

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

Met Yesterday to Hear of Progress, Prosperity and a Good Surplus

Special to The Guardian. TORONTO, Jan. 24—The Legislature assembled today. In the speech from the Throne the experiment of using prison labor on the roads in the Porcupine district was declared to be a success. The Government will build a railway into the Porcupine country. The agricultural situation in the Province is declared to be most satisfactory. An increased appropriation will be made for bringing in farm laborers and servants from the Old Country. Amendments will be introduced to the licensing laws. A good surplus is announced. Plans are being drawn for a new residence for the Lieutenant Governor.

UNDESIRABLE IMMIGRANTS

Being Smuggled Into Canada at Niagara, One Smuggler Caught and Fined

Special to The Guardian. NIAGARA FALLS, Jan. 24—Chief Inspector Wilcox of the Immigration Department says an organized band of foreign smugglers are bringing in undesirable immigrants. His statement was prompted by the arrest of two men. The younger of these, Hagop Abrahamian of Brantford, was charged with smuggling the older man, a Sicilian, into Canada from the United States. He was found guilty and fined \$75 and costs.

UNITED STATES TOBACCO FRAUD

Special to The Guardian. NEW YORK, Jan. 24—A country-wide investigation which the Treasury Department has started has disclosed discrepancies in the wrapper and filler statistics of the tobacco imports from Cuba which have deprived the Government of between \$3,000,000 and \$5,000,000 annually for the last five years.

THE CABLE AND MARKET REPORTS

Speaking to The Guardian last evening regarding the McCurdy cable between this Province and the mainland, Mr. Vessey, city, provincial manager for that firm, stated that it was not known just to what extent the cable was damaged. If the break, if it is such, is near the shore it might be repaired without much loss of time, and men will be sent to locate the difficulty as soon as possible. For the present, however, those financially interested who have been following the stock market quotations and letters in The Guardian will receive in substitution thereof New York, Montreal Stocks and the Cotton Exchange. This will continue until the cable is again in working order.

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPECTING TO REAP BENEFIT

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., January 22.—The decision of the United States Treasury department that duty must be collected on fish cargoes purchased abroad and taken to American ports in American fishing vessels, is regarded in government circles here as likely to operate to the advantage of Newfoundland fishermen, who will be able to compete on equal terms in American markets with American vessels. Heretofore American vessels have secured free entry for fish purchased by them. One outcome of the decision is expected to be the employment of colonial vessels to carry herring cargoes from the southern bays. The colonial cabinet will not grant American vessels permits to purchase cargoes there, and The Hague decision denies them access to these bays. Minard's Liniment cures Distemper.

SHE MADE HOME HAPPY

"She made home happy?" These few words I read Within a churchyard, written on a stone; No name, no date, the simple words alone her story of the unknown dead. A marble column lifted high its head Close by, inscribed to one the world had known; But ah! that lovely grave with moss o'er grown Thrilled me far more than his who armies led.

"She made home happy!" Through the long sad years The mother toiled, and never stopped to rest Until her crossed her hands upon And closed her eyes, no longer dim with tears, The simple record that she left behind Was grander than the soldier's, to my mind. —Henry Coyle in Youth's Companion.

BRUTAL MURDER OF WOMAN IN APARTMENT IN MONTREAL

The House Fired and Body Burned Bloody Evidence of Fearful Struggle

NO WEAPONS FOUND

Special to The Guardian. MONTREAL, Jan. 24—That a brutal tragedy has been enacted and an effort made to hide the crime by setting fire to a house was the theory of the police when they visited the apartment of Mrs. Jos. Martin, who was found charred almost beyond recognition. When the dead woman's rooms were broken into this morning a cursory examination showed that the blaze had started outside the bedroom where the deceased woman slept. The body was found huddled on the kitchen floor, her arms crossed under her head. At her feet lay fragments of an exploded lamp, while a chair was upturned nearby. Thick clots of blood on the walls and furniture of several rooms were found. There was every evidence that a fearful struggle had taken place before the house was set on fire, and woman, dead or alive was left a prey to the flames. Blood covered the walls of the passage way and two of the rooms. The railing around the stove in the kitchen where the body was found was covered with it, while the chairs and tables bore terrible evidence of the crime. The body was burned almost to a cinder and it is doubtful whether the doctors will be able to discover the real cause of death. No weapon was found in the house and the police are without a clue.

