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BRANTFORD DAILY COURIER.

BRANTFORD, CANADA, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1914

Amid Splendor and Brilliance

IS OPENED TODAY WITH MUCH SPLENDOR

King George and Queen Mary Wear Crowns at Historic Function---Commons Closely Watched to Prevent the Invasion of Suffragettes.

subjects—those referring to the recent conference on safety of life ation of men of all parties and creeds at sea and to Home Rule for Ireland may heal the dissatisfaction and lay stood out in bold relief in King the foundations of a lasting settle George's speech from the throne at ment." the opening of the session of the British Parliament to-day. The ading visit to France as affording " less recital of events already record- dial relations" between the two cou ed which had developed since the tries. closing of the previous session. Re-ferring to the conference on safety of life at sea, His Majesty said:

that the International Conference on islation promised in the King's safety of life at sea, which recent-ly met in London, at the invitation of reconstruction of the second chammy government, has resulted in the ber, a bill providing for Imperial nawhich will. I trust, do much for the with the housing of the poor and ed protection of life, especially on ocean ucation. going passenger steamers. A bill to enable me to fulfill the obligations of LONDON, Feb. 10-King George the convention will be laid before to-day with picturesque ceremon

er, indicated his personal realization rule to Ireland.

handled now with foresight and judgment, and in a spirit of mutual

AT PALACE

Bishop of London Was

Surrounded by An

Organized Party

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

prevent the Bishop of London from

attending the opening session of the

first victim of their threatened cam-

whitewashing" of the government in

the women's Social and Political Un-

square was picketed early in the day

by the women, two of whom acted

as sentinels on the doorsteps. Two

May Richardson, then tried to gain access to the bishop, but the

house door was slammed in their

Little knots of spectators mean-

while stood outside watching the

scene and awaiting the result of the

bishop's exit from his temporary

Palace to the House of Lords the

authorities took the strictest precau-

tions to prevent any attempt on the

part of the suffragettes to break up

the procession or reach the King with

Chief Slemin will be out of the

city to-morrow, attending the fun-

eral of his cousin, Miss Liza Law

rence, who died at Brampton yester-

to-morrow night.

Along the route from Buckingham

ion, the militant organization, The bishop's residence in St. James

nember. They made him to-day the parcel. The second parcel deliver

paign of molesting public men as an contained a box of good. El Fair ci

his report on the prison treatment of the cigars immensely. The first par

[By Special Wire to The Courier] | concession, threatens grave future LONDON, Feb. 10.-Two sub- difficulties. It is my most earnest

dress for the most part, was a color-opportunity of testifying to the cor

Besides the renewed submission parliament of the Home Rule Ireland and the Welsh Church "It gives me great gratification establishment bills, the domestic signature of an important convention turalization and measures dealing

land, which for the moment is the that promises to be a history making subject of paramount national and one, owing to the important consti emphasis of his words and his man-cluding that of the granting of hom

of the gravity of the situation, he Accompanied by Queen Mary "I regret that the efforts which have been made to arrive at a solution by agreement of the problems, connected with the government of the problems, connected with the government of the problems, and the state coach of gold drawn by eight Hanoverian cream colored florses, from Bucking-Ireland, have so far not succeeded. In a matter in which the hopes and fears of so many of my subjects are keenly concerned, and which unless the House of Lords. Great trance to the House of Lords. Great Continued on Page Three

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at the Courier Office

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Messrs P. Gillingwater and Gor

by the Postoffice authorities to look

First Local

Their Majesties Open Parliament



Brantford Will Make an Offer in an Open Mr. Mousseau. Finally Chairman President of the defunct Charing Taschereau had to call Mr. Belley to Field With Other Competitors for the Defunct System---It Means Wiping Out 38 Year Franchise With Running Rights Over Streets of This City.

e Brantford Street Railway situation or the psychological moment, Brantford will make an offer for the out and ncluding the Grand Valley road to Galt, as well as the street railway lines. As intimated in The Courier on Saturday the civic authorities had something up their sleeve. It was necessary to bring the matter before By the Mayor the council last night and the "some-

Box of El Fair Cigars Arrived thing" dropped out of the sleeve.

