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PLAYS AND PLAYERS

Budget of News Concerning Stage Favorites Known to St. John Audiences.

Miss Elvira Leveroni, a Boston contalto, has been engaged to sing principal parts at Covent Garden, London. She sailed from New York this week on the steamer Finland, and will remain in London until the Covent Garden season closes in July. Afterwards she will spend several months in Paris studying French roles and diction. She has been engaged to appear at the Boston Opera House next season and has agreed to add several important French contralto parts to her Italian repertory. Miss Leveroni has been a member of the Boston Opera Company since its inception three years ago. She created in Boston the part of the Indian squaw in "The Girl of the Golden West," and this will be one of the parts she will sing in London.

Dallas Welford, who is remembered in St. John as the funny fellow "Theophilus" in the first visit of Madame Sherry, here last season, has been engaged by F. Zeigfield, Jr., for a part in his new comedy in music, "The Winsome Widow." Emmy Whelen is in the lead, and Harry Conor is also playing a part.

Robert McWade, jr., and Emma Dunn, both of whom played here some years ago with W. S. Harkins, have been engaged to support Emmett Corrigan in "The Governor's Lady," to be produced in New York very soon.

Though reviewers were more chivalrous than to say so much, they were all surprised at the splendid performance of Nancy Sikes given by Constance Collier in the notable revival of Oliver Twist, in New York. She avoided heroics and made the unfortunate creature of London's underworld a woman to draw pity from anyone. Miss Collier began her stage career in London in 1893, in a Gaiety burlesque called Don Juan. She immediately sprang into prominence by assuming Violet Robinson's role in The Gaiety Girl at Daly's, London. She later played in The Shop Girl, at the Gaiety, filling a long engagement, and following it by emerging from musical comedy into straight drama.

Edward O'Connor Terry, well known in St. John, who died in Surrey, G. B., was one of the most popular actors on the British stage. The son of an able actor, John Terry, he was born in London in 1844. He made his first appearance on the stage in London at the Surrey Theatre, in 1867, and very quickly achieved marked success, playing successively at the Lyceum Theatre in 1868, and at the Strand Theatre in 1869. He remained at the Strand until 1875, when he went to the Gaiety, and played there for the next nine years.

Then, striking out for himself, he opened Terry's Theatre in 1887, producing "Sweet Lavender," and playing "Dick Phenyl," 670 times. About this time he assisted in writing "The Churchwarden," a successful farce and "Love in Idleness," a comedy which had a long run.

Mr. Terry had long been prominent in the Masonic craft, and was a past grand treasurer of the English Masons and founder of Edward Terry Lodge. He was twice married, first in 1870, to Nellie Deitz, and second, in 1904, to Florence Edgecombe, widow of Sir Augustus Harris. He leaves a son and a daughter.

Evidently an actor who needs no introduction to St. John audiences, Robert Mantell, has been meeting with better patronage in other cities than was accorded him in this city. Mr. Mantell remarks that if Shakespeare spells ruin there is something the matter with the dictionary, inasmuch as his own tour in the classic repertoire this season already shows a profit of $02,000. In the vigorous young cities of Western Canada the top price of admission was $3, and $2,000 houses were the rule.

Charles Klein has completed the second act of his dramatization of Rex Beach's novel, "The Ne'er-Do-Well," which the Authors' Producing Company will present in September. Mr. Klein's latest comedy The Outsiders, will be ready for production in revised form in September.

Suit has been filed by Olga Nethersole against Theodore W. Liebler and George W. Tyler, of Liebler & Company, to collect $31,774 alleged to be due her under contract for the two seasons, 1910-1911 and 1911-1912. The actress contends that the agreement called for her to play under the plaintiffs' management for twenty-five weeks each season at $1,000 a week, that she was paid only a little more than $10,000 during the first season and nothing since, and that her expenses for transportation of herself, maid and baggage, for printing and photographs, were defrayed by her and not by the firm as, she asserts, was arranged. She says that she has held herself in readiness this season to fulfill her part of the contract.

