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## INDEPENDENTS BELIEVE GOVERNMENT WILL WIN

### Unprecedented Scenes Expected on the Eve of the Great Election in England. About Sixty Seats Will be Contested and the Results Will be Known Saturday.

Special to The Guardian. LONDON, January 9—Premier Balfour and Joseph Chamberlain will be the first members of the new Parliament.

and West Birmingham respectively, will be declared elected on Friday next. The Unionists find in the circumstance a good omen. About sixty seats will be contested and the results will be known between eleven and twelve o'clock on Saturday night.

In the political clubs and on the streets, surrounding the newspaper offices there will be great scenes. An independent opinion believes that the Government will be returned with a greatly reduced majority.

## TO PROBE NEW YORK WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC

### Allegations of Evil Must be Proved or Disproved Say Judge

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The men responsible for the white slave traffic of the world; that as a clearing house for the infamous traffic it exceeds Paris, and that as the result of political protection the white slave dealers are waxing rich and powerful at the expense of their unfortunate victims, will have to prove their case.

The grand jury investigation, which is to be conducted by a jury of which John D. Rockefeller, Jr. is foreman, ever undertaken in the city of New York. This was decided on at a conference today participated in by Rockefeller, Judge O'Sullivan, of the Court of General Sessions; District Attorney Chas. F. Whitman, and Assistant District Attorney Applton, who will conduct the inquiry for the people.

## PRAIRIE SNOW SWEEP, MAN FROZEN TO DEATH

ZEALANDIA, via, Saskatoon, Sask.—Jan. 8.—Thomas Russell, homesteader, was hauling coal with a friend in Friday's storm when the horse gave out, so the men unhitched and mounted their horses. The wearied animals, however, could not make any headway, so Russell's partner went ahead to secure help for his friend, but he lost his way and it was three a. m. before he reached his shack. By the time the rescue party found Russell he was frozen to death. Two other men are reported missing.

## HIGHWAYMAN ROBBED B. C. CONDUCTOR

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 8.—Highwayman held up D. McCarthy, of the B. C. Electric Railway, at the end of his run last night at Cedar Cove, taking his fare box and loose cash, totaling \$30.

## MANY COBALT MEN ARRESTED

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—The recent wholesale arrests of Cobalt men on the charge of illegally dealing in silver ore resulted in nine men being committed to the sessions for trial. One of them, Dr. J. E. Matheson, proprietor of one of the mines on Lombard street, has also to face the charge of purchasing ore, knowing it to be stolen. But, as the ore has not been proven to be stolen, that charge will have to wait the result of the sessions trials.

Minard's Liniment cures distemper.

## NARROW ESCAPE FROM THE FLAMES

MONTREAL, January 9.—Fighting through flames and smoke, thirty Christian Brothers, with singed and scorched faces, narrowly escaped being burned to death in their dormitory shortly after midnight. Flames were bursting from the lower floor while the Brothers were sleeping on the upper story.

## MONTREAL DETECTIVE HAS BEEN DISMISSED

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—Police circles are deeply stirred over the dismissal of Detective Gorman, of the city staff, now in England under orders to bring a prisoner back to this country. The reason given is that Gorman was requested to see Chief Campin before leaving, which he did not do.

## WE ARE ONLY A BRITISH COLONY

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—Hon. ex-Judge Mathieu in an address here took strong issue with those who went through the length and breadth of the land crying that Canada was a nation. "We are only a colony," declared Judge Mathieu. "But our constitution is as liberal as it can be made in consideration of the fact that we are a colony and therefore a dependency."

## MONCTON AT HAVE FAST SPEEDWAY

MONCTON, Jan. 8.—Moncton horse men have decided on a speedway for the coming winter, and at an enthusiastic meeting last evening the Moncton Driving Club was formed, and it was decided to construct a speedway on Tingley Marsh, at the border of the city, where there is a fine level stretch. Dr. F. A. Taylor was elected president of the Club, with P. A. Belliveau as secretary.

The weather here continues bitterly cold. Early this morning thermometers registered below zero, and by noon today the mercury was still below zero point. The weather is by far the coldest of the present winter. The Intermediate Hockey League, on which Moncton enthusiasts are obliged to depend this winter in the absence of a senior team, will open tomorrow night.

Minard's Liniment cures Garget in Cows

## COLLEGE HAS HOOKWORM GERM

NEW ORLEANS, January 9.—Consentation prevails among the students of Tulane College following the examination for Hook worm. It is announced that one third of the students are infected with the parasite. Practically all those affected are apparently robust specimens of manhood.

