LAST TIME FOR THE

"COMMON LAW" TONIGHT Tonight in Imperial Theatre Robert chance to see the splendid vaudeving W. Chambers' bold and vivid novel, "The programme at the Opera House and that is tonight, at either 7.30 or 9 o'clock. Common Law," will be presented for the last time starting at 7.15 and 9 respections to the common of this week as the towns has been secured for the annual

VIVIAN MARTIN'S BABY

BROTHER, BILLY BOY
AND RAGS, THE TRAMP DOG
Vivian Martin, who was such a dear,
sweet little thing in "Her Father's Son,"
"The Stronger Love" and other productions in the Paramount service, will appear on Thursday afternoon and evening only at Imperial Theatre in a compelling human story of slum life in New York entitled "The Right Direction." It will be agreed that this is not a very good title for the fiction but nevertheless the picture is one of the gems of the first performance at the Lyric tonight, which will commence at seven o'clock sharp, the theatre will be given over to the members of the 16th Field Ambulance, when they will present an attractively arranged concert for this ambulance depot. Tonight will be the last opportunity of seeing Ann Murdock in "Where Love Is."

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BIG ONE AT GEML

Rex Beach's great Alaskan story, "Pardners," will be featured at the Gem tonight in an all new programme of much merit. It is a great five act pictonight in an all new programme or much merit. It is a great five act pic-ture with that wonderful emotional act-ress, Charlotte Walker, starred. In the vaudeville will be seen Francis Elliott, a clever female impersonator and the Two Musical Comiques in an entertaining musical act. You'll enjoy it all.

### **PERSONALS**

Miss Edith Gilmour, of St. George, is in St. John to attend the millinery openings and also on a visit to friends. Mrs. George H. Scott, (nee McKay) ance requested. afternoon and evening of March 14, at fternoon and evening of March 14, at cigarettes, tobaccos. Our profit-sharing gives you a coupon with every purchase. Senator Thorne returned to the city They are valuable. Save them.—Louis

on the late train last night from Fred- Green, Charlotte street. Hon. C. W. Robinson came in from

Hon. C. W. Robinson came in from Spring millinery opening Thursday, Moncton last night and registered at the 18th, and following days at the Misses Royal.

Thurmott and Johnson's, 16 Mill street. F. B. Carvell, M. P., of Woodstock, The Quinine That Does Not Affect the was in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carleton, of West

Because of its tonic and laxative effect,
St. John, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Laura May, to
Albert L. McKenzie of Penobsquis, The
wedding to take place at the last of
March.

Head

Because of its tonic and laxative effect,
Laxative Bromo Quinine can be taken
by anyone without causing nervousness
or ringing in the head. There is only
one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S
signature on box. 25c.

Scott D. Guptill, M.P.P. of Grand Manan, accompanied by Mrs. Guptill, arrived in the city last night and left

again this morning.

Mrs. Jeanette Sunshine Strong of New To the Editor of The Times: York is at the Royal hotel.

W. S. Sutton, M.P.P. of Woodstock is in the city today.

PHILLIPS-NORTHRUP — At the Methodist parsonage, Carmarthen street, on the 14th inst, by the Rev. Robert S. Crisp, David A. Phillips of Randolph to Mrs. Sarah Northrup of this city.

DEATHS

ROURKE—At 331 Charlotte street, West St. John, Catherine Frances, third daughter of Edward T. and Margaret Rourke, aged four years.

(Savannah and Baltimore papers of the word not so much libration the true sense of the word not so much libration. But what will we say of the many millions of young men in the empire who have not joined the colors? Are they less brave than those who have gone? I wish to commend Colonel Guthrie for this splendid utterance in one of his speeches: "We have no cowards in Canada." I am glad he said that. It is my true belief. It takes extraordinary courage to enlist for this war. It is life or death. Do I prefer civil life and ease, or duty or probable death? On this great issue hangs all of our holding back. Am I willing to die West St. John, Catherine Frances, third daughter of Edward T. and Margaret Rourke, aged four years.

(Savannah and Baltimore papers (Savannah and Baltimore papers our holding back. Am I willing to die for my country or not? If you had an opportunity to be a hero like the late fred Young of immortal fame would you embrace it? The day Fred Young died among about 500 people on the what only three offered to risk death

## IN MEMORIAM

MAHONEY—In loving memory of Mrs. Ann Mahoney, who departed this life March 14, 1915.

Upon a silent grave,
Where thou sleepest, Dearest Mother;
One we loved but could not save.
DAUGHTER, MRS. RODDAY.

Mrs. J. G. Cheesman wishes to thank the staff of the General Public Hospital, also her many friends for kindness and sympathy extended during her recent bereavement.

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Amusement lovers have just one mo

MILLINERY OPENING

CARPENTERS WANTED

"NOTICE"

MILINERY OPENING.