MACOON'S PARTY FROM HUDSON BAY RETURNS

Had Forty Days Tramp to Winnipeg With Mercury Fifty Below Zero. One Sick Man Was Left Behind.

Special to The Guardian. HALIFAX, Jan. 24—Members of Prof. Macoon's party, which went to Hudson Bay on the steamer Stanley have arrived back home, with the exception of Alfred Naugle. Naugle took a severe cold which developed into pneumonia. When the party left he was on the road to recovery. He was left at the mounted police station at Fort Churchill. The thermometer was down to 51 on the tramp to Winnipeg. The Halifax men who went to the schooner Christie Thomey are now on their way from Nelson River to Winnipeg.

TREASON LURKS IN PORTUGAL

Special to The Guardian. LISBON, Jan. 24—The Government is experiencing some difficulties in provinces at Loria in Estremadura, 75 miles northeast of Lisbon. A Catholic bishop named Parin has been arrested, charged with treason, inciting soldiers to mutiny to bring about the restoration of the monarchy. Many monarchists, including journalists have been exiled.

GLOSTER FLEET IN HARD LUCK

Special to The Guardian. BAY OF ISLANDS, Nfld., Jan. 24—Retreating before the southward movement of icebergs along the Newfoundland coast, the Gloucester fishing fleet has abandoned the season's herring fishing. Three vessels have failed to secure any fish and eleven schooners carried only partial fares. Only five vessels secured approximately full cargoes.

C. W. KIELLY PASSES AWAY

The death occurred suddenly in the P. E. I. Hospital last evening of C. W. Kielly, Stanley Bridge. The deceased entered the Hospital a few hours before his death, suffering from anaemia. He was a comparatively good man and when in his customary good health was energetic and active. He was inspector of schools for Queen's County, having served in that capacity for a number of years past. He was a capable official, was well qualified educationally for the important position he held and which he so efficiently filled. He leaves to mourn a widow, three sons and three daughters, besides a number of other immediate relatives. To these The Guardian tenders its sincere sympathy.

BUTTER TRUST LOSES

CHICAGO, Jan. 20—The butter market has been demoralized for a week owing to enormous cold-storage supplies of the butter trust which were held for high prices and are now coming on the New York and Chicago markets in competition with fresh butter. The enormous corn crop and an open winter have allowed producers of fresh butter to feed cattle cheaply and keep the market supplied. The trust had not figured on the big drop in corn prices, the lowest in 10 years. They combed the country of butter at low prices and put it in storage and waited for the usual 40-cent-a-pound, the winter price. With plenty of good feed for cows the trust faced enormous losses and it is letting go of the storage stuff. Butter in Chicago today at wholesale ranged from 25 to 28 cents. In New York it was about the same. This is a drop of 10 cents a pound from the usual mid-winter price.

COMMUNICATION WITH MAINLAND

Yesterday the Earl Grey left Georgetown at 8.30 a. m. for Pictou and arrived there at 11.00. She leaves Pictou this morning at 7.00 and will attempt to reach this port. The Minto yesterday left Pictou at 7.00 and arrived in Georgetown at 10.15. She leaves this morning at 8.30 for Pictou. A special train will leave this city this morning at 6.15 to connect with the Minto and should reach this port and has to put into Georgetown a mail special will leave this city tonight at 8.45, taking passengers and mails to cross to Pictou on the Earl Grey tomorrow morning. In yesterday's issue in this column the statement was omitted that the Earl Grey, on the previous day, had attempted to reach this port before proceeding to Georgetown.

