# The Liberal.

RICHMOND HILL, ONT., MAR. 5, 1914

Drill Halls are being erected in all parts of Canada. One of the latest contracts is for a drill hall at Edmonton for \$286,000. Everything recently goes to show that the Minister of Militia, Col, the Hon. Sam Hughes, is more interested in spending money on the destructive arts of war rather than in cultivating the arts of peace.

In the Local Legislature on Friday, \$5,000 was placed in the estimates to be used for the enforcement of the Canada Temperance Act, known as the Scott Act. This is evidence that the Ontario Government will assist in the enforcement of this Act where it is in operation. The facilities under the Act do not give the Provincial officers the same powers enjoyed under the liquor license Act, but it is expected the Government will meet the situation by appointing special officers of the peace whose duty will be to prevent any illegal traffic in intoxicating liquors, and see that the prohibition is carried out in the counties where it is applied.

#### Victoria Square.

Mr. John Hilts, of Victoria Square, died on the evening of the 25th of February, in his 86th year. He was buried on Saturday, the 28th, in Heise Hill Cemetery. A large number of people attended the funeral, conducted by The Brethren. He leaves to mourn the loss an only daughter and several grandchildren. He was a respected citizen of Markham Township during a long life.

#### Gormley

Mr. H. R. Heise, of Gormley, spent his 62nd birthday in Toronto on the 2nd of March. In Toronto he observed many plate glass windows and signs blown down during the wind storm, which was terrific.

Mr. Woodward, blacksmith, had a severe fall on the ice last Thursday. He struck the back of his head and lay unconscious for about forty minutes. The injured man was found in a field by Mr. S. Atkinson. The patient is improving steadily.

Mr. H. R. Heise shipped a car of pail timber to Cane & Sons, Newmarket one day this week. He also expects to send a car load of cordwood to Thornlea one of these days. He has a number of men cutting in the woods.

The residents of Gormley are enjoying the new rural mail delivery.

### North Toronto

The North Toronto Liberal Association held their monthly meeting in the York Masonic Hall on Saturday night last. The programme took the form of an cratorical contest. President Burnaby was in the chair.

Mr. C. D. Maguire is building three fine brick stores on his property, cornand expects to have them ready for occupying by the first of March.

Many building permits have been recorded this last week. Contractors are taking on more men, and work is beginning to get more plentiful.

Owing to the past scarcity of work, suffered great agony for the want of clothing and food. Subscriptions have been taken up by the churches, and the needy are being cared for.

Balliol St. entertained a large number of young friends last Friday night. The evening was spent in dancing and music. The music was furnished by Styles orchestra.

Mr. T. W. Banton, a resident of North Toronto, has been appointed to the position of Chairman of the Toronto Public Libraries. Mr. Banton has been associated in this work for many years.

The congregation of the Davisville Presbyterian Church are making preparations for the erection of their new building in "Glebe Manor" park. The Davisville Methodist Church have also purchased a site in this recently opened park and intend building sometime in

the near future. Much interest has been taken in the line of Hockey this winter. We have three teams in different leagues, all of which are in the semi-finals for the different trophies. The High School team lost their first game last Wednesday night to Humberside Collegiate, score 5-3. The final game is to be played some night next week.

The Davisville Methodist league paid a friendly visit to Richmond Hill on Monday night, and report an enjoyable time.

(Too late for last issue.)

### MARRIAGES

SAVAGE-JUDGES .- At the residence of Dr. Langstaff, Richmond Hill, by Rev. E. C Currie, on Wednesday, March 4, 1914, Miss Harriett Emily Judges to Mr. John Archie Gould Savage, both of Vaughan Township. 36-4

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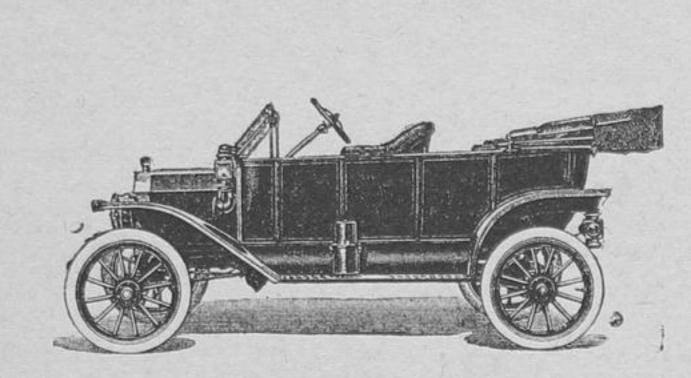
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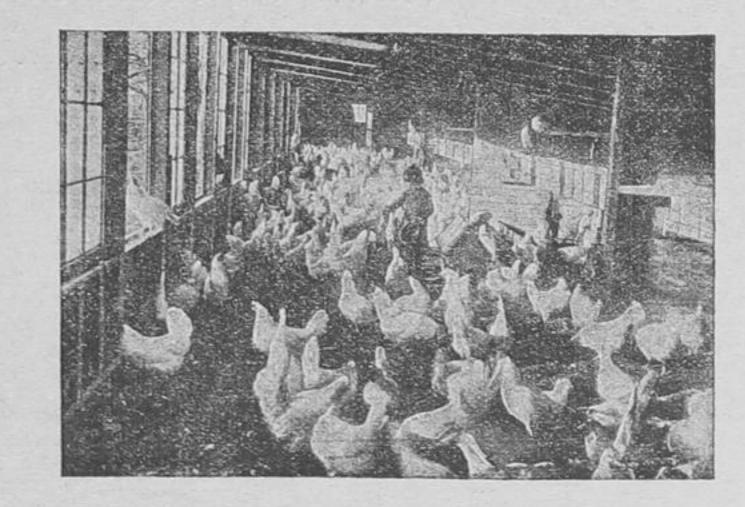
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