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## THE FOURTH DAY OF THE BRITISH ELECTION FIGHT

### Unionists Are Encouraged and Ministers Talk Confidently. The Strength of All Parties and Gains Made According to Latest Reports.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The Unionists are encouraged by their improved position today for eighty-one seats lately held by fifty Liberals, 20 Unionists, 7 Laborites and 4 Nationalists. These are in the wide-spread county divisions and the results will not be announced until Thursday. Sir Edward Grey Foreign Secretary is the only man of the first rank who fights for a seat to-day.

Lloyd George, speaking at Pwllheli, said the election results were all right and up to his expectations. There was every indication he said of an ultimate majority equal to that of 1906, which was followed by the creditable Government record against tyranny. Churchill at Dundee said, the Liberal Government will be returned with a greater majority than Gladstone or Salisbury ever had in their palmiest days of triumph.

He believed the electors would seal the fate of tariff reform for many years. The state of parties at 4 o'clock was: Unionists 121. Liberals 95. Laborites 20. Nationalists 41. Unionist gains 51. Laborite gains 11. Unchanged 216. The total number of members returned 230.

## GLACE BAY OFFICIALS QUARRELL

### City Clerk Arrested by Mayor's Order But Was Rescued by Another

Special to The Guardian  
GLACE BAY, Jan. 19.—Acting under Mayor Douglas' personal instructions, policeman Costri stationed himself at the town hall and forcibly endeavored to prevent Clerk McNeill from entering the office this forenoon. Whenever Costri laid hands on him, McNeill summoned another officer who placed Costri under arrest on an assault charge. McNeill then entered the office and engaged in his routine duties. Costri was released on bail.

## C. N. R. EMPLOYEES WANT CHANGE IN PROVIDENT FUND

OTTAWA, Jan. 18.—Representatives of the Intercolonial employees who have suggested a number of changes in the provident fund act, had a meeting yesterday with the committee who manages the fund and with Hon. Mr. Grehan. Hon. Mr. Emerson, who was the father of the bill, was also called into the conference. The changes are technical and of a financial nature. It was decided as the original measure was based on the report of an actuary, to refer the changes to an actuary, to report to Hon. Mr. Grehan on the effect of the proposed changes. The matter will then be taken up again with the committee of management and representatives of the men.

## TROUBLE IN CROW'S NEST MINES

Special to The Guardian  
FERRIS, B. C., Jan. 19.—There is more trouble in the Crow's Nest Coal Co. @Simister, General Supt. and @Simpson, Supt. of mines have been dismissed. These changes have caused wide comment and are regarded as confirming the local miners' outspoken impression that things do not run smoothly since the control of the company passed into the hands of the Great Northern Railway.

## 65 PER CENT. WAS GRAFT IN CHICAGO SEWER WORK

CHICAGO, Ills., Jan. 18.—Sixty-five per cent or about \$228,000 of the money spent for labor during 1909, in Chicago sewer Bureau, was wasted in the opinion of Benj. F. Welton, a New York expert, who spent six weeks investigating the operation of the bureau of the Merriam Commission, which is investigating alleged municipal graft. He says that he found men, supposed to be cleaning streets, in saloons, while one was asleep at the mouth of a sewer in which he was supposed to be at work. The explanation is given as the "political pull" of team owners whose influence at the city hall made it impossible for the city foremen to remedy the situation.

## BEED SURROUNDED BY ALARM CLOCKS TO AROUSE HIM

NEW YORK, January 8.—For the first time in thirty years Robert Willoughby failed to wake up at six o'clock yesterday morning. He had died some time during the night of Bright's disease. Willoughby, who was 57 years old, had been employed as a reformer by the Third Avenue Elevated Railway. He was the most practical employee in the service. No matter what the weather was, Willoughby was never late. The secret of his punctuality came to light when his room was inspected today. Hanged round near his bed were thirty clocks, of different size and makes. Some were plain alarm clocks, some were attached to "big brass cones" and some had electric attachments. All gave their alarm at the same time.

