

SAINT JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION

Doing Fine Work in Canada. Message From H. R. H. Duke of Connaught.

Special to The Guardian. OTTAWA, March 1—The first annual meeting of the Canadian branch of the St. John Ambulance Association is being held here.

BANKER ROBINS PLEADS GUILTY

Special to The Guardian. NEW YORK, March 1—Jos. G. Robins, former banker, entered a plea of guilty in the Supreme Court today to a charge of grand larceny of \$27,000 from the Washington savings bank.

VETO BILL UP FOR SECOND READING

LONDON, Feb. 27—The second reading of the lords' veto bill opened in the house of commons this afternoon.

Premier Asquith, having formally moved the second reading, the measure which is designed to restrict the authority of the upper chamber over legislation originating in the house of commons, J. Austen Chamberlain moved a Unionist amendment to the effect that the house would welcome the introduction of a bill to reform the composition of the house of lords, while maintaining its independence as a second chamber, but declining to proceed with a measure which placed all effective legislative authority in the hands of a single chamber and offered no safeguard against grave changes made without the consent of the people.

Mr. Chamberlain declared that if the veto bill was the government's last word it could not pass. He appealed for a compromise in the spirit of last year's conference.

Richard Burdon Haldane, secretary of state for war, said that he regretted that circumstances having arisen necessitating the adoption of a written constitution bill. However, it had been forced upon the government which without it, could make no progress in constitutional questions connected with Ireland. The government was pledged ultimately to the second chamber, but meanwhile the veto bill was an indispensable preliminary and the government would be false to its mission if they failed to risk their whole fortunes upon passing the present bill.

EFFORTS TO SAVE WOMAN FROM ELECTRIC CHAIR

BOSTON, Feb. 27—A state-wide crusade by women was started today to save from the electric chair Mrs. Lena Cusumano, who was convicted of the murder of her husband yesterday at Plymouth. Governor Fos will be asked to commute her sentence of death to imprisonment. The Governor today intimated his course of action. "I always feel lenient towards a woman in trouble, and I would be awfully sorry," he said "to see a woman electrocuted in Massachusetts."

Since he has been in office Governor Fos has pardoned two life prisoners.

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NO VOTE ON RECIPROCITY IN CONGRESS

Other Matters Will Crowd It Over Into Extra Session Coming Later

Special to The Guardian. WASHINGTON, March 1—The validity of holding of his seal by Wm. Lorimer, Senator from Illinois, will be affirmed and there is every likelihood of a vote upon the bill establishing a permanent tariff board at this session. But no vote will be had on the U. S. Canadian reciprocity pact at this session and an extra session of Congress is inevitable.

C. N. R. LINE SOON TO SPAN CANADA

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GIRL SAVES TWO FROM THE RIVER

CHICOOPEE, Feb. 27—A brave little barefooted girl, 13-year old Josephine Pizroski, rushed into the icy waters of the Chicopee river near her home late today and rescued from drowning two little girl friends, while her collie dog, Beauty, was less successful in attempting to save the life of a third child, Mary Zybrua, aged 12 years, who was drowned.

The Pizroski girl from the window of her home saw the three girls go down upon the ice to cross to their homes on the other side of the river. The girls were Victoria Karzenowski, aged 13 years; Mabel Grotowski, aged 14 years, and Mary Zybrua, aged 15 years.

STOPS MASS TO AID STRICKEN WOMAN

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 27—During early mass in St. John's Church, yesterday, a woman worshiper suddenly arose and waving her arms toppled over to the aisle. While some of the congregation were assisting the stricken woman an altar boy informed the Rev. James P. Corcoran, curate of the church.

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NEWFOUNDLAND QUITE EXCITED OVER STORAGE

SPRINGHILL MINE STRIKE ABOUT OVER

Mechanics and Miners in Large Numbers Willing to Return to Work

Special to The Guardian. SPRINGHILL, March 1—The mine operators believe the strike is about over.

Today twelve mechanics were offered to return to work, but were requested to wait for a few days when they expect a large number of miners will return with them.