George F. Hall, who played here in "The Ragged Hero' 'and who is now known as the "Yankee Story Teller," has arrived in New York after another successful year in London and the British provinces. He will remain in the States until October, when he will open his third English tour at the Royal Hippodrome, Liverpool.

Margaret Illington has concluded her engagement at the Cort Theatre, Chicago, after two months of profitable business. Miss Illington will begin a road tour immediately in Kindling, going to the Pacific coast. She will end her season on July 13 in Tacoma, the home of her husband, E. J. Bowes, under whose management she is starring. Mr. and Mrs. Bowes will remain in Tacoma for a few weeks and will spend some time on a camping trip in the Olympic Mountains with Mr. and Mrs John Cort, returning to New York about August 1 to prepare for the opening of the new Illington Theatre, which will be managed by Mr. Bowes. Miss Illington in a new play will be the opening attraction.

Nat C. Goodwin has sent his lawyer, Herman L. Roth, to Colorado to sue a Denver editor for having published certain articles which the actor regards as libelous. The editor is said to have referred to Mr. Goodwin as "a robber of the fireside and home and a man who dragged defenseless women to an altar and then later deserted them."

Frances Starr is said to have gone still higher on the artistic ladder by her impersonation of Becky in The Case of Becky, a play which has aroused great attention and discussion. Miss Starr's role is a sort of feminine Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, which gives the actress ample opportunity for the use of her maturing art.

The pupils of the Wadleigh High school, which is a part of the public school system of New York, are very much excited these days, and it is all due to a desire on the part of the instructors in literature and composition to promote dramatic criticism. With this aim in view, the pupils are attending performances of "The Quaker Girl," a successful musical comedy which Henry B. Harris is presenting at the Park Theatre, and writing a column story on the play together with their opinion of the actors in the company.

When Helen Ware appears in Cincinnati, she will give a try-out performance of "The Child Wife," a new play by Elmer Harris. If the play comes up to expectations, it is the intention of Henry B. Harris to present it next season in New York.

Ruth Chatterton has attracted the attention of all patrons of the Liberty, New York, since Henry Miller opened there in The Rainbow. She scored one of the most immediate hits on theatrical record, and has been coupled with Gertrude Bryan as one of the finds of the season. She was born in New York eighteen years ago, and served her first apprenticeship in the Columbia Theatre Stock company in Washington two years ago. Without applying for the position, she was persuaded to play Polly in Merely Mary Ann. After that she remained with the organization for eighteen weeks, working her way ahead until she was filling the ingenue roles before the engagement terminated. Last winter she played a long season in similar work in Milwaukee, and last summer in Worcester. In October Miss Chatterton was Isolde Brand in The Great Name with Henry Kolker. Mr. Miller engaged her for A. E. Thomas' play, and her contribution to its success is very considerable. She unites the good points of ingenues with none of the affectations which young actresses are so prone to fall into. Hers is a future of promise if she follows the precepts of artists older than she.

Mrs. Mazie La Shelle Hunt, widow of Kirke La Shelle, brought suit on March 16 against Paul Armstrong for $12,095 damages and title to the play The Heir to the Hoorah. She alleges that Mr. La Shelle agreed to pay Mr. Armstrong $16,000, of which $5,424 was paid in 1905, when production was enjoined by H. J. W. Dam, who contended that the play was based on a story of his and who has been awarded a verdict of $22,360 against the La Shelle estate.

A pathetic scene was enacted before the stage door of the Century Theatre, New York, the other morning. Those of "The Garden of Allah" Arabs who refused to remain away from their numerous wives and children longer than the six months to which they had originally agreed, bade farewell to their associates of the winter. Many of the Arabs who are to remain shed tears, and one of the departing, Abdussulam el Hani, in his own land a prosperous dealer in oil, was so affected that at the last minute he decided to remain. The others clambered on the motor truck belonging to the theatre and started for the dock to the cheers of the crowd that had assembled.

Mary Fuller has portrayed many roles since she first espoused the cause of motion photography and not a few of them have been genuine artistic creations. She has essayed parts ranging from light comedy to heroines of tragedy, for example, from Cynthia's Wedding Trip to Aida and Electra. She has won many friends and admirers by her clever delineations in the motion picture play.

