

SCANDAL IN ONTARIO HOUSE HAS CROPPED UP MOST UNEXPECTEDLY

Rowell Forces Sat in Meek Silence When it Was Shown That One of Their Number Sought Salary to Work For the Liquor Forces.

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—With his leader and his colleagues sitting silent and dumbfounded, Gustave Evanturel, Liberal member for Prescott, was faced in the Legislature yesterday with the proof in his own writing that he had offered to sell his political influence to the Ontario Hotelkeepers' Association for \$10,000, and to oppose his own leader and his party.

During the Prescott member's speech the Opposition members had become quite enthusiastic. They had heartily approved of his opening reference to "our beloved leader" and promised to ask for a return about it.

When Mr. Rowell got up immediately after he had a letter in his hand. "There has been so much talk of resigning here," he said "that it is time somebody should be asked to live up to that responsibility. The member for Prescott has been attacking the law enforcement of the Liquor License Act; presumably he is supporting his leader. Well, I am going to show him the servant of the liquor interests with which he is personally allied. I am going to prove that he is in an alliance with the liquor interests over his own signature."

The Denunciation. "When a man comes into court or into a tribunal such as this representing the people of the province, and attempts to attack either a person or the administration of a department, he must come in with clean skirts and show himself consistent in his own public career. "I say that the member for Prescott has put himself in the pay of the liquor interests, that he has offered to take a retainer from the liquor interests to advocate their cause, and yet he has the hardihood

(Continued on Page 4) "You will not need to explain after the House hears all of this," said Mr. Rowell. "You have explained yourself very fully here." When the Grenville member had wound up with a brief scathing denunciation of the "mean, miserable, selfish game of stabbing his leader and his policy in the back, of which the Prescott member had been guilty," Mr. Evanturel said not a word.

Case Against Mohawk Institute Will Be Tried In High Court Here

Quite An Argument in Osgoode Hall To-day in Which Mr. W. S. Brewster, K. C. Comes Out Best—Miller's Action For Damages.

(SPECIAL TO THE COURIER) TORONTO, Feb. 26.—According to W. S. Brewster, K.C., of Brantford, the Six Nations Indians of Brant County have a House of Lords of their own, and they don't like it.

This matter came up at Osgoode Hall to-day, when Master-in-Chief Cameron ruled that Miller, the Indian, who is suing Superintendent Ashton of the Mohawk Institute for alleged ill-treatment of two Miller girls, had erred in laying his venue at Simcoe, instead of Brantford. The Master decided that the damage action must be tried in the Telephone City.

J. E. Jones, acting for Miller, quoted ten Indian Chiefs as saying that Miller, being an Indian, could not obtain a fair trial before a Brant county jury. Then did Mr. Brewster disillusion the popular mind as to the status of an Indian chief. "The office is hereditary," said Mr. Brewster, "and Indian chiefs are not the important persons many people believe them to be. Among the Indians themselves there is a feeling that the chiefs do not represent them, and there has been an agitation to abolish this hereditary position of chief."

Mr. Jones argued that the Indian's mind should be convinced that he would receive a fair trial, and Mr. Jones was willing to pay the additional expense trial at Simcoe would entail. County Clerk Watts, Mayor Spence and others deposed that an Indian had always received a fair trial in Brant county. There was no discrimination against an Indian there. Further, any friends of the defendant or of W. F. Cocksbutt, M.P., would desire that the action should be disposed of on its merits.

"The Slemkin case does not apply," said Mr. Brewster. "In that case, the police station was attacked and the police were mobbed. For that reason the venue was changed to Simcoe, but it has been returned to Brantford. The Miller-Ashton case has not caused any excitement, and it is not reasonable to assume that twelve men could not be found in Brant county to give Miller a fair trial."

Mr. Brewster was given the costs in any event, although it was suggested that "You can't collect from an Indian."

ONTARIO ALLIANCE DELEGATES THINK LOCAL OPTION IS MUCH BETTER THAN THE SCOTT ACT

Sharp Discussion at Meeting in Toronto This Morning—Letter is Read From Hon. W. J. Hanna to the Representatives.

(By Special Wire to The Courier) TORONTO, Feb. 26.—There was a sharp discussion by the Ontario Alliance delegates, this morning as to the advisability of endorsing the Canadian temperance act or encouraging temperance workers to seek to have this law passed. Three counties having carried the Scott act recently the occasion was seized for some rejoicing but a large number of the delegates thought it was a backward step to rely on the Scott act, while it was possible to get local option. Grave doubts were expressed as to whether any serious attempt would be made by the provincial government to enforce the law, but the chairman, Rev. Canon Greene read a personal letter from the Provincial Secretary, which pledged the government to do its whole duty in the matter, "but," added Mr. Hanna, "it is much more difficult to enforce than local option."

After a prolonged debate the convention went on record as favoring the Canadian Temperance act when local conditions were such that local option could not be put into effect throughout a county.

Ex-Mayor Oliver of Toronto, led a discussion attacking the selling of liquor in dining cars and the open violation of the license law by the steamboat companies.

Evanturel Reae Out Of the Liberal Party

(By Special Wire to The Courier) TORONTO, Feb. 26.—In answer to an enquiry from the press at the adjournment of the Liberal caucus this morning, Mr. Rowell said "Mr. Evanturel came to the Liberal caucus this morning and made a statement with reference to the letter read in the House yesterday by the honorable member for Grenville. Mr. Evanturel after making his statement retired. "It was unanimously decided that Mr. Evanturel should not be recognized as one entitled to take part in the deliberation of the Liberal members in the Legislature and this decision has been communicated to Mr. Evanturel by the chief whip of the party in the Legislature."

HYDRO ELECTRIC ON BRANT AVE.

At last the Hydro Electric has obtained the long sought permission to use the poles of the Brantford Street Railway for lighting purposes. Mr. Henderson, city solicitor, received the consent of the company yesterday from Mr. C. B. Stockdale, official receiver for the company. This means that in several sections of the town, namely Brant Avenue and the East circuit, which were tied up for want of the use of the railway poles, work will be gone on with and progress made faster than ever. Chief Engineer Ireland will endeavor to

BIG FIRE IN STATE PRISON

Hospital Near Montreal Was Destroyed Early Today.

Fire Department From Big City Summoned To Assist.

MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—A fire which broke out in the St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary this morning destroyed the hospital annex and did extensive damage to the surgical department. The patients in the hospital were all moved safely to the main building and no lives were lost, though at one time it looked as if some of the prisoners had been cut off.

There are 399 prisoners in the institution, which is a state penitentiary. The fire was first discovered at 6.15 this morning by J. B. Jardine, a watchman in the stores department. The flames spread with tremendous rapidity to the hospital and all hope of saving it was soon abandoned. The work of transferring the patients of which there were about a score, to the main building was proceeded with without incident. An urgent message for help was then despatched to Montreal, about fifteen miles away, as it was obvious that the prison fire department could not cope with the blaze.

After consuming the hospital annex the flames travelled to the little chapel which was soon consumed. Fearing that the main body of the penitentiary would be fired and that it might be necessary to move the prisoners there the guards were notified to be ready to march the convicts out. The arrival of steamers from Montreal, however, and the enormous amount of water they were able to throw on the flames soon checked them and at 10.30 the fire was reported as under control.

Novel Idea Is Advanced

London Daily Mail Says There Should be Two Foreign Secretaries

(By Special Wire to The Courier) NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—A cable to the Tribune from London says: "The Daily Mail this morning makes the novel suggestion that Great Britain should have two foreign secretaries. It argues from the fact that all British negotiations with European governments are based in the last resort upon force, while as between America and Great Britain the very notion of the employment of force on one side or the other has completely vanished. The article proceeds: "It is becoming a serious question whether we ought not to have, two foreign secretaries—one to manage our relations with Europe and Asia. In accordance with the principles and atmosphere that govern a diplomacy rooted in the idea of force, and the other to conduct negotiations with the United States, from which the element of force, whether actual or implied, is expelled."

Irish Parties Unite on This

They Want Mail Service Between Queenstown and America.

(By Special Wire to The Courier) NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—A cable from Dublin to the New York American says both Irish parties, enemies on home rule, have united in protesting against the desertion of Queenstown by the mail steamers. An important deputation, including John Redmond and Sir Edward Carson, will present to the Premier and the Postmaster-General Ireland's claims in this connection. The Dublin corporation simultaneously will present to the House of Commons a petition for the reinstatement of the regular mail service between Queenstown and America.

The question of the relation of navy men to labor disputes was discussed in the British House of Commons.

Has Not Passed On the Agreement

City Solicitor Henderson said to-day in reference to the street railway agreement, which he has received, and which is to go before the courts, that he had looked over the document, but as yet had not passed upon it. It is possible there will be some minor changes, but of these Mr. Henderson was not prepared to make announcement.

BRITANNIC IS VERY LATEST IN SAFETY

White Star Liner Was Launched at Belfast To-day.

(By Special Wire to The Courier) BELFAST, Ireland, Feb. 26.—The launching to-day of the Britannic, the 50,000 ton White Star Liner, marks an important development in constructional safety so far as engineering ingenuity can secure it. The Britannic intended for the Transatlantic service had only just been laid down when the Titanic disaster occurred, and as a result of that accident the plans of the new liner were almost completely remodelled, which accounts for her long stay on the stocks. She is a triple screw steamer 900 feet in length and there has been introduced into her construction every device possible to prevent a recurrence of disaster which overtook the Titanic. A complete inner skin extends to a considerable height above the load line, the most vulnerable portion of the vessel and the height and number of the bulkheads has been increased.

It is claimed for the Britannic that she will be able to float with any six compartments flooded. The inner skin consists of heavy plating, which extends for more than half the length of the vessel from the watertight bulkhead in front of the forward boiler room to the after end of the turbine engine room.

It is connected to the outer shell by longitudinal tubes and angles, with especially strong connections at bulkheads and water tight divisions. In addition, an extra water tight bulkhead has been introduced and the existing bulkheads have been carried right up to the bridge deck.

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Miss Emerson's Case Discussed

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The original question also asked whether there was any precedent for the deportation from the British Isles of an American citizen as an undesirable alien. To this Mr. McKenna replied that 143 American citizens convicted of crimes had been ordered expelled from the British Isles during the eight years since the enactment of the Aliens Act.

Mr. McKenna to-day had an audience with King George. It is assumed that Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst's application for an interview with his Majesty.

FROZEN TO DEATH.

