

# OVER 500 CASES IN HAMILTON

## Two More Deaths From Spanish Influenza Occur- red on Sunday

## FARES NOT TO GO UP

(Special Despatch to The Globe.)

Hamilton, Oct. 13.—Two more deaths from influenza were reported here to-day, and the body of a former Hamiltonian who died of the disease at Sudbury was brought to this city. Those who died here were: Bertha Cong, aged six years, whose parents reside at 80 1/2 Caroline street north, and Ethel Lily Haviland, wife of Frank Haviland, who died at the City Hospital of pneumonia following an attack of "flu." She was thirty-three years of age, and her husband resides at 61 Canada street. The remains of Henry Lavery, a former resident of Hamilton, arrived in the city to-day following his death at Sudbury.

More than five hundred cases of the "flu" were reported in Hamilton last week. The reports during Saturday showed that the epidemic was not abating. Dr. Roberts, M.O.H., stated that he had no faith in the suggestion of Dr. Frederick H. Knoff, a leading lung specialist, who suggested the eating of three cakes of yeast a day as a preventative. Only one death, that of Bertie Seaman, 99 North Park street, was reported on Saturday. The military authorities decline to state the number of new cases in their hands. A man stricken with the disease from Thorold, having been refused admission to the St. Catharines Hospital, was admitted to the Hamilton General Hospital yesterday. He was in a critical condition. Owing to overcrowding, the local hospital authorities states that they will be compelled to refuse admission to residents of other municipalities if they are brought there without previous arrangement.

### Casualties.

Nine more Hamiltonians have been killed or have died of wounds. Saturday's lists reported: Pte. Norman Murkle, 1st Battalion, 2nd C.O.R.; Lieut. Reg. P. Wilkins, 126th Battalion; Pte. Leon Holmes, 33 Highland avenue; Major Ambrose Johnson, 39 North Holton avenue; Signaller R. Y. Conery, 116 North Sherman avenue; Pte. John Kivlehan, 33 Mayflower avenue, and Lieut. S. W. Scott, Stony Creek, are reported killed. Lieut. E. H. Hall, 118 Balmoral avenue, is dead of wounds.

### Mr. Mikel Will Prosecute.

W. C. Mikel, K.C., Belleville, has been appointed Crown counsel for the Fall Assizes here, commencing November 11. He will be prosecutor at the murder trials of Speranza and Paproni, and of Markoff, the former two charged with killing J. Celoni last February on York street, and the latter with the murder of Temo Georgieff, whose body was found last spring, decapitated, near the high level bridge.

### "Emeritus" for Dr. Briggs?

Subject to ratification by the General Methodist Conference, the Book and Publishing Committee, by a unanimous vote, decided to grant Rev. Dr. Briggs, in recognition of his forty years of service as Book Room Steward, the title of "Officer Emeritus," with a salary of \$2,000. This action of the committee is in direct continuation of the pronouncement of the Conference on the general question a few days ago.