

LAFAYETTE HOTEL BURNED IN THE NIGHT

Guests Turned Out in Intensely Cold Weather. Some Jumped from Windows

Special to The Guardian. HOULTON, Me., Feb. 15—To be turned out of warm beds and compelled to get out of doors in their night clothing with the thermometer 25 below zero, was the fate of the guests at the Lafayette Hotel here this morning at 1 a.m., when the hotel was burned to the ground.

GERMAN KAISER'S HEALTH CRITICAL

BERLIN, Feb. 13—At a conference of throat and ear specialists who have been attending Emperor William it was decided today that an operation on the Kaiser was not necessary at the present time. It was learned, however, that the physicians agreed that if improvement were not shown within a short time, the monarch would have to go under the knife.

FRANCE FEARS EFFECT OF RECIPROCITY

PARIS, Feb. 13—The French government is much interested in the plan for reciprocal trade relations between the two great governments of North America, while French exporters are plainly apprehensive.

REACHED HEIGHT OF 800 FEET AT NIGHT

SAVANNAH, Feb. 13—Shortly after midnight last night Frank Coffin, a night aviator, broke the world's night altitude aeroplane record by ascending 800 feet. The former record of 250 feet was held by Arch Hoxsey, who was recently killed in a fall in his machine in Denver.

DRIVEN TO SUICIDE BY POVERTY

NEW YORK, Feb. 13—A suicide compact entered into because of extreme poverty resulted in the wiping out of a family of four in Brooklyn. Frank Bernard, thirty-two, a trainer of athletes, his wife Mamie, thirty, and their children, George, four, and Daniel two, were found dead of asphyxiation in their three-room apartment at No. 730 Fulton St.

MOMENTS OF DEPRESSION

One of the most extraordinary prayers of the Bible is that of Elijah, who prayed that his life might be taken away. Yet the day before he had stood defiantly on Carmel's heights. I am afraid our teachers sometimes unconsciously lead us astray when they put the great men of the Bible on a platform to themselves and label them "Bible characters." They were not different from ourselves. They were liable to the same temptations, prone, like us, to be defeated at their strongest point. It was the grace of God that made Abraham faithful, Moses meek, Job

JAPANESE NOW WANTED FOR MURDER

Montreal Police After a Jealous Murderer of a Man and Woman

Special to The Guardian. WINGIPEG, Feb. 15—A Japanese named Washamoto is sought by the mounted police for the murder at Taber, Alberta, of John Erskine and Louise Marquise, known as Babe Adams.

SMALLPOX CASES PETERING OUT

MONCTON, Feb. 13—Sunday night quarantine on one of the houses under quarantine was raised and the house fumigated. There are still four houses under quarantine, but the board hopes to have quarantine raised on these by the end of the week, thus marking the close of the epidemic.

ARCHBISHOP RYAN'S DISTINGUISHED CAREER

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14—The Most Rev. Patrick John Ryan, D.D., LL.D., Archbishop of Philadelphia and Metropolitan of Pennsylvania, whose death occurred on Saturday, was one of the most prominent Roman Catholic ecclesiastics in the United States. He was born Feb. 20, 1831, near Thurles, County Tipperary, Ireland.

COL. BALFOUR DIED IN LONDON

LONDON, Feb. 14—Col. Eustace James Balfour, brother of A. J. Balfour, died today. He was formerly an officer of the Scottish Guards and aide de camp to King Edward and King George. He was the fifth son of the late James Balfour, M. P., and in 1879 married Lady Frances Campbell, the fifth daughter of the eighth Duke of Argyll.

LOVER SUICIDES IN HOT WATER

SHARON, Pa., Feb. 14—Crazed by the jeers of his fellow-workmen, who taunted him because his sweetheart "jilted" him and married another man, John Gotch, employed at the Shenango furnace in Sharpsville, near here, jumped into a pit of boiling water at the plant, after hurling a shovel at the head of one of his tormentors.