NORTH BAY, Ont., Feb. 26.—A man named Mitchell from Richmond, Que., who had been working in a lumber camp up the Kippewa branch of the C.P.R., was badly frozen and died at Mattawa hospital as the result of exposure. Mitchell left camp where he had been working and walked all night in the intense cold. He was found unconscious and badly frost-bitten, by C. P. D. section men and sent to Mattawa, where he died.

MEXICO IS STILL IN TURMOIL

Despatches Today Show That Situation is Unchanged.

Great Britain is Quietly Waiting for U. S. to Finish Inquiry

(By Special Wire to The Courier) WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The possibility that Great Britain Germany, France and other powers may follow the lead of the United States in warning their subjects to leave Mexico was destroyed in official circles here to-day as a likely effect of the execution recently by the constitutionalists of William S. Benton, a British subject. Some officials pointed out that while the United States has twice warned her citizens to leave the rebellion-torn country, European nations have taken no such precautions, making the problem of extending protection to foreigners who insist on remaining in dangerous territory, a burden that is giving the Washington government much concern.

The United States government, it is understood would render any assistance possible to foreigners desiring to leave Mexico, affording means of transportation or consular assistance, wherever desired. Those in official circles here, who believe foreign countries generally ought to ask their subjects to leave, think such a move could be an added precaution in case the Mexican question later developed more serious aspects in relation to the policy of the American government.

Evidence was still being gathered by the State Department to-day in its inquiry into the Benton incident. The court martial proceedings which Consul Edwards mailed from Juarez have reached Secretary Bryan and were being translated from the Spanish to-day. Its details were summarized in El Paso despatches a few days ago. Officials to-day were awaiting further messages from United States Consul Letcher at Chihuahua as to the attitude of Gen. Villa on the disposition of Benton's body. Though plans are being made for an examination of the corpse by an American army surgeon, the State Department early to-day had not been advised either of the time when the body would be exhumed or exactly where it was buried. On both these points, the American consular representatives have been instructed to seek information from General Villa.

Inquiry Launched. EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 26.—Investigation of the story told last night by A. Michaelis, that Gustav Bauch and 13 other Americans were locked up in a jail in Juarez was set on foot to-day. Despite Michaelis' assertion, that his father is a Brooklyn, N. Y. banker, his statement was received skeptically for United States Consul Edwards at Juarez has been assured that with the execution of Wm. S. Benton and the removal of Bauch, no foreigners remained behind the bars. Michaelis, who said he left his home at 236 Vernon street, Brooklyn, after a quarrel with his family and was arrested at Juarez because a fist fight over a game of cards, declined to leave Juarez when newspapermen offered him an asylum on the American side. He said he had telegraphed his father for money and would leave this section as soon as funds arrived. He said his jailors took his clothes from him and left him only rag in which he was turned into the street. Charles Perceval, British Consul at Galveston, Texas, is expected here tonight to co-operate with the American investigation of the death of Benton.

Exhume the Body. CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Feb. 26.—General Villa to-day reiterated that he would permit the examination, but not the removal of the body of Wm. S. Benton, which he asserts is buried here. He said that representatives of the British and American Governments and of the widow alone would be permitted to view the body.

GUELPH'S RELIEF WORK

GUELPH, Ont., Feb. 26.—Col. Clark, relief officer here for the past 33 years, says that this winter has been the hardest on his department in his experience. For January and February of last year, relief cost the city about \$335. Since the first of the year, 1914, the amount has been almost \$700.

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**Paris News**

(From our own Correspondent)

PARIS, Feb. 26.—Special evangelistic services are being conducted, all this week and next week by the celebrated evangelist Rev. H. T. Crossley, in the Methodist church here. Large audiences have greeted him on every appearance. To-night his subject will be "From Guilt to Glory." There will be three services on Sunday, the afternoon meeting being in the Gem theatre.

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The ladies hockey match last night between the Maple Leafs of Ingersoll and the ladies team of the Paris Congregational church, drew a fair crowd. The only goal of the contest was scored by the visitors. Mr. James Wooden, referee, had his hands full which pleased Jimmy. The brand of hockey played was more audible than spectacular.

That Parisians lose most of their interest in hockey after the O. H. A. season has passed, was demonstrated on Tuesday night, when a small crowd greeted the contest between the Paris intermediates and Hamilton Centenials. The game was one of the best witnessed here this season, and required 15 minutes of overtime to decide a winner. The Paris boys running in 2 goals in the last five minutes and winning out by a score of 7-4. Both teams were light and fast but their work was marred throughout by rough play, and a desire to get the man. One team was as much to blame as the other in this respect.

The business men held a meeting in the board of trade rooms last night, when it was decided to put on a general bargain day throughout the town. The date will be decided in the near future.

Mr Robert Hamilton of the Arlington Park Theatre, was this week fined \$5 and costs for an assault on W. Uren. The dispute arose over a performance which Uren and a young lady were giving as a specialty act.

Ernest McConkey, restaurant keeper, Toronto, was convicted on the charge arising out of the New Year's revels and his license suspended for sixty days.

**NINETY PER CENT.**

Of all the people have some kind of humor. Impure blood causes a vast proportion of the ills to which flesh is heir. As a great physician has said, "Every part of the body is fed every moment from the same blood, and the blood cannot be impure and without causing disease." We see people every day who carry about the signs of impure blood. Some have scrofula, others are afflicted with pimples and eruptions which disfigure their faces. Rheumatism, catarrh, dyspepsia and many other diseases depend upon the unhealthy condition of the blood, and are cured by making the blood purer with America's Greatest Blood Medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great remedy not only expels impurities from the vital fluid, but it makes it rich and nourishing, and thus feeds and strengthens the nervous system and all the organs of the body. It is the great safeguard of health, and should be found in every family. Its timely use saves a vast amount of suffering.

**SAYS HE HAS NOT DONE WRONG**

Evanturel, M.P.P., Interviewed at Toronto This Afternoon.

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—Gustave Evanturel, M.P.P., for Prescott, Liberal, is conscious of having done no wrong in offering his services to the liquor interests for \$10,000. Mr. Evanturel made no secret of his letters written to the hotelmen. He said: "I wrote the letters, I do not deny that, and I think it was right."

"If you think it was right, then you will not resign," he was asked.

"No, I'll not resign, of course I'll not resign, and I'll defend my position at the next election. I have taken this stand long before I was elected a member of the house. I have favored licenses and proper administration. I have refused to defend the principle of abolishing the bar on the platform in my county and I was requested by my people to take that stand both in the legislature and out of it. I have always been friendly to the hotelmen and the license victualers and I knew they wanted to organize the province and I wanted the position as organizer."

"I think it was right that I should get something for my services. I have always been friendly to them and supported them."

The criminal code makes provision for fourteen years for such a proposition," said a reporter. "Did you know that?"

"That's all right, I'll deal with that at another time."

"Then you are conscious of having done no wrong?"

"No, I have not done anything wrong, and I'll not resign either. I am representing the people who elected me and it is not for anything else either party or leader, to say what I shall do."

**BECKER LEAVES DEATH CHAMBER**

Formal Order Was Taken to Sing Sing Prison To-day

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The formal order of the court of appeals permitting the removal of Charles Becker from the death house at Sing Sing prison to the Tombs in this city, preparatory for a new trial for him on the charge of instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, arrived here to-day. It was immediately filed in court by Becker's counsel, Joseph A. Shay, who then proceeded to Sing Sing with the sheriff. It was expected that Becker would eat his dinner to-night in the Tombs.

District Attorney Whitman made no announcement to-day as to his plans for putting Becker on trial.

**HUERTA SAYS "NO" TO STATES**

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 26.—Provisional President Huerta to-day refused permission to the United States Government to send 2,000 American marines as a guard for the legation here. This information came direct from General Huerta himself.

General Huerta says he was asked by Washington to agree to the dispatch in addition to the Americans of 1,000 more men made up of Germans, English and French. To all of this he returned a negative reply on the ground that there was no need for such precautions. The United States charge d'affaires, O'Shaughnessy, refuses either to confirm or deny the information.

**SECOND SEIZURE OF TEESWATER LIQUOR**

Officer Confiscates Beer While Serving Summons Which Were Result of Another Raid

WINGHAM, Feb. 26.—While Provincial Officer Phippen was in Teeswater yesterday serving summonses to the proprietors of the Oldseiser House and the Vendome he made a second seizure of liquor similar to that for which the summonses were issued. An analysis of the liquor confiscated on the first raid showed that there was considerably above the legal percentage of alcohol. It is believed that the second confiscation will result in a similar discovery, whereupon a second charge will be laid against both hotels.

**SIR JOHN IS DEAD.**

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Sir John Tenniel, for many decades the leading British cartoonist, died to-day at the age of 94.

**Social and Personal**

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 1781.

Mr. W. L. Hughes has returned from a business trip to Montreal.

Police Constable Steve Cara is reported to be seriously ill at his home.

Otto Sage left the city this morning for San Francisco, where he will visit his aunt, Miss Rosie Graig.

Mrs. R. Jordan, of Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Thos. Harrison, 27 1-2 Palmerston avenue.

Mrs. George Debar of Brantford is staying with Mrs. Mandeville Merritt, Huron street—The Toronto Globe.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Foley of Moosejaw, who have been guests of Mrs. Thos. Foster, Pearl street, have returned home.

Mrs. Foster, wife of County Treasurer Foster, leaves to-day for Grand Forks, North Dakota, where she will visit her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cocksutt and little Miss Isabel leave this week for St. Augustine, Florida, where they will spend the month of March.

Many friends will regret to hear of the illness of Mrs. Appleton, William street, mother of Mr. A. W. Appleton, accountant of the Bank of Montreal.

The Shriners' Club of Brantford, put on a very successful dance last evening in the Masonic Hall at which about 80 couples attended. Many out of town guests were present. Tony Cortese Orchestra of London, furnished the music. A buffet luncheon was served.

Word was received in the city to-day of the marriage of an old Brantford boy, Mr. Curtis Huber, Lawson, Sask., to Harriet Merritt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyle of Port Williams, Nova Scotia, the wedding taking place yesterday at the home of the bride's parents. Many Brantford friends extend congratulations.

Members of the Tutela Glee Club find themselves in possession of \$15 after paying expenses, the result of a Valentine's tea which was held some time ago. They intend to hand over the cash to the funds of the Braut Sanatorium. On Wednesday night the club spent a very pleasant time, at the home of Miss Lela Carter on Walker street, when she entertained in honor of her guest Miss Lawrence, Dunville. With congenial games, songs and dances, the evening passed quickly and the merry-makers dispersed as another day dawned.