CALGARY BOARD OF TRADE ENDORSES RECIPROCITY

CALGARY, Alta., Feb. 27—The Calgary Board of Trade this afternoon, after a debate of two hours, by a vote of 26 to 10, endorsed the reciprocity agreement in its entirety.

Most of the speaking was in favor of the agreement. The opposition was divided, A. E. Cross, president of the Calgary Brewing Company, favored reciprocity in natural products, but opposed the reduction in the tariff on manufactured goods. W. Georgeson favored any reduction in manufactured goods, but spoke guardedly upon the agreement.

CORNELL HAS PUT BAN ON MUSTACHES

ITHACA, Feb. 27—The barber shops of Ithaca are expecting a rushing business this week as the result of the manifesto issued by the general committee that no under class men shall wear mustaches. That adornment of the upper lip has gradually come back into fashion among the Cornell students, and photographers and the press freshmen have sprung them of late.

COMMUNICATION THROUGH PROVINCE AND WITH MAINLAND

Yesterday morning at 7.00 the Earl Grey left Pictou for Georgetown with 115 tons freight, 25 passengers and 100 bags of mail, which consisted of the Maritime Express mail of Tuesday. She docked in Georgetown at 2.00 p.m. A special train brought the mail and passengers from Georgetown to this city arriving at 4.15.

The Earl Grey will leave Georgetown this morning taking passengers, mail and three cars, two cars meat, one car mixed freight and five horses.

SKATERS BURNED TO DEATH

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 27—Fifteen carnival skaters perished today when a lamp was upset and exploded in a pavilion in which they were competing. The building was destroyed by fire.

WARMER WITH SNOW

Special to The Guardian. TORONTO, Mar. 1—Fresh westerly winds, cloudy with higher temperature and light snowfalls or furies.

The coldest last night and up to three o'clock this morning was fifteen degrees above zero but at that hour it had moderated to twenty-three degrees above zero. The warmest in that period was twenty-four degrees above zero.

The lowest temperature recorded yesterday was eight degrees above zero and the highest was fifteen above. The coldest recorded the previous night was zero. At nine p. m. last night it was fifteen degrees above zero.

The length of today will be eleven hours and nine minutes.

The sun sets this afternoon at 5.47 and rises tomorrow morning at 6.58.

The moon rises this morning at 7.30.

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Because the Plants Will be Operated by Americans. Loud Protests Made

PREMIER REPLIES

Special to The Guardian. ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 1—The action of the Government in subsidizing cold storage plants for fish to be conducted at St. John's and other places in the Colony by an American firm has brought protests from the followers of the former Premier, who argue that the granting of a subsidy to Americans is the first step towards the abandonment of the Colony's treaty rights and has nullified the Newfoundland bait law.

Premier Morris declared the agreement has not impaired the effectiveness of the bait law.

He suggested that the matters be placed before a committee of lawyers without parizan interest and the lawyers in their decision confirmed the Premier's view.

D. B. HANNA COMING TO HALIFAX

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"We are already getting stronger in this city every day. But we are not yet in a position to announce our terminal plans. In a year or two our whole system will be linked up from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and then, well—then you will see what you will see."

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GLAD TO GET CANADIAN GOLD

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27—The Senate bill abolishing the requirement that all foreign gold coins and bars deposited with the United States treasury shall be re-coined into American coins before gold certificates can be issued against them, was passed by the House today and only requires the signature of the President to become a law. This legislation was urged by Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too late for Classification.)

WANTED, girl for general housework. Apply to 75 Queen St. 3-2419p.

LOST, Monday night on Prince Street, Mink ruff, straight piece satin lined, two tails on each end. Reward. Guardian office. 3-2481p.

WANTED—at once a boy to learn office work and run errands. Must have a fair education and recommended. Wages \$3.00 per week. Apply at Guardian office at once. 3-244t.

WANTED, three good house carpenters, one carriage workman and painter. Good wages to the right men. G. R. Gourley, Box 58, Washada, Man. 3-242w1wpd.

FOR SALE, that valuable farm of 50 acres owned by the late Alvan McDougall, situated at New Argyle, will be sold by public auction, March 8, 1911 at eleven o'clock. 3-2481p.