"Just a year ago last Christmas," says Donald Brian, the star of The Siren, at the Colonial theatre, "I was playing in The Dollar Princess, or perhaps I ought to say, attempting to play. Certainly I was merely attempting to sing, for that arch enemy tonsilitis had me in its grip.

"Then the note from Mr. Frohman came Christmas eve and I was to report at his office the next day, just prior to the matinee. I had had enough experience with him to know that he was not unreasonable But nevertheless I scented trouble.

"When I walked into Mr. Frohman's office he was seated at his desk. 'That you, Brian?' he said, without looking up. 'A merry Christmas to you. Here's a little present.'

"And in a daze I saw him holding out a paper—my two weeks' notice. I mentally decided, and trembled as I took it.

"'Take it home and look it over,' he said, 'If you're satisfied sign it and send it back.' I backed out of the office, not knowing what I was doing—if I said good-bye or thank you I did it subsconsciously without any knowledge of the fact. And I didn't have the courage to look at the communication until I had gone into my dressing room at the theatre and locked the door against any possible intrusion. Then I pulled the paper from my pocket, opened it, and read—'a starring contract for The Siren(entered into by Charles Frohman with Donald Brian.'

"Fifteen minutes later I was on the stage dancing and singing as I do not suppose I have ever danced or sung before or since Tonsilitis—grippe—cold fever? I had absolutely forgotten that such things existed. That bit of paper contained the best and promptest working prescription I had ever had. Yes, I think that Christmas, just one year ago, was my greatest. And Charles Frohman was my Doctor Santa Claus."

IN FEAR OF CONSUMPTION

To be entirely cured of a cold which threatened to become consumption naturally makes one think well of the treatment which helped to effect the cure.

In a letter just received from Mrs. Edson Brock, Trenholm, Que., the writer says: "I wish to tell you that I have used Dr. Chase's medicines with great success. I took a very bad cold and could not get rid of the cough. I felt so bad that I really thought I was going into consumption. I got well by using Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills also did me a lot of good. You may publish this if you wish, for many people already know what great good Dr. Chase's medicines have done me."

NORDICA AT THE NEXT MAINE MUSIC FESTIVAL

Madame Lillian Nordica, Maine's great offering to the world of song, will be the prima donna at the next Maine Musical Festival, the negotiations to bring about this desired result having been successful.

The completion of the new Portland City hall, as the new home for the Festival in that city, gives a new interest to the plans for the 16th annual. Festival. The magnificent organ, also furnishes an extra opportunity for musical effects. Director Chapman has long expressed the wish that Madame Lillian Nordica, the world-renowned Queen of Song, should dedicate this new auditorium. She is the greatest artist ever produced in this state, which has given several prominent stars to the musical world. Mr. Chapman has just received the contract signed by this famous prima-donna, and is glad to announce to the music loving patrons of Maine that Madame Nordica will sing the first solo notes in this grand auditorium. After the chorus has sung the Hallelujah Chorus with organ and orchestra, as usual on the opening night, she will sing the glorious aria, "Let the Bright Seraphim."

CITIZENS' TICKET ALL ON SECOND BALLOT EXCEPTING MR. FISHER

H. B. Schofield, One of the Five, Leads the Poll—Mayor Frink and T. H. Bullock to Contest for Mayoralty—The Vote in Detail