## PERSIA'S EX-SHAH SEES 'WONDERS IN NEW LIFE'

ODESSA, Jan. 8.—The Ex Shah of Persia, who is living under the protection of the Czar, is tramping the city all day and night, gathering impressions of the civilized world. Before he left Persia he had never seen a railway car, steamer or printing press. He has never ridden in an elevator. Sanitary arrangements were entirely unknown to him, and that men and women walk erect in his presence, without shedding their boots and knocking their foreheads on the pavement, is a perpetual element of wonderment to the former tyrant.

## MENELIK NEAR DEATH FOREIGNERS IN DANGER

MILAN ITALY, Jan. 8.—The foreign colony of Adis Ababa, the capital of Abyssinia, is in danger of attack by the natives, according to a despatch received today by the Corriere della Sera from its correspondent, who is en route to Adis Ababa, and who telegraphed his paper from quorum. The correspondent declares that the aged King Menelik is near death, and as turned the Government of Abyssinia over to Jij Jassu, his youthful grandson. A revolt against Jij Jassu in which the foreigners will be involved, is said to be imminent. Many of the tribes have never acknowledged the authority of Menelik, and they are preparing for open rebellion the moment Menelik dies. The foreigners are preparing to take refuge in the legation.

## HELPLESS, SHE WATCHED FLAMES CREEP NEAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Bound foot and hand, Mrs. Josephine Genzatti sat and watched the flames of her burning house creep nearer and nearer last night, until just before they reached her, firemen burst down the door. She had refused to pay \$500 demanded from her in a Black Hand letter last August. Two men who said they were plumbers, knocked at her door last night, with permission from the landlord, they said, to repair the plumbing. No sooner were they admitted than they took a different tone. "We are the men who wrote that letter," said the spokesman, "give us the money or we will kill you."

Mrs. Genzatti fainted from fright. When she recovered she was bound to the chair and the room had been set on fire. The woman was nearly dead from terror and suffocation when rescued.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colic Etc. CHICAGO MARKETS. CHICAGO, Jan 8.—(Special.)—Jan Wheat ..... 113 1/2 Feb Wheat ..... 103 3/4 Jan Corn ..... 68 1/2 Feb Corn ..... 68 1/2

## N. S. HOCKEY WAS PROFESSIONAL

### Some Trouble Will Likely Follow Revelations in Frederickson's Squabble

Special to The Guardian. FREDERICTON, N. B., January 9.—Evidence in the legal dispute over Hockey management reveals the fact that practically every player on the Fredericton team last season was engaged on a regular salary.

James Musick, Charlottetown, got fifteen dollars per week and his board. As most of the players are now engaged with the Nova Scotia League teams, interesting developments are expected.

## KLOTZ HAS LEFT FOR PITTSBURG

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—McGill University has suffered the loss of another good man in the person of Dr. Oskar Klotz, of the medical faculty. Dr. Klotz has been a lecturer on pathology and bacteriology at McGill University for the past seven years. He has just been appointed in full charge of the new Faculty of Pathology in Pittsburg University, which is considered a most important post. He will take up his new duties without delay. Dr. Klotz left McGill at the end of the December term, and as yet no one has been considered to fill his place. In fact, no applications have been made as yet. It is possible that the matter will come up for discussion at the next meeting of the board of governors on Monday.

## KAISER RECEIVES CHINESE ENVOYS

BERLIN, Jan. 8.—The Chinese Naval Commission arrived here today to make a study of German naval affairs. Prince Oscar met the visitors at the railroad station and accompanied them to their hotel. The commission, which is headed by Prince Tsai Chun, brother of the Chinese Regent, was received at noon by Emperor William, Crown Prince Frederick William and other royal princes and the Chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the members of his Cabinet being present. Prince Tsai Chun, addressing the Emperor, remarked the achievements of the German shipbuilding yards, which he said were known the world over, and rejoiced especially that he should be able to see with his own eyes Germany's progress in ship construction.

Emperor William replied briefly, expressing great satisfaction because the commission had been sent to the German. He had given orders, he said, that the object of the visit be facilitated in every way possible and was convinced that the good relations between Germany and China would be promoted by the present mission. The Emperor conferred upon the Chinese Prince the Grand Cross of the Order of the Red Eagle. Tomorrow the Commissioners will proceed to Stettin and thence to Hamburg and Kiel for the purpose of studying the shipyards and the naval establishments.

## DISCREDITS FINDING OF BALLOON

BAGROR, Me., Jan. 8.—Just before his lecture last night, Commander Peary took occasion to discredit the reports of the discovery of the remains of Andree's balloon, 900 miles north of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, near Reindeer Lake, in the Arctic circle, which have been sent out by Catholic missionaries in that region. He is confident that the Andree expedition never reached the Pole. "Similar reports of the finding of wreckage from the ill-fated Jeanette on the north coast of Siberia were reported until they were finally discredited by the knowledge that Melville and De Long had landed at Lena Delta," said Commander Peary. "In my opinion, Andree's party came to grief, and their balloon dropped into the polar ocean shortly after their start. The chances are that they were either drowned or that they starved miserably to death, up on an ice floe. I doubt if their exact fate will ever be known."

