Service continued to watch these nowever, and what developed from

this time came fresh evidence of the ence of the Black Hand organiza-

wo "compari." and they are bound

orts to accumulate evidence against he only incriminating evidence they orthed. I was morally certain who murdered Benedetto, and reports my men strengthened my belief om information in my possession I

ertain the Black Hand organization furnishing the funds to conduct o's defence. It was to my interest ind out just who were in this organion and just where the money came n, for I knew the band to be engaged ounterfeiting. It was at this time I learned a great deal about the anization of the Black Hand. While to was in the Tombs I ascertained every member of the band was from eone, a town about twenty-seven es from Palermo, Sicily. It was in rmo that Joseph Petrosino was later rdered while executing a mission for missioner Bingham, of the New k Police Department.

was seeking to get one or more of operatives into the inner circle of Black Hand, and I learned that a to accomplish this must be from leone, or he must come recommended member of the society who came m Corleone or lived there at present. Petto the Ox" was in the Tombs four oths awaiting trial. During this time police bent every effort to produce lence against him which would hold ourt. Meanwhile the Black Hand raising money for his defence and men were working into the confidence the Black Handers, Nevertheless, rcely a piece of evidence which would e held for a moment in a court of law unearthed by the police. Petto adfastly denied his guilt, of course. re was no witness to the crime. o had not been seen with the victim any person who was available as a ness, and the watch was the only nder clew which connected him with

There were a dozen different ways in ich that could be accounted for. tto's lawyer asked that the prisoner released on his own recognizance on ground that there was not sufficient lence upon which to bring the acsed to trial with any fair hope of a

viction. The "Ox" was released. om circumstance pointed as guilty of crime was discharged by the court ause there was not sufficient evidence ainst him to make a conviction even ssible. The police tried other clews. ey worked once more upon the theory there was a woman in the case. by tried to find some person with a evance against Benedetto, but they

Petto disappeared from his accustomed nts, but the eyes of the Secret Service owed him and the long arm of Uncle m hovered over him, ready to strike. hat happened to "Petto the Ox" and w I finally solved the mystery of the rder of Maruena Benedetto, which s never solved by the police, I will tell xt week. It forges another link in the in of evidence against the Black

# RANTFORD DAILY COURIER

BRANTFORD, CANADA, MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1914

## Four Trains To Be Withdrawn From T. H. & B. Railway

That four trains may be withdrawn from the passenger service of the T., H. & B. on May 1, is the intimation received by the local officials of that company in the city. The withdrawal of the trains it has been said, is planned because of poor business and the necessity of cutting down operating expenses. The four trains which would be withdrawn are the 9 o'clock train, which goes to Hamilton in the morning, the two noon trains and the 7.25 train, which goes to Waterford. Definite announcement is expected in a day or so as to what will be done. The withdrawal of the trains, it is considered will mean considerable to this city, as the 9 o'clock train from Waterford in the morning is largely used by market attendants and shoppers. While word has been received locally of the proposed change. Brantford officials can hardly see how it can be effected in its entirety. While traffic has been light, the withdrawal of the trains wo

The House May Rest Assured" That ved here that the authorities are pre-Government Will Take Proper Steps paring to move troops into Ulster and that martial law will be proclaimed to Vindicate Its Authority in Ulster.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] | several questions in regard to the re-

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sibly faulty translation of his note

issued after the seizure of Vera Cruz.

While fears over the safety of Am-

eryicans in Mexico City were parti-

ally dissipated by Secretary Bryan's

announcement that Huerta officials and Rear Admiral Fletcher had ar-

ranged for the departure of United

States citizens for the Federal capital,

Consul Canada, reported that more

than a score of American refugees,

among them United States Consul

Schmutz had been hauled from a

occured several days ago. The con-

sul's informant said Federal soldiers

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11 POUNDS IS LIMIT

Service Has Been

Completed.

Parcel post packets may now be

livery have been removed.

train at Aguas Calientes, north

Mexico City and imprisoned.

made the arrests.

American's Ill-treated

lay proper steps to yindicate the authority of the law and to protect the Altogether during question time the

ceptable to the Constitutionalists," From Chihuahua, Carranza had ord-

LONDON, April 27—"This grave ports of the situation in Ulster or in from Germany of the consignment of and unprecedented outrage," was the connection with orders issued as a about 40,000 rifles and a half million term used by Premier Asquith to-day consequence. He took the ground rounds of ammunition, which was le develop- in reply to a question in the House that the reports and orders were con- landed at isolated points on the coast and Secreo be greatly ploit of the Ulster "volunteers" who troops to Ulster in March, Mr. Asin strong armed force landed 40,000 quith explained that the government rifles and 500,000 cartridges at va: did not share General Paget's appreious pointts in Ulster on Friday. The hensions that the movement would set the country in a blaze and Je-"The house may rest assured that clared he thought it was the governthe government will take without de- ment's duty to safeguard its stores

officers and servants of the King and opposition obtained from the Premier his Majesty's subjects in the exercise only a small amount of material for agents that the of their duties and in the enjoyment the two days' fight on the subject of their duties and in the enjoyment the two days' fight on the subject of belief in Opposition circles

