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OPERA HOUSE BILL

The regular weekly change of vaudeville at the Opera House, opening to-night, includes five high class features selected to make up a lively, likeable entertainment that will suit the most critical taste. There are The Brightons in a novel mag-picking feature, something new for St. John; Wilbur and Lyke in comedy songs, chat and trampoline novelty; Fertig and Dunn, singing, gossip and some clever eccentric dancing; W. E. Browning, dialect comedian and general all around funny man; Martin and Courtney, in "Bits of Travesty"; and the third chapter of the new serial drama, The Lion's Claws, a stirring story of adventure in the African wilds, with daring dashing Marie Walcamp in the leading role. Usual two performance tonight, at 7.30 and 9; one performance tomorrow afternoon at 2.30; the evening as usual. Same popular prices.

SEE THEM AT THE GEM,
LAST TIMES TONIGHT

The Gem tonight will present its present bright vaudeville and picture programme for the last times at 7.15 and 8.45. You'll enjoy Fisher and Hartwell; Galvin, Leroy and Galvin and the Nippon Duo in good specialties; a stinging fun-making picture, "Bliss"; travel scenes in Sweden and the Pacific News Weekly. A big bill of good things. Tomorrow "The Eagle's Eye" and a five-reel feature.

A WORD FOR THE SAILORS.

St. John, N. B., June 27. To the Editor of The Times:—Sir, I would like to say a word in regard to the attitude of the people toward the sailors who visit our city from time to time. In conversation with one of our sailors here a few days ago, he spoke of the feeling which he thought the people had toward the "boys in blue," and which, as he expressed it, was not a very friendly feeling. For instance he said that while visiting one of the prominent city churches he had renewed acquaintance with several young ladies who were very congenial while in the church, but upon meeting these same so-called ladies on the street, and after saluting them as gentlemen should, he stopped and invited them to accompany him to one of the theatres. He was quickly met with a refusal and was both astonished and hurt upon being asked if he would "kindly" cease to recognize them on the public thoroughfare, saying that if he were in khaki or olive they would be glad to go with them.

As a mother with a boy on the fringe line for over two years, I have an honor for the "boys in khaki," yet I realize that if it had not been for the "boys in blue," many of our soldiers would not have reached the shores of England and France. Why then should the sailor boys not have the same place in our hearts and homes that our soldier boys have? I feel sure that this feeling toward the sailors is one caused more or less by thoughtlessness than any desire to slight the sailors, but this nevertheless does not lose the thing, and it seems to me, Mr. Editor, a matter upon which we might very well practice a little war time etiquette.

NAUTICUS.

SOLDIER IS SENTENCED FOR
FALSE CLAIM OF MARRIAGE

Ayer, Mass., June 26.—Robert E. Maynard, of South Boston, private in a machine gun company at Camp Devens, was given a two years' prison sentence for falsely stating that he was married. In a statement by the soldier he asked that part of his pay be allotted to his wife, Elizabeth M. Maynard, but it was proved at his trial by court martial that the claim was fraudulent. The court recommended a five year sentence, but this was reduced to two by the camp commander.

William C. Carten, of Somerville, private in the Field Artillery Battery, was given a ten year term at Fort Jack for refusing to return to his company after being absent a week without leave.

Notice of Births, Marriages
and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

CALLAN.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Callan, June 27, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

WILSON-HANNAH.—In Oxford, N. S., on June 21, James L. Wilson, of Oxford, N. S., to Ida C. Hannah, daughter of James Hannah, of Goldbrook, by Rev. J. L. Wilson.

LEEDMAN-HIBBERT.—In this city on Wednesday, June 26, by Rev. G. Dawson, George Leedman to Helen Hibbert.

DEATHS

WILSON.—In this city on the 27th inst., Mary Ethel, wife of Augustus Wilson, leaving husband, father mother, three brothers and three sisters.

Funeral from her parents' residence, 80 Courtney street, Saturday at 2.30; friends invited to attend.

ESTABROOKS.—At Upper Gagetown on the 26th inst., Henry A. Estabrooks, leaving, besides wife, three sons and one daughter.

KIRBY.—In this city, at the residence of her parents, a Cedar Grove Crescent, on the 27th inst., Phyllis Marion Kirby, aged nine years and six months, eldest daughter of Charles C. and Alice M. Kirby, leaving, besides her parents, one sister to mourn.