A pleasant time was spent Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Nellie Boudler, Grand street, when about 35 of her friends were most hospitably entertained. Progressive euchre was the order for the early part of the evening, the following having the honor of winning the different prizes: Mr. F. Soles, gentleman's first; Miss E. Riley, ladies' first; Miss Collins, lone hand; Miss Bland capturing the consolation prize. The prizes being distributed to the respective winners, the company present partook of a dainty little luncheon served by the hostess. After doing full justice to the edibles, the young people danced away the closing hours of the evening. Thanking Miss Boudler for her kind hospitality, and wishing her pleasant adieux, the young people dispersed to their different homes in the city in the early hours of the morning.

**May Mean A Wiped-Out**

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—The sentence of Col. Denison, in the police court yesterday suspending the liquor license held by E. C. McConkey, does not necessarily involve cancellation say the license commissioners. That would come as a consequence of annulment, not of mere suspension."

Key would have to apply for a renewal of his license, the same as other license holders and Commissioner Lamb thought there might be some difficulty, after suspension, in obtaining one. The board will hold a special meeting to consider this case.

**WILL NOT PROCEED.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—At a conference to-day between Secretary Bryan and Ambassador Spring-Rice it was decided that British Consul Perceval will not proceed into Mexico for the examination of William S. Benton's body until "better arrangements can be made."

**CONDEMNED TO DEATH.**

SYDNEY, Feb. 26.—Frank W. Hayes, member in the Manitoba legislature for the murder of Benjamin Atkinson, a hotelkeeper. He will expiate the crime for which he has been found guilty, on Friday, May 8. Sentence was passed on the prisoner this morning and he was at once taken to the county jail to await his execution. Hayes followed Atkinson into the woods near Mirans, and murdered him by hitting him over the head with a stone. Robbery was the motive.

**WESTERN MARRIAGE.**

WINNIPEG, Man. Feb. 26.—F. Lyons, member in the Manitoba legislature for Norfolk since 1902 and Conservative whip for ten years, was quietly married here to Mrs. E. S. James of Vancouver.

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**MR. MANSELL'S FUNERAL WAS A STRIKING TRIBUTE**

PETERBORO, Feb. 26.—The funeral services for the late Rev. T. J. Mansell, who died suddenly at the close of his service on Sunday night, was a striking tribute to the esteem in which he was held as a minister. After a private service at the parsonage the remains were removed to the Charlotte St. Methodist Church, where a most impressive public service was held, participated in by Rev. W. Limbert, President of the Bay of Quinte Conference; Rev. Wm. Johnston, Chairman of the district; Rev. E. J. Sawyers of St. Luke's Anglican and Rev. James Rollins of St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church. Addresses were given by Rev. J. R. Webb, Baptist, as President, on behalf of the Ministerial Association; Rev. Dr. S. J. Shorey, Lindsay, a former pastor of Charlotte street Church, and Rev. R. G. Peever, representatives of the official boards of Mr. Mansell's former charges at Dundas and Brantford were also present.

During the public service the people's chimes of St. John's tolled, and the flags on the city and other public buildings were at half-mast. The pallbearers were Messrs. Charles Mansell, D. Mansell (son), J. J. Mansell (brother), D. J. Ault (brother-in-law), Robert Neill and W. R. Morrow.

This morning the body was removed to Moultonette, near Cornwall, for interment.

**Junior Hospital Aid Meeting**

The regular monthly meeting of the J. H. A. was held in the Trust Club room of the Y. W. C. A. on Wednesday afternoon with a twenty-three members were present. The secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read and adopted, the treasurer announcing that owing to the good work done by "the Reds" and the "Blues" there was now \$166.01 in the treasury and sixty-eight new members had been added to the society.

The Captain of "the Blues" reported that their side had given a Talent Tea, at which a substantial sum had been realized, and were planning a St. Patrick's evening, and a dance, which will be held Easter week.

The Captain of "the reds" reported a kitchen bazaar, when they had contributed a goodly sum to the funds of the society, and asked for a generous support of "Theatre Day and evening" at the Brant on Friday afternoon and even next. A Daffodil Tea had also been planned for some date in March.

Other routine business followed, after which Afternoon Tea was served by the Executive and the meeting closed, with a vote of thanks to Miss Best and Y. W. C. A. executive for the use of the Trust Club room for the meetings of the Society.

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**MAWSON HAS RETURNED**

ADELAIDE, Australasia, Feb. 26.—Dr. Douglas Mawson, the Australian explorer, returned here to-day from the Antarctic on board the Aurora. He said his expedition had been eminently successful. Dr. Mawson declared that dredging had yielded the best collection of biological specimens ever obtained in the Antarctic. Many mineral deposits had been exposed, some of them rich. Their extent, however, was not traceable, owing to the ice. Occasional rocks exposed indicated the existence of a vast coal bed.

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Hon. Mr. Paterson Seriously Ill

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EVANTUREL IS BADLY SCORED

His Own Party Has Thrown Him Overboard With Vengeance

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—The Toronto Star, discussing the Evanturel incident in the Legislature yesterday, says editorially: "Mr. Gustave Evanturel, whose letter to the Hotelkeepers' Association was read in the Legislature yesterday, was an opponent of Mr. Rowell's policy of abolishing the bar."

CHAPTER XVIII. The Confession.

BURKE pressed the button call and ordered the doorman to send in Cassidy. When the detective appeared he asked: "Does Garson know we've arrested the Turner girl and young Gilder?"

A PIONEER OF MANITOBA

Death of Brother of Rev. McBeth of Paris

Recent copies of the Winnipeg papers contain particulars of the death of Robert McBeth, at Kildonan in the Seikirk settlement, Man. The family came from the Kildonan Parish of Sutherlandshire, Scotland, in 1815, being among Lord Selkirk's pioneers settlers there.

Orangemen at Paris.

The County Master and a number of his officers went to Paris to pay an official visit to brethren of L. O. L. No. 2007 and confer degrees, after which the County Master took up the work of the order. The lodge was duly closed and brethren returned home on the late car.

SIR GEORGE IMPROVED.

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—Dr. Goldie this morning issued the following bulletin on Sir George Ross: "After a few days of depression Sir George Ross shows some improvement today."

WITHIN THE LAW

By MARVIN DANA From The Play of BAYARD EILLER

"Say," he said, and, for once, his voice was curiously suppressed, "you tell me who shot Griggs, and I'll show this letter to old Gilder. Now, listen," he cried eagerly. "I give you my word of honor that anything you say in here is just between you and me."

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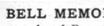
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THE BELL MEMORIAL

That the people of Brantford, when the above work is completed, will possess one of the most beautiful and striking triumphs of the sculptor's art on this continent does not admit of any question.

The centre panel, in bas-relief, is of virile life and energy. It depicts the reclining figure of a man in the nude sending a message, and spirits of the air are shown in rapid flight, to the practical annihilation of all space.

There has been some chagrin over the delay in the matter of completion. This should not exist in view of what Mr. Allward is producing, to the exclusion of many other tempting and more lucrative orders.

When citizens see the memorial finally in position they will fully realize why he so expressed himself.

Not since the disclosure made by Mr. Ganey, M.P.P., of the manner in which emissaries of the Ross regime paid money for his vote, has there been such a sensational disclosure in the Ontario House as the letter in which Mr. Evanturel, M.P.P., offered to work for the liquor interests in the Legislative Assembly.

This individual is the Liberal member for Prescott, and he held the seat in the last general contest by 284 of a majority.

It is quite likely that he resented the course of Mr. Rowell in making prohibition a plank in the party platform without sanction, or without discussion. That action was just as autocratic as the conduct of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in wrecking his administration over the subject of "Reciprocity" without so much as a "By your leave" to his followers.

It has been frequently charged, without one scintilla of evidence, that the Whitney Government has been in league with the liquor trade. Here, with documentary proof, there is the indisputable fact that one of Rowell's followers not only offered an alliance, but also demanded a good fat sum for the same.

Under Whitney Provincial affairs have been kept so absolutely clean that the disclosure comes with all the greater shock. The people previously were so dulled with scandal and fear, and with the fact that a Government preaching temperance made big levies on hotelkeepers, that it took a final cataclysm to awaken them to the sense of a plain duty.

Under the circumstances Mr. Rowell's duty is clear. He must demand and insist that Evanturel resign his seat.

MR. BECK'S WORK.

The Toronto News pays the following and deserved tribute to the work of Hon. Adam Beck: "There was vigor and purpose in the speech delivered by Hon. Adam Beck at the Board of Trade dinner. One was impressed by his enthusiasm for the Provincial Hydro Electric system, by his resolution of character and by the practical nature of his proposals. From time to time we are

urged to have "vision" and often there is a flavor of melodrama in the appeal. It is far otherwise with Mr. Beck. He is as forceful as he is practical and as practical as he is forceful.

It is no exaggeration to say that the Hydro Electric system as developed in Ontario, is the most striking and successful attempt at municipal co-operation in the world. Sixty nine municipalities are now embraced within the organization. The cost of Niagara energy has been enormously reduced and the whole project is self sustaining.

It is clear, however, that we are only on the threshold of its achievements. Mr. Beck sees in the future a great system of radial railways operated by power from Niagara and other sources under control of the Commission. He sees unification of two or three hundred telephone companies in a provincial system, and under public control. He sees in Northern Ontario provision of electrical energy which will develop smelting industries and confine within the country millions of dollars which are now spent elsewhere.

In fact we only begin to see the possibilities of the Hydro Electric system and in vision Mr. Beck far outruns us all. He has courage and practical capacity in equal degree. Those who love as those who do not love Adam Beck, those who are his political friends as those who are his political opponents, must recognize that he is a singularly interesting figure in Canadian affairs and a public servant of remarkable energy and efficiency.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Just as if Rowell's following wasn't small enough, one of them has done something which should make it even less.

By the way, it will be noticed that it isn't the "wicked Tories" who are responsible for recent scandals, either in Ontario or Quebec.

Lieut. Becker of New York is to get a new trial. Let's see, what was it that man did to get a sentence for the electric chair route?

Now it is an American citizen and a German citizen who have been done to death in Mexico. What Uncle Sam ought to do is to chuck his Monroe doctrine to the winds and ask John Bull and the other powers to join hands in restoring order and respect for order in the land of the sombrero.

Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher

WILLING WORKERS

There are many Willing Workers down among the unemployed, and their lives are spent in trouble and in hardship unalloyed. And they cry: "It's rank injustice that we men of willing hands, must be classed with bums and hoboes, with the non-productive bands. Here we stand and ask for labor, beg for work and beg in vain, and there's surely something rotten with the nation's heart or brain. We are little Willing Workers, and no labors would we shirk, but you make us down and outers, for you will not give us work."

