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HOW KING EDWARD SPENT HIS BIRTHDAY

Many Congratulations From all Over the World. Lord Mayor of London Inducted. Admiral Fisher Made a Peer. Two Canadians Were Also Honored.

Special to The Guardian. LONDON, November 9.—King Edward today celebrated his 68th birthday at Sandringham Palace, surrounded by the members of his family and a few intimate friends. Telegrams of congratulation were received from all parts of the world. His Majesty's health is considerably improved. Simultaneously with the King's birthday celebration, Sir John Knill, the new Lord Mayor was inaugurated. The time-honored circus parade was discarded, its place being taken by a procession of London's citizens, soldiers, naval volunteers, fire brigades and boy scouts through beleaguered streets. Admiral Sir John Arbuthnot Fisher, Lord Commissioner of the Admiralty and first naval aide de camp to the King, was elevated to the Peerage.

OIL DESTROYED BY LIGHTNING

Very Great Property Loss in Texas Oil Regions from Electric Bolts.

Special to The Guardian. BEAUMONT, Tex., November 9.—During the rain and electrical storms the lightning played havoc with the oil properties. Lightning set fire to the Gulf Refinery Co's 55,000 barrel tank of Naptha at Port Arthur. Another bolt of lightning set nine of the oil tanks of the Texas Co on fire near Beaumont. They held about 325,000 bbls of crude oil. The total loss will reach half a million dollars. Six hundred employees worked throughout last night throwing up embankments to prevent the flaming oil from spreading over the fields.

FATAL FAILURE IN HYPNOTISM

A Professor Put a Subject to Sleep and Could not Awaken Him. Man is Dead and Hypnotist Under Arrest.

Special to The Guardian. SOMERVILLE, N. J., November 9.—A victim of a hypnotic experiment, Robert Simpson, is dead and Prof Arthur Everton of Newark, hypnotist, is under arrest and in a state of collapse over the failure of his efforts to revive the subject. Simpson was hypnotized at a performance in the theatre here last night. After placing the man in a cataleptic state the hypnotist performed numerous tests in the presence of the audience. When the time came to end the test, Everton found his work had been too thorough and the subject could not be revived. The crowd cheered as the hypnotist put Simpson in a rigid state, placing his hand on one chair and his feet on another, and then stood on the man's body. Then, clapping his hands, Everton tried to revive him in the usual way. There was not the usual response. Simpson's eyes rolled, his jaw dropped and he collapsed and rolled heavily over on the floor. No sign of life was afterward apparent. Prominent hypnotists from other cities will be secured to endeavor to revive Simpson, although the doctors declare him dead.

THOS. COSTELLO DEAD IN OSWEGO

Born in P. E. Island, Sat in the New York State Legislature.

Special to The Guardian. OSWEGO, November 9.—Thos Costello who represented Oswego Co in the State Assembly continuously from 1895 to 1902 died at Altmar today after a long illness. He was born in Prince Edward Island in 1845.

GREAT FLOODS SWEEP JAMAICA

Special to The Guardian. COLON, November 9.—News of extensive floods in Jamaica, which destroyed bridges, roads and telegraph lines and interfered with cable communications, has been received here. Severe rains continue but the wind has moderated. Extensive damage was done to crops and residential property. The present flood is the worst since 1879.

THE PUNISHMENT FITS THE CRIME

Special to The Guardian. SACRAMENTO, November 9.—A sentence of ten years in the penitentiary was imposed upon Claude Wood for manslaughter for running over and killing Jas Smith, but the court ordered the commitment withheld and the defendant placed on probation. In the terms of the probation is a provision compelling Wood to contribute \$25 a month towards the support of the five children he made fatherless by his reckless driving.

DAN McDUGALL WAS COMMITTED

Special to The Guardian. MONTREAL, November 9.—Dan McDougall, President of the local organization of United Iron Workers at Glace Bay, which organized the miners strike against the Dominion Coal Co, was committed for trial in the court of King's Bench on a charge of uttering a libel against the Coal Co.

TRAINS COLLIDE THREE KILLED

Special to The Guardian. KNOXVILLE, Tenn., November 9.—Three train men were killed and 35 injured in a wreck 20 miles north of here today. The northbound passenger train to Cincinnati collided with a southbound freight. The wreck destroyed the communication and blocked the tracks, but part of a train arrived here at daylight bearing the dead and injured.