## HENRI BOURASSA AGAIN ON WARPATH

MONTREAL, Jan. 18.—Mr. Henri Bourassa is on the warpath against the Government Naval Bill, an act passed from the local member for St. Hyacinthe being announced for Thursday evening at the Monument National. It does not appear, however, as if the masses are to be admitted, as an entrance fee will be charged, and even reserved seats are announced. The Nationalists states that the people must be consulted before such a bill can become law, so it looks as if Mr. Bourassa would either demand a plebiscite or a general election. The article also throws the whole blame upon Lord Grey, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. R. L. Borden.

## CRUCIFIED HERSELF TO PROVE HER LOVE

ROME, Jan. 18.—A strange story comes from Turin about the act of a servant girl who became possessed of a religious mania. The woman who employed the girl found her crucified on a bed. After an investigation the employer discovered that the girl, after placing a crown of thorns on her head and inflicting a severe wound in her left chest, nailed her feet and her left hand to the bed boards and calmly spent the night suffering tortures. When discovered the woman was exhausted from pain and loss of blood and was taken to a hospital in a dying condition. She admitted that out of love of the Saviour she had voluntarily crucified herself. Her reason for this, she said, was that she wished to share Christ's sufferings. The doctors declare that the girl is hysterical and therefore insensible to pain, but the common people regard the case as miraculous.

## GIRL SINGLE-HANDED LANDS HER PRISONER

WINNIPEG, Ind., Jan. 18.—Miss Maude Sanders, twenty years old, was recently made a deputy by the sheriff of Pulaski county, and today, single-handed, she took a prisoner giving the name of Joe Doe from this city to the jail at Knox and delivered him to the Sheriff of Starke county. Doe was arrested here on a charge of assault and battery, and when no other officer could conveniently take the offender to the Starke county jail at Knox, Miss Sanders volunteered her services. There is no jail in Pulaski county, and in order to reach her destination with the prisoner Miss Sanders had to change cars at North Judson. Miss Sanders carried a small cork in her girdle, and sat in the same seat in the car with her prisoner.

## ANIMAL TRAINER MEETS USUAL FATE

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Pauline Russell today met the fate daily braved and coolly calculated upon by most animal trainers. A week ago she was attacked and badly torn by one of a pair of leopards she was training at a city museum. The infuriated animal would have torn her to pieces, at the time, but for a man attendant, who pinned it to the floor with a sharpened steel pipe. Miss Russell lingered in a critical condition all last week.

### CHICAGO MARKETS.

Jan Wheat	105
Feb Wheat	92
Jan Corn	67
Feb Corn	66

### Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

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## TURKISH PARLIAMENT IS BURNED

### The Fire was Accidental and Started After Noon Yesterday

Special to The Guardian  
CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 19.—The palace of Choran where the Turkish Parliament sits was accidentally destroyed by fire at an accidental origin that started after noon. The Chamber of Deputies was burned out and the Senate hall so badly damaged that it cannot be occupied.

## THE C.P.R. READY MADE FARM HOMES

Special to The Guardian  
LONDON, Jan. 19.—In connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway, ready-made farm scheme in Canada, 38 families will sail from here on March 25.

## THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

The Annual-statement of the Royal Bank of Canada out today makes a very interesting exhibit and should prove very satisfactory to the shareholders of the Bank.

This year the statements of all the leading financial institutions have been attracting more than the usual interest owing to the fact that as the money rates were, for a great part of the year, very low as compared with previous years, many of the Banks found it difficult to make anything like as good a showing as they had in the past. The Royal Bank figures indicate that the Bank must have been particularly fortunate in the class of business it handled during the year, as the net profits which amounted to \$38,396, showed an increase of close to \$100,000 as compared with the previous year. This was equal to 100 per cent on the average paid up capital of the Bank for the year of \$4,360,000.