THE VOTE BY WARDS

	Guys	Brooks	Sydney	Dukes	Queens	Prince No. 1	Prince No. 2	Kings	Wellington	Victoria	Lansdowne	Dufferin	Lorne	Stanley	Totals
FOR MAYOR:															
Bullock	245	124	131	137	183	115	92	121	202	174	264	272	259	93	2412
Fisher	88	50	71	188	290	81	74	156	154	155	104	122	121	38	1692
Frink	91	60	93	161	211	108	124	156	169	114	137	139	141	23	1727
FOR COMMISSIONERS:															
Agar	70	42	85	233	339	119	124	239	245	214	120	155	136	30	2151
Allan	104	54	91	248	382	99	74	208	202	173	111	130	160	42	2078
Allingham	139	63	83	157	239	66	64	151	143	142	81	94	125	35	1684
Codner	22	11	18	41	34	9	6	7	29	27	60	78	65	9	416
Green	20	3	27	35	53	11	16	25	13	16	11	20	12	1	253
Hyatt	3	7	5	5	6	9	2	7	7	6	8	40	4	4	114
Jones	32	20	87	86	104	52	43	77	89	43	69	72	58	8	840
McLeod	234	142	25	46	70	33	32	43	65	55	71	58	114	30	1018
Maxwell	75	69	52	41	35	44	45	33	74	49	83	120	57	22	799
McGoldrick	63	33	70	80	117	85	85	120	129	74	173	167	111	91	1398
McLellan	161	76	99	173	211	108	92	144	179	171	262	200	274	77	2217
Potts	34	13	82	122	133	77	65	65	119	110	163	139	190	35	1347
Schofield	125	49	98	294	450	121	110	202	246	230	145	160	191	35	2516
Scully	155	99	57	65	83	82	84	96	134	38	110	115	90	19	1247
Sime	4	5	11	9	13	10	7	9	9	6	7	11	21	3	125
Sommerville	28	8	10	48	95	28	30	32	43	41	16	29	28	5	441
Sproul	57	18	53	45	60	86	76	41	88	78	120	62	64	13	861
Wigmore	205	103	99	117	170	82	72	86	138	145	209	155	234	32	1847
Totals by wards	1955	1049	1347	2332	3278	1427	1327	2078	2477	2081	2314	2338	2455	645	

The action of the Citizens' Committee in placing a ticket in the field received hearty approval in yesterday's election and the four candidates for commissionerships who received their support received a very heavy vote, H. B. Schofield leading the polls and three of the candidates appearing in the first four, and all of them qualifying for a position on the second ballot. Their only loss was that of W. S. Fisher for mayor, who ran thirty-five votes behind Mayor Frink for a place in the second election, ex-Mayor Bullock leading Mayor Frink by a substantial majority. The vote for Mr. Fisher is regarded as especially creditable when it is considered that he was not in the city to contest the election.

The other commissioner candidates who appear in the first eight and whose names will be voted on in the next election are H. R. McLellan, Aldermen Wigmore, McGoldrick and Potts.

The returns were in early in spite of the fact that the vote polled was very large. By eight o'clock all the wards had reported except Lansdowne, and this came in an hour later.

One of the features of the election was the large number of voters who were unable to vote on account of lack of time. There was serious congestion in several of the wards during the afternoon and it is estimated that at least 150 citizens were cut off from voting when the polls closed. Either longer hours or the division of some of the larger wards may be necessary to overcome this.

The returns were received by the Citizens' Committee in the board of trade rooms and when their victory was made certain there was general rejoicing. H. B. Schofield made a brief speech on behalf of the candidates thanking the committee for their support.

Herbert B. Schofield led the field with a total vote of 2,516, a majority of 299 over H. R. McLellan, the next highest man, and a lead of 1,169 over Ald. F. L. Potts, the lowest man of the eight now qualified for the finals. Following Mr. McLellan, who received 2,217, came Miles E. Agar and Clarence B. Allan, both of the citizens' ticket, with 2,151 and 2,078 respectively. The next highest man is Ald. Wigmore, who was 231 votes behind Mr. Allan.

Walter W. Allingham, the representative of labor on the citizens' ticket, also polled a splendid vote, although he was under heavy handicap owing to there being two other west side men in the field, and as these are both eliminated in the second contest there is little doubt that he will receive a big influx in his vote two weeks hence. He received yesterday 1,584 votes or a majority of 237 over Ald. Potts, so that he had plenty to spare.

Ald. McGoldrick succeeded in remaining in the fight as he received 1,398 votes, or 1,108 behind the high man on the citizens' ticket.