Special to The Guardian. TORONTO, January 10.—Fresh winds shifting to westerly and north-westerly; some light falls of snow or sleet, turning colder again at night. The length of today will be nine hours and seven minutes.

## NOBLE CARDINAL DIED SATURDAY

### Satoli, Bishop, Archpriest and Prefect Has Passed to His Eternal Reward —He Was of Noble Birth

Special to The Guardian. ROME, January 9.—Francesco Satoli, Bishop of Frascati, Archpriest of Basilica and Prefect Congregation of Studies, died on Saturday. Death followed nephritis and atrophy of right lung, contracted last June, complicated recently with blood poisoning.

## LIVELY TIMES AT COAL CO'S MINE

### Police Had to be Called in to Quell the Disturbance—Some Arrests Made.

Special to The Guardian. SYDNEY, N. S., January 9.—On Saturday when the Coal Company attempted to re-open Dominion No. 6, crowds of strikers interfered with the employees and endeavored to damage the property. The police were summoned and a lively tussle occurred; finally ten strikers were arrested and many others were dispersed. It is said the strike will be officially called off within a month.

## COLLEGE GIRLS SHOULD RECEIVE

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—One of the questions before the meeting of deans of fourteen universities held here was the advisability of permitting college girls to receive attention from young men. The problem was so big that most of the deans refused to go into the matter. President Briggs, of Radcliffe College, was more daring and said: "Every college girl should have her pleasure. She should have her company and enjoy collegiate social life. I think she should be allowed to receive gentlemen callers under certain conditions. Such callers, however, should not be entertained to such an extent that in order to accomplish her work the girl has to remain up until midnight studying. "No young man, if he is of the proper sort, will stay too late, particularly when he knows that the girl he is calling upon has a certain amount of college work that has to be done. "I do not mean that a college girl should go into society to the exclusion of her college duties. She cannot do so and keep up with her college work. The college girl has no time for anything of this sort, but she may have many social and recreative pleasures."

## DAUGHTER ATTACKS JUDGE'S ESTATE

THREE RIVERS, Quebec, Jan. 8.—An important case has been instituted here by Madame Eusebe Morin, of St Hyacinthe, nee Alice Mailhot, against the heirs of Judge Mailhot. The latter before his second marriage, with Miss Louise Olivier, daughter of Magistrate Oliver, had by his first marriage one daughter, Alice, now Madame Morin. During his life the Judge made three wills and two codicils. By his first will the Judge made Madame Morin his sole heir, giving to his wife certain goods and charging Madame Morin with certain obligations towards Madame Mailhot. By his second will and last codicil he changed, in part, some of the dispositions of the previous will. For this action Madame Morin demands the annulment of the last will and last codicil, maintaining that when these were made her father, Judge Mailhot was not capable to transact these acts. She says that since 1902 he was not thoroughly capable mentally. The estate involved is worth \$150,000.

The temperature at three o'clock this morning was twenty-one degrees.

## FAILED TO ARRIVE AT AGREEMENT

### Negotiations for a Settlement of the Switchmen's Strike in the West Abandoned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Proceedings in mediation of the controversy between the officials of the railways operating out of Chicago and their switchmen will be begun at the offices of the inter-state commerce commission next Wednesday. The negotiations will be conducted under the Herdman act. If the mediation should prove unavailing it is likely that the controversy will be referred to arbitration under the provisions of the law. The differences to be considered are precisely like those which resulted in the strike of the Northwestern switchmen. Negotiations for a settlement of the northwestern strike were abandoned today. Chairman Knapp made the following statement:— "The conferences that have been held during the last few days between Mr. Perham, the president of the Order of Railway Telegraphers and the head of the railway branches of the American Federation of Labor and Chairman Knapp, of the inter-state commerce commission and Commissioner of Labor Neil have been adjourned without accomplishing anything definite. If any new developments occur and if the outlook for an amicable adjustment should become more promising, the mediators will again take up the case and try to bring about an adjustment."

## GIVES FORTUNE TO SERVANT

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Ida Beach Stuart of Mineola, L. I., who was housekeeper for the late Stephen Wright, received a legacy of \$158,300 as a reward for her many years of faithful service when the executors of his will completed their work. Mr. Wright, who was an aged bachelor, left an estate valued at \$383,850. The housekeeper is preferred to his relatives in the bequests, three of his cousins receiving \$50,000 each.

## Concised Advertisements

GIRL WANTED, with a fair education to learn the type setting. Apply in person between 8 and 10 a. m. at Guardian office. 12-31tdt.