As indicating the rapid progress the Bank is making throughout the country, very large increases are shown in all classes of deposits, those bearing interest having increased during the year by over \$11,000,000 from \$24,300,725 to \$35,455,828, while the deposits not bearing interest advanced from \$13,990,264 to \$16,955,930, making an increase for the year in the total deposits of over \$14,000,000.

A very strong feature as indicated by the statement is, that notwithstanding this large increase in deposits, there was also a marked increase in the percentage of quick assets, these now being equal to over 56 per cent as compared with 52.63 per cent at the close of the last fiscal year. This large increase in the deposits naturally resulted in very substantial gains, not only in the current, but more especially in the call loans. These call and short loans on stocks and bonds at the close of the present fiscal year, amounted to \$9,638,309.62 as compared with \$3,286,141.29, an increase of over \$6,000,000 for the year, while the current loans now stand at \$33,544,705.10 as against \$26,736,164.99 at the close of the last fiscal year.

## TORONTO'S SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITION

### Nearly Thirty-Eight Thousand Dollars. Railway Men Making Demands for Better Working Conditions.

Special to The Guardian  
TORONTO, Jan. 19.—The city will receive \$37,995 from the receipts of last year's Canadian National Exhibition. The total surplus was \$47,953, of which amount the Exhibition retains ten thousand dollars for working expenses.

A joint conference of the eastern and western employees of the C.P.R. was held here and demands for improved working conditions were drawn up for the presentation to the General Manager at Montreal. The Grand Trunk employees will hold a conference next week to formulate similar demands.

## WATER IS RISING AT PITTSBURG

### Caused by Ice Jam In Allegheny River Gorge Breaking Away

Special to The Guardian  
PITTSBURG, Jan. 19.—Tons upon tons of water is pouring into the Ohio from the Allegheny River where 30 miles above the city the ice gorge at Freeport broke last night. The Allegheny is banked full of soft, spongy ice, crumpled into small floes by its tumble over a dam after the gorge let go, is pushing by the city and forcing the Ohio River up at a rate of two feet an hour.

## NOTICE TO OWNERS OF BOATS

Some parties unknown to our Department have placed several small boats without our consent on the winter landing at Prince Street, thus preventing the people using the landing of coming off the ice. I hereby wish to notify the owners of these boats to have them removed at within three days as specified by the statutes dealing with the same otherwise they will be sold at public auction and removed at the expense of the owners. Charlotte-town, Jan. 19th, 1910. Jas. H. Cumiskey, Comp. P. Works.

## BISHOP ABRAIGNS DANCING IN SCHOOLS

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 18.—Dancing in the public schools in Boston is responsible for conditions if immorality that are almost as bad as the white slave traffic," declared Bishop W. P. Malahan, of the Methodist Church, in Tremont Temple Sunday. "There ought to be a State law against dancing in any public school," he declared. "The theatre is a school of vice and a destroyer of morals, and the nude statues and improper pictures sold on our street corners and the vile literature which some journals publish, all these are corrupting the morals of the young and lowering the standard of morality among the older people and leading to the white slave traffic."

## FELL ON CABLE FATALLY BURNED

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Frank Brown, 21 years old, fell upon a live electric cable in the plant of the Rochester Railway and Light Company, early this morning, which ignited his clothes and burned him to death.

### COLDER.

Special to The Guardian  
TORONTO, January 19.—Westerly winds; fine and slightly lower temperature. The length of today will be nine hours and twenty-four minutes. The temperature at three o'clock this morning was twenty-six degrees.

## ZEPPELIN PLANNING AN AIRSHIP

### To Carry 300 Passengers From Hamburg to London and Cologne.

Special to The Guardian  
COLOGNE, Jan. 19.—Count Zeppelin is planning a monster airship capable of carrying 300 persons, to be used in the passenger service between Hamburg and London. A service will also be maintained from Hamburg to Cologne and on-Baden. The craft will be 984 feet long and 85 feet in diameter. It will be driven by eight motors.