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BIG FIGHT COMING OVER YEAR'S NAVAL PROGRAM

POPE SUFFERS FROM INFLUENZA

Special to The Guardian. ROME, Feb. 15—Pope Pius X is ill with influenza. His physicians state that his condition is serious.

SENATOR WOOD'S SLIGHT ATTACK

Special to The Guardian. OTTAWA, Feb. 15—Senator Josiah Wood of Sackville, N. B., had a paralytic stroke at the breakfast table this morning and has not wholly recovered.

CLAIMS INNOCENCE OF FORGERY CHARGE

HALIFAX, Feb. 13—H. L. Strothard has not yet been arraigned on the charge of forgery for which he was brought back from Boston. Strothard claims he is innocent of any forgery and intends to have his rights safeguarded. He is communicating with his two brothers, who are prominent Baptist clergymen in New York and Maine, and will retain counsel. He was formerly in the British Army in Bermuda as a boy. He later came to the United States and travelled as a salesman through New York State and also in the West Indies.

EXPLOSION TERRORIZES MANAGUA

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Feb. 13—In some way, at present unknown, an explosion occurred this morning in the ammunition barracks situated not far from the palace of the President at 12.50.

COMMUNICATION THROUGH PROVINCE AND WITH MAINLAND

Yesterday morning four iceboats left Cape Traverse at 9.30 for Cape Tormentine, with mail and no passengers, and arrived at their destination at 12.50. At 12.30 iceboats left Cape Tormentine for Cape Traverse with 71 bags of mail and no passengers, arriving in Cape Traverse at 3.30.

101 YEARS OLD

LONDON, Feb. 11—Mrs. Louis A. Thomas celebrated the one hundred and first anniversary of her birthday at her home in Kent yesterday. She is in good health. Before Louis Philippe became King of France she divorced him at a ball given at the British Embassy at Paris, where her family resided.

FAIR AND COLD

TORONTO, Feb. 16—Fresh north-westerly winds, fair and moderately cold. The lowest temperature recorded yesterday was three degrees above zero and the highest was seven above. The coldest recorded the previous night was zero. At nine p. m. last night it was three degrees above zero.

Lloyds' Insure Against An Election. The Veto Bill Coming Down Monday

Special to The Guardian. LONDON, Feb. 15—A big fight is impending in Parliament over the naval building program.

LEAGUE PLAYING SEASON OPENS

Special to The Guardian. CHICAGO, Feb. 15—The American League playing season opens on April 12 at Detroit, St. Louis, Philadelphia and Washington.

I.O.F. OFFICER HAS PASSED OUT

GUELPH, Feb. 15—The death occurred yesterday of Lieutenant Col. John Alex McGillivray, for many years Supreme Secretary, I. O. F.

DEATH DUE TO COAL GAS

CUMBERLAND, Md., Feb. 13—That Charles E. Twigg and Grace Blosser, the young couple found dead on the parlor of the Blosser home on Dec. 31 last, the eve of their wedding day, came to their end from carbon monoxide (coal gas) poisoning was the conclusion of the Washington and Baltimore chemists who tested the blood of the two victims. States Attorney Robb announced the result of the chemists' analysis today.

BIG EXPENDITURE IN TORONTO BY C. P. R.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 14—Canadian Pacific plans calling for the expenditure of about \$5,000,000 in Toronto will be discussed today by the Board of Control.

SPECIAL AMBASSADOR TO THE CORONATION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14—President Taft has received from Mr. John Hays Hammond his acceptance of the appointment of special ambassador to the coronation of King George Fifth of England this summer.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED—Cheesemaker for season of 1911. Applications, stating experience and wages wanted, will be received up to Feb. 25th. Cardigan Dairying Co., Cardigan. 2-16d31pd.