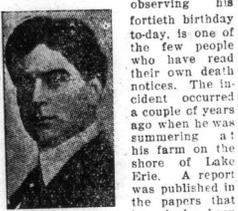
WALT MASON.



Birthdays Note

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY TWENTY-SIXTH

Arthur Stringer, the well known Canadian poet and novelist, who is observing his fortieth birthday today, is one of the few people who have read their own death notices.



burned to death following the explosion of a mine. Of course it was utterly untrue and he hastened to deny it and relieve the anxiety of his friends. Mr. Stringer has been most successful in the literary field attending the University of Toronto and subsequently acted as a reporter on newspapers in London, Montreal and New York.

SCANDAL IN ONTARIO

(Continued from Page 1)

to pose as a man supporting the policy of the Opposition. "I would like to know this: Does he admit he has made a proposition and has negotiated with the liquor interests?"

Mr. Evanturel got up to protest against the line taken by the member for Grenville, but was checked in his effort to make a speech, and pressed for an answer as to whether he was in an alliance or had negotiated with the liquor interests. He shouted, "None whatever!"

"He says there was no alliance, and that he had no negotiations between himself and the liquor interests. He forced me to do what I am sorry to do, read this letter to the House. I ask him again, I give him another opportunity to deny, if he will, that he addressed a letter to the secretary of the Hotelkeepers' Association asking that they pay him a salary for advocating their cause and opposing the very cause his leader is championing in the province to-day. Is it not a fact that he made his own terms and appealed to them for God's sake to take him into their pay and give him a handsome salary for opposing his leader and his party?"

There was no denial from Mr. Evanturel, and Mr. Ferguson proceeded to read the letter.

Where he came to the member's statement that he "had always been a true friend of the liquor interests" Mr. Evanturel interrupted again: "I do not think it is fair," he said, "to bring that before the House at the present time. I did not state my position as in favor of against the abolition of the bar. I did not discuss that point."

"I will explain your position if you will allow me," remarked Mr. Ferguson with meaning.

"It is not fair to attack me on that point at the present time," repeated Mr. Evanturel.

"I think in this letter the member makes his position pretty clear. It is not necessary for him to address the House," was the retort.

The Speaker ruled out the Prescott man's speech-making, and the reading of the letter proceeded.

When he came to the details of the proposition Mr. Ferguson indulged in pointed comments, and wound it up by pointing out that the letter was written upon legislative paper—to establish the writer's identity.

"Vain Attempt to Mislead. "When he tries to mislead the country and the members of the House by making a statement that the Government and those who are administering the License Act are in an alliance with the liquor interests he ought to take care to be sure of his facts; he ought to be sure that his own hands are clean."

"The hon. member for Prescott has the courage and temerity to stand up in the House and say with a flourish and stage heroics that he will prove his charges or be prepared to resign. I would like him to deal seriously with this matter. I would like to know how he accounts for his inconsistency, posing before the people of the province as a supporter of his leader, and all the time attempting to ride two horses attempting to negotiate clandestinely with the liquor interests for their support. I would like him to explain to the province as well as to the people of his own county how he reconciles his conduct. I regret that I had to make this statement on the floor of the House. I was so amazed, so dumfounded, when he stood up on his feet to-day and attempted to deal with this question in the way he did, knowing that he had attempted to hide behind his leader's skirts, while all the time he was playing his own miserable, mean, selfish game of stabbing his leader and that policy in the back."

When Mr. Ferguson sat down the Government benches resounded with a roar of derision directed at the Prescott member.

THE LETTER.

Alfred, Ont., Sept. 4, 1913.

Dear Sir,—I have written a long letter to the secretary of the Hotelkeepers' Association for Ontario, Mr. Allen, 26 Wellington St., Toronto, asking him to submit my letter to the directors of the association at their first meeting. In that letter I pledged myself as a true friend of this association and prepared to fight in the House and vote against my leader or that question of abolishing the bars, etc. I have been in the past one of the speakers who has stood on the public platform in the County of Prescott against the Scott Act when it was tried some years ago in the province. During the past summer I have visited all my county and I have openly declared that I would not support my leader, Mr. Rowell, on his policy to abolish the bars and I have in my two previous sessions voted against him in that respect. I am, and I have always been, a true friend to the liquor interests, and I have been backed up by my constituents in doing so. I am a poor man, living on my small sessional allowance, and do expect that the association will see its way clear to help me along, and in my letter to the board I ask, at least \$10,000, payable \$3,000 now, and the balance per instalments in order to support me. I am prepared for that salary to be the defender of the association and introduce before the Legislature any

amendments to the Government measures to restrict the liquor traffic, etc.

I am the only M.P.P. in the Ontario House who will place himself openly against the policy of Rowell and the restrictions to the trade brought from time to time by the government. I believe that it would be useful to your association to have an M.P.P. who would be there in the House to accept and present to the House all the suggestions coming from your important body. Will you kindly support my application which is before the board at its next meeting. I will sign any agreement which your board will require to be sure that I am the man who will fight for your cause in the House. The newspapers of Toronto have published already my interviews with reporters at the time I have refused to support my leader on the ground of prohibition, etc. I am the only M.P.P. who has taken that open step in the House and before the province. I would like to have the matter settled up as soon as possible, as I have to be financially supported at the present time. You have known my late father, Hon. A. Evanturel, ex-Speaker of the legislature, and ex-M.P.P. for the County of Prescott, before me, and during his long and prosperous public life he has fought the battle of the hotelkeepers whenever he had the opportunity to defend your rights, etc. Confident of your

strong support before the next meeting, I am

Very truly yours, (Sgd.) GUSTAVE EVNTUREL, M.P.P. for Prescott County.

With the City Police

Abraham Cohen promised to look after his wife and children, at the Police Court some time ago, but he has not kept his promise faithfully, with the result that he appeared before Magistrate Livingston this morning charged with non-support. As of old he proved glib of speech and promised all manner of good things for his spouse when he had some business. "If I had a \$20 deal to-day I would give her money," he declared. He was quite willing to help her for the sake of the children, but his business had been bad. She said he drank. "Well," said the magistrate, "You are too much in the limelight." He would be given a week's chance to prove his earnestness, and allowed to go.

VRIDEN LIBERALS.

WINNIPEG Feb. 26.—Doctor Geo Clingan, of Virden, was nominated by Virden Liberals as their candidate for legislature, St. George Liberals chose Skuli Sigfusson as their candidate.

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Assistant Chief Brown was a former member of the local fire department having gone to Guelph to accept the position of assistant chief. He is at present lying in the Guelph General Hospital in a precarious condition.

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#### Laying Brick.

Brick laying was commenced to-day by a big force of men on the new building on Dalhousie street being put up for J. S. Hamilton and Co.

#### Park Board Estimates.

The Parks Board have forwarded their estimates to the city for this year which amount to \$7,250.00. Last year \$300 was spent on drinking fountains, \$750 in changes and improvements to parks and playgrounds, \$300 on trees and shrubs and \$125 for plants and shrubs.

#### Sofa Caught Fire

A sofa in some way caught fire in a room over the Brantford Plumbing & Heating Company's store this morning and caused a little excitement. The only damage done was to the sofa. The occupants of the apartments put the fire out without calling the fire department.

#### Barford Notes.

J. W. Cox of Scotland, was in Barford yesterday, making arrangements to start business here as a contractor and building supplies man. A business of the kind has been needed. George Blumenstock, barber, has sold his business to Harold Charles. Mr. Blumenstock goes to Hagersville.

#### Mail Via New York.

People have from time to time imagined that their letters for England marked via New York, have not been sent that way. In answer to inquiries, however, Postmaster Raymond stated that all mail so marked is sent direct to New York with that city's mail and caught the first steamer from that city. If letters are not expressly marked, they are sent to Hamilton where they are made up and sent direct to outgoing steamers from Montreal and Quebec.

#### Funeral of Thomas McCormack.

The funeral of the late Thomas McCormack took place this morning from St. Mary's Church to St. Joseph's cemetery. The Rev. Father Pridha conducted solemn services, which were participated in by a large number of sorrowing friends. Numerous flowers bore evidence of the esteem which was held for the deceased. A long procession formed the cortege and the pallbearers were: H. O'Connell, C. Kerr, P. Powers, B. Hawkins and T. Luttery.

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Already we have opened up case after case of New Spring Importations and as the things come in all little odd lots of Winter Merchandise are being let out, and the stream keeps moving.

### Have You Seen the New Hand Bags?

They come in Silk and Leather in some of the most attractive designs and combinations we have ever seen. However, see them next time you are in the store. Just a Hint:

New Moire Silk Bag, in paddy green, lined with White Moire, pocket and mirror fitted, tassel and silk ribbon handle. Price .....\$3

Black Pin Seal Leather Bag, nickel frame pocket, purse and mirror fitted, some with the new safety lock fastener, colors grey, navy and black. Moire lined. Price.....\$2.75 to \$3.25

Single Handle, slip over the wrist, moire lined, with stationery, mirror, oval shaped, in brown only. Price.....\$2.75  
—Main Aisle.

### Have a Garden of Flowers in Your Own Home

You can have a pretty vase of Flowers in almost every room of the house, and it will cost but little.

**TRUE TO NATURE**  
Everlasting Carnations, made of rubber fibre, colors red, pink, white and variegated pink and white .....\$1.50 dozen  
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A large basket of odd Napkins, all fair quality, some are good and all linen.....ONE-THIRD OFF  
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## The Winter Sale of White Is Just as Fresh and New and Interesting as on the Opening Day

To our City Friends and those who are visiting the city, we would say:

The undermuslins include the plain, good, sturdy kinds for little money, the exquisitely sheer and distinguished kinds copied from the French, and in between every type of garment we could think of as likely to appeal to the women who lay in their half-yearly supplies in these sales. Undermuslins with the imitation Madeira Embroidery that wears so well are one feature; those with good eyelet embroidery are another; 25c to \$1 garments still another.

A great many are very simple—so many people prefer simplicity nowadays—and all are excellent value.

