

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN "DADDY LONG LEGS" AGAIN ON THURSDAY

Imperial's Mary Pickford Masterpiece Forced Over to the Fourth Day

The wonderful success of the photoplay version of Jean Webster's charming fiction "Daddy Long Legs" at Imperial Theatre makes it necessary to continue it again Thursday. On Monday and Tuesday the theatre was not large enough to hold all who sought admission, and again this afternoon the machine is of extraordinary proportions. So it has been decided to carry the feature over a fourth day under the same hour arrangements and at the same usual prices. St. John has received this picture as none ever before and there is a very good reason for it—namely, there have been none as good as it, the Pickford brand at any rate.

SENTIMENTAL CONVENTION SWINGS TOWARD FIELDING

(Continued from page 1.) vote of the Canadian people on a referendum. A resolution condemning the government because it has not properly enforced the income tax law moved by Capt. J. W. Wilton, of Winnipeg, and seconded by D. A. Lafontaine, M. P., was carried unanimously.

Abolish Customs Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture for Alberta, who was called upon for a speech, declared that he would be glad to burn every customs house between Canada and the United States. He emphasized the necessity of encouraging increased production.

Swing Toward Fielding

Ottawa, Aug. 6.—A couple of hundred additional delegates arrived this morning to attend the Liberal convention, and more are expected in time to participate in the vote for the leadership which will take place Thursday.

There is still much speculation as to who is likely to be the successful candidate, but this morning there appears to be a swing in the direction of Hon. W. S. Fielding. This is largely due to a report that Hon. W. S. Martin, Saskatchewan premier, will definitely decline to allow his name to go before the convention.

Hon. George H. Murray, premier of Nova Scotia, is being mentioned as a probable candidate, but, on the other hand, it is generally known that Mr. Murray is favorably disposed to the candidature of Mr. Fielding.

Hon. George P. Graham, Hon. W. L. Mackenzie-King and D. D. McKenna are all still in the race with many supporters. At the present time the indications are that none of the candidates are likely to secure a majority of the votes cast on the first ballot and additional ballots will be necessary.

Additional ballots will be necessary. Montreal, Aug. 6.—The Gazette publishes the following despatch from Ottawa: A banished David of Montreal, M. L. A., for Terrence, and delegate for his county to the Liberal national convention, found himself among the Quebec delegation when he laid before them his wish that the Quebec delegation should abstain from participating in the choice of a leader. The doctor in Quebec, Ernest Lapointe, M. P., for Kamouraska and the Liberal leader of the Quebec district of the province, tore the idea to shreds and said that Mr. David was left forlornly to one side, though unchanged in opinion.

Mr. David delivered a speech to his conferees of Quebec, in which he carefully outlined his views. When he had finished Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who was chairman, merely said: "Mr. Lapointe will answer." Mr. David's intention had become known, and preparations made to receive him. Some of his friends advised him early in the day not to persist for his own sake, but he went ahead.

EGYPT INTERESTED Dr. D. Jabour has written the St. John Board of Trade from Cairo, Egypt, advising that there has been established at the Franco-Canadian Medical Institute of Cairo, a commercial agency, one of the purposes of which is to keep in close relations with Canada. The doctor in his letter says that he lived many years in Canada, and because of the happy remembrances he has of that time, he has very much at heart the interests of Canada and its people.

BIRTHS MASON—At Fairville, on Aug. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Mason, a son.

MARRIAGES HARBELL-DOYLE—At the Cathedral on Wednesday, Aug. 6, Rev. Father Moore united in marriage Florence Doyle of this city and Bruce Harbell of Elgin, Alberta Co.

DEATHS MCCLUSKEY—At the Mater Misericordiae Home, on Aug. 5, 1919, Alicia (Thompson), widow of John McCluskey, of Indianapolis, aged eighty-nine years, leaving two sons to mourn. Funeral Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock (old time) from the home to St. Peter's church for solemn requiem high mass. No flowers by request.

ALL THE WAY DOWN THE LINE SAYS REPORT ON THE HIGH PRICES CHARGED FOR SHOES

Washington, Aug. 6.—The high price of shoes was declared to be due to excessive profits taken by every factor in the shoe production industry in a report by the Federal Trade Commission to congress, made public today. The speakers were charged with having begun the pyramiding of shoe prices by an unwarranted increase in the price of hides, the supply of which they were said to control. On top of this increase it was charged, the tanners have taken "exceptional profits" while the shoe manufacturers have demanded an "unusual margin," and the retailers have charged prices that are "not justifiable."

