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From Report to Dominion Government, 31st Jan., 1913

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Cash on hand and Notes	Capital \$2,429,275.00
Cheques of other Banks \$5,541,652.65	Reserve Fund, Surplus Profits and Reserved for Interest 3,310,791.77
Government Deposit to secure	Dividends 77,597.55
Circulation 110,000.00	Deposits 2,339,643.00
Due by Banks 362,213.99	Deposits 32,017,153.01
Government, Municipal and other Debentures 2,766,192.18	Banks 1,060,027.59
Call Loans on Bonds, etc. 2,501,087.30	
Loans and Discounts 28,896,667.57	
Bank Premises, Head Office and Branches 996,029.01	
Other Assets 58,645.22	
	\$41,234,487.92
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SPORT

BASEBALL

Lining Up at Peterboro. Peterboro, Feb. 27.—The Peterboro Canadian League team is gradually being rounded up, and Manager Barthold expects to have his squad complete within the next few weeks. So far, President Denham has received the signed contracts of six members of last year's team as follows: Firstbaseman and Manager Johnny Barthold, Philadelphia, Pa.; Pitcher Ken Tracey, Detroit, Mich.; Pitcher Hanson, Chicago, Ill.; Outfielder Jimmy Beard, Reading, Pa.; Outfielder "Peggie" Swartz, Reading, Pa.; and Catcher "Dubbie" Shea, of Toronto.

Shortstop Harry Brant, who did brilliant fielding and hitting for the White Caps when he was secured from London in mid-season, is still holding out for more money, but President Denham is not worrying any. So far nothing has been heard from Third Baseman Joe Byrne or Pitcher Leroy Osborne, while Outfielder Jack White has written asking for his release. Manager Barthold has written President Denham to the effect that he has been successful in signing two new pitchers, a good catcher and an outfielder, while he is hot on the trail for a rattling good second baseman and another box artist.

J. Ira Will Probably Be the Fourth Umpire. President Fitzgerald, of the Canadian League, announced that his fourth umpire would in all probability be J. Ira Davis, who officiated during the greater part of last season.

Davis is undoubtedly one of the best umpires who ever worked in the Canadian League, and the president is making no mistake in trying to get the former big league ball player back into the fold as a regular official.

Davis can umpire a game as well as the best baseball arbiters in the business if he wants to, and should he again be secured to make the indicator, he will give his best to the league.

Francis Fox Signs 1913 London Contract. Francis Fox, the versatile infielder of the London Baseball Club, returned his contract to President Stevens signed up. The old players are falling into line one by one and by the time that spring training time arrives it is expected that all the players on the 1913 reserve list will have come into the fold. Fox expects to have the best year of his career this season under Manager Deneau.

Bill Rose is Sent to the Baltimore Orioles. Jack Dunn, manager of the Baltimore International Baseball League Club, has arranged a deal with Knott Lee whereby the Hamilton leader will secure several recruits after spring training and in exchange for this deal Billy Dose, of the Hamilton Colts, will become the property of the Orioles.

Rose is the big southpaw twirler, who made a creditable showing during his two years in the Canadian League. Should Rose make good on the Baltimore team, he will be the second left-handed pitcher to make

the grade with Baltimore, as Lefty Smith, the former Brantford lad, has been a regular pitcher on the big International Club since he joined them in the spring one year ago.

BASKETBALL

The Trinity College basketball team will play the Y.M.C.A. first team here on Saturday night, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Ransom Wilkes is captain of the Trinity team. The Crescents and Pirates play the last game in the Boys' League tonight at the Y.M. rink. The Triangles have already won the league, not having lost a single game. Bill Ryerson is the popular captain of the Triangles.

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Bees have had the reputation of being vindictive and ready to sting at sight, and with certain bees this is not far from right. The black bee is more inclined to sting than is the Italian or yellow bee. A cross between the two races producing a hybrid



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Relics of Charles I. Lord Ashburnham, who died recently in England, leaves large estates in Essex, Northamptonshire and Wales. He was a widower, his wife having died twelve years ago, and a Roman Catholic. His death recalls the fact that at the family seat in Essex, are several relics of the execution of Charles I. The king was assisted in his flight from Hampton Court Palace by the Ashburnham of that period, who was great of the bedchamber. It is also interesting to remember that the famous Mazarin Bible at Ashburnham Place was sold in 1897 for \$20,000. The only child of the deceased peer, Lady Mary Ashburnham, now 27, who was a remarkably fine horsewoman and much liked in society, became last year a "novice" in the Order of the Sacred Heart at Roehampton. The heir to the earldom is the Hon. Thomas Ashburnham, who is now in his 58th year and settled at Frickleton, N.B. At one time he was captain in the 7th Hussars.

Showing Off the Author.

One day the Rev. Mark Guy Pearse, in a tramp through Cornwall, came to a little village in which a tea-meeting was going on. Mr. Pearse entered the little chapel and joined in the tea. He was in the most unbecoming of costumes, which was an act of sense on his part; but during the progress of tea one or two of the "leaders" managed to recognize him; whereupon one of them approached him and said, in an anxious whisper: "Be you the Rev. Mark Guy Pearse?" "Yes—I be," he answered. "I thought as how you was. Now, do you see, we want to raise a little money, and a thought have struck us. Do 'ee just come out quiet like and say nothing to nobody, and then we will put 'ee in the vestry, and we will go into the chapel and say, 'The Rev. Mark Guy Pearse, author of 'Daniel Quorn,' is in the vestry, and can be seen at threepence each, th' proceeds to go for the good of the cause.'"

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