Cambric Drawers, as illustrated, frill of Valenciennes insertion lawn and edged with lace. Regular 50c. Sale.....39c  
Skirts, as illustrated, cambric, frill deep embroidery, plain drop frill. Regular \$1.25. Sale.....89c  
Cambric Drawers, trimmed with tucks and embroidery frill. Regular 50c. Sale.....39c  
Cotton Princess Slips, trimmed with Valenciennes lace and ribbon, skirt finished with insertion and lace.....98c  
Night Gowns, kimona sleeves, round neck, trimmed with embroidery. Regular 65c and 75c. For .....50c

White Petticoats, flounce of deep embroidery. Special .....\$1.25  
White Petticoats of two rows of lace flounce, edged with lace to match. Special.....\$1.21  
Combination Corset Covers and Drawers, with embroidery trimming .....\$1  
Nainsook Night Gowns, yoke and sleeve daintily trimmed with Valenciennes lace.....\$1  
Skirt of Cambric with two rows wide insertion, edged with lace.....\$1  
Gown with plain back and tucked front and embroidery edge .....\$1  
Princess Slip, lace yoke and skirt of lace to match. For .....\$1



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Corset Covers of finest material, embroidered in eyelet or solid, dainty edge and ribbon draw.....\$1.50 to \$2.50  
Slipover Gowns, made of finest French nainsook, dainty embroidery yoke sleeves, also trimmed to match, side opening .....\$5  
Princess Slips, finest Nainsook, top hand embroidered, skirt with straight flounce of eyelet and solid embroidery, neatly edged .....\$8.50 to \$10  
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What was needed the most in this city was an effort by the merchants and the occupants of the homes. People of Brantford do not know what it is to decorate and they should make an effort to decorate their homes.

The matter of the adoption of letters for the Old Home Week was left over until next meeting.

A committee room in the Temple building was rented at the rate of \$12 a month for six months.

The question of a contract with a midway show for that week brought up a considerable amount of discussion by members of the executive.

Mr. McBride objected strenuously to having a large midway centered on the market square. He said he would never consent to selling the market away to a big show and letting them take away Brantford money with them. Mr. McBride was about the only one who objected as the other members were of the opinion that some attraction of that kind was necessary.

The finance committee was given power to go ahead and close a deal with some carnival company.

Those present were: President Geo. Ward, C. A. Waterous, T. J. Nelson, Arthur Pitcher, Al W. A. Robinson, J. Kelley, Sec. Frank Blain, Ald. T. Ryerson, Ald. Pitcher, Geo. D. Watt, Fred Eastman and M. McBride.

Labor men in Montreal protest against the dilatory handling of important questions by the Department of Labor, and regret that no responsible labor men were consulted by the Commission on the High Cost of Living.

### Echo Place is Visited by Fire

Fire destroyed the house belonging to Mr. J. McConkey, Echo Place and occupied by Mr. J. Finn, about 3.30 yesterday afternoon. A telephone call was sent into the East Ward fire department, but they were helpless to give any aid on account of the distance from the city limits.

The fire is supposed to have started from an overheated stove in the parlor. It spread rapidly and had too much of a start to be stopped. Some of the contents were saved but the loss will be heavy. There was no insurance.

### Canoeists On Grand River

It is Said That Channel Will be Deepened

Brantford canoeists may look forward to better conditions in the Grand River. In recent years the water in the river has been so low as to prevent trips up and down the river during the most of the summer months. The Ontario Government has completed topographical surveys and among the plans formulated is the deepening of the river channel. It is thought that navigation by canoe will be given an impetus once more, and to those who take delight in this form of communion with nature along the Grand, the announcement will be received with interest.

### PRESSING NEED FOR MORE FUNDS

Only One Contribution Received in Last Few Days.

Demands upon the funds of the Associated Charities are steadily on the increase, and the disbursements since the last statement from the treasurer, Mr. H. T. Watt, have amounted to \$174.86, while only one contribution, of \$5, has been received, that being from Mr. Jos. H. Hanu. The committee absolutely needs more money, as the work is very pressing. The long, severe spell of cold weather has put numerous families in very reduced circumstances, and additional help is required.

### FIRE DESTROYS 400 CHICKS IN BROODER

Explosion of Coal Oil Lamp Cause of Serious Blaze at O. A. C. extinguished by Students.

GUELPH, Feb. 26.—A fire in one of the brooder houses at the Ontario Agricultural College destroyed nearly 400 chicks. A coal oil lamp exploding was the cause of the fire. When the college alarm was turned in the entire student body turned out and after an hour's hard work succeeded in subduing the flames. The main poultry building narrowly escaped catching fire several times.

Dr. D. S. Hoig of Oshawa, in the funeral of the death of three section-men near Whitby Junction, criticized the lack of first aid appliances on Grand Trunk trains.

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Women's Felt Lace Boots, foxed with dongola, regular \$1.35, for..... 98c

Women's Dongola Blucher cut Lace Boots, warm lined, reg. \$2.50, for \$1.48

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This is one of the best of all the chances we offer the ladies. These shoes are of Patent Colt, Gun Metal and Tan Calf. They are button or lace, and they were built on to-day's most popular lasts, and they are stylish, comfortable and serviceable. No such shoes were ever offered you ladies at anything like \$2.00. This is one of the lines that it will pay to stock up with.

**Women's \$4.00 High Shoes \$2.68**

Patent Colt, very dressy and stylish. Were big value at \$4.00. During sale \$2.68. Don't miss these, ladies.

**Ladies' \$3.50 Bluchers for \$2.48**

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**Ladies' \$4.00 Dongola Kid Shoes \$2.98**

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These have Patent toecap and extra heavy soles—just right for winter or spring wear. Price everywhere \$2.25. During sale \$1.48.

**Ladies' \$1.50 Kid Bals for 98c**

These are especially strong and dressy for the price. We have only 97 pairs of these all told, so that any lady who would like to buy a good pair of shoes for 98c ought to get here early.

**Ladies' \$2.00 Dongola Kid Shoes for \$1.28**

These are Blucher cut and are made of extra choice leather, a right-up-to-the-minute shoe in every way, sizes 2 to 8 and one of the biggest snaps of the sale at \$1.28. Be sure, ladies, to see these.

**Ladies' Dongola Kid Strap Pumps 93c**

These shoes are made in the Old Country. They have rubber heels and black jet ornament on vamp. These are of solid leather, and if you don't watch out you'll be offered imitations of them. We, nor anybody else, ever sells these shoes for less than \$1.50. SALE PRICE 93c PAIR.

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Not every size in this lot, but if you can find your fit among them you'll be good money ahead by doing it. WORTH UP TO \$4.00. SALE PRICE 98c.

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**Men's \$3.50 Box Calf Bluchers \$2.48**

Here's a good, strong, dressy shoe for you men that is exactly what you want for this weather.

**Men's \$2.25 Extra Strong Shoes for \$1.68**

These make a splendid working shoe, will resist wear and give the best of satisfaction. We recommend them.

**Men's \$2.00 Working Shoes for \$1.43**

Made of the best buff leather, strongly put together.

**Men's Heavy Tan Working Shoes for \$2.48**

This is a \$3.50 line, and a good one even at THAT price. Any man who does work that is hard on shoes needs a pair of these.

**Men's 3.00 Kid Bluchers for for \$1.98**

You can't beat 'em. Smart, dressy, newest lasts. See these.

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These are made for men who cannot wear a heavy shoe. But while they are light, they are still strong and serviceable.

**Men's \$1.75 Split Congress Shoes for \$1.38**

One of the finest working shoes we ever saw for the money.

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Besides what we print in this ad. this Sale will offer many dozens of other money-saving chances---chances that cannot be passed by by anyone in these times of depression and money stringency. Come early and often.

### SOME INFORMATION ABOUT SALE

1. As in the past, we shall adhere strictly to the printed particulars of this sale. Every bargain you read about will be found in the store just as we tell you.
2. Every article on sale belongs to our regular stock, and you get your pick from one of the most up-to-date lot of Shoes in Canada.
3. Briefly, the reason for this sale is TOO MUCH GOODS. We want to reduce them to the lowest possible point before Spring Stock arrives.
4. Store open from 8:00 a. m. 'till 6:30 p. m., except Saturday when we close at 11 p. m.
5. We shall have a staff of 20 clerks on hand to give you a quick service.
6. NOTE PARTICULARLY---The Roberts & Van-Lane Shoe Co., Limited, are identified with but one store in Brantford---that at 203 COLBORNE STREET. Please remember that because if you go into the wrong store, you'll miss the bargains printed in this ad.
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8. Nothing whatever is reserved. We turn over \$30,000 worth of the Highest Grade Footwear to you people---at prices that are but little more than HALF PRICE.
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10. THIS IS FOR CASH ONLY.

Watch This  
Paper for  
Future Ads.

WE shall keep you informed about the progress of this Sale, and shall print from time to time some SPECIAL SPECIALS, which will be just like finding money to those who know about them. This sale will be continued until our stock is reduced enough to make room for our Spring goods. But don't take anything for granted. Be here as early as you can after 8 o'clock Friday morning. Any shoe-needer can earn money faster by patronizing this Sale than by working for it.

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TO LET—House 15 Jubilee Avenue, gas and water; rent \$10.00 per month. Apply 8 Balfour St. t43

TO LET—Red brick cottage, East Ward; gas in house; \$9.00. Apply 30 Market St. t35

COTTAGE to let, 74 Palace St. (no children). Apply 85 Waterloo St. t33

TO LET—Furnished front bedroom with stove. Apply 65 Colborne St. t37

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DR. CHRISTINE IRWIN—Graduate of American School of Osteopathy, is now at 46 Nelson St. Office hours, 12 a.m. and 2 to 5 p.m. Bell Telephone 1380.

DR. C. H. SAUDER—Graduate American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo., Office, Suite 1, Criterion Chambers, 80 Colborne Street, Office hours: 9-12 a.m., 2-5 p.m. Evenings by appointment. Bell phone 1544, Residence, Room 61, Y.M.C.A.

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PERSONAL

HARRISON, John William; worked at Oakwood, later in Toronto; write sister, Jane Ann Harrison, care Wilmot Connor, Little Britain R.M.D. f25

WILLOWWARE

SPECIALS—Cream Rush and Buff Chairs, \$4.00; Rockers, \$4.25. Best value ever offered in Brantford. Brantford Willow Works, 61-63 Colborne St.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

DARVEN PIANO & MUSIC CO.—Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines, Musical Instruments, Edison Disc and Cylinder Phonographs, Edison Disc and Blue Amberol Records, Sheet Music; Violins and Strings our specialty. 139 Market St., corner Chatham. Bell Phone: Store 698, Residence 674.

DIED.

YEATES—In Brantford, suddenly, Wednesday evening, Richard George Yeates, in his 46th year. Funeral takes place on Saturday afternoon, at 2.30, from his family residence, 187 Nelson street, to Greenwood Cemetery.