MISS PANKHURST IN CANADA

TORONTO, Feb. 14—Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, a gifted daughter of the leader of the English suffragettes arrived in Toronto from Ottawa. "My visit for the last two days at Ottawa was very interesting," she said, "as I had an opportunity to attend the session of Parliament. Having served two terms in jail, I have taken every convenient chance to visit the jails in the different cities. This I did at Ottawa. The jail there I found in many respects better than those visited elsewhere, but it was a matter of regret to learn that there is no attempt made to teach the prisoners anything while

HOT WATER ANESTHETIC IN SURGERY

Famous Medical School Use it for Appendicitis Operations in Baltimore

Special to The Guardian. BALTIMORE, Feb. 15—The Johns Hopkins physicians, Baltimore, are injecting lukewarm water near the affected part as a sufficient anaesthetic in appendicitis operations.

ASK LENIENCY FOR THE BANKER

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Feb. 13—Petitions are in circulation in this section praying for leniency upon the part of the government towards R. E. Ougan, who was manager of the Farmers' Bank at Athens, and who was sentenced recently to three years in the Kingston penitentiary for falsifying statements to the head office.

BRUTAL ASSAULT ON AGED WOMAN

NEWCASTLE, Feb. 12—A murderous assault was committed here at an early hour Saturday evening, on an old lady of 72 years of age, who was passing along Barclay Lane between King and Pleasant streets, in the heart of the town. Mrs. Phinney, the victim of the dastardly outrage, said to belong to St. John, has been visiting here at the home of a permanent resident.

MOTHER OF JAMES BANDITS IS DEAD

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 11—Mrs. Zerelda Samuel, 86 years old, mother of Frank and Jesse James, the former bandits, died yesterday afternoon.

PRISONERS ARE ALLOWED LIBERTY

TORONTO, Feb. 13—In consequence of the manly behavior of four prisoners being taken to the Central Prison on the 17th January last when the C. P. R. train wrecked between Monro Road and Bolton, the Minister of Justice has recommended their liberation from custody before the expiration of their terms of imprisonment. The four men helped other passengers from the cars and made no effort to escape.

WANT TRADE AGREEMENT SUPPORTED

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 14—Letters seeking support for a proposed reciprocity agreement with Canada have been mailed to all Michigan senators and representatives by the wholesalers and manufacturers' association of Detroit.

THE NEW YORK CANADIAN CLUB IS REJOICING

Over Passage of Trade Agreement. Send Messages To Taft and Laurier

Special to The Guardian. NEW YORK, Feb. 15—The Canadian Club was holding a meeting last night when a telegram was received announcing the passage of the Canadian reciprocity bill by the House.

MRS. COREY THINKS SHE'LL GET WEALTH

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—When Mrs. Wm. Ellis Corey departed yesterday on board of the Lusitania, of the Cunard line, she did not share her husband's scepticism regarding a report from California that she may become possessed of a fourth share in oil producing lands said to be worth \$30,000,000.

PREDICTS WORLD-WIDE RACIAL STRUGGLE

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 13—Prediction of a world-wide war between negroes and whites, made in an address here last night by Prof. Wm. E. Dubois of Atlantic University, a colored educator, caused widespread discussion here to-day. Prof. Dubois said in part:

LINCOLN SHAFI BILL NOW LAW

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14—The House enacted into law the Senate bill providing for a commission to secure plans and designs for a suitable monument or memorial to Abraham Lincoln in this city. It is estimated that this memorial will cost in the neighborhood of \$2,000,000 and be the most imposing of all the monuments in Washington, save only the Washington.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DISTEMPER.

Minard's Liniment cures Distemper. serving their terms, short though they may be, and no permanent library. Just periodicals and papers sent in by religious societies and other well disposed people. "The worst jail I have visited on this continent was one at Chicago, where men and women are kept in darkened cells, serving thirty day terms in a building without any civilized sanitary equipment, the drain being actually an open sewer." Miss Pankhurst will revisit Chicago and is likely to startle the authorities there by her comments on the jail in question.