FAIR

Special to The Guardian. TORONTO, Jan. 25—Fresh to strong southerly to westerly winds, fair and mild.

The coldest last night and up to three o'clock this morning was twenty-seven degrees above zero; the warmest in the same period was twenty-nine degrees above and at three o'clock this morning it was twenty-nine degrees above. The lowest temperature recorded yesterday was ten degrees above zero and the highest was twenty-six above up till nine p. m. The lowest recorded the previous night was nine above. The length of today will be nine hours and twenty-nine minutes. The sun sets this afternoon at 4.57 and rises tomorrow morning at 7.27. The moon sets tomorrow morning at 4.51.

A Hot Shot on Home Shopping

When you consider that foreign mail order houses have to buy their goods from the same retail houses as local men you'll appreciate the benefit of home shopping. Minard's Liniment cures Diphtheria.

ARABS MAKING MURDEROUS WAR

A Holy Crusade Proclaimed. Men, Women and Children Tortured and Slain

Special to The Guardian. ADEN, Arabia, Jan. 24—Thirty thousand Arabs under command of Iman Pahya have seized the town of Yemen, threatening a massacre of the 50,000 inhabitants in a holy war which has been proclaimed. In the effort to found an independent kingdom in Abyssinia, ten villages have been captured by the Arabs and their inhabitants put to the sword. More than 300 men, women and children have been tortured and slain and among them were many Christian natives. The Turkish Government will send a vast army against the rebels, as the loyalty of the troops stationed in Abyssinia is in doubt.

AUSTRIA BUILDS DREADNOUGHTS

Special Vote to Provide Funds and Army Estimates Largely Increased

Special to The Guardian. BERLIN, Jan. 24—An extraordinary credit of \$11,000,000 as the first installment towards the construction of the new warships, appears in the Austro-Hungarian budget navy program for the next six years. It provides for four Dreadnoughts of 20,000 tons each, 3 cruisers, 12 torpedo boats and six submarines at a total cost of \$62,400,000. The army estimates for the coming year have been increased by \$8,600,000, the total expenditures being placed at \$448,000,000.

COPPER POISON FROM OYSTERS

Special to The Guardian. WASHINGTON, Jan. 24—That many mysterious cases of illness may be attributed to copper poisoning from oysters is the opinion of the Bureau of Chemistry. Experts are now testing specimens secured from the supposed suspected beds. Many have been found to contain copper. These beds will be condemned.

JAP ANARCHISTS WERE EXECUTED

Special to The Guardian. TOKYO, Jan. 24—Twelve Anarchists convicted of conspiracy against the throne and Imperial family were executed today. They included the alleged ring-leader, Denjire Kotoku and wife.

UNIVERSAL PEACE A LONG WAY OFF

NEW YORK, January 21—President Taft tonight began in earnest his campaign for the fortification of the Panama canal. His entire speech at the annual banquet of the Pennsylvania society in New York was devoted to this subject. In the senate, the president has been told the sentiment in favor of fortification is almost two to one. The house seems pretty evenly divided, but not along partisan lines. In his speech tonight the President declared that there was absolutely no treaty obligation in the way of fortification. (Continued on page 4.)

FUNERAL OF LATE BENJAMIN ROGERS

The funeral of the late Benjamin Rogers took place yesterday afternoon at two-thirty. The attendance was very large and bore fitting testimony to the respect in which a deceased citizen had been held. The procession, headed by the Masonic Fraternity of which the deceased was a prominent member (and also a Shriner), was an impressive one. (Continued on page 8.)

MCCURDY'S FLIGHT BE ON TUESDAY

HAVANA, Jan. 22—J. A. D. McCurdy, who is to make a flight from Key West to Havana, and who arrived here yesterday on the United States torpedo boat destroyer Paulding for the purpose of picking out a suitable landing place, inspected the parade ground and polo field at Camp Columbia today. He decided that the polo field was an ideal spot for landing. He will leave here tomorrow on the Paulding for Key West, and it is his present intention to start Tuesday morning between 8 and 9 o'clock on his aerial voyage to Cuba. He expects to make the run in two hours, should the present favorable conditions continue. He will circle Morro castle and then follow the line of the Malecon drive along the shore to the camp. Minard's Liniment cures colds, etc.