McFARLANE—At her late residence, 11 Victoria street, Brantford, on Wednesday, February 25th, Sarah Addison, beloved wife of W. S. McFarlane, aged 50 years. Funeral from above address to Grand Trunk station to connect with train leaving Brantford 10.29 Friday morning. Interment to take place at Weston on arrival of the train at 1.30. Service will be held at the house at 8 o'clock this evening.

NOTICE TO BRICKLAYERS

All members of the Bricklayers' Union are requested to meet at the Union Hall on Saturday, at 1.45 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Bro. Yeates.

COMING EVENTS

DON'T FORGET—the Carnival at Tutela Rink on Friday, Feb. 27th. Admission 15c. Should weather prove unfavorable carnival will be held following Monday night.

HOSPITAL DAY—Half proceeds of afternoon and evening performances Brant Theatre, Friday, 27th, donated to work of Junior Hospital Aid. Boxes may be reserved now.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES will be held at the Colborne St. Methodist Church every evening this week, commencing at 8 o'clock. All invited.

"THE IRISH FAIR," unique, new, at Boy Knights armories, Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings. Admission free. Come and help the boys. Refreshments served.

COME to the treat of the season in Masonic Hall, Feb. 27th. Madame Henderson's famous troupe of dances, along with other splendid singers. Dance and refreshments to follow. Tickets, gents, 75c; ladies 50c. Doors open 7.30 p.m. Entrance, Darling street.

THE PROBS

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—Pressure is abnormally high over the greater portion of the continent, while the weather in Canada is fair and for the most part moderately cold.

Forecasts. Moderate to fresh southwest to south winds, fair and comparatively mild to-day and on Friday.

Temperature. Temperature for the last 24 hours. Highest 24, lowest 4. For the same date last year, highest 0, lowest 22.

LADY PIANIST WANTED

A lady pianist, must read at sight, wanted to manage "Sheet Music Department." Box 24, Courrier office.

NEWPORT

Rev. C. Morrow and Mr. Cook conducted the services on last Sabbath evening and gave very able discourses on mission in foreign lands. Mrs. Cook very ably presided at the organ.

Miss Carolyn Emmott and friend, Miss Symons of the Hamilton Normal School spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Emmott.

Miss Edna Phillips is the guest of Mrs. Churchill, Paris, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Coleman gave a party for their friends on Friday night.

Mr. Will Emmott attended an Art Home at the Hamilton Normal School last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bellhouse gave a party on Thursday night when a very enjoyable time was spent in games and dancing.

Mr. W. Payne of Hawtry, visited with his cousin, Mrs. H. Phillips for a few days.

Mr. Elmer Drake is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swartout for a few days.

Mrs. M. W. Smith is visiting in St. Catharines the guest of her nephew, Mr. Grover Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arto Fawcett gave a card party for a few of their friends on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hutton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. Melican.

Mrs. Frederick Garrett and Mrs. Archibald Cleaver, city, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crandall.

FRENCH ARE INTERESTED. MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—All the French papers here print the fullest reports to-day about the Evanturel incident in the Ontario Legislature yesterday. La Presse editorially contents itself apparently temporarily with a reference to Mr. Evanturel's attempt to show a conspiracy between the Conservatives and the liquor interests and adds laconically that he may be sorry he spoke.

Ball Players Cheered King

His Majesty Witnessed Two Big League Teams in Match.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] LONDON, Feb. 26.—Three hearty American cheers and a tiger were the welcome given by the baseball team to King George on his arrival to-day on the Chelsea football grounds to witness the game between the New York National League team and the Chicago team of the American League. The players were grouped immediately in front of the royal box and the rattle of the hurrahs evidently immensely pleased the royal sportsman, who repeatedly bowed his acknowledgments.

The King was accompanied by United States Ambassador Page and a full staff of the embassy as well as a large suite of court officials.

The ambassador introduced Chas. T. Comiskey, John J. McMuraw, Joseph Farrell and James Callahan with all of whom the King shook hands.

Five or six thousand spectators attended the game. All branches of British sports were largely represented. Many of the leading cricket and football players were on the ground taking keen notice of all the points of the game.

The Earl of Londsdale and Baron Desborough, both of whom are prominent in sporting circles, were among the many titled personages surrounding the King.

The crowd was greatly amused while awaiting the arrival of the King by the diminutive mascot of the Chicago team. During practice, the boy went to bat and made a home run through the affected sickness of the New York players.

The result of the game was: Chicago..... 5 8 0 New York..... 4 9 4

Gunmen Must Go to the Chair

New York's Famous Quartet to Die on April the 13th.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 26.—"Gyp, the Blood," "Lefty Louie," "Whitey Lewis" and "Dago Frank" the four gunmen jointly convicted with former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, will be electrocuted during the week beginning April 13. The date was fixed by the court of appeals to-day when the judges signed the four death warrants.

The exercise of executive clemency by Governor Glynn now is all that can prevent the death of the gunmen. No appeals for pardons have been received by the governor.

Peace Treaty Is Acceptable

[By Special Wire to The Courier] LONDON, Feb. 26.—The draft of a treaty establishing a peace commission at The Hague recently submitted to Great Britain by the United States Government, is regarded by the British foreign office as generally acceptable. Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, however, informed the House of Commons to-day that the treaty would have to be considered in conjunction with the self-governing British Dominions, as certain special provisions in regard to them would be required.

Sir Edward Grey promised to ask the state department at Washington, whether there was any objection to the publication of the treaty here. If there should be none on the part of the American government he said he would lay it on the table of the House.

The foreign secretary expressed the hope that the ratification of the arbitration convention between Great Britain and the United States renewed on May 31 last year would be exchanged shortly.

The statement of Sir Edward Grey was made in answer to a request for information as to what reply he proposed to make to the United States Government regarding the conclusion of an arbitration treaty.

SUICIDE AT BURLINGTON

HAMILTON, Feb. 26.—Brooding over the death of his wife, Aaron Peck, 76 years of age, ended his life at Burlington to-day. The old man never recovered from the shock of his wife's death some years ago, and grieved constantly. He resided with his son. The latter's wife heard a noise upstairs, and when her husband went up to investigate he found his father lying dead. The old man shot himself.

ALERT RINK ON FIRE

HAMILTON, Ont., Feb. 26.—Fire did \$2,000 damage to the Alert rink this morning when hot coals in an ash box burst through the second floor and set the ladies cloak room ablaze. The Hamilton hockey team lost its entire outfit. The blaze was confined to one end of the rink.

A SAD ENDING TO BANQUET IN CITY

Richard G. Yeates Dropped Dead at the Tea Pot Inn.

Had Just Finished Taking Part in Instrumental Duets.

A very sad ending to a happy function occurred last night at the Tea Pot Inn, when Richard George Yeates, 187 Nelson street, dropped dead from heart failure at the Bricklayer's banquet.

Together with his son, William, they were giving a mandolin and violin duet, and had just finished responding to an encore when Mr. Yeates pitched over into the arms of one of the men sitting near him and died almost immediately. Dr. Hanna was hurriedly called, and gave the cause of his death as heart failure. The body was then removed to Reid & Brown's undertaking parlors.

The banquet was pitched into gloom at such an unexpected and sad ending, as Mr. Yeates was very popular amongst the brotherhood.

The late Mr. Yeates was born 46 years ago in England, and had been residing in Brantford for a number of years. He was foreman of the bricklaying department for Schultz Bros., in which capacity he was an earnest and exceptionally hard worker. His employers speak in the highest terms of his connection with them.

Mr. Yeates came from a family who have followed bricklaying many years. His father, Mr. Richard Yeates, who resides at 227 Chatham street, was a bricklayer, and his two brothers, Albert and William, both of this city, are bricklayers. Besides these, he is survived by his mother, another brother, Charles, of Guelph, four sisters, Lucy and Rose of Guelph, Mary at home and Mrs. Walter Carley, Eagle Place, his wife and six children, the oldest, William, who is 17 years of age. The other children are Mary, Evelyn, Russel, Gladys and Edith.

The deepest sympathy of the community will go out to Mrs. Yeates and family in their sad bereavement.

The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon from his late residence, 187 Nelson street, at 2.30 to Greenwood cemetery.

In speaking of the death of Mr. Yeates, Mr. John Schultz said: "The late Mr. Geo. Yeates, whose death was so sudden and sad, had been in our employ for many years, acting in the capacity of foreman bricklayer, the duty which he proved highly worthy to fill. Not only was he a first class mechanic but was also an exceptionally industrious man, and one whom we will all miss very much."

BOARD OF TRADE HAS A PROGRAM

Ballots Are Now Out For the Election of Officers—Meeting Tuesday.

The ballots are out for the Board of Trade elections. The results will be made known at the adjourned Annual Meeting of the members next Tuesday evening in the City Council Chamber, when the scrutineers will report. At this meeting the new President, Mr. Reginald Scarfe, will be installed. After the inaugural address of the President an opportunity will be given to the members to discuss the proposed purchase of the Street Railway by the City. It is to be hoped there will be a thorough expression of opinion on the question and that all information available will be submitted. Doctor J. W. Robertson has accepted an invitation to address a meeting of the members about the end of March. It is proposed to invite the school boards and reocam hdaBfise oamohldtnt representative men from each of the factories to assist in organizing the meeting in the interests of technical education. Professor Robertson will also, in the afternoon, address a meeting of ladies of the city should he be so requested.

REV. DRIVER DEAD.

OXFORD, Eng., Feb. 26.—The death occurred to-day of the Rev. Sam. Holles Driver, regius professor of Hebrew at the University and Canon of Christ Church in his 68th year. Prof. Driver was probably one of the greatest authorities on Hebrew. He took a prominent part in revising the Old Testament.

CUT TO PIECES.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—Joseph Fallon, aged 50, and Hiram Bradley, 56 were the men cut to pieces by a train while sitting on the track. One sat on each rail and made no move to escape as the engine approached.

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WATER WORKS NOTICE Water rates will be due and payable at the City Treasurer's office on March 1st. The usual discount of 20% will be allowed up to and including March 15th.

Consumers not receiving their notices may have copies made on application at the Secretary's office, City Hall.

Wm. Babcock, farmer, of Ridgetown, charged with causing the death of a neighbor, Henry Albright, in an altercation, was released, the Grand Jury returning no bill.

General Sporting News

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BEHAN'S OFFER WAS REFUSED BY TAFT

Chicago Attorney Failed to Secure Controlling Interest in the Cubs.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 26—After a talk with Louis J. Behan, of Chicago, an attorney representing a syndicate which desires to purchase the stock in the Chicago National Baseball Club held by Mr. Chas. F. Taft this city, Mr. Taft definitely refused the offer made by Mr. Behan, and the latter immediately left for Chicago.