NEW PROTHONOTARY GLADYS CLARK APPOINTMENT MADE AT OPERA HOUSE

The announcement is made that W.A.O. Morson, K. C., M.L.A., City, has received the appointment of Prothonotary of the Supreme Court of this Province, and Clerk of the Crown. This will be received with general approbation legally and judicially, Mr Morson's long experience at the Bar well fitting him for the position he has now been appointed to fill. Mr Morson's appointment leaves a seat in the Local Legislature vacant, viz., the third District of King's County, which he has represented in Conservative interests since 1902. The Gladys Clark Company appeared at the Opera House last evening in A Parisian Princess, opening a session of five nights and created a decidedly favorable impression. The story is in brief that of a girl in humble life, betrayed by a false lover, left alone and friendless, but who determined resolutely and successfully to make the traitor regret his villainy. Miss Clark in the character of the betrayed girl evinced great versatility and was especially attractive in the third, fourth and fifth acts. The support was good. A vein of comedy runs through the piece. The specialties between acts included monologues, songs and dances. Billy Kincaid's comic juggling was noteworthy for many capital new features, and is alone quite worth the price of admission. To-night the play will be the strong comedy drama The Counterfeiters. Camille will be put on Thursday evening, and a Saturday matinee is also promised by the company, whose season has opened so auspiciously.

SEVERE TYPHOON IN PHILIPPINES

Special to The Guardian. MANILA, November 9.—Panay, Island of Visayas, a group of the Philippines, was crossed by a typhoon on last Sunday. The storm was especially severe in Capise province where many houses were destroyed. Tens of thousands people are homeless and much property and crops were destroyed. Wind was accompanied by heavy rains and much of the country is flooded.

RIFLE MATCH AT YORK RANGE

A very interesting match took place at York recently between teams of eight men representing the single and married members of D. C. B. A. The day was anything but good for high scoring rain, with a very tricky wind, combined to make high scores almost impossible. Notwithstanding this some very good ones were made. The match was 10 rounds at 200 yards and 10 at 500, and at 200 the married members succeeded in leaving their opponents away back in the rear, but on coming to the 5 the keen eyes of the single men, told in the semi-darkness, and they succeeded in beating their married friends but not enough to make up for their loss of the 200 yards so the honors belong for a time and the single men say a short time to the married with the wife. Below are the scores made by each team.

MARRIED.	200, 500, Total.
Col G. Crockett	46 45 91
Sgt J. M. Crockett	46 40 86
Pte A. Jackson	40 42 82
Pte J. Duck	43 37 80
Pte B. R. Brown	39 39 78
Pte P. Brodie	40 36 76
Pte E. Brown	43 34 77
Capt W. E. Hardy	36 29 65
Total	635
SINGLE.	200, 500, Total.
Pte J. Garrum	43 46 89
Lieut R. Crockett	42 44 84
Lieut B. Duck	38 44 82
Pte A. Brown	39 40 79
Sgt W. W. Duck	40 37 77
Sgt A. Doyle	34 42 76
Pte M. Hardy	43 28 71
Lieut N. Gill	28 31 59
Total	615

Majority for married men 20.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WIN THEIR STRIKE

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov 8.—The 400 girl and boy strikers who have left West High school a practically deserted building since Wednesday, will return to their studies tomorrow morning. This decision followed a conference of the strikers' committee with the school board tonight, and the children regard the result as a victory for them. A deputation of fathers and mothers, appointed from the parent league, will appear before the school council tomorrow night to present in full the arguments against a double session plan. They will support the plea of the youngsters that an afternoon session takes away the chance of schooling from those who must work half the day to earn their education. The strikers have kept up their regular studies during the strike, and will be prepared to recite their back lessons at the opening of school. This prevents the threatened strike at South Glenville and other high schools still adhering to double sessions.

WATCH IN COW RAN NINE YEARS

WINSTED, Conn., Nov 8.—Orrin Woodin, a Harwinton farmer, who lost a cheap watch nine years ago while haying, has just recovered the time-piece in a novel manner. He butchered one of his cows and when engaged in dressing the bovine heard a ticking noise. An investigation disclosed the lost watch, still keeping time but two hours too slow. Woodin thinks the cow must have swallowed the watch when eating hay. The watch was a stem-winding affair, and every time the bovine breathed, Woodin thinks, it pressed against the stomach, thus keeping it wound up. Prof Blob, of the Forty-second Street Agricultural and Irrigation Commission, said: "Until this bulletin from Winsted the world never knew that a cow could wind a watch by chewing its cud. I await with impatience further information to the effect that the cow's death was caused by grief when she found that, although the watch which she had wound with care after each meal for nine years was two hours slow, she could not open the case to adjust the works."