HONOR THE SOLDIERS

M. R. A. ad., page 5.

W. Chambers' bold and vivid novel, "The Common Law," will be presented for the last time starting at 7.15 and 9 respectively. Prior to each commencement of the big picture the weekly magazine pictures will be shown. Tuesday's crowds at the Imperial equalled those of Monday and it is truly remarkable the lively interest that this widely-read story has stirred up among the very best people of St. John.

"The Common Law" is a high-brow story, as the saying goes; it appeals to thinking people along a much-discussed avenue of thought pertaining to marriage relationships in these days of divorces, separations, alimony and infelicties between sweethearts and married people. It points a powerful lesson in a sweet, pure and unmistakable manner. The film version is not vulgar; it is not deliberately bold in presenting the case of Valerie West, the model and Louis Neville, the artist. On the other hand, it indicates that the common law is not God's way and the story terminates with this happy decision.

WIVIAN MARTIN'S BABY

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# MAKES STATEMENT keep order in the lines and traffic to go past. Smart Alecks Were Insulting

Smart Alecks Were institution.

Paris, March 14 — Former Premier Venusions of Greece traces all the troubles of his country to the proposal of the Entente that Eastern Maccobias of the Entente that Eastern Maccobias should be ceded to Bulgaria.

"I am not exaggreating," he says, "when I say that without the Entente's same of war. I some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In some instances the resulting officers were insuited by the spane of war. In the proposal of the plot they have const Thursday and Friday, 15th and 16th, a McLaughlin's, 126 Germain street. The St. John Hockey Team had three group photographs taken yesterday ternoon at the Reid Studio. to attend meeting Wednesday, March 13, Odd Fellows' Building, corner Union Trades and Labor Council regular neeting Friday evening. Full attend-Safety first in getting fresh cigars,

He concludes:—"Our sole aim at present is to win the war. The outstanding grave internal questions can be solved after victory and national unity easily re-established. In the impossible event of Germany's being victorious King Constantine would set up an unbridled autocracy, but if Germany, as I am certain, is finally vanquished, aing Constantine, who stepped down from a constitutional throne to become a mere party leader, will have to submit to the consequences of the lefeat of his policy

Constantine would set up an unbridled and correctly but if Germany, set and correctly like as any other party leader when beaten?

ROM BANSMAN MCKENZE

ROM BANSMAN MCKENZ St. John, N.B., March 12, 1917. Mrs. Jeanette Sunshine Strong of New York is at the Royal hotel.

W. S. Sutton, M.P.P. of Woodstock is in the city today.

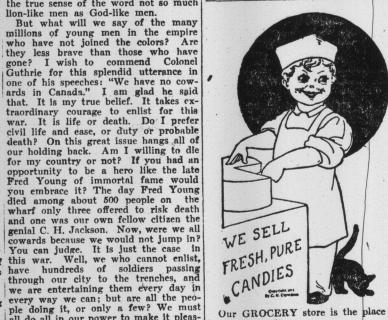
R. W. Grimmer, M.P.P., of St. Stephes, is here to attend the sessions of the lowest of the people and are hardly fit for friends." Now in that far-away ings, where we are at present. We hear the sessions that the retail merchants' convention. fit for friends." Now in that far-away day I found five men among those "lowest of the people," some who had a good conduct stripe, some two, and at least one who had three stripes.

But in my manhood days I find the reverse concerning the soldiers. The best of our own people are joining the colors, who in numerous cases gave up splendid positions, large salaries, beautiful surroundings, home, friends—everything

TEARWOOD—On March 12, to Sermoundings, home, friends—everything

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There are doubtless many who enfisted for adventure, or other reasons, but when young men gave up good positions to join the colors, because they saw duty beckoning onward, they are in Methodist parsonage. Carmarthen the true sense of the word not so much surroundings, home, friends—everything life holds dear, and willing to give life, A picture man and a Douglas avenue resident furnished a case for the police court today. The former charged the latter with assault, when he called to the word not so much was fined \$20.



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ple doing it, or only a few? We must all do all in our power to make it pleasant for the boys who are on the way to fight our battles. Let all those concerts and other sources of enterprise gotten up for patriotic purposes be crowded with patrons, ready with heart and money to further the great cause and m

Do You Suffer From Backache?

When your kidneys are weak and torpid they do not properly perform their functions; your back aches and you do not feel like doing much of anything. You are likely to be despondent and to borrow trouble, just as if you hadn't enough already. Don't be a victim any longer.

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other medicine acts like it, because no other medicine has the same formula or ingredients. Accept no substitute, but insist on having Hood's and get it today.

## gathering. Addresses of welcome to the visiting delegates by Mayor Hayes, A. H. Wetnore, president of the St. John Board of Trade, and A. O. Skinner, president BUYING HOCKEY TI BUYING HOCKEY TICKETS

Recruiting Officers in Ottawa Could Not Get Single One

mittees, the convention heard an address on "Co-operation in Community Development" by Horace Chevrier, of Winnipeg, president of the dominion board.

Among the outsdie delegates who have arrived in the city are:—Chas. H. Edgecombe, Howard Rogers, John J. Weddell, Fredericton; F. T. Savoie, A. Melanson, Rogersville; A. M. Belliveau, P. L. Higgins, H. E. Gross, C. Fraser, Wm.