BOWLING, Burke's Alley, under B market, open lawfully days ten to eleven. 3-244t.

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VICTORIAS WIN CHAMPIONSHIP OF P. E. ISLAND

Defeated Crystals last Night by a Score of 10--0. Intermediate Game

The Victorias of Charlottetown are now the undisputed champions of the P. E. I. Hockey League, as far as the senior honors are concerned, and have won the first lap in intermediate race.

After playing a tie in the senior league with the Crystals the Victorias, as all know, visited the Crystal fortress and defeated that team by a score of 6-4. Last night they further increased the lead gained them, administering to the Crystals rather a severe defeat, blanking them and piling on the score of 10-0.

The senior game last night was a fair exhibition of hockey throughout, but at every stage of the game the Victorias gave evidence of superiority over their game opponents. The Crystals tried hard, but the odds were apparently so great that even the most determined effort to prevent a blanking failed.

The Victorias replaced LeBlanc at point with B. Rattenbury, otherwise the team was the same as usual. After a regrettable injury to Burns on (Continued on page 3)

BOSTON NURSE ACCUSED OF THEFT

BOSTON, Feb. 26—Miss Amelia M. Leonard, a trained nurse, whose home is in Worcester, was arrested this afternoon on the charge of stealing jewelry valued at \$6,157, from the estate of her employer, Miss Mary J. Lockwood, after the latter died at the Brunswick hotel on Feb. 14.

It is charged by the police that the nurse, who attended Miss Lockwood in her last illness, took a large quantity of Miss Lockwood's effects at the time of her death in the hope that no one would know the difference. The effects were missed by relatives, however, and the theft is alleged to have been traced to Miss Leonard.

The stolen articles include a diamond and ruby ring valued at \$2,000, a diamond ring valued at \$1,000, a gun metal watch with imported movement valued at \$500, a gun metal pendant set with jewels valued at \$1,500, a gun metal watch valued at \$45, and seventy-five yards of lace worth \$1.50 a yard. Some of the articles have been recovered, and it is expected that more will soon be found in pawnshops.

Miss Leonard will be arraigned in the municipal court on Monday.

GUESTS FLEE IN NIGHT CLOTHES

BERLIN, N. H., Feb. 27—Aroused from their sleep by shouts of fire the 30 guests at the Central House clambered out of the windows and made their escape in the best way they could tonight, leaving most of their clothing and valuables behind.

The fire started just after 10 o'clock, and although the firemen were early on the scene the high wind and low temperature hampered them considerably, and it was two hours before the blaze was under control. The loss is estimated at upwards of \$5,000. The cause of the fire is not known.

GERMANY WON'T HAVE STRANDED IMMIGRANTS

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EDUCATIONAL BEQUESTS

PARIS, Feb. 27—Auguste Louhréal, who was born a peasant and became one of the richest financiers in Russia, died recently. He had been impressed by the meagre endowment of science in France in comparison with the United States, and determined to set an example for his countrymen. His will, which has just been made public, discloses that he bequeathed \$700,000 to the Academy of Sciences; \$600,000 to the University of Paris; and \$200,000 to the Pasteur Institute for research work.

FORTY BIG WARSHIPS DEMANDED

Notable Cures of Insane Patients by New Method Reported in Scotland

Special to The Guardian. LONDON, March 1—Dr. George Robertson, Superintendent of the Royal Edinburgh Asylum for the Insane, in a report published in The Scotsman, tells of two almost marvellous cures of insane patients by treatment with a serum from the thyroid glands of animals.

Alarmed by the naval activity of Germany and other powers and the agitation among other powers for greater marine armaments, the British imperialists are formulating measures for the construction of perhaps forty Dreadnoughts within the next six years. The exponents of greater sea power want to give England the supremacy of the sea, even at an expense of fifty millions sterling.

POPE'S SISTERS HELPED RECOVERY

ROME, Feb. 27—The Pope recovered from his recent attack of influenza in a comparatively short time, mainly due to the nursing of his sisters. It is now known that although the pontiff's first symptoms were unmistakably those of influenza, apprehension existed that they were associated with bronchial pneumonia. His temperature rose to 104 degrees, and the inflammation was inclined to attack the lungs.