WANTED, a teacher for Mermaid School. Apply to Uzziyah Boyce Secy. of Trustees. 1-8tdp.

LADIES desirous of having hair work done, the latest turban braids, etc. may leave orders at 171 Great George Street. 1-10td2wpd.

A BIG FORTUNE FOR CHARITY LONDON, Jan. 8.—The late Alfred Jones, head of the Elder Dempster Steamship Co., left the bulk of his fortune of \$2,500,000 for charitable objects and for research into the cause of disease on the West Coast of Africa.

DISASTROUS STORM AT CANARY ISLANDS. LAS PALMAS, Canary Islands, Jan. 8.—A violent gale devastated the entire island of Francanaria yesterday destroying many houses and ruining banana and other crops. Damage is heavy.

## U. S. IMMIGRANTS LEAVE CANADA

### After Getting Title to Their Homesteads—Says U. S. Agricultura Report.

Special to The Guardian. WASHINGTON, D. C., January 9. Chief Larmund, of the Department of Agriculture, says Canada's Free Land policy attracts thousands of American farmers across the line, but the majority return after having completed their home stead duties and secured a full title to the lands for the purpose of selling. Larmund says that last year fifty two thousand immigrants returned to the United States while only forty thousand left.

## LORD STRATHCONA CABLES \$25,000

### Tends This Handsome Gift For Typhoid Hospital in Montreal and Offers \$100,000 More.

MONTREAL, January 6.—Lord Strathcona this afternoon cabled \$25,000 to the committee in charge of the funds for the emergency typhoid hospital which has just been created out of a number of citizens, and offered a further \$100,000 to start a fund for the installation of means to prevent further outbreaks. The Canadian high commission was called by Sir Hugh Graham, and in him with the condition of things in Montreal. Lord Strathcona at once sent the following reply:— "Your cable message advising of the deplorable outbreak of typhoid epidemic in Montreal just received. Am now cabling you \$25,000 contribution to emergency fund. Would gladly contribute \$100,000 to a citizens' substantial fund for immediate action to eradicate the causes of epidemic as has been done so satisfactorily in other great centers, thus saving thousands of precious lives. "STRATHCONA." This magnificent donation from Montreal's famous citizen, coupled with some \$20,000 already contributed here assures the committee in charge of the emergency work that they will have ample funds to carry on the fight against the epidemic. Already cases are coming in so fast that it seems but a question of days before the new emergency hospital's capacity of 100 beds is filled, and a move is on foot to establish a second emergency hospital. The Bell Telephone company today offered the committee a second vacant factory for this purpose, and arrangements are underway to equip it at once. There are now forty six cases in the emergency typhoid hospital, and new cases are coming in at the rate of six or more a day.

## THE SERVICES IN THE CITY CHURCHES

Yesterday, the first Sunday after Epiphany, was a good day in the churches, all congregations being well represented at their different places of worship. The yearly exchange of pulpits took place in the morning and in the First Methodist Church Rev. T. F. Fullerton, of St. James, preached an appreciative sermon, while Rev. H. E. Thomas occupied the pulpit in St. James' Church, preaching from Matthew, 16:19—"I will give unto Thee the Keys of the Kingdom of Heaven and whatsoever Thou shalt Bind on Earth shall be Bound in Heaven." Rev. G. E. Ross spoke from Luke 5:4—"Launch out into the Deep and Set Down Your Net" at the Central Christian Church, Rev. Mr. Floyd of that church was heard in the Baptist Church and preached a beautiful sermon from Matthew, 17:5. Rev. Mr. White of the Baptist Church was in Grace Methodist and spoke on "A Progressive Church." Rev. William Harrison, of Grace Church, was in Zion Church and took his text from Acts, 3:7. In St. Paul's, Rev. Mr. Murphy preached morning and evening, the text at the latter being from Isaiah, 53:2—"He Hath No Form Nor Comeliness and When We Shall See Him There is no Beauty That we Should Desire Him." In St. James' last evening Rev. Mr. Gordon son of Principal Gordon of Queen's University, occupied the pulpit. A. E. Lawson, Halifax, gave a splendid address in Zion Church last evening on the Laymen's Missionary Movement. At St. Peter's, Canon Simpson occupied the pulpit on both occasions and in each service spoke on mission work. In the evening there was a carol service at which beautiful Christmas carols were sung.

## Passing It On

It is funny how generous people are in some things. The man in front of you on Sunday will pass back the collection plate with a nod that is only excelled by the cheerfulness with which he and others pass back some of the points in the sermon to their neighbors. The despair of preachers is the complacency with which the congregation will fit their remarks to those about them. The most of us are afflicted with moral long-sight, and can see the mote in our brother's eye at a thousand yards, when we cannot perceive the beam in our own with an ordinary beam glass. Some of the people who enjoy these