> Over 100 questiones were put to Mr smile throughout the hour during Times is inclined to make Winston Act, \$50 and for a second offence Over 100 questiones were put to an about the Premier was catechized Churchill the scapegoat, and declares \$100. A second offence under local of Premier and Secretary for War was when the Nationalists greeted the that the First Lord of the Admiralty They all referred to the Ulster situa- Ulster leader as "King Carson" and must have known what he was about the option of a fine. For a third of

Gheap Rates Are No More

Passenger agents of the railways in this city have received intimation that the holiday sinbe no more. This year at Easter single fare was good for only one day, and the tendency is to do away with cheap rates on holidays. Formerly in holiday seasons single-fare tickets were good for two or three days, but the railways have been forced to pursue a policy of retrenchment. they will be done away with en-

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I. for players, and also that major April 27.—Regarding the previously

National Baseball Association in Om-

Situation is Admittedly Serious From Reports Today.

Gun Running Exploits Have Annoyed the

BELFAST, April 27-The rumor is turrent here that the West Kents and chesters from The Curragh are under It is also understood that this movement of troops is the prelude to the proclamation of martial law in the isaffected area.

London, April 27.-What is believ

there.
The Liberal newspapers demand that the Government adopt strong measures to bring to punishment all persons concerned in the importation

Still Blundering Over Ulster Government's plan of military pre- der the local option law. evolence, and if the latter, who was pends the local option law as soon really responsible, are now the chief as the former goes into effect. The points which engage attention since passing of the Scott Act by a county the issue was revived by the publications and apply to a city within the Police Hold the issue was revived by the publica- does not apply to a city within tion of the white paper. Whatever county, as the city is empowered opinion is held, there is general unan-vote on the question by itself.

From Chihuahua, Carranza had ordered his officers to redouble their attact on Tampico and apprehend Federals responsible for affronts to the United States at that port so they might be tried by a rebel court. It was reported that Carranza had been was about took of the Ulster situation, but the replies given were mostly bare negatives or colorless reiteration, but the replies given were mostly bare negatives or colorless reiteration, but the replies given were mostly bare negatives or colorless reiteration, but the replies given were mostly bare negatives or colorless reiteration, but the replies given were mostly bare negatives or colorless reiteration, but the replies given were mostly bare negatives or colorless reiteration, but the replies given were mostly bare negatives or colorless reiteration, but the replies given were mostly bare negatives or colorless reiterations to the bare in the option of a fine. For a third offence the penalty is imprisonment when what he was about when, with an entire disregard of the defence of the State, he multiplied his orders to the navy to co-operate with under both acts.

Under local option a search may be made without a warrant, but a warrant is necessary before taking.

Premier Asquith declined to answer when the was about when, with an entire disregard of the defence of the State, he multiplied his orders to the navy to co-operate with a replication of the orders to the navy to co-operate with a replication of the orders to the navy to co-operate with a replication of the orders to the navy to co-operate with a replication of the orders to the or Ministers regarding the situation in Ulster, and the spirit which controls the Ulster volunteers, appalling. is largely due to the clergy of the Irish Church, he says, and also to men like the Presbyterian Moderator Mr. Macauley, that the volunteers pre serve their admirable calm. Concerning Asquith's part, he says: "We must feel some sympathy with him in his valiant rear-guard action, which he s fighting not only to cover the re- will make a charge against the Proreat, but also to obliterate the tracks of his incompetent and hare-brained in January last he sent Liquor Inspec-celleagues.' Asquith's attempt to Snyder into Welland with orders explain away the conflict of testimony to fight the temperance people and between himself and Churchill, in re- spread the story among the Consergard to the Cabinet's orders for the watives there that the Government did not want the Scott Act to carry. ons to Lamlash, has failed to con- Other members of the Government, vince, owing to the glaring discrep- or the Government as a whole, may ancy between this statement and the also be included in the charge. one made on April 22d. The latter two small cruisers were engaged in Canadians statement was to the effect that only conveying troops, yet on April 21st. the Premier had countermanded the orders to move the squadron, of which he had just learned. One point which lias been made clear by these events is that the members of the Cabinet have been allowed too much freedom in Mexico are quite safe so long as was declared to be "tres gentille."

Mr. Edward Dowling, brother of been determined to give the public the full benefit of this. Parcel post packets may, therefore, be mailed up to the limit above stated.

