke the ice in the harmon.

Resident posted in the official military orders. Sergt. Williams has taken part in the battle of the Somme and other engagements, but so far escaped being wounded. His home is in Owen Sound. Corporal Whittaker, also of Owen Sound, has during his 15 months' of service at the front been more.

Close to Three-Quarter Million Mark

As you probably remember, on the First of March, we announced our intention of trying to make a new record of Sixty-Three Thousand Dollars for the month, or at the rate of Three-Quarter Million Dollars Annually. It now looks as though our ambition will be gratified—at present we are very close to the mark—and with two Good Big Days today and Saturday, we will at least break all previous records for one month. We are making extra efforts to reach the goal of our desires-giving an extraordinary list of money savers for this week-end. As we will not advertise next week, on account of Good Friday, you have an extra good reason for availing yourself of these

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D. D. D., reg. \$1.00 .... 59c Bisurated Magnesia, reg. 750 540 Liebig's Fit Cure, reg. \$2.00 \*\*\*\* \$1.49 Pulmo, reg. \$1.00 ..... 640 Moore's Burdock and Sarsaparilla, reg. \$1.00 .... 490

Moore's Emulsion-Reg. 50e . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 320 Reg. \$1.00 . . . . . . . . 640 Pinkham's Sanative Wash, reg. 25c . . . . . . . . . . . . 16c Cassell's Tablets, reg. 50c, 29c Veno's Cough Cure-

Reg. 80c . . . . . . . . 22c Reg. 600 . . . . . . . . 440 Peps, reg. 50e . . . . . . 29c Abbey's Salt-Reg. 25e . . . . . . . . . . . 17c Reg. 600 . . . . . . . . . 34c Ferrol, reg. \$1.00 . . . . . 54c Waterbury's Cod Liver Oil. reg. \$1.00 . . . . . . . 69c Hamilton's Pills, reg. 25c . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16c

Parmelee's Pills, reg. 25c . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16e Elliman's Embrocation-Reg. 25e . . . . . . . . . 19e Reg. 40c . . . . . . . . . 32c Reg. 75e . . . . . . . . 54c Native Roots, reg. \$1.00 Purified Toxiol, reg. 50c . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 320 Blood Iron Salts, reg. \$1.00

Phillips' Milk of Magnesia, reg. 50c ........... 34c Moore's Syrup of Figs— Reg. 25c . . . . . . . 17c Reg. 50c . . . . . . . . . 34c Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, reg. 50c ..... 29c Moore's Eczema Ointment.

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Baby's Own Tablets, reg. 25c Miller's Worm Powders, reg. 250 . . . . . . . . . . . . . 160 Grave's Worm Syrup, reg. 25c . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16c Low's Worm Syrup, reg. 25e

Santax Carminative, reg. 25c . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 190 Horlick's Malted Milk-Reg. 50c . . . . . . . . . 32c Reg. \$1.00 . . . . . . . 640

Reg. \$3.75 . . . . \$2.74 Teething Necklace, reg. 50c Woodward's Gripe Water. reg. 50c ....... 39c Jelly Filled Soothers, reg. Ingram's Nipples .. 3 for 25c

Eskay's Food- 35c, 65c, 85c, Baby's Own Cough Cure, reg. 25c . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 14c Nestle's Food, reg. 50c.. 39c Howarth's Carminative, reg. 25e . . . . . . . . . . . . . 18c

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Santax Atomizers, reg. \$1.50 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 990 Invalid Cushions, reg. \$2.50 Complexion Brushes, reg. 25c . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 17c Diving Caps, reg. 50c .. 29c Clear Nipples, reg. 10c .. .... 3 for 10c Diapers, reg. 50c ..... 32c

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Santax Cocoanut Oil, reg. 50e Liquid Arvon, reg. \$1.00, 66c

Parisian Sage, reg. 50c, 29c Pears' Fullers Earth, reg. 15e . . . . . . . . . . . . 90 Pears' Violet Powder, reg. 15c . . . . . . . . . . . 9c Santax Hair Tonic-Reg. 50c . . . . . . . . . . . 390 Reg. \$1.00 ........ 79c

Pond's Cold Cream, reg. 25c Saxolite, reg. 50e ..... 390 Mercolized Wax, reg. 75c Santax Tooth Paste, reg. 25e . . . . . . . . . . . . . 19c Dentoris Tooth Paste, reg. 25c . . . . 2 for 25c Williams' Tooth Paste, reg. 250 . . . . . . . . . . . . 200 Mennen's Tooth Paste, reg. 250 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 150 Mennen's Shave Cream, reg. 25c . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 15c

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