Murray, Moncton; George B. True, Robert Strain, H. E. Ellis, Woodstock; B. Robinson, Sackville; J. W. Smith, Hampton; H. S. Ferris, Springhill; F. L. Rayworth, Bayhel, W. G. DeWolfe, R. W. Grimmer, St. Stephen; R. Smith, Hampton; R. G. Innis, Petitodiae; M. V. Smith, Harvey Station; B. A. Layvorth Sydney, C. B. cruiting, and getting after the slackers, than now obtains. For several hours diens of Montreal. The earlier ones in the line had taken their positions as early as 6.30 o'clock this morning, waiting for the ticket sale to begin at 9 o'clock. By that hour so great was the crowd that special policemen had to be called out to

Local recruiting officers spent several



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We commend particularly the Carriage shown here; note the graceful, roomy reed body, the kind with the back wind-shield and the long flexible steel springs. Body finished

either grey, baronial, shellac or ivory. Our complete line shows different models in Sulkies, Strollers, Sleepers, Pullmans and

Collapsible Carts, ranging in price from \$3.25 to \$40.00

## J. MARCUS 30 Dock Street

## FROM GERMAN SHIPS

Two Philadelphia Business Men And The Wife Of One Arrested

Suspect Widespreap Plot-Goods From Interned Raiders Carried Away on Trucks - Munitions Reported Sent

Mrs. Fischer was not present at the hearing, but, in warrants sworn to by department of justice men, she was charged with smuggling. Ball was entered for her and for her husband by DanielW. Hildreth, secretary and treasurer of the Schutte and Koerting company, of which Fischer is president. The absence of Mrs. Fischer was explained by the statement that she was ill. Bail for Rohner also was given.

Saloniki, March 14.—Via London—

"Enemy aviators again bombarded our hospital at Vortekop," says a Serbian dictance of Mrs. J. Stephens of West St. John. Two brothers also survive, Howard and James Nichols of Bangor and twenty official statement today, "causing heavy loss of life among both patients and personnel. Two English nurses were among those killed."

Mrs. Ellen F. Peake, widow of James F. Peake, of England, passed Rohner also was given.
"I have made a rule not to discuss this

department of justice.

Conclusive evidence that certain large packing cases containing other than groceries and other necessary supplies had been obtained by Garbarino. All efforts to learn what steps had been taken to ascertain the nature of these shipments were unsuccessful. Gabardino either ignored queries as to what was sent into the interment camp or flatly refused to answer. United States District Attorney Kane took the same stand. Gatorney Kane took the same stand. Ga-barino's assistants said they did not

Another angle which those at work

Another angle which those at work on the case would not discuss concerns frequent visits paid to the German camp by two women, who generally went to the navy yard in an automobile, sometimes a private one, sometimes a taxicab. It was learned definitely that these women took parcels into the payy yard women took parcels into the navy yard and came out with others. No one in touch with the case would discuss this

Fischer has been in direct communication with the interned Germans at the navy yard for some time. Every af-ternoon at about five o'clock, as regularly as clock work, he has received a let-ter by special delivery from some one on board the Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

### Presenting the

## Fashionable Millinery Modes

FOR SPRING 1917

ALL vague style rumors have been sifted, censored and passed upon by the highest fashion sources and their passed upon by the highest fashion sources and their

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away on March 7, at her residence in Oshkosh, Wis. She had lived in Osh "I have made a rule not to discuss this case in any of its aspects," said District Attorney Kane, "and I will not answer any questions concerning it. What I have to say is all set forth in the warrants. Beyond them I cannot go at this time."

A young planter in Mississippi had an old servant called Uncle Mose, who had have to say is all set forth in the warrants. Beyond them I cannot go at this time."

In other quarters, however, it was said that both the Prinz Eitel Friedrich and the Kronprinz Wilhelm, the big converted German liners, were stored with valuables taken from British merchantmen sunk by the raiders. The theory was put forth that a conspiracy to dispose of this loot had been unearthed by the department of justice.

What Mose Thought of It.

Oshkosh, Wis. She had lived in Oshkosh about twenty years. Those surviving are two daughters and two sons, diss Ellen Peake, a member of the Coshkosh Normal School, and Miss Marian Peake, member of the Oshkosh High School faculty. Capt.

James Peake, M. D., medical director of a battalion on the Somme front in the European war, and Dr. Douglas Peake, a practicing physician of Oshkosh, Wis. She had lived in Oshkosh, who had have a child and whose devotion had never waned. The young of the Oshkosh Normal School, and Miss Marian Peake, member of the Oshkosh High School faculty. Capt.

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Peake was the mother of Dr. Peake, and the observant called Uncl

Mrs. V. V. Vanstone died in St. Stephen on Monday. She was forty-six years of age and is survived by her husband and three young children.

NEW POLICEMAN

Otis M. Straight was sworn in this afternoon as a member of the local police force by Magistrate Ritchie.



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