"This is the biggest question Brantford City Council has had to handle in many years," said City Solicitor made a statement of the situation and the events leading up to it, as plain The new parcel post system was s as daylight to the aldermen around ir augurated in Brantford at the post Mr. Henderson, "that this city enter office this morning, and to Miss L. into any bidding competition with Darwin, 140 George street, belongs others for the purchase of the road. the honor of having the first parcel Our offer should be in on Friday which came to the city, delivered to with other offers, and I believe the her. A parcel arrived in the city from matter will be settled at the meeting Ancaster addressed to Miss Darwen of the bondholders on that day. They LONDON, Feb. 10.—Two miliants at 11.50 this morning, and at ,12 were to have met on Wednesday but suffragettes made a strong effort to o'clock sharp, ex-Alderman Percy the meeting has been postponed in

Gillingwater left the office to deliver order to give this city an opportun-House of Lords of which he is a have the honor of delivering the first Any offer Brantford makes will be conditional, of course, on a subsequent vote of the ratepayers. The city will also have to have an act pased in the gars from his worship, Mayor Spence legislature to permit it going ahead with the enterprise. This, it is Needless to say the staff appreciated suffragettes, which greatly incensed the cigars immensely. The first parthought can be obtained without much the women's Social and Political United the cigars immensely. The first parthought can be obtained without much

Municipal Owners up.

years to come are tied up to a private!

There was a murmur of assent all

city was addressed to T. Eaton Co., A Big Proposition. That the proposition is a big one is evidenced by the fact that the outdon Strickland have been appointed

other women, Miss Dunlop and Miss May Richardson, then tried to the bost office. An Earthquake

> [By Special Wire to The Courier] TORONTO, Feb. 10.-At 1.30 this afternoon, a distinct earth quakee was precived here of the strength and duration usually felt in these latitudes. It lasted perhaps fifteen seconds, and was sufficiently powerful to send a tremor through buildings and cause chairs and tables to sway

The shoc kwas also observed simultaneously at Montreal. Will Hold Ladies' Night.

The officers and members of Gore "H" company defeated the bugle Lodge, I.O.O.F., will hold a ladies band last night 5 goals to 1. The night in the Masonic Temple on buglers were ahead 1-0 at half time Thursday evening, February 26th. out the company lads ran in 5 goals The Empire Orchestra has been enin the last half. "E" Company will gaged to furnish the music for the tax arrears, local improvement assessplay basketball with "F" Company occasion. Cards and dancing will be ment and the construction of Victoria on the program.

Official Notice of Postponement

The Grand Valley bondhold-

ers in the city received the following notice this morning from E. B. Stockdale, Toronto, the official receiver: "We are requested to notify you that immediately upon the opening of the adjourned meeting of bondholders under mortgage deeds of trust bearing date May 30th, 1902, and August 27th, 1907, to he held at this office on Wednesday, the 11th instant, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, a motion will be made to adjourn the said meeting until Friday, the 13th instant, at the hour of 12 o'clock, for the consideration of offers to purchase the assets of the said Grand Valley Com-

In this connection the Toronto correspondent of the Courier states: "It seems that some peo ple, represented by R. C. Mc-Master, K.C., want to make an offer, and could not do so by to-morrow. These are not the people who have been dallying with the matter for some weeks rast. The latter have done nothing yet."

standing mortgage debts by the road a mortgage on the power house on are tremendous. There is a first mortgage on the Brantford Street is a mortgage of about \$4,000 on the Railway proper of \$125,000, on which Brant Avenue car barns.

The Other Road.