## ADVERSE REPORT ON COOK'S CLAIM

### The University Committee Finds No Proof That He Reached Pole

Special to The Guardian  
COPENHAGEN, Jan. 19.—The committee of the University of Copenhagen has completed its examination of Cook's original notes and confirmed the previous conclusions that not the slightest proof that the explorer reached the North Pole has been submitted.

## PROPOSE TO BUILD THE WAR VESSELS

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 18.—Some of the battleships the Dominion Government propose may be built in Toronto. The management of the ship building department of the big Poison Iron Works has the matter under consideration for some time, and when the tenders are called for will compete for at least a portion of the work. The firm claims it has all the appliances for building some of the gunboats and smaller of the cruisers.

## SEARCH FOR MISSING ENGLISH LORD

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 18.—In a desperate effort to find Lord Osborne Beauclerk, of Sussex, (Eng.) and W. Arlington Pike of Victoria, (B.C.), whose whereabouts have been a mystery since November 10, a typical young plainsman of Arizona, Albert Confaldo, accompanied by a party of five will leave here on Thursday morning. They will sail around the lower California, on Nov 15 Lord Beauclerk and Pike left Yuma in a small boat on a hunting voyage down the Colorado River intending to go to Lapez where they would take a coast steamer.

## A QUESTION OF RIGHT PROCEDURE AT ANTWERP

LONDON, January 18.—From officials in close touch with the Colonial Office it is learned that some months ago the British Consul at Antwerp entered a strong protest against the Canadian office opening there ten years ago, being an advertiser, or carrying on emigration work as a Canadian Government office, claiming that the Dominion had no status in a foreign country like Belgium and that the official interests of the Dominion could only be represented through the highest British official office in Antwerp. The term "Canadian Government office" was later withdrawn from advertisements and office signs and the words "Canadian Information Office" substituted.

## 377 NON-CHRISTIANS CONVERTED DAILY

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The non-Christian population of the world was converted at the rate of 377 souls a day during the past year, according to the summarized statistics of workers from virtually every mission held on the globe, who addressed the convention of the Layman's Missionary movement on Saturday. Nearly fifteen hundred laymen attended the second day's session in the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church despite the storm.

## MISS HARNED AGAIN SEEKS A DIVORCE

ATHOL, Mass., Jan. 18.—Miss Virginia Harned, the wife of E. H. Sothen, who has been paying a visit at the Ranch home of Francis and Mrs. Kingdon, today took a west-bound train accompanied by a woman companion. It is understood that she is going to Reno to renew her efforts to secure a divorce. Miss Harned was unsuccessful in her divorce suit at Reno a few years ago.

## SHAUGHNESSY IS DUBIOUS

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, interviewed said he did not favor extensions Hudson Bay-wards, because of weather risks. It was absolutely impossible to set a term to Canada's possibilities in grain production. She would produce enough to sell to England and the United States, if desired, for a longer period than any one now could see ahead.

## WHICH SIDE

We go our ways in life too much alone; We hold ourselves too far from all our kind; Too often we are dead to sigh and moan; Too often to the weak and helpless blind; Too often where distress and want abide, We turn and pass upon the other side. The other side is trodden smooth and worn; By footsteps passing idly all the day; Where lie the bruised ones that faint and mourn; Is seldom more than an untrodden way. Our selfish hearts are for our feet, The guide— They lead us by upon the other side. It should be ours the oil and wine to pour Into the bleeding wounds of stricken ones; To take the smitten and the sick and sore, And bear them where a stream of blessing runs. Instead we look about—the way is wide, And so we pass upon the other side. Oh, friends and brothers, gliding down the years, Humanity is calling each and all In tender accents, born of grief and tears: I pray you listen to the thrilling call! You cannot in your cold and selfish pride Pass guiltlessly by on the other side.