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Bargains in odd lots of the following: Boys' Caps, Shirts, underwear, socks, gloves, overalls and pants, January Sale. McFarlands.

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IT WAS A ROUSER

A Magnificent Meeting of the Conservatives of This Riding--Mr. George Ryerson is the New President---Resolutions Passed Affirming Confidence in Borden and Whitney and Also Endorsing the Naval Policy.

There was a magnificent rally at the annual meeting of the South Brant Conservative Association last evening. City and County alike were splendidly represented, and confidence reigned supreme.

Mr. W. B. Seace occupied the chair in an able manner. He announced his withdrawal from the position, which he thought should be occupied only one year.

The Officers.
There were many nominations for various offices, but finally the following were installed by acclamation:

President—Geo. H. Ryerson.
Vice-President—Alex. McFarland.

Second Vice-President—William G. Gault.

Secretary—A. W. Robinson.
Treasurer—A. I. Baird.

Auditors—Sam Seagle and J. C. Gault.

New President.
Retiring from the chair after a year of hard and unceasing work Mr. W. B. Seace in a few words congratulated the new president on his election to the presidency, stating that he felt sure that the new head of the Conservative association of South Brant would be the best yet.

The new president, Mr. George H. Ryerson in a neat speech, accepted the most important office and stated that he was prepared to carry forward the good work shown by the previous holders of the post. Mr. Ryerson made a graphic appeal to the members of the Borden club for their cooperation in making the club membership reach the thousand mark, as the enthusiasm of the

plus in the treasury. The British Empire is still in its infancy, and we should do our share to help maintain the proud position which Britain maintains of mistress of the sea. Touching on the local legislature Mr. Brewster stated that the next session which opens on Feb. 4th would be a most important one. "I admire," said the speaker, "the fearlessness of Sir James Whitney, for he was the first to commend the adoption of a tax reform law as proposed by a Conservative member. Another important measure to be introduced at this session will be a uniform Workmen's Compensation Act, which will be the most radical in force in the world. Sir James is a man in the right place for the people. I am proud of my position as a member for this riding, for although the Dominion government are doing great work, the local legislature gets nearer to the hearts of the people."

Mr. Brewster paid a glowing tribute to Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M. P., who was absent, and in closing said he felt sure that every one was proud of the Conservative governments.

Mr. Harry Cockshutt
when called upon for a few words said he was working for Canada and the British Empire, first, last and all the time, and stated that every citizen of Brantford was working to build up Brantford.

He was proud to be a Conservative and especially so in view of recent incidents, the smashing of reciprocity and the offer of three Dreadnoughts to the Mother Land. He stated that he had a letter from Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M. P., re-

active and vigorous determination to uphold the freedom and the splendid traditions of the largest Empire the world has ever seen.

A Conservative Government in power at Ottawa for less than eighteen months, has already accomplished more for Canada and said Empire, than did their Liberal predecessors in fifteen years of power.

This association heartily wishes for Premier Borden many years yet of health in which to continue his high-minded and patriotic services on behalf of the State, and they also desire to express to Mrs. Borden their hope that she may be spared to continue the efficient helpmeet she has already proved.

Premier Whitney
Moved by F. D. Reville, seconded by J. Young:

That at this annual meeting of the Conservatives of Brantford Riding, the members wish to give renewed emphasis to the continued pleasure with which they in common with the people of Ontario generally, view the progressive and the honorable career of Sir James Whitney and his Government. It has proved itself to be an administration, not on behalf of the trusts and grafters, but in the interests of the plain people. The Hydro-Electric power scheme acclaimed by all. The abolition of the school book monopoly which flourished like a green bay tree for years. Prison reform, the return of more money to the municipalities, the efficient enforcement of the liquor act, the voting of millions to develop New Ontario—these and countless other measures too numerous to be quoted here, afford a notable example of the fact that politics and efficiency can go hand in hand in the successful con-

WRIT IS ISSUED FOR \$10,000.

(Courier Leased Wire).
TORONTO, Jan. 17.—The scenes of rioting, when a mob stormed the police station in Brantford was recalled by a writ issued by Robinette, Godfrey and Phelan, at Osgoode Hall this morning. At the time of the trouble it was alleged that it had its origin in an examination by the police of a young girl employed in a local factory.

