

You and I have been in frequent consultation on the work of the Fund and I have also corresponded with a number of your Branches in the Province, and in every such case (not excepting Welland which was referred to at the Convention as an illustration of the want of readiness on our part to render aid - an utterly unfounded charge) I have sought to show our desire to act in friendly co-operation with the G.W.V.A.

I shall be glad to have your opinion and that of your Executive on Dr. Sharpe's action, so that in <sup>my report,</sup> ~~reporting~~ at a meeting of my Executive, which is being called for the 25th instant, I may be in a position to say what we may consider the views of your Organization are likely to be, on the subject of our mutual action in dealing with Last Post Fund cases.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

(23) E. T. Scammell,

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