Will Not Prejudice City. Brantford's offer for the road will

Beantford approximately \$30,000 for merits. Mr. Kellett vs. City. Again it is a case of Mr Kellett vs Bridge. The Water Commission holds City, as the only other affair before

Grand Valley bondholders 1 from Mr. Kellett. Whether Mr. Kellett's offer will be greater than the city's remains to be disclosed. It has been kept strictly secret by the sel ect committee recently appointed by the Grand Valley bondholders.

Court's Decision. According to the recent decision of the courts, the franchise will be orfeited if a sale is not made, but this does not give the city possession of the road. Mr. Henderson was inclined to believe that if financially responsible parties purchased the Grand Valley, the court would conme the 38 year franchise to then and there were very good reasons. said Mr. Henderson why Brantford should secure back this franchise Therein was the reason why it was desirable for the city to make an of fer at the present juncture.

Committee Named.

A committee was named including Ald. Hollinrake, Calbeck, Sutch, Ryerson and Charlton, together with the Mayor, the City Treasurer to meet Wednesday and decide on the be asked to appoint representatives,

The City Solicitor said he did not sentatives time to consider an offer.

The Mayor Speaks.

the interest has been unpaid for six months. Then there is a second mort, gage or bonded debt of \$1,700,000 on the entire road. It was declared by Mr. Henderson that little of this latter money had been put into the road.

The Woodstock and Thames Valley road is of course, also on the market, but Brantford will not touch it. It has a bonded debt of between \$300. Which was just being inaugurated. From what he had seen in other places, he believed had seen in other places, he believed by Newport St., repaired immediately.

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The question of as the waterworks. The question of the present state of affairs. the street railway with its 38 year "I am told," said the City Solicitor, "While this company could not pay that there is a strong feeling in this its taxes to Brantford last year," dewhole lot of things might happen in city towards municipal ownership of clared Mr. Henderson, "it could pay that time. A whole lot of things the railway. I see it in the press every \$11,000 to the receiver, Mr. E. B. have happened as regards the railday. If ever the time was propitious it is at present in Brantford, when you consider the streets of this city for 38 pression of smiling amazement.

Stockdale," and the countenances of way in the last 12 years and every one of these things has been to the detriment of the city in general and fendant biting the member. It had the ratepayers in particular. He since developed blood poisoning. Ask- Special Meeting Called of T. & L. wanted to show that public owner- ed as to how his hand had reached ship was no mere phrase with him. not prejudice the city's case in the He wanted the Aldermen to show

For two years, as you know, we have been involved in a rather stren-

QUEBEC GRAFT PROBE

Swore He Knew That Carpenter Was "Exacting" --- As for Knowledge That Any Money Was Going, the Court Would Not Permit Answer.

amination of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, ex-postmaster-general in the late Liberal Federal administration by an old political opponent, L. G. Belley, Quebec, lawyer for The Montreal Daily Mail, following a statement by Daily Mail, following a statement by provincial house for Gaspe, informed Mr. Lemieux, in regard to the insig- him that C. P. K. Carpenter of Gaspe nificant part he played in the affairs of the Montreal Fair Association bill troduced to J. O Mousseau, chairman in connection with which J. O. Mous- of the private bills committee . He seau, L. P. Berard and Achille Ber- introduced the two just out of politegevin, are accused of accepting bribes ness. occupied the Lower House probing Asked by Chairman Taschereau if

committee this morning. Mr. Belley he knew anything about the Mont-relationship of Mr. Lemieux and C. P. Carpenter the man from Gaspe, Mr. Lemieux denied that he ever

The Mail said: "Butted into" the ar- went driving with G. B. Biddinger, rangements said to have been made and Mr. Carpenter, at Quebec. between the promoters of the bill and Mr. Belley, acting for the Mail Mr. Mousseau after Mr. Lemieux had Publishing Company began to ask stated he acted simply through polite- Mr. Lemieux a question about Mr. ness in introducing Mr. Carpenter and Carpenter's father, who he said was ask for wandering too far afield.