SIREN SONG PROGRESS CAN'T LURE HIM

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov 8.—J. G. Billings, a photographer of the old school, who has been a resident of Argentina for years, and who has just moved to Mabelvale, a small inland village removed from railways, telegraphs, etc., is one of the advantages of original transportation. Mr Billings has turned a deaf ear to the siren song of progress and has pursued the even tenor of his way, harking not to the gibes and squibs of those who adopt latter-day modes. He still drives a yoke of oxen, making all his trips by this primitive mode of transportation. "They're good enough and fast enough for me," said Billings, as he cracked his whip dangerously near the hip of the off-wheeler. "I've used oxen for nearly fifty years, and they never failed me. They are not as swift as an automobile, not as steady as a brass-trimmed street car, but they can go when I call on them, and if I get stuck in the mud they weave from side to side until something moves. I've read the daily papers for years and kept up with what the world is doing, but I am still sticking to my oxen. "Yes, siree, I am never going to forsake the faithful animals that served my father and transported me in my childhood. "Gee-up!" And he cracked his bull whip over their backs. "Buck!" and "Bright!" amused around the corner and alongside a street car.

EELS IN WATERWHEEL STOP PAPER MILL

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., Nov. 7.—The recent rains, while they came as a blessing in Columbia County, also brought problems, for the sudden rise in Fishing Creek caused a sudden run of eels, which got into the water wheel of the Bloomsburg paper mill, necessitating a suspension of operations. Late in the night it was noticed that the water supply was not as great as it should have been, and when an investigation was made it was found that a number of large eels had passed through the race and getting into the water wheel had clogged it. To again place the wheel in operation it was necessary to cut the eels out with a butcher knife and as some could not be reached, it was necessary to take the wheel partly apart.

SUPREME COURT

Yesterday the Supreme Court heard the application made on behalf of the defendant for a non-suit in the case of Parhamson vs Weeks. This was an action for damages tried at the last sitting of the Court in Georgetown when the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff for one hundred dollars damages. The court reserved judgment. Johnson, K. C., and Gallet, for the plaintiff; Misses K. C. for the defendant. Buchanan vs The Grand Orange Lodge of P. E. Island. Application for a non-suit for a new trial now before the Court.

MESSENGER BOY SENT TO JAIL

TORONTO, November 8.—George Warring, a messenger in the employ of the Great North Western Telephone company, was sentenced to sixty days jail today for the theft of \$3.75. The money had been given him to pay a cablegram which a Toronto wholesale house had entrusted to him. The boy kept the money and tore up the message. The message was an order for goods. The price of the goods took a jump soon after and the wholesale house is trying to hold the telegraph company responsible for \$10,000, the difference in price.

REPORT OF ROOSEVELT'S ILLNESS UNTRUE

MOMBASA, Nov 8.—The government, which has been investigating the rumors concerning the illness of ex-President Roosevelt, while not successful in getting into direct communication with Colonel Roosevelt has at least learned sufficient to satisfy the officials that there is no truth in these rumors. ROME, Nov 8.—John W. Garrett, secretary of the American embassy, received another despatch today from Messrs Newland and Taylor, of Nairobi, friends of Colonel Roosevelt, who are following up their investigation as to the origin of the report of Mr Roosevelt's illness. The despatch was as follows. "Have ascertained that no uncodified telegrams have been despatched from this protectorate that could be responsible for the Roosevelt rumor, which is obviously untrue. Colonel Roosevelt is away from a railway. We are trying to communicate with him. He will wire direct."

GERMAN PARLIAMENT NOVEMBER 30

BERLIN, Nov 8.—Emperor William will open the Reichstag on November 30, with the speech from the throne.

BARQUE'S BATTLE WITH HURRICANE

PORTLAND, Me, Nov 8.—After a passage of eighteen days, during which she was repeatedly blown off shore, the Norwegian bark Amsterdam arrived light today from Sydney, Cape Breton, Oct 20. Five days after sailing she ran into a northwest hurricane off the Nova Scotia coast and was blown off shore to the Gulf Stream, the lower topsail being blown away. Last Thursday night when off the Cape Elizabeth Lights, the she was blown back to Matineus Island, the following day she was blown to Boone Island by a shift of the wind, and since then the crew has been working her into Casco Bay. The Wesleyan says—Some time ago we reported that sheds for beams were under construction at the appointments of Victoria and Tryon. We are now able to say that at Victoria the building is about completed and at Tryon the work is well along. Many expressions of appreciation are heard. At Crapaud, congregations are large and much enterprising interest is evinced. A debt of fifty dollars has been paid; and lately the old oil lamps have been removed from the church, and a new system of lighting, viz, by gasoline, installed. The four globes afford mild, perfectly distributed and sufficient light. We fail to remember any light equal to this. The pastor greatly appreciates the ease and interest apparent in doing these things. The platform in Victoria church has been extended to admit the choir being placed at the back of the pulpit instead of being as formerly in the gallery; and the interior now presents a very pleasing appearance. At Appin Road, the church has been painted both on the outside and inside. The Methodist property there is now a neat and attractive spot, a new fence also having been erected. The work is paid for. Such improvement is very encouraging. The pastor and people were gratified on Sunday 24th inst. by the reception of three young people into full membership at the Tryon appointment.