Ald. Potts is the eighth man with 1,347 votes, having just 100 to the good over Ald. Scully, who polled 1,247 votes. Ald. McLeod was tenth man with 1,018 votes, ex-Ald. Sproul got 861, Ald. J. B. Jones 840, while George Maxwell, the candidate of the Independent Labor party, received 799 votes. One of the surprises of the campaign was the poor showing of Ald. Green, who received only 253 votes all over the city. John Sime ran close to Fred Hyatt for cellar honors, Mr. Sime receiving 125 votes, while 114 marked their papers for the Socialist candidate.

An alalysis of the vote shows that 5,831 ballots were counted in the mayoralty contest, besides a large number of spoiled ballots. This is a very good showing for a primary election out of about 8,400 qualified electors. Ex-Mayor Bullock received 2,412 vote, Mayor Frink 1,727 votes and W. S. Fisher 1,692, so that the combined vote against Mr. Bullock is 3,419 or a majority of 1,007.

Mayor Frink's friends said last night they were confident that the bulk of the vote cast for Mr. Fisher will be switched to the support of the present mayor and the final contest is expected to be very interesting.

TORONTO LADS IN ALL DAY BATTLE

Toronto, April 9—In a battle which was waged nearly all yesterday afternoon between rival gangs of boys around the Grand Trunk tracks at Jones avenue, thirteen year old Edward Bana, of 17 Maplewood avenue, was shot through the hand with a small calibre rifle, and Gordon Foster, twelve years old, 5 Victoria avenue, was knocked senseless. The mother of young Foster declares that the battle was the result of ideas gained by the lads of the neighborhood at moving picture shows.

NEW YORK SOCIETY MAN CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED MURDER

New York, April 9—Frederick O. Beach, the broker and society man, who is charged with attempting to kill his wife, and who with Mrs. Beach, is now in London, will return to this country to meet the charges against him, according to a statement made tonight by the law firm of Nichol Anable, Lindsay & Fuller of this city.

IS SICKNESS A HABIT?

With many sickness undoubtedly becomes to some extent a habit. They have "bilious spells," "sick headaches," "attacks of indigestion." Why not shake loose from these ailments and know once more the joy of good health?

It takes a little will power. You may have to deny yourself some luxuries which do not agree with you, but it is worth while to be well and to prolong life. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will help you, because they act definitely and directly on the liver and thereby remove the cause of biliousness, headache and indigestion.

Stir up the liver by taking one Kidney-Liver pill occasionally at bedtime and you will free yourself of many annoying ills, the temper will be less irritable, and you will find more joy in living.

MASTER PLUMBERS' AT FESTIVE BOARD

Banquet in Victoria Brought Out Good Speeches and all Had Pleasant Time

To a table nicely decorated and set for about fifty, the members of the newly formed Master Plumbers' Association of New Brunswick sat at a banquet last evening in the dining room of the Victoria Hotel. The banquet was tendered the visiting delegates by the local members. It was most enjoyable and all present thoroughly appreciated the good time, the excellent menu, and the programme of speeches and other numbers. The speakers predicted success for the new association and visitors from outside St. John congratulated the local members on their work in aiding in bringing negotiations to such a stage that the organization was easily completed.

The objects of the association were dwelt upon and approval expressed. The newly formed body has been organized to advance the interests of the plumbing trade in general, to promote general good feeling between the public and the members of the trade, to develop better sanitary conditions, and to encourage educational and creative talent among the men engaged in the work of plumbing.

The master plumbers from Fredericton, Moncton, Campbellton, St. Stephen, and other centres in the province are elated over the formation of the association as they feel it will greatly tend to better conditions, and they are of the belief that in towns where the need of a local association is felt, it will not be long before one is organized.