LOCAL NEWS

PICNIC TOMORROW Ludlow St. Baptist picnic at Grand Bay tomorrow (Thursday). Music and refreshments on grounds. Sports. Regular trains leaving Fairville 9:25 a. m., 1:20 p. m., 5:20 p. m.

Tanlac is sold in Fairville by T. H. Wilson. 04181-8-8

Grand sale of bargain millinery—Mrs. Brown, 17 Brussels street, opposite Union. 8-18.

Teamsters and Chauffeurs regular meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m. (old time). Important business.

BIG GARDEN PARTY At last there is to be a real garden party at Sea Side Park. This event which promises to be one of the feature attractions of the season at this popular resort, is to be held Saturday afternoon under the auspices of St. Peter's Y. M. C. A. There will be a programme of sports and games galore in addition to a band concert in the afternoon and evening.

NOTICE In connection with the visit of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, all returned officers and men who have served in France with the 26th Battalion before the signing of the armistice, are asked to meet in the Drill Hall, Armoury, St. John, on Friday evening, August 8th, 8 p. m. (Sgd. W. R. BROWN, Lt.-Col., late O. C. 26th Battalion).

SPECIAL MEETING. Of the Marine Freight Handlers' Union will be held in their hall, Market Place, Thursday evening, Aug. 7, at 8:00 (daylight time). All members are requested to attend. By order of president, 8-8

CARING FOR CIVILIAN VISITORS In connection with the housing of civilian visitors to the city next week the secretary of the N. B. Tourist Association, 404, Adelaide street, has compiled a list of the names, addresses and rate per day (with and without board) of all private homes or boarding houses that can accommodate more people. Please send information promptly. 8-9

INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, LOCAL 278 Members will take notice that Section 8 of Article 5 of by-laws is being strictly enforced. Any member six months in arrears for dues will be stricken off membership roll. By order.

Local 888, Steam and Operating Engineers, will meet in Market Hall, Wednesday evening, Aug. 6, Business of importance. By order of president.

EMBARGO ON FREIGHT RESULT OF STRIKE

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Effects on traffic of the strike of Federated Railroad Shopmen, which started last Friday, were seen today in an embargo placed by several lines in the southwest on all freight shipments except carload lots of live stock and perishable goods. Accessions to the ranks of the strikers which are increasing, it was believed, would lead to additional lines to place embargoes on traffic.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Labor now demands that America become a home of industrial freedom as it has become a land of political freedom, said Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, today in appearing before the house interstate commerce committee in support of organized labor's plans for public ownership and private operation of the railroads.

Declaring that American democracy was controlled by an autocracy in industry, Mr. Stone argued that there could be no solution and no lowering of the cost of living so long as consumers had to pay extortionate profits on their earnings in purchasing the necessities of life.

BURIED TODAY The funeral of Captain James B. Holmes took place this afternoon from his late residence, 79 Hazen street. Service was conducted by Rev. A. H. Crowfoot, and interment made in Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Bertha Helen Fudge took place this afternoon from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Fudge, 45 Murray street.

THE CATHEDRAL PICNIC The Bishop's picnic at Torriburn yesterday was a grand success. The juvenile and the City Cornet bands provided the music, which was enjoyed by all. The convengers of the many commences were: Charles Mitchell, dice block; Leo Holland, dolls; percentage wheel; Fred Driscoll; candy wheel; D. McCarthy; bowling alley; F. Bridger; Tiffany board; William Magee; supper tables; Joseph Nichol; spindles; P. J. Fitzpatrick; refreshments; Mrs. E. McLaughlin; and candy table, Miss Siney.

Just a cup of MORSE'S for you and me mother MORSE'S TEA—always the favorite

VETERANS' FAIR ALL NEXT WEEK

St. Andrew's Rink To Be Scene of Gayety And Mecca of Visitors To City

Arrangements are well advanced for the returned men's fair to be held next week in St. Andrew's rink, every evening except that of Soldiers' Day, when the rink will be closed in order to allow of complete participation in the enjoyment of the travelers programme. Those in charge of the affair would like the assistance of all members who are willing to help in the rink afterwards or evenings of this week in getting ready for the event.