The writ issued at Osgoode Hall this morning was on behalf of Gladys Meredith, who as she is not of age, sues through her next friend Ellen Emby. The writ which asks for \$10,000 damages, is directed against Chief of Police Charles Stebbins, James Chapman, Thos. Boylan, and Dr. Ernest C. Ashton.

MR. COCKSHUTT SPEAKS ON NAVAL QUESTION

Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M. P., made a notable address last night in the Dominion House on the navy question. The Mail and Empire says: "Mr. Cockshutt delivered an eloquent and epigrammatic speech which compelled the attention of members of both sides of the House." The Courier will publish his remarks later.

ATTACKED BY REBELS

(Courier Leased Wire).
EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 17.—A passenger train arrived last night at Juarez, after having been attacked by rebels on the Mexican Central Railway, fifty miles below the border. A troop guard of Federals responded to the rebel fire. No one on the train was injured. Presence of rebels near Juarez in-

THE VERY LATEST DESPATCHES

Captain and Mate Refused to Leave Their Ship--Germany Has Agreed With Other Powers to Help Stop Hostilities--Passenger Train in Mexico is Attacked by Rebels--Another Railway Wreck--Twenty Five Thousand and Albamans Killed by Turks--An Ontario Super-Annuation Scheme--Hon. Foster Goes to Australia--Women Debarred From the British Bar.

FILED A PETITION

(Courier Leased Wire).
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Jack Rose, one of the four informers in the trial of Charles Becker for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, filed a petition in bankruptcy here to-day. Rose estimated his liabilities at \$11,618. His chief creditors are tailors, jewelers and physicians. He has no assets.

GERMANY'S CONSENT

(Courier Leased Wire).
LONDON, Jan. 17.—Germany's consent to the presentation to the Ottoman Government of the note drafted by the Ambassadors of the European powers in London, the absence of which has delayed the action of the powers, has now been given. Instructions have reached the German Ambassador at Constantinople to participate with his diplomatic colleagues in handing the note to Turkey.

BEING LOOKED INTO

(Courier Leased Wire).
TORONTO, Jan. 17.—The super-annuation scheme which the Ontario civil servants had before the Government, is being looked into by Hon. A. J. Matheson, who is not an enemy of the scheme, but regards the matter very favorably, but will not take any active steps until there is some better idea as to what the expenditure on the part of the province is going to be. The civil servants estimated that \$75,000 would cover the scheme, but this amount is known to be very inadequate after investigation. Quebec

Liverpool from La Plata after a voyage which had lasted from December 3. The crash occurred during a thick fog.

NARROW ESCAPE

(Courier Leased Wire).
LOCK HAVEN, Pa., Jan. 17.—Passengers on the Washington Flyer which left Buffalo at 10.45 o'clock last night had a narrow escape from death or injury on the Pennsylvania

Railroad early to-day when the train ran into a boulder that had rolled off the mountain side and derailed and overturned the entire string of cars with the exception of a rear sleeper. The only person on the train who needed the attention of a physician was an express messenger. A relief train from this city was quickly on the scene of the accident, which was about 8 miles west of here and took the passengers to Williamsport.

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Is Taking Place in France for Choice of New President--Present Occupant When Insulted Arranges for a Duel.

(Courier Leased Wire).
VERSAILLES, Jan. 17.—For several months preparations have been under way for the sitting of the National Assembly. Although there is a permanent force of men at the palace whose business it is to be the building in readiness for such elections, much had been left to be completed at the last moment. It was thought on this occasion, owing to the multiplicity of candidates that had been mentioned that

residence of the kings of France for the election of a new President of the republic, to succeed Armand Fallieres, whose seven year term expires on February 18. Nominally 897 representatives should be present. These included 597 deputies and 300 senators, but the number was reduced, owing to vacancies caused by deaths and resignations or by illness. Large crowds of people who had

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Dr. N. S., writes: "I take great case and its cure. In Septem- which put me in a dreadful con- and was reduced to a mere or I could get but nothing did me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical ich I did. Before I had used one ed when I had used this treatment of 'Pleasant Pellets,' I returned to express my thankfulness for all sufferers to write to Dr. R. V.

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