AEROPLANE SERVICE CALAIS TO DOVER

LONDON, Nov 8.—A company is being formed to organize an aeroplane service across the English Channel between Calais and Dover. There will be accommodation on each aeroplane for four passengers. It is estimated that in fine weather the journey either way would take only about twenty minutes, so that during the day something like twenty journeys could be accomplished. Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper. Minard's Liniment cures Garget in cows.

BRITISH SHIP COULD SAIL AROUND DAKOTA

MONTREAL, Nov 8.—The ill-fated Dakota, which was reported as the fastest battleship of the Dreadnought type afloat just previous to her accident by which a boiler tube blew out, badly injuring four men, is not regarded at all seriously here by those who know. It was claimed that the Dakota could make 22.25 knots as a maximum; but this was reduced to a maximum average of only 21.833 per hour. Now, it was stated this morning by a Montrealer who has always taken a deep interest in British naval affairs that the British Dreadnoughts are known to make an average of over twenty-three knots an hour. The exact figures are not known, for the British navy does not think well to publish her secrets broadcast. In the supplementary reports which told of the almost fatal accident to this new American warship, the figures in the official four-hour endurance run were still further reduced. 21.71 was the most the Dakota made in the first two hours, and 21.64 in the third. Then the explosion came, showing that the vessel could not stand even this comparatively low speed. It is not uninteresting to remember that H. M. S. Indefatigable has an average speed of twenty-five knots an hour, while all the warships of the torpedo boat class can make thirty-three knots on an average. For these reasons yesterday's report from Portland, Me., is considered in Montreal as merely another case of Yankee superlativeness.

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AUTO UTS VILLAGE OUT OF BUSINESS

SOUTH EGREMONT, Mass., Nov 8.—The automobile has dealt a severe blow to this village, which faces extinction industrially as the result of the gradual disappearance of the old-time carriages from the highways. The Dazell Axle Company, the only industry here, announces that its factory will be closed in a few days, because of an unprofitable business. About 100 hands were employed.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Nov 9.—(Special).
Nov Corn 58 1/2
Dec Corn 60 1/2
Dec Wheat 103 1/2
Nov Wheat 102 1/2

COOLER.

SPECIAL TO THE GUARDIAN. TORONTO, November 10.—Moderate winds fine and cooler. The length of today will be close hours and fifty-three minutes.

GIFT FROM EARL ROBERTS TO CHARLOTTETOWN CADET

On Friday afternoon next, at 2 15 P. M., the Hall of the West Coast School, Charlottetown, P. E. I., Dominion of Canada, from Field Marshal the Right Hon Earl Roberts, K.C. K.P.C. C.B. O. M. G. C.S. I. G. C. E. I. V. C., of Candahar, Pretoria and Waterford, Late Commander-in-Chief. Dated 18-10-09. Just below this inscription is the Coat of Arms of the "Roberts' Boys". The others include photos of various Cadets, some of them being noted as "first visitors at Bales of the Cadets from the overseas" among whom are two Canadian Cadets, Sergeant G. Haggarty and Cadet Captain A. J. Flood. These are indeed splendid souvenirs and Cadet McKenzie will feel particularly proud of his presents from Britain's greatest latter day Military Field Officer, and will be, to a certain extent, recompensed for his rather painful experience of last summer. The presentation will be made by Col O'Glyvie, D.O.C., and it is expected that the Lieutenant Governor will also be present, besides the Secretary and members of the City School Board. Cadet McKenzie is a son of John T. McKenzie of the Canadian Imperial

TWO FIRES IN ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, November 8.—Sunday afternoon the roof of Dr Withers' house caught by a spark from the chimney and narrowly escaped destruction. No sooner was the blaze extinguished by our active firemen that it was found that the beautiful house built by the late Augustus Fullerton, about a mile and a half west of Annapolis, was on fire. The firemen immediately ran to the scene where neighbors had already gathered to do what they could with water only obtainable from wells. The fire originated from wood work being too near a chimney, and the house was burnt to the ground. It was owned and occupied by Mr Leonard Fullerton and his stepmother, to both of whom the loss will be heavy, notwithstanding that most of the furniture was saved. There was, it is said, some insurance.