PULLMAN FOR HERE IN CLASH WITH A FREIGHT TRAIN AT SALISBURY

With more than twenty people on board, most of them asleep, the Pullman on the early train from Halifax, due here this morning at 6:05 o'clock, ran into a freight engine at Salisbury, and strange to say no one was hurt. Some of the passengers may have been considerably shaken by the accident but none was reported injured. The accident occurred about 3 o'clock this morning at Jones siding, near Salisbury. The freight train, which was in charge of Conductor Gibson with Driver Howard, was a particularly long one. The passenger express was in charge of Conductor Broad with Brakeman Maber and Driver Anderson.

The presumption is that those in charge of the freight thought the express had all passed and made the switch just as the Pullman trucks were going over, causing the Pullman to be detached and go into the siding. The passengers were transferred to the first class cars and the train arrived about 6 o'clock.

FOR NEW PASTOR A reception was held last evening in the vestry of Waterloo street United Baptist church in honor of the new pastor, Rev. E. J. Dakin, and his wife.

They have recently come from Aylesford, N. S. Deacon James Patterson occupied the chair. Addresses of welcome were given by Rev. W. Camp, Rev. Mr. Jenner, Deacons Robertson and Galleys. Mrs. Patterson sang a solo. Light refreshments were served, and all present had an enjoyable time. The vestry was neatly trimmed for the function.

Rent New Books of Action from Woman's Exchange Library. Open evening. We will buy or exchange good Phonograph records.

Watch This Space!

NEW ARRIVALS Libby's Dill Pickles Vienna Sausages Veal Loaf Crystalized Ginger Canned Lobster Gulden's Mustard Mellor's Sauce At McPHERSON BROS. 181 Union Street 'Phones Main 506 and 507

PERSONAL

Miss Helen Steele of Boston is visiting her cousin, Miss Florence Mills, 124 Britain street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Walker and family have returned after a trip to Montreal, Niagara and Ontario cities.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. C. MacNeill of Montreal, N. B., announce the engagement of their daughter Lena Gertrude, to Ferdinand Richter of Hartford, Connecticut.

Miss Madeline MacNeill left on Monday evening for Woodstock to visit her sister, Mrs. H. M. Bridger.

Arthur C. MacNeill of Frobort, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John MacNeill, Cliff street, after an absence of eight years from the city.

Harold G. Sears will leave on the evening train today for Chicago, after spending a fortnight with his mother, Mrs. Edward Sears, Westfield Beach.

Capt. A. W. Carter of Fair Vale who returned from overseas a few days ago is in Ottawa and is expected home on Thursday or Friday.

Rev. Father Comeau is visiting in the city. He is now stationed in a parish some few miles from Weymouth, N. S., but has been here for the last eight years in Bermuda.

Rev. F. J. McMurray, pastor of St. John the Baptist church, who was taken ill yesterday at Torriburn, is reported today as slightly improved. He is in the infirmary, and his many friends will aid in his immediate recovery.

Mrs. Charles Gillespie and little daughter George, of the Y, are spending the week end in the city.

H. C. Grant, general superintendent of the New Brunswick district, C. P. R., returned today from Montreal.

Bangor Commercial—Mrs. John E. Daley has gone to St. John to visit relatives for a few weeks.

Montreal Gazette—Miss Mamie Wallace, of St. John, N. B., the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Doyle, Manoe St.

How Many Books In This List Have You Read?

The Great Hunger (John Bojer); Invalued Out (Ruth M. Ayres); The Man Nobody Knows (Holworthy Hall), and many more that are sure to interest you, at McDonald's Lending Library. (Rate only 2 cents a day). 7 Market Square. Phone MA 1273.

VEGETARIAN NURSES Encouraging reports were submitted at a meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. Herbert Mayer, West St. John, Senator Daniel presiding. The arrival of two new nurses, Miss Pickering and Miss McKenna, both from the mid-west, was reported. Miss Gulliford, who was on the staff here, has recently been transferred to Montreal. There are now four nurses of the order in St. John. A donation of \$100 from Mrs. Inches towards the funds of the order was acknowledged.

BEAVER ON INCREASE IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Fredericton, Aug. 6.—Wardens and rangers report that beaver are becoming more numerous in all sections of New Brunswick. During the present summer beaver repeatedly have dammed the ditch beside the Fredericton and Grand Lake Railway near Maugerville to form a pond. The breaking of one of the dams was reported on the night of the 2nd inst. The same was done on the entrance to Miramichi Lake, in which practically all the gaspeians which ascend the Southwest from the St. John River, are reared. Ranges repeatedly had to break that dam to give the fish a chance.