The additional fee of five cents which was at first charged on parcels which was at first charged on parcels where the letter carrier delivery in operation has also been abolished, and this additional fee is not now charged.

Mr. Edward Dowling, brother of wave struct the Western Provinces of the strike over the country," President Fitzgeral appeal of the wave struct the Western Provinces of the South-last night, Humbold, Sask., recording seventeen degrees of frost, and at most points in the three provinces in solid of the trouble being the result of the Western Provinces of the Mr. J. S. Dowling, brother of the Mesting appeal of the Western Provinces of the Western Provinces of the Mr. J. S. Dowling, brother of the South-last flex the Western Provinces of the White Sask, "beat death of the Western Provinces of the Mr. J. S. Dowling, brother of the Mr. J. S. Dowling, brother of the South-last flex the Western Provinces of the Mr. J. S. Dowling in the Colo

## Grand Trunk Will Clean Up Property Near The Station

Three of the Grand Trunk officials, Supt. Davidson, Train Descher Fish and Station Agent Wright, Saturday afternoon held a ference with Messes. E. B. Goold, F. Cockshutt and Major Leon ard of the Parks Commission, relative to the proposed improvements to the Grand Trunk and at the station. Steps will be taken immediate ately by the company to put the ground in condition for the visit of the Duke. No only that, but it is said a definite promise to make the grounds into a park has been secured. For some reason or other the company has never carried out the understanding arrived at some years ago to this effect, and city officials have been constantly re-minding the different heads of the company of their default. At any rate, it has been decided to clean the property up for the arrival of the Duke of Connaught, and further pressure will be brought to bear to street a beautifully-laid-out thoroughfare from end to end.

Provincial Secretary Hands Out an Important Statement Today - Local Option is Automatically Suspended.

cial Secretary's Department touching make a seizure with or without

the proposal of the proposal o The military correspondent of The from \$100 to \$500. Under the Scott

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vincial Secretary, W. J. Hanna, that

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

oks upon as a friend."

In the West

TORONTO, April 27 - Canadians

action under the Scott Act. TORONTO, April 27.—An import- power of summary seizure is also deant statement has just been issued nied under the Scott Act. Under the by the license branch of the Provin- Scott Act the Ontario License Inspectors are powerless, they cannot soldiers were expected before dark the effect of the passing of the Scott warrant. They have only the standing ships roaming the city front beyond LONDON, April 27.—Whether the Act in counties formerly partially unof private citizens. The machinery the breakwater, eagerly scanned the boundary preder the local option law. parations against Ulster was due to It is pointed out that the passing secution under local option law is mere blundering or to deliberate malor of the Scott Act automatically sus-Act is brought into force.

## Them in Custody

The cheque given by William Webb to the Magistrate's clerk has not been accepted, as it was not endorsed and the two defendants Webb and Russ are being held in custody until the Bankers say that the cash has been handed

## Still Continues KING AND QUEEN **Mud Throwing** ROUNDLY CHEERED [By Special Wire to the Courier] TORONTO, April 27 .- When the

M. Bowman (Liberal), North Bruce, Their Majesties Received a Warm Welcome in the French Capitol.

> visit will certainly rank as the most ly order federal troops into the strike successful of its kind on record. If it zone. Conditions had quieted down did not convert the entente cordiale since the arrival of the state troops. successful of its kind on record. If it into an alliance it srengthened the but the feeling between the militia good feeling between the 'wo nations. and the strikers remained at a high pitch. The strikers have erected a Both King George and Queen Mary tent colony on the site previously oc-Will be Safe were unknown quantities, but tthey cupied by the state militia, about two asily "made good." The impression miles south of Trinidad, opposite San made by the Queen on the crowd was Rafeal hospital, while the nore favorable than that of the King, camp now is located in the identical While he was voted "tres bien," she place of the old Ludlow tent colen,

Arthur Paget as to his misconception tion. "It is a situation such as has re- and the people were therefore sur- to-day and interest centred chiefly in of his orders is not now regarded as cently existed in Mexico City-and prised to find far more "chic" in her reports from the Freemount county OTTAWA, April 27.—The Post Of- league clubs drafting players from reported wholesale loss of young fox- bearing particularly on the situation, which is by no means without pre- appearance than in that of Mme Poin- strikers, who yesterday engaged in p fice Department has issued a circular pointing out from numerous inquiries teceived from the public on the sub
strict of power of the class draining played and the class draining particularly on the situation, which is by no means without presented wholesate loss of young loxthe Canadian league, must now pay the chief point being to what extent the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comthe Canadian stands a min that of Alme Pointing out from numerous inquiries the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comtherefore the point being to what extent the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comthere are the Canadian stands a min that of Alme Pointing out from numerous inquiries the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comthere are the Canadian stands a min that of Alme Pointing out from numerous inquiries the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comthere are the Canadian stands a min that of Alme Pointing out from the point being to what extent the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comthere are the Canadian stands a min that of Alme Pointing out from the point being to what extent the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comthere are the Canadian stands a min that of Alme Pointing out from the point being to what extent the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comthere are the Canadian stands a min that of Alme Pointing out from the point being to what extent the Cabinet, in whole or in part, comthe Cabinet is the Cabinet of the can the Mexican dislikes. Sometimes purposely kept her own dresses to the he applies the term gringo to all Eng- plainest kind out of politeness to her lish-speaking foreigners, but he means visitor. it for Americans only. The Canadian