Mr. Taft last night declined to make public an statement as to the amount he was offered for his stock, but for what he would be willing to sell it, but it seemed probable that control of the Chicago Club will remain in his hands for some time. Mr. Taft had not received word last night that any other representatives of syndicates to buy the club were on their way to negotiate with him. Nothing has been done in selecting a president of the club, and it is believed that no appointment will be made until Mr. Taft decides whether he will retain or sell his stock.

Sharkey Must Serve Term NEW YORK, Feb. 26—Tom Sharkey, former pugilist, will have to serve out his term of thirty days in the Tombs, and pay the fine of \$300 inflicted on him for maintaining the saloon on East 14th street, which the court of special sessions decided was a disorderly place. Justice Cohan refused yesterday to grant a certificate of reasonable doubt to Sharkey.

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TORONTOS TAKE GAME FROM THE ONTARIOS

N. H. A. Leaders Defeated Tail-enders in a Clean Exhibition.

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—Toronto engaged in a real friendly game with the Ontarios last night at the Arena, and like their three former engagements, emerged victorious, the final score being 6 to 1, with the Blue Shirts ahead at the end of every period. Both teams played exceedingly clean hockey, and as a result not a fine was handed out by the officials during the evening, which is pretty near a pro record.

The victory which was expected by the local fans was especially gratifying to the Toronto supporters, not so much on the win, but the manner in which it was accomplished, as the Toronto players were only given a good workout for their game in Quebec Saturday night. Harry Cameron was relieved by Geo. McNamara in the second period and did not appear again, while Walter was given a rest the whole of the last period. Foyston and Davidson were also relieved in the third period, the team finishing with Jack Marshall and Holmes the only regulars.

Although there was nothing very exciting about the game, yet several spectacular rushes were pulled off. Fred Lake showed that he is not all that he is cracked up to be, by pulling off one of the nicest rushes of the season in the first period, and only hard luck stopped him from scoring. Each team also pulled off some nice combination at times.

N.H.A. Standing

Table with 4 columns: Teams, Won, Lost, For Agst. Toronto 13 5 85 53, Canadiens 11 7 74 57, Ottawa 10 8 62 59, Quebec 10 8 97 70, Wanderers 6 12 91 115, Ontarios 4 14 50 111

Chicago Feds Incorporated SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 26.—The Federal League Baseball Club of Chicago was incorporated yesterday with a capital of \$250,000 by W. M. Walker, R. A. Gillmore and Chas. H. Wegman.

OVERTIME BATTLE GOES TO OTTAWA

Senators Defeat Canadiens in Most Sensational Game.

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—The most sensational game of the local season, the Ottawa Senators' victory over the Canadiens, by six to five at the Arena last night and this dropped them out of the race for the Stanley Cup, handing the championship, to which goes the Stanley Cup, to the Toronto. It was not until the team had played fifteen seconds overtime that the plucky Canadiens relinquished their claim to the championship. The teams after the score had been tied four times, were on equal terms at five to five when the bell rang for the conclusion of the regular hour of play. They at once changed ends, and the fans sat back, ready for a grueling fight, but Jack Darragh, the Ottawa "pinch hitter," who repeatedly distinguished himself on such occasions, grabbed the puck from the face-off, swerved through the entire Canadian team, dodged out in front of the net, and scored the deciding goal, while the crowd went frantic. The teams cut a swift race from beginning to end, with honors about even. It was anybody's game, and Canadiens, though minus the services of Laonde and Gardner, gave a good account of themselves. The Ottawas were crippled by the loss of Merrill, but Eddie Gerard, who replaced him on the defence, put up one of the best games of his career. It was clean hockey, though the players grew strenuous in their checking toward the finish. Broadbent was the only man to get a major, and Scott, who received a jab in the face, the only person injured. No one was forced to retire.

The outcome certainly demonstrated the honesty of the N. H. A., as the Ottawas could have dropped last night's game and thus made it harder for the Toronto. They worked desperately to beat out the Canadiens, however, and Darragh's winning goal caused great joy in the camp of the Senators. The Ottawa players were riled over the story from Montreal that Darragh and Ronan had been laying down. The latter two were the heroes of the game, and the Ottawas showed more speed and staying power than in any of their games for several weeks. Scott and Smith divided honors for the Canadian defence. Both clubs kicked to the referee about tripping and slashing, but it looked as if the referee was Ottawa's friend, as the Ottawas were fined \$5 and the Canadiens \$4. Brennan and Westwick officiated and Canadiens were certainly beaten on their merits. The ice was lightning fast, and nearly seven thousand persons were in attendance, sympathy being equally divided.

WON TIE GAME.

Dufferin Winners in Final Game With King Edward School.

The King Edward school paid a visit to Dufferin school to play off the tie game. All the luck was with the Dufferins and after a game of one hour, they ran away with the game by a score of 5-0. The following was the line up: King Edward—Goal, Bennett; cover, Heather; point, Camel; rover, Shuert; centre, Stevenson; right wing, Davis; left wing, Stevenson. Dufferin—Goal, Hurley; point, Sutherland; point, Johnson; rover, Littler; centre, Watson; right wing, Booth; left wing, Marlate.

HOCKEY RESULTS.

O. H. A. Junior. (Semi-final). Oshawa 5; Belleville 4. N. H. A. Toronto 6; Ontarios 1. Quebec 14; Wanderers 6. Western Ontario Consolation. (Junior). Stratford 10; Galt 5. Northern League. Western University 5; Seaford 5. GAMES TO-DAY. O.H.A. Intermediate. Sarnia at Berlin. Intercolligate T Senior. University of Toronto at Queen's University.

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Canadian League Circuit Clippings

"Battling" Nelson is holding fast to the property he owns in Hegewich. He recently turned down an offer of \$23,000 for two corner lots.

Charlie Hitt, the Albany middleweight, has retired from the roped arena, and is now the trainer of the Cleveland baseball team.

Champion Johnny Kilbane has turned down a tempting offer from Promoter "Snowy" Baker to display his ring cleverness in Australia.

There are eight giant recruit pitchers in camp at Marlin, Texas, and five of them are six footers and their weight will average 175 pounds.

What's in a name? In Paris the other night Willie Lewis made a fighter named Balzac look like a Mexican soldier beating it for the Texas border.

Earl Moore, pitcher last year with the Chicago Nationals, announced definitely in Cleveland last night that he had signed a Federal League contract.

Pitcher Hall of Detroit, signed his contract with the club last week at a big increase in salary. Hall is another player the Federals were after who is going to stick to organized ball.

Rollie Zieder persists in not coming into Manager Chance's fold, the peerless leader says he will have Boone, the recruit infielder from the Texas League, who will make good at second base.

Washington Park, Brooklyn, where the Federals will play this year, has been used for a dumping ground this winter and is piled high with snow. President Gilmore declares, though, that everything will be in shape for the opening on April 21.

Ban Johnson still believes that the Federals will never play ball in Chicago. He is under the impression that the property owners in the vicinity of the proposed grounds will refuse to give the necessary consent.

"We'll have a real ball team this season," said Mr. Garthwaite, so it is evident that he is pleased with his interview with Mack—Hamilton Herald.

The club committee will confer with the Alerts, limited, to-day, regarding the use of Britannia Park.

There was many rumors circulated in Chicago yesterday that Johnny Evers would be brought back to manage the Cubs, but O'Day, the new manager of the club appointed by Murphy, received a telegram at the training quarters from the club secretary that he (O'Day) was to continue in charge as if nothing had happened.

A. L. Garthwaite delegated by the directors of the Hamilton Baseball club to go to Philadelphia to interview Connie Mack, the famous leader of the world's champion Athletics, arrived back last night, and is confident that his visit will bear fruit. He will make his report to the directors and a meeting will be held early next week when a manager will be appointed and the season's business attended to.

According to an official bulletin from Secretary J. H. Farrell, the services of Pitcher Bob Sterling have been awarded to Philadelphia. Sterling is not anxious to return and tried to get out of it by claiming to the commission that he had not received his contract. However, the National Arbitration Board has decided in favor of Peterboro.—Peterboro' Evening Examiner.

The first contract for the 1914 season arrived at the headquarters of the Peterboro baseball club to-day in the shape of the contract of Frank Fox, the player the Petes secured towards the end of the season from Ottawa. Fox writes that his injured ankle has entirely recovered and that he is in better shape now than at any time in the past two seasons. He will train with the St. Bonaventure College team of Allegheny before reporting for the spring training of the Petes.

There may be a little world's series between the Canadian League and New York State League in September. Both are Class B organizations and their respective territory is adjacent to each other. The State League has boasted of baseball little short of the International for some years on account of the number of ex-lig leaguers in its ranks and the quantity of men it has sent up. As the Canadian League season will run into the second week in September this year, it is quite possible a series of best four in seven games could be arranged between the champion clubs of the two organizations.

The Ottawa club is making herculean efforts to purchase Pitcher Bob Strain, the big six-footer, who won 18 and lost 9 for Richmond in the Virginia league last season. Only sixty-four runs were scored off Strain in 33 games and his strike-out record shows he has both speed and stuff. At the beginning of the season, Strain won games with horrible regularity, but when the real hot southern weather came around he went bad. Up in Canada he should find the climate conditions to his lik-

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Cadets Made Good Scores

Miniature Match in Canadian Rifle League Fired Yesterday.

The third miniature match in the Canadian Rifle League series, was fired yesterday by the B.C.I. cadets. The scores on the whole were very good. The highest were Lieut. Palmer and Cadet Burt, each with 98, the best score this year. The total of the first team was 941 out of possible 1,000 which is considered very good shooting, being the best total of the year. The scores are out of a possible 100. First team, Lieutenant Palmer 98; Cadet Burt 98; Cadet Webster 90; Cadet Weir 95; Sergt. Beckett 94; Cadet Patten 94; Corp. Foster 93; Cadet Matthews 93; Cadet Westbrook 90; Cadet Meadows 90. Total 941. Second Team—Cadet Cassidy 90; Cadet K. Ruddy 89; Corp. C. Sanderson 89; Cadet R. Braund 88; Capt. L. Feely 87; Cadet T. Ruddy 87; Cadet Dempster 86; Corp. Costin 85; Corp. Bennett 85; Cadet Luck 85; Total 871. Third team—Cadet Fraser 84; Cadet P. Braund 83; Cadet Lake 82; Cadet Hume Ryerson 80; Cadet R. Deagle 79; Corp. Ryerson 78; Sergt. Jurk 77; Cadet Avery 76; Corp. Joyce 70; Cadet Abbott 69. Total 778.