Owen Shortill, for years a well known resident of Bay St. John, died last night at the home of his son, Frank Shortill, of North Devon, at the age of eighty-one. He had been ill but a short time. He is survived by one son, Frank, and one sister, Mrs. Catherine Grann, both of North Devon.

Up to date receipts at the department of land and mines from timber license renewals total about \$400,000. It is expected that the final total will slightly exceed that of last year.

Fibery Overseer Alex. McNally of Kingsclear and Warden Cecil Marsten of Meductic, recently had a narrow escape from drowning in Medicine Rapids in the St. John River while on duty in that vicinity. Their canoe upset and both men were in the rapids for several hours. Marsten, who is a returned soldier, had a particularly narrow escape. McNally grasped him and helped him to get a grip on the overturned canoe.

Dr. Walter J. Irvine, dentist, who was injured in a motoring accident on Sunday last is reported to be rapidly improving. It is now believed that the injury to his right hand will not be permanent.

Five Boy Scouts belonging to Woodstock, and six from the St. John West, Sunday School, will walk through to St. John.

Rev. William G. Young of St. John West, Sunday School, will be registered to solemnize marriages.

The following provincial appointments have been made in St. John: Charles H. Ramsey to be justice of peace; Horace A. Porter to be coroner; Patrick Elmer McLaughlin to be notary public.

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FURTHER PREPARATIONS FOR CELEBRATION DAYS

The members of the N. B. Power Company staffs will be represented in the parade on Aug. 14. They intend putting in a float and quite a delegation will probably march in uniform.

Orphans to Be There. A small composite committee this morning interviewed the heads of the orphanages, Catholic and Protestant, in the city and asked their co-operation in having the children of their institutions take part in the greeting to the Prince of Wales. The plan is to have them form a cordon along the south side of King square and sing patriotic greeting when His Royal Highness passes by. It is hoped to secure a donation of about 300 small flags for the youngsters to wave. The children of the orphanages expressed approval of the idea and will help in its execution.

The School Children. The capacity of the High school auditorium was taxed this morning at the rehearsal of the school children for the greeting to the Prince of Wales. There was a distinct improvement in the singing today. This afternoon at 4:30 D. Arnold Fox will be in LaTour school, where the children of the institutions under his direction. There will be another rehearsal on Friday at 10 a. m. in the High school.

26th Battalion Veterans. A meeting of all those who served with the 26th Battalion prior to the armistice has been called for 8 o'clock Friday evening in the armory. The purpose is to decide upon what part the old 26th will play in connection with the visit of the Prince of Wales.

Being Decorated. The main floor of the armory is being decorated for the celebrations next week. The fixtures have been removed and the floor cleared. A squad of painters was busy on the work this morning.

GERMAN COMMISSION TO CARRY OUT THE TERMS OF INDEMNITY

Berlin, Aug. 6.—By the Associated Press.—Resident Ebert has signed a decree by which a German commission is constituted for the execution of the indemnity conditions of the peace treaty. Under Secretary for Finance Bergmann will be president of the commission, and Under Secretary Schroeder, vice-president.

Under another decree issued by Ebert the imperial navy office ceases to exist and the admiralty will have supreme naval authority. The admiralty will be directed by an admiralty chief under the supervision of the minister of defence. The admiralty staff of the navy is dissolved.

THE PRINCE OF WALES VISIT TO ST. JOHN IN 1860

To the Editor of The Times: Sir—Having read with interest the article in Saturday's paper re the above permit me to state that it was on Friday, Aug. 3 (not the second) the Prince landed at Reed's Point. As he passed through the Chipman grounds the Sunday school children threw flowers and sang "God Save the Queen" with the following verse added: "Hail Prince of Brunswick's line, New Brunswick shall be thine. New Brunswick shall be thine. Firm has been, Still loyal, true and brave, Here England's flag shall wave And Britons pray to save The Nation's Heir."

Yours, etc., AN OLD ST. LUKES'S S. S. BOY.