REVIVAL FUND PROVES SHORT

Special to The Guardian. TORONTO, Jan. 24—The great Chappman Alexander revival campaign in Toronto faces a deficit of \$5,000 according to the statement made by ex-Mayor Urquhart, who is in charge of the finances.

DAVID RUSSELL SUES PINKERTONS

MONTREAL, Jan. 21—Writs were issued today at the instance of David Russell, former maritime province newspaper owner, financier and promoter, in a suit for \$200,000 damages against the heads of the Pinkerton detective agency, and John W. Macdonald. (Continued on Page Six.)

Condensed Advertisements

- (Too late for Classification.) FRESH EGGS, 30c. Good Baking Eggs, 26c Doz., at Tanton's. 1-24dvw. HALIBUT, Extra quality, at Tanton's. 1-24dvw. FOR SALE, at a bargain, an I. C. S. Scholarship won in a contest. A large number of subjects to choose from. Would make a very desirable gift. Apply at Guardian Office. 12-5drtf. TO LET, tenement in Gaytown, Euston St., a bull dog. Finder please return. 1-25d3pdp. WASHINGTON and housework will be done for families by applying at 23 Spring St. 1-25d3pdp. FRESH pork, beef, sausages, herring, cod and mince haddies at Bradley's, Kent St. 1-25d3pdp. LOST, between Hillsboro and Kent Sts., signet ring. Finder return to this office. 1-25d3pdp. FOUND, a muff. Owner may have same by calling at 169 Water St. and paying for this ad. 1-25d3pdp. A FEW YOUNG ladies can be comfortably accommodated at a reasonable rate by applying at 6 Stewart St. 1-25d1wpp. NOTICE, Madame White, Hair Dresser, has returned from Toronto, and will meet the ladies who are interested at 154 Pownall. 1-25d3pdp. LOST on Saturday, crossing the ice between this City and Bonbury, a ladies mink muff. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office. 1-25d3pdp. TO LET, that desirable residence on Upper Hillsboro Street, lately occupied by L. H. Beer; possession given at once. Apply to T. L. Altken, 7 Upper Hillsboro St. 10-2dtrf. Minard's Liniment cures garget in cows

SLIGHT BLAZE ON NAVIGATION WHARF

Yesterday afternoon the firemen were called out to a fire in a small blacksmith shop belonging to the Charlottetown Steam Navigation Company on their wharf. The fire was discovered shortly after four o'clock and almost immediately afterwards the employees of Bruce Stewart & Co., had an old fashioned bucket line going, which, though of some benefit in staying a more rapid progress of the flames, was not effectual by reason of the good headway the fire had before it was discovered. The firemen answered the call with great promptness and with two streams going, soon got it under control. The damage is principally to the roof of the blacksmith shop and the wall of the freightshed adjoining. The blaze was caused by a fire in the former building.

NEW HAVEN ROAD PROHIBITS CARD PLAYING ON TRAINS

BOSTON, Jan. 21—The N. Y. N. H. & Hartford Railroad today issued orders to its conductors to stop all card playing on the trains. Another order is that children shall not ride in the smoker either alone or accompanied by an older person.

AEROPLANE ROUTES FOR ALASKA MAIL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20—The United States Government contemplates installation, in time of aeroplanes for mail carrying purposes in Alaska. This is learned from an official source. It will be impossible, however, to put the mail carrying aeroplanes into use in Alaska until Congress makes an appropriation for their purchase or increases the annual amount of money set aside for the Signal Corps. It is this branch of the army that conducts all lines of communication in Alaska, including the telegraph, the wireless, the cable and the carrying of much of the mail.

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