Hockey Gossip

Ottawa will be in Toronto Saturday night, when they play the Ontarios.

Quebec's one sided victory over Wanderers last night in Montreal, was the real surprise of the night. Looks as if Jimmy Murphy pulled a "bone" when he released Scott. The latter has been showing grand form for the Canadiens.

Torontos play Quebec in Quebec Saturday night. They have already beaten Quebec at home this season, and twice at the Arena.

That two weeks left up that Belleville had after they finished the season caught them out of condition last night against Oshawa at Peterboro, and from the scoring it looks as if lack of condition beat them.

Only two more games remain in the N.H.A. season for the Wanderers over the Canadiens. Saturday night will give the Blue Shirts the championship, even should they lose to Quebec Saturday and the Wanderers here a week from last night.

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Life of Consul Must be Safe

LONDON, Feb. 25.—The British Government, it was announced, is still awaiting an answer from the State Department at Washington to its request to the United States Government to secure a safe conduct from General Villa to enable Consul Percival of Galveston to participate in the investigation into the death of William S. Benton, at Juarez.

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WHEN BIG MEN CLASH IN THE BRITISH HOUSE

Fighting Speeches by the Leaders in Great Britain—Bonar Law, Carson and Redmond, All Engaged in a Lively Debate.

English papers just to hand contain full reports of the opening of the present session of the British House of Commons, an opening marked by unusual speeches on the Home Rule question.

Before taking his seat on the front Bench, Mr Bonar Law shook hands with both Mr Asquith and Mr Lloyd George in earnest of his desire to fall in with the appeal contained in His Majesty's speech.

Mr. Craig, an Ulster Unionist, of great girth, caused a laugh by referring to the crowded state of the house, and suggesting that the Nationalists betake themselves in the galleries, as they had imposed a rule of silence upon themselves.

New members were introduced, the appearance of Mr. Munro, the Lord Advocate, being the signal for remarks from the Opposition side with regard to the contest at Wick Burghs.

Mr. W. F. Roch, Liberal member for Pembrokeshire, in Court dress, moved the address in reply, and Mr Gordon Howard, K.C., who sits for Leicester, seconded in a masterly speech of exceptional ability.

Then came a departure from precedent which the Speaker described as an exceptional course. Mr. Walter Long from the front Opposition Bench, moved an official Unionist amendment—

"Humbly representing that it would be disastrous to proceed further with the Government of Ireland Bill until it has been submitted to the judgment of the people."

"How is it possible?" asked Mr. Long, explaining the unusual course taken by the Opposition, "to proceed in the ordinary way with our business when—overwhelming as else—there is the knowledge that for the first time for centuries in the history of this country we are threatened with civil war within the United Kingdom."

"Bayonets and Bullets." "We hold Home Rule not to be in the best interests of Ireland; we hold it to be fatally injurious to this country. In no circumstances will our party so stultify itself and abandon all its dearest principles by accepting the measure to which it is opposed root and branch."

In Ulster, he went on, there was a force of something like 100,000 men, trained, armed, equipped, determined necessary at the cost of their lives.

"There have been seven by-elections since the House rose. If the total votes polled at those elections are added up it will be found that, compared with the General Election of December 1910, the Home Rule vote has increased from 42,000 to 46,800, whereas the Unionist vote increased from 27,700 to 36,500. So far as Home Rule was an issue at all, these elections show increased approval of it by the electorate."

"If this amendment were carried it would mean that so far as Home Rule was concerned, the Parliament Act was a perfect nullity. (Opposition cries of "No.") Suppose the Opposition acquired a majority at a General Election. They would find themselves face to face with the problem of governing three-fourths, it may be four-fifths, of Ireland, consisting of a people bitterly disappointed on the eve of fruition of their long-cherished hopes. (Nationalist and Ministerial cheers.)

"Suppose we got back to power. Would Ulster lay down her arms? What about the British Unionist party? What would be their attitude if this prayer for dissolution were granted and we came back?"

Sir Edward Carson: "Would you drop Home Rule if we came back? (Opposition cheers.)

Mr. Asquith: "You have control of the House of Lords, and we have not. Can the Opposition give any guarantee that a measure approved by the electorate would pass into law?"

"If the matter is to be settled," he went on, "and no one is more desirous of a settlement than I am, then something in the nature of a general agreement would be much better than a dissolution here and now."

The Conversations. "Allusions are made in the King's Speech to conversations which have taken place in the autumn and winter between the political leaders. These

conversations were, and must remain in the strictest sense, under the seal of confidence.

"There is one satisfactory feature in these conversations, and it is that the press of this country was, without a single exception, entirely at sea from beginning to end on the subject. (Laughter.) That is something in these days, when a man cannot send a letter to his wife without a sinister construction being placed upon it. (Laughter.)

"But I regret to say—and I am sure the Leader of the Opposition will share my regret, because I know he was anxious to have some definite result—that these conversations did not produce any definite agreement. While I deeply regret that agreement was not obtained I do not despair at this moment and never have despaired of the possibility of a settlement."

"I think the language used in the King's Speech ought to find an echo in every quarter of the House, and I will use no last word in regard to this matter of settlement."

The Prime Minister proceeded to point out that the proposal for the exclusion of Ulster was put forward as a choice of what were deemed two evils. He himself looked with favor upon Sir Horace Plunkett's suggestion for the inclusion of Ulster with the option of exclusion after a time.

full the government recognize to the exclusion of Ulster—has developed, we cannot divert ourselves of responsibility of initiative in the way of suggestion, though we maintain that our Bill, though capable of improvement, is a sound, statesmanlike, and workable measure.

"I concede that the suggestions made on the other side—such, for instance, as the exclusion of Ulster—are all made for the sake of peace, and it is for the sake of obtaining peace, and as the price of peace, a settlement by agreement, that any suggestions we make will be put forward."

"I do not mean merely the avoidance of civil strife, but that the new system of Irish government, whatever it is, shall start under such conditions and in such an atmosphere as will give it, from the first, a fair chance of working successfully."

"The avoidance of civil war and bloodshed everyone must desire, and there is nothing we won't do, consistent with the maintenance of the fundamental principles, to avoid that terrible calamity. I cannot believe that we are reduced to such an insolvency of statesmanship that we cannot, with an honest mind, with good will, and with determination avoid, if it be possible, the evils and dangers which lie before us."

"We feel it to be our duty—and we intend to discharge that duty without any avoidable delay—to submit to them in the spirit and with the two reservations I have made, suggestions which will certainly be honestly put forward and which will certainly be honestly put forward and which we believe will be regarded by all fair-minded men as, at any rate, a serious attempt to arrive at an agreement in this matter, which will consult, not only the interests, but the susceptibilities, of all concerned."

Mr. Clavell-Salter (U.) said that the Nationalists had never ceased to abuse the British soldier, but now they wanted his services.

Mr. Lough (L.) suggested that the opinion of the minority in Ireland to the Home Rule Bill would be largely met by the adoption of the principle of proportional representation in the election of the Irish Parliament. (Opposition cries of "No.")

Mr. A. Chamberlain. Mr. Austen Chamberlain asked if at the last General Election the Government received the authority of the electors to use British troops to shoot down loyal citizens. How was the election won? Not the bribery of a few voters by people of little account, but by the bribery of a whole constituency by a member of the Government.

Events were hurrying to a catastrophe. They could not keep a million people in the present strain and guarantee the maintenance of peace. He asked the Prime Minister two questions—first, would the Government be prepared to exclude Ulster, or were they not? Secondly, would they secure to Ulster the same rights, privileges and duties as were enjoyed by Great Britain?

If the government answered yes, the danger of civil war was averted; if the answer was no—civil war was made certain.

He urged the exclusion of Ulster because it would remove one great crime which the passage of the bill otherwise entail. At the same time the exclusion of Ulster would not make the bill good or safe, and to a bill so amended he for one would be no party.

Sir John Simon, the Attorney General, resuming the debate on Wednesday, argued that the opposition cried for a general election at every opportunity, and that they wanted it especially now, not because it would solve the Irish problem, for it would elect a party which would tear up the Parliament Act.

Sir Edward Carson. "Sir Edward Carson, who followed, had a long sustained ovation from the crowded benches behind him. He said that twice the country had decided against Home Rule. The third attempt was condemned by the confession of the Government, and yet they were unable to alter a single word in the bill to meet the new situation."

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Tilmore Gardens is the name of the new village, and if the scheme works well there it argues for success elsewhere because living is high owing to the residential character of the neighborhood.

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Men's Mule Skin Shoes, worth \$2.25. Sale price <b>1.39</b>	One Lot of Ladies' Fine Shoes. Worth \$3.15. Public Sale price <b>1.19</b>	One Lot of Children's Shoes, sizes from 8 to 10 1/2, Black or Tan, Lace or Button. Regular \$1.25 to \$1.50. Sale price <b>98c</b>	<b>Trunks, Bags</b>
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Men's Fine Gunmetal and Vici Kid Shoes, all sizes. Worth \$3.50. Sale price <b>2.49</b>		Girls' Fine Patent Leather Slippers. Worth 90c. Sale price <b>45c</b>	<b>Leather Goods</b>

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By Special Wire to EL PASO, Tex. F. C. Carruthers to-day he had postponed his Chihuahua and while to his reasons, it was the arrival here of the siary, Charles Arthur participate in the Be tion and the receipt by a dispatch from the M ed for the delay.  
 The presence of came here from Galva is British consul, wa mark the beginning of velopments in the Be cial news of the killing British subject, was m a week ago to-day.  
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 Meanwhile anxiety o ppearance of Gustave i ed although his case as "intended" in the Be tion.  
 Rebels of Juarez an both denied that they belief in the report th American, was shot as day was still general o the Rio Grande.

WASHINGTON, Fe stances surrounding t William S. Benton, Dr Juarez, Mexico, nearl were again a subject io cil to-day.  
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 Lloyd George C More Trouble Day.

LONDON, Feb. 27 the Exchequer Lloyd to be getting into mor day. A letter from from him to-day an sinuating that a man ed his speech at the meeting had entered forged ticket of adm The Earl of Ports ers have urged the Du to sue Mr Lloyd Geo cause the Chancery chequer made a stat that the Duke had so property for the erect school at a high price later that the Duke d property referred to.  
 In another speech Chancellor said that acres" of cultivated h had been converted b The Marquis of Tull onist heckled the g rarding this statement of Commons yesterday virtual admission that ber of acres so conv