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AT MAJESTIC LAST EVENING.

lajestic last night to witness the pic ure of Hawker and Grieve in their biplane "Sopwith." Interest in the gallant but unsuccessful attempt at crossing the Atlantic by air by Hawker and his companion was intense, and hence the large number of patrons that were present. The machine being built, her first trial flight in England, her transportation here and arrival at the railway station were shown. Next came the picture of the biplane being hauled to Mount Pearl and her successful take-off there. Next followed Hawker and Grieve testing their little lifeboat in the pond, Bowring Park, and also the aviators swimming around in their ife-saving suits. The Martinsyde biplane, the Sopwith's then competitor, was also thrown on the screen, and Raynham and Morgan, Hawker and Grieve were shown chatting together. The Raymore was shown in flight and such local scenes as the White Hills, Quidi Vidi, Pleasantville, Narrows, Signal Hill, Block House, South Side, shipping in the stream and the inevitable iceberg were seen with great interest, evoking delighted applause from everyone present. Many local people could be seen, among whom were the Postmaster General. Mr. Eric Bowring and others, and as many people present recognized themselves and friends, continued laughter broke forth. Altogether the film was the most interesting one shown here for a long while, and the Majestic deerves the praise of every movie paton. The picture is very new and vividly shows just what really took place. No one should miss "Hawker's Transatlantic Flight," which will be

### Child Welfare Fund Campaign.

Dear Sir .- The Child Welfare Com-

repeated to-night, when the many who

could not gain admittance last night

Editor Evening Telegram.

may see the picture.

mittee of the Women's Patriotic Association intends holding a campaign for the purpose of raising funds, during the week beginning Monday, June 23rd. The entire town will be canvassed, the collectors calling at the houses. The aim of this campaign is to help in saving the lives of the hundred or more babies who die every year in St. John's from causes which are preventable, and to assist in combating disease, ignorance, carlessness, and other evils arising from improper and unsanitary conditions. This is not the concern of a few people, it is everybody's business that the children born in our city should be given a good start in life, with a chance of growing up mentally and physically fit. The abnormally high death-rate among babies in this country, together with the large number of defective children,-lame, tubercular, or requiring treatment for eyes, ears, or throat, etc.—have made it important that a Community Nursing Service should be established in St. John's, which was accomplished last year through the efforts of a few public-spirited

The staff consists of two nurses, who work under the direction of the Medical Health Officer. Their duties are to visit all newly-born children, and to give practical assistance and instruction to the mothers. They also visit sick children when called upon to do so, and render such help and advice as is possible. A further development, that of periodical examination of school children as a means of detecting incipient organic troubles, and preventing epidemics, has been planned, but has not yet materialized. It is found that the nurses at present employed, though hard at work all day, are quite unable to attend to all the calls made upon their time, and a third nurse is urgently required. If the sum of \$250.00 is forthcoming at once, a third nurse can be engaged for the remainder of the year. The cost of the whole service of three nurses would be approximately, \$3500.00 per annum. To meet this, the only settled income is a yearly Government grant its circumscribed powers, legally un-

of \$450.00. The Municipal Council, while anxious to assist, is, owing to able to contribute anything. When the new Charter, so long under discussion, is passed, the Council will be in a position to help substantially in this vitally important work. But the bulk of the amount required, -\$2500.00 yearly,-must be obtained by public subscription. The Women's Patriotic Association, in taking up the uestion of Child Welfare, believes it to be, at present, the most important field of national service for patriotic women. It is work of the atmost value to the community worthy of the widest support, and should not be hampered for lack of found our quality, the most sat-

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