A London detective, who accompanied King George and Queen Mary the 500,000 coal miners of the country and who was with the late King Ed- probably will be called out next wash ward when he visited Paris in 1903, John P. White, international presisaid that he had been greatly struck dent of the United Mine Worketsby the difference in the warmtth his week's crowds exceeded those 4, at Indianapolis to consider the luring the visit of King Edward when question, he announced. the preliminary work of establishing

Refugees Arriving From Mexico City-Much Distress.

Many Americans Have Been Subjected to Rough Treatment

(By Special Wire to the Courier)
VERA CRUZ, April 27—There was ejoicing here to-day when word was eceived from the British minister oir Lionel Carden in Mexico, that General Huerta had agreed to permit other refugee train to leave the apital, and that 250 foreigners, cluding Americans, would arrive in Vera Cruz to-morrow. Previdusly the hope of the Americans here who had relatives and friends in the capital had been broyed up by a statement given out in behalf of Admiral Fletch-er, that he had information which led him to hope for the early arrival of more American refugees from Mexi-co City, for the better treatment of all Americans there, and possibly for their eventual release.

Next in importance to these developments was the expected arrival of the brigade of troops comman by General Frederick Funston. horizon for the smoke of the battleship Louisiana and the transports

she was convoying.
While Admiral Fletcher refused to rive the nature of his reassuring information from Mexico City, it was strongly intimated at headquarters hat the consistent policy of lenient reatment accorded Mexicans in Vera ruz had brought a change of heart n the capital.

Because of the delicate nature of the negotiations, and the number of ives which may depend upon them, t is considered probable here that no xtension of the lines already estabished by the Americans will be atempted while the negotiations are ending. This will become a matter for General Funston's decision, however, upon his landing, since Admiral

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To Stop Strike Trouble in Colorado - A Strike in Iowa.

Special Wire to the Courier TRINIDAD, Cole, April 27-Many PARIS, April 27—The British royal feeling of relief when it was learned that President Wilson would probab-A number of men with rifles guarded Over Foxes

of individual action, and consequently the Premier has now realized the necessity of keeping a strong grip on the reins. The admission made by Sir ditions there in discussing the sima-Trouble In Iowa.

DES MOINES, Iowa, April 27. -Unless conditions are improved in the outhern Colorado fields, a strike of f said to-day. A meeting of the execuhe two receptions, and how greatly tive board has been called for May

WINNIPEG, April 27.-A cold he entente cordiale was done. One for a strike over the country," Fresi-

# IS GIVEN TO THE CANADIAN LEAGUE

Brantford as a Result Now a Class "B" Ball Club.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] TORONTO, April 27 .- President P. Fitzgerald of the Canadian eague, has succeeded, after a proonged fight, in getting class "B" tanding for the Canadian League. The announcement came this morn-FOR MAIL PACKETS ing from Secretary Farrell of the Nations Association. This decision is of most vital importance to the Canadi-Organization of Parcel Post an League. Aside from the fact that it gives the league a much better standing in the baseball world, it means the raising of the salary limit

man drafted from a class of the subject of parcel post it would seem desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions as regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable to emphasize the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable the fact that all restrictions are regards weight and desirable the fact that all restrictions are restricted to the fact that all restrictions areal restrictions are restricted to the fact that all restrictions ent after the annual meeting of the two litters with six cubs.

mailed up to the limit of weight of aha next November. tention to limit the weight of parcel post packets to six pounds during the organization period, but as the organization of the parcel post was quickly completed, heavier parcels have now the official record of the cause is the official record of the cause is the official record of the cause is not taken across to have lost young. While they know these produced, they are not positive about the other nine. Six pens have not been looked into. The theory of a thurder storm having been the cause is not taken across by the cause is not taken across the cause i eleven pounds. It had been the incompleted, heavier parcels have now the census is the official record of been handled for some time, it having population, but since the last census other ranchers, and there is greater been determined to give the last census of the control of th been handled for some time, it having been determined to give the public there has been more than sufficient likelihood of the trouble being the reion was received this morning.

gle-fare rates in times past will In the United States cheap rates on holidays are not known, and it is believed that in Canada

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The class "B" rating was refused posed to have lost young. While they