IN MEMORIAM

WARN.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Sarah E. Warn, who died June 28, 1912.

"Safe in the arms of Jesus."
DAUGHTER BERTHA.

GREAT OFFENSIVE
IN AUGUST SAYS
A CABLE TO THE
NEW YORK TIMES

A despatch to J. M. Robinson & Sons from New York today quotes a special cable to the New York Times as saying that the Germans plan a very large and powerful offensive in August. Austria is said to be on the verge of financial collapse and Paris fears that martial law will soon be proclaimed throughout the empire.

BRITISH FRONT.

London, June 28.—Considerable artillery activity developed last night on both sides in the region southeast of Gommecourt, southwest of Arras. British patrols inflicted casualties upon the Germans in clashes in this area.

French Advance Line.

Paris, June 28.—French troops last night carried out an operation on the front southeast of Amiens as a result of which their lines were advanced in Senect Wood, on the Arve River. In this action and in other fighting, between the Marne and the Ourcq south of Dammar, prisoners to the number of 122 were taken.

MUTINY AMONG
TROOPS OF HUNGARY

Paris, June 28.—(Havas Agency).—There have been rebellious outbreaks among the garrisons of the cities of Győr and Pozsony, Hungary, as a result of which 2,000 of the military involved in the mutiny have been condemned to death. A whole day in the country. Tickets, return, adults 75c, children 40c.

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LEFT MORE THAN A
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Bulk of J. Ross Robertson Fortune Ultimately Goes to Toronto Hospital for Sick Children

Toronto, June 28.—After providing for some personal and public bequests, the will of J. Ross Robertson, proprietor of the Evening Telegram, directs that his estate, together with his increase during the life time of his wife and son, shall pass, after their deaths, to the hospital for sick children in Toronto.

He further directs that, subject to the editorial control of John H. Robinson, the Evening Telegram shall continue to be published as a "daily journal, independent and unbiased in municipal, provincial, dominion and imperial politics."

In addition to annuities to members of his family and \$10,000 a year to the children's hospital, one week's salary is left to all members of the Telegram staff, together with a gift of \$50,000 dollars to John H. Robinson, editor, and \$10,000 each to the heads of departments in the Evening Telegram. The estate was worth well over \$2,000,000.

WAR NOTES

Lieut. Meszures, a noted French ace, has been seriously wounded. He is in the 1st division of the Paris fire department, died of suffocation while directing the rescue of victims of Wednesday night's raid.

DO YOU NEED GLASSES?

If you are troubled in any way with poor eyesight, or if you have any of the symptoms of eye trouble, you will find it a great comfort to know positively whether you need glasses or not.

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LOCAL NEWS

INSPECT HOSPITAL HERE.

Frederick may have a new isolation hospital. The St. John building is to be inspected for ideas.

FATHER O'DONOVAN'S WILL.

In the matter of the estate of Rev. J. J. O'Donovan, letters of administration have been granted to his sister, Marjorie. Judge H. O. McInerney is proctor.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCES.

A separation allowance board has been appointed at Ottawa to investigate cases in which too much or too little separation allowance is being paid soldiers.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of James Dinmore took place this afternoon from his late residence, Princess street. Services were conducted by Rev. H. A. Goodwin and interment was made in Fernhill.

OFF FOR NORTH POLE.

Christiania, Norway, June 28.—Capt. Roald Amundsen's ship, Maud, in which the explorer will attempt to reach the North Pole, left Christiania today for the north. He will board the vessel at Tromsø. The vessel carries two airplanes.

TO JULY THIS AFTERNOON

In the case of King vs. Hardin in the circuit court this morning, Daniel Mulh, K.C., addressed the jury on behalf of the defense, and William M. Ryan on behalf of the crown. Judge Chandler was addressing the jury at the dinner hour.

WEST SIDE ENTERTAINMENT

A musical and literary entertainment was given last evening in St. Patrick's hall, West St. John. The hall was filled to capacity. The feature of the evening was a lecture by Rev. A. J. O'Neil on Father Ryan, the poet priest.

Boyer's quartette, Mrs. C. Morris, Miss Wetmore, Thomas Morrisey and Joseph Murphy