George Blake, the president of the Provincial Master Plumbers' Association occupied the chair last evening and made an interesting address in which he welcomed the visiting delegates, and referred to the prospects of the newly formed body, contrasting conditions of a few years ago with those at present. He proposed the toast to the King, which was honored in music. "Our Guests" was responded to by John Keeffe, manager of The James Robertson Co., Ltd., and Wm. A. McLaughlin of the Dominion Radiator Co. "The Visiting Delegates" was spoken to by visiting master plumbers from various centres, among them Mr. Dorman, of Moncton, Mr. Estano of Moncton, Mr Marquis of Campbellton, Mr. Wallace of Campbellton, Mr. Dixon of Moncton, Mr. O'Brien of Fredericton, and Mr. Steeves of St. Stephen. Mr. Campbell of the Taylor-Forbers Co. replied to the toast to "The Supply Houses," while H. Dunbrach and Peter Campbell made response to the toast to "The St. John Association." All the speeches were of a congratulatory nature and the speakers predicted success for the association. Songs were sung by John Keeffe and Harry Doody and some time after midnight the gathering was brought to a close with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

Had Boils On Neck and Arms.

Had Them Lanced But, Got No Relief Until He Used

Burdock Blood Bitters.

Boils in themselves are not a dangerous trouble, but still, at the same time are very painful. They are caused entirely by bad blood, and for you to get rid of them it is absolutely necessary to put the blood into good condition. For this purpose there is no remedy that can compare with Burdock Blood Bitters. This preparation has been on the market for about 35 years, and has a reputation unequalled by any other for the making of pure, rich, red blood. Mr. H. J. Batten, Stratford, Ont., writes:—"I have been troubled for several weeks with boils on my neck and arms. I had them lanced by the doctor, but as soon as one went others came. I tried all kinds of so called remedies, but could get no relief till I was advised to try Burdock Blood Bitters. I am pleased to say I am now quite free from those most painful things, and feel much better in every respect.

"My boy, of nine years, had a rash come over his back and legs, so we gave him a few doses and now he is all right again."

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GLASS MENDED

Earthenware, glass or other useful crockery that has become cracked can be cemented together by mixing a little white lead and spreading this upon a strip of old linen rag This should be neatly laid over the damaged part and allowed to dry, says the Philadelphia Times. A few bands of stout twine should also be securely tied around the article to make the repair more secure.

MR. ADVERTISER

The circulation of The Evening Times for each day of last week was as follows:—

April	1 Monday	11,880
"	2 Tuesday	11,840
"	3 Wednesday	11,800
"	4 Thursday	11,924
"	5 Friday	Holiday
"	6 Saturday	12,000
Week's Total		**59,444**
Average Daily		**11,888**

Mr. Advertiser:—If your Ad. isn't in the Times to-day, hadn't you better call, write, or telephone? Think it over.

TRADE AGREEMENTS NEXT WITH AUSTRALIA AND SOUTH AFRICA

Ottawa, April 10—Before the Duke of Connaught, the reciprocity treaty between Canada, the British West Indies and British Guiana was signed at 3.30 this afternoon. A memorandum was subsequently issued but no details as to the commodities included in the agreement were given with it.

The Canadian government will now turn its attention to negotiating similar trade agreements with Australia and South Africa and preliminary pour parlers looking to conferences this coming summer to conduct negotiations are now in progress.

No definite replies from either Australia or South Africa have yet been received by Hon. George E. Foster, who is in charge of the proposals of the Canadian government, and it is doubtful if any tangible results can be achieved this year, owing to conflicting interests and opinions in the commonwealth and in the South African dominion.

GREAT NUMBER AT FUNERAL OF CAPTAIN "BILL" DALY

With the church bells tolling a requiem and the flags at half staff on all the public buildings, town officials of Revere, Mayor Fitzgerald or Boston, actors and actresses, and men prominent in fraternal political and sporting circles joined with his townspeople in paying a last tribute to the memory of "Captain" William Daly, formerly of Bathurst, N. B., the last of the once famous theatrical group of Daly boys, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Revere on Sunday afternoon

More than 500 men and women were unable to get into the church, and thronged Pleasant street and Winthrop avenue in the vicinity while the service was in progress. Not since March 29, 1904, when both Dan and Tim Daly, brothers of "Capt. Bill," were buried from the same church, has there been such a large funeral in Revere.