Upon the convening of the lower house graft probe this morning, Hon Rodolphe Lemieux, ex-Postmaster-General, was called to the witness General, was called to the witness

Asked by Armand Laurgne why he had been called as a witness, Mr. Lemieux said that his name had been the had been control of t mentioned in connection with The Daily Mail alkegations and printed

Mr. Belley-Did your bears. large capitals.

Mr. Lemieux then explained how he came to be connected with the affair. He said as a rule he never

[By Special Wire to The Courier] but early last December he waited QUEBEC, Feb. 10—The cross-ex- on Hon. Mr. Caron, provincial minis-

Mr. Taschereau objected to the question as irrelevant, but allowed the witness to answer.

Mr. Lemieux said he had met

Mr. Belley—Did you leave your name there for its influence?

Mr. Lemieux-I leave it there for

up at the court some time ago in

Indian Cruelty Case---Foreigners in Court

cases. Peter Williams, the Indian stabbed and assaulted his wife, was again in the dock, and at the request of the Crown Attorney his case was terms of the offer for the road. The adjourned for another week. He stat- Football Brantford Board of Trade and the ed that Mrs. Williams was certified A meeting of the Scotch football ulcers and shock.

and after ordering four drinks put cup will be made. down 10 cents and cut up rough when want to hurry the matter through, the bartender took two drinks away Annual Meeting but the council must act with des- to make matters right. He took a The annual meeting of the Brantpatch. He had succeeded in getting glass and threw it at the bartender, ford Board of Trade will be held in from Wednesday to Friday for the his own story it appears that he was President C. A. Waterous will detrying to be honest, and finding his liver his address after which the elecimmediate departure necessitated by tion of officers will take place. Mayor Speace at the conclusion of a glass in his hand, he threw the glass Will Repair Crossing the conference, said that he thought back upon the counter, as it was not things had reached the stage in his property. Unfortunately the bar- ceived a communication from R.

Magarditch Artenian charged Mam-Russians Arrested. agian Bogosian with the theft of \$40, a week ago at the police court, and the case was dismissed. However good feeling between the parties was not.

Three Russians, Alex. Bolox (19), Mich Rotax (25) and Pho Oleisha (27) were arrested in this city yesterenhanced and Bogosian charged Art-day by Detective Chapman and P.C. enian with assault this morning, and Blower, and despatched last night by appeared with a bandaged hand, which he claimed had been caused by the de- they are wanted on a charge of asthe mouth of the defendant, he said Artenian took hold of his hand and Labor Council has been called to There was a murnur of assent all around the council board at this declaration from Mr. Henderson, who had reason to believe that any offer the city would make would receive the same consideration as others. That is, well known, the Grand Valley owes it would be accepted or rejected on its well known, the Grand Valley owes merits.

In the wanted the Aldermen to show that it was no mere play of words to the affair, but not one of them could remember who started the quarter.

Mr. Henderson's Statement.

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The obbed him, and thereupon Bogosian struck him and he bit his hand in self defence.

the result of his action for the ecovery of his \$45. Naturally he thought he would get back at com-Another Adjournment in plainant by biting him. Artenian would have to pay the doctor's bill nd thus the case was settled

The Brantford Gas Co. was on the list for causing a nuisance by gas, eac., but without the case being There was not a lengthy list at the brought before the court it was police court this morning, but the agreed by the City Solicitor and the document included some interesting Crown Attorney that the case be allowed to stand over for two weeks, who and this was done.

City News Items

Trades and Labor Council will also by a doctor as still suffering from league will be held in the Y. M. C. Joseph Belk, a youthful and power-schedule for the league games next ful-looking Russian, started a lively time at the Benwell Hotel last night, for the first round of the Courier

City Engineer T. Harry Jones re-

The Archbishop of Cantebury stat-

ed that the Bishops of Mombassa The case, said the magistrate, was and Uganda will not be impeached.

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