FIREWORKS SUGGESTION

To the Editor of The Times:— Sir—Will you kindly allow space for the suggestion that the ruins of the Court House be used to assist in the fireworks display in next week's celebration. A burning building is always a strong attraction and an ideal representation of this could easily and safely be carried out by the use of colored fire and smoke bombs or smudges. The cost would be small and the effect spectacular, offering entertainment to thousands who will not be able to see the main display at the barracks.

Yours truly, C. S. BROWNLY. August 5, 1919.

ANOTHER SUGGESTION

To the Editor of The Times:— Sir—Will you permit me to make a suggestion through your valuable paper. We all anticipate the coming landing of the Prince of Wales with pleasure, would it not be a good idea to mark the place of landing by a marble or granite block bearing the date of the landing and close by erect a flagstaff on which from sunrise to sunset would float the flag "that for a thousand years has braved the battle and the breeze," tended by a returned soldier, paid by the grateful citizens of a country that he helped to save.

Yours truly, MARINER. West St. John, Aug. 6, '19.

CONFER DEGREE AT LAVAL UPON PRINCE

Quebec, Que., Aug. 6.—The authorities of Laval University are preparing to attend a special reception to the Prince of Wales. An honorary degree will be conferred upon him. Like his grandfather and his father, he will be entertained at the summer residence of the university authorities at Petit Cap, St. Joseph.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, Aug. 6 A.M. P.M. High Tide 8:36 Low Tide 2:37 Sun Rises 6:20 Sun Sets 8:39 Time used is daylight saving.

PORT OF ST. JOHN Arrived Wednesday Coastwise—Star Glenholme, Moore, 125, from Windsor; star Alma, Connors; Barker, 26, from Beaver Harbor. Cleared Wednesday Coastwise—Schr Alma, Connors, for Beaver Harbor.

CANADIAN PORTS Halifax, N. S. Aug. 5.—Arr: Str Atalaha, Bordeaux; Chas M. Everest, Mexico. Sailed—Strs Acadia, hydrographic survey work; Herbert L. Pratt, Port Lobo, Mexico; Choctaw, San Domingo.

BRITISH PORTS Queenstown, Aug. 4.—Arr: sch Silva, Newcastle (NB). Belfast, Aug. 4.—Arr: str Ballygally Head (Br), Montreal. Liverpool, Aug. 4.—Arr: str Sachem (Br), Halifax. Liverpool, Aug. 3.—Arr: str Tunisian, Montreal. Dover, Eng., Aug. 4.—Passed: Str Sicilian, Montreal for London. Plymouth, Aug. 5.—Arr: Str Royal George, New York for Southampton.

FOREIGN PORTS City Island, N.Y., Aug. 4.—Boat south, sch Nellie Eaton, Apple River (NS), for New York.

MARINE NOTES The schooner Georgia D. Jenkins, which grounded on Big Duck Island Tuesday while enroute to New York is now in Market slip undergoing repairs. As soon as she is made tight she will proceed to New York with her cargo of pigs. The Royal Mail Steam Packet liner Chaudiere moved up to Pettigall wharf this morning from the sugar refineries where she discharged over 4,000 bags of sugar. The schooner Abbie C. Stubbs, which is discharging a cargo of coal, will leave for Gagetown tomorrow to load lumber for New York.

STRIKE MATTERS IN MOTHERLAND London, Aug. 6.—Lord Robert Cecil, in the House of Commons yesterday inquired as to the government's policy in the face of a threatened general strike in favor of direct action, to which Andrew Bonar Law repeated a statement that the government would resist such a movement with all the forces at its disposal. Ten thousand miners at twenty collieries at Midlothian and East Lothian, Scotland, were called out last night to begin a strike a week hence in support of strikers at another Midlothian pit, who after a strike of ten weeks, failed to attain their object. Liverpool today will be without bread, owing to the bakers' strike. The position is so serious that Charles A. McCurdy, secretary to the food ministry, left for Liverpool last night to arrange ameliorative measures. Doctors' Union. Liverpool, Aug. 6.—Tramway service was suspended completely today and there was virtually no bread to be had as a result of the strike movement which began with the police and now includes the tramway men and the bakers. Municipal employees last night voted to give twenty-four hours' strike notice unless demands of the tramways men were met. Physicians today adopted a resolution in favor of organizing themselves on a trade union basis.

RECORD SUGAR CROP IN CUBA New York, Aug. 6.—The sugar crop of Cuba this year is expected to break all records, according to Gabriel Menocal, brother of the president of Cuba, who arrived here today from Havana.

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