The escort from the house to the church was headed by Stiles' 8th Regiment Band of Lynn. The Band was followed by the Lynn lodge of Elks. The Revere lodge of Elks, 1171, was next in line, and was followed by the Revere aerie of Eagles, 781, members of Paul Revere lodge, A. O. U. W., and delegations from several yacht clubs.

The floral tributes filled three baronches. Burial was in Holy Cross cemetery. Father Lee officiated at the services at the grave.

NEWS OF MONCTON

Moncton, N. B., April 9—The city council proceedings tonight were enlivened by a delegation from Georgetown, who vigorously protested against being taken into the city by the Moncton extension bill, now before the legislature. Six residents of the suburb comprised the deputation and they claimed a majority of the property holders were opposed to coming into the city. They charged those favoring being taken into incorporation were forging names to the petition and misrepresenting the attitude of the people.

Some aldermen want to compel the Moncton Tramways Electricity & Gas Co. to live strictly up to their agreement with the city or give up the lease of the lighting plant. Only the casting vote of the mayor tonight prevented the city giving legal notice to the company that the latter. not having carried out its contract, the city would at the expiration of two months take over its lighting plant and franchise leased to the company. The matter was deferred till next meeting on the mayor's vote.

Aldermen complained that the city has not been getting a fair deal and notice is to be given of a protest against the price to be charged for natural gas, both for domestic and manufacturing purposes. Notice is to be served on the company and taken up with the utilities commission.

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No other cereal food is so widely liked as Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes. Its flavor pleases everybody. Order a tenent package from your grocer today.

TAFT AUTHORIZES SHIPMENT OF ARMS TO MEXICAN GOVERNMENT

Washington, April 9—President Taft today authorized the shipment into Mexico of several stated consignments of munitions of war for the army of President Madero. The exceptions to the American proclamation forbidding the exportations of war material into the southern republic, which proclamation is being applied only to the rebels, include six machine guns, with 220,000 rounds of ammunition, spare barrels and belts, 800; with 254,000 cartridges, 80 revolvers and four cartridge loading machines. In addition an industrial concern was permitted to receive 7,500 cases of dynamite.

BRIQUETTING PLANT FOR INVERNESS, C. B.

We understand, says the Inverness News, that the Inverness Railway & Coal Company, contemplate the erection of a washing plant and a briquetting plant. The briquetting of coal is very common in England, and on the continent of Europe, and has proved very profitable, as it eliminates all waste and the briquettes can be stored for an indefinite period without danger of heating, which sometimes occurs when large quantities of slack coal are stored.

These briquettes will be available for domestic use, and can also be used to advantage in locomotives. By washing the coal, thereby removing all impurities, a very superior grade of briquettes will be produced.

WHY BACKS ACHE

The Kidneys Seldom to Blame—The Trouble Due to Blood Impurities

There is more nonsense talked about backache than any other disease. Some people have been frightened into the belief that every backache means deadly kidney trouble. That is utter ubbish. As a matter of scientific fact not one backache in twenty has anything to do with the kidneys. Most backaches come from sheer weakness and kidney drugs can't possibly cure that. You need something to build you up and give you new strength and that is exactly what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will do. Other backaches are really muscular rheumatism, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the worst poisonous acid out of the blood. Other backaches are the symptoms of ordinary ailments such as influenza, indigestion, constipation, and live complaint. In women backaches often come from the troubles that follow so surely on any weakness or irregularity in the usual blood supply. The one way to cure these backaches is to strike at the root of the trouble with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which enrich the blood and bring strength to aching backs and weak nerves. Mr. Alex. Cockburn, Deloraine (Man.), says: "About three years ago I suffered teribly from backache. I consulted a doctor and took his medicine, and wore a plaster, but did not get the least relief. Then I got a belt, but this was as useless as the other treatment, and my suffering still continued. Then one of my friends asked me why I did not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I got a box. Before they were all used there was some improvement in my condition and I got three boxes more. By the time I had taken these all the signs of the pain had gone, and as it has not since returned I feel that the cure is permanent. My only regret is that I did not hear of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills sooner, for not only would I have got rid of the pain sooner, but would also have saved twenty-five dollars uselessly spent in other treatments."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers in medicine or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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