Dr. Petacci, the papal physician, insisted that the Pope should remain in bed and take warm nourishment at short intervals. It was only the influence of the sisters of the Holy Father that succeeded in overcoming his great distaste for food. They coaxed him to take sufficient nourishment. When his temperature was normal for three days the Pope was allowed to sit up.

TWENTY CENTS PER HOUR FOR WORKMEN

TORONTO, Feb. 27—An eight hour day and a minimum wage of twenty cents an hour are the chief provisions of a bill which Allan Studholm, M. P. P., labor member, will introduce in the legislature. The clause in relation to the eight hour day is particularly emphatic one. It would not only make an eight hour day a legal working day, but would prohibit employers from requiring or permitting their workmen to work more than eight hours, except in case of extraordinary emergency. Workmen would not be allowed to contract themselves out of the provision for a twenty cent wage per hour.

No male under eighteen or female under twenty-one should, according to Mr. Studholm, be allowed to work overtime. A saving clause is placed in the bill to except agricultural labor and cases where all the persons employed are members of employers' family. Other clauses would make the measure apply especially to any contracts made by the government and would void all such contracts if the provisions of the act were not carried out.

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GERMANY IS NOW ANXIOUS FOR BENEFITS

Wants to Know Whether She Will Share in Reciprocal Advantages

Special to The Guardian. BERLIN, March 1—It is reported that the German Government has inquired at Ottawa and Washington whether this country will be entitled to the benefits of the Canadian American reciprocity agreement.

THE FREE PRESS OPPOSES SIFTON

Special to The Guardian. WINNIPEG, March 1—The Free Press, in which Hon. Clifford Sifton is financially interested, publishes a strong editorial today denouncing the opponents of reciprocity.

LUCKY THING IN CHRISTIAN NAME

TORONTO, Feb. 27—A. E. Taylor, a prominent real estate man of Toronto, has been left a fortune estimated variously from \$50,000 to \$100,000, because he happens to have the christian names of his grandfather and father.

Albert Taylor, the grandfather, was a wealthy Londoner. Some of the sons disagreed with his method of handling his property and the youngest, Edward, went so far as to sequester from his father, after a quarrel, coming to Canada, despite the threat that he would be cut off. Several years afterwards he received word of his father's death and two years later he himself passed away. After his death his brothers set up an intermittent correspondence with his son Albert Edward, as he bore the two family names and he has been notified by them of a hidden clause in the will, which gave the old London man who bore both family names this fortune.

LET'S ALWAYS KEEP FLAG TO FRONT

OTTAWA, Feb. 27—The peculiar attitude of the Laurier government toward the British connection and the British flag was emphasized again in the house this evening when it shanty by a party vote the resolution proposed by Major Beattie, of London, to prohibit the offensive displaying of foreign flags to the exclusion of the Union Jack. The resolution called upon the government to issue regulations insisting that where a foreign flag was flown by any person or persons except the accredited representatives of foreign governments, a Union Jack of equal size and make should also be hoisted in the most prominent position. The resolution was supported by the entire members, with the exception of Mr. Gilbert (Drummond-Arthabaska).

Mr. Pugsley, who first spoke for the government, applauded the sentiment of the resolution, but suggested that it should not be pressed to a vote in which request his colleague, Mr. Fielding concurred. When it became evident that Major Beattie intended to stand by his resolution, Mr. McDonald was put up to move the adjournment of the debate. As today was the last day reserved for private members, Mr. McDonald's motion was regarded as a mere device to shelve the question, and it was bitterly opposed by members who favored the original resolution. (Continued on page 3.)

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CONTENTMENT

Let us learn to be content with what we have. Let us get rid of false estimates, set up the higher ideal—quiet home; vines of our own planting; a few books full of the inspiration of a genius; a few friends worthy of being loved and able to love us in turn; a hundred innocent pleasures that bring no pain or remorse; devotion to the right that will never swerve; a simple religion, devoid of all bigotry, full of love and hope and trust; and to give up all the empty joy world will give up all the empty joy it has.—David Swing.