

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

MARGUERITE CLARK IN "SNOW WHITE" AT IMPERIAL
That the days of fairy tales are not passed in the estimation of the St. John public was unmistakably evidenced by the volume of patronage at Imperial Theatre yesterday when Marguerite Clark was the star performer in the well-known fantasy, "Snow White." To mention this little actress in this connection is an assurance of a delightful entertainment, and such was the experience of yesterday's crowds. "Snow White" is a seven-act Famous Players production, chock full of mysterious surprises, trick photography, gorgeous scenes, etc.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN "EASY STREET" NEWEST MUTUAL COMEDY, UNIQUE TONIGHT

Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be gala days at the Unique when Charlie Chaplin will be presented in his latest Mutual comedy "Easy Street." This is a continuous road from beginning to end. Other features will include "The Police Reporter," and "Universal Screen Magazine." First matinee performance will commence at 2 o'clock and the Unique will not close until 10 at night, running special supper hour shows at 8 and 9 o'clock. Do not fail to see Chaplin in "Easy Street."

SEE THE MANNIKINS
The Mannikins made a hit at the Gem yesterday. Wait till you hear the "Mannikins" new programme a good one. Wm. Russell starred in powerful picture of Canada's northwest. Come tonight.

LOCAL LEGISLATURE
PROVISED TILL APRIL 19

Royal Gazette Announcement—Political and General News of Fredericton
Fredericton, Mar. 8.—This week's Royal Gazette contains a proclamation further proroguing the legislature until April 19. It is reported here that prior to the late election the government made arrangements for extension of the Valley Railway to Andover. Contracts for the work, it is said, were selected and there is talk of a donation to the government campaign fund. The directors of the St. John and Quebec Railway Company are holding a meeting here today with all present except W. S. Fisher. They are not expected to make any extensive plans for the future. Members of the government, except Hon. Dr. Landry, are here today. A meeting was held this morning and another will be held this afternoon. Miss St. John Wilman of Montreal is here endeavoring to arouse public sentiment in favor of the establishment of a dominion labor bureau. This morning she interviewed Governor Wood, Chancellor Jones and members of the trades and labor council. From here she will proceed to St. John. Two Scott Act violators were sentenced this morning to thirty days imprisonment.

DEATHS

MASTERS—On March 6, Lillie A. Masters, (nee Gray), wife of Thomas F. Masters of Roxbury, Mass. Body to be brought to St. John, N. B., for funeral. DEAN—In this city on March 7, Elizabeth J., wife of B. H. Dean, leaving her husband, two sons and two daughters to mourn. FUNERAL NOTICE LATER. NUGENT—In this city on the 7th inst. Elizabeth, daughter of the late John and Catherine Nugent. Funeral on Friday at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, 188 Princess street. Friends invited. No flowers. NIXON—At his parents' residence, 311 Princess street, March 6, William T., youngest son of Thomas and Jennie Nixon, leaving his parents, one brother and three sisters to mourn. Funeral will take place on Friday morning 8:30 from his parents' residence to the Cathedral for solemn requiem mass at 9 o'clock. McMULLIN—On March 7, Elizabeth, wife of Alexander McMullin, leaving her husband and two daughters and five sons. (Boston papers please copy.) Funeral Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock from 28 Richmond street to the Cathedral for requiem mass. Friends invited.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mrs. Lowell and family wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy shown to them on the death of her son, James T. Lowell, also the employees of T. H. Estabrooks for

BORDEN AND COLLEAGUES ARE AT FRONT

Ottawa, March 8.—Sir Robert Borden and his colleagues are visiting the battle front in France. According to the cable received by the government today, the premier and his party have crossed the channel and will be back in London on Monday.

RECENT DEATHS

The death of I. Wallace Carson, aged twenty-two years, took place on February 26 at his home in Haverlock, his son, Mr. and Mrs. Willford Carson. He leaves four brothers and three sisters. The brothers are William E. of Haverlock, Solomon J. of Portland, Maine; Norman and Kenneth at home, and the sisters, Mrs. William Alward of Haverlock, Mrs. Harry W. Dugan of Woburn, Mass., and Bessie at home. John DeWolfe passed away at his home in Pettitville last month. He is survived by his wife and one sister, who resides in St. John. Mrs. Chas. Chase of Salem, Mass., is dead. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gopher Phillips, of Upper Woodstock. She was thirty-seven years of age and has been married fifteen years. Mrs. John Cogger, Sr., of Woodstock, died this week. She was seventy-five years of age and is survived by her husband and the following children: Mrs. Sarah Sullivan, Mrs. T. L. Fower, Mrs. Wm. Weeks, John E., Walter, Charles and Edward Cogger. Clifford Black of Sackville passed away on last Sunday at the age of seventy-one. He was a son of the late Silas Black, and is survived by one sister, Mrs. H. P. Pickett, and about fifteen children. Henry T. Colpitta, of Wakefield, Mass., is dead. He was a native of Pleasant Vale, Egin, Albert county, and a graduate of Mount Allison, Sackville, and for years was a grammar school teacher in this province, teaching at St. Martins, Richibucto and Elgin, and about fifteen years ago he taught the school at Upper Woodstock for two terms, then removing with his family to Wakefield, Mass. He leaves a widow, who was Miss Esie Osburn, of St. Martins, Ontario, and one daughter, Mrs. Charles W. G. Goggin, of Elgin, and three sons, Stephen B., of Alliston, Boston, and three sisters, Mrs. Sarah E. Goggin, of Elgin; Mrs. Mary J. Wallace, of Boundary Creek, and Mrs. Howard D. Stevens, of Woodstock. He was sixty-eight years of age. Mrs. Andrew Lamb of St. Andrews died on last Sunday. She was a daughter of the late George and Agnes Agge. She was born in Coleraine, Ireland, December 23rd, 1828, and came to Canada with her parents in 1848. She was married in 1851 to Andrew Lamb, who survives her, at the age of ninety years, and the issue of their marriage has four sons and three daughters: G. Herbert Lamb, now of St. Andrews; the late Claud M. Lamb, Warwick W. Lamb, now of Boston; Joseph K. Lamb of Woodstock; Mrs. Marie A. Matthews, wife of Charles Matthews of California; Mrs. Ella G. Douglas, wife of Goodwin Douglas of St. Andrews, and Mrs. Annie L. Hanson, widow of the late F. L. Hanson.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 500.

The Wheat Market
Chicago, March 8.—Wheat prices tended downward today owing largely to the improving outlook for a removal of shipping difficulties. Opening prices, which ranged from one-half cent decline to one-quarter cent advance, with May at 187 to 187 1/4, and July at 187 to 187 1/4, were followed by material setbacks all around, but then a fair reaction. Hidden Treasure on the Battlefield
On a recent Sunday (writes a correspondent at British Headquarters) a group of a dozen country folk came to a village on the Somme battlefield which was once their home. When in 1914 they fled from the threat of the Uhlans they did not take their money with them, but buried it in their gardens. Now, scarcely daring to hope to find their treasure in the wilderness of ruin, they had returned and were allowed to manure the quest. A cure showed the way to one party. Going straight to a place that was a shapeless sea of clay he pointed to the edge of a shell crater. A foot below the soil an English digger turned up the hidden money. At another point, a farmer's wife among the debris of her old home led the way to a spot where a safe containing 30,000 francs was uncovered.

"The Thin Red Line"
The famous picture, "The Thin Red Line," by Robert Gibb, R.S.A., which appeared at the Royal Academy in 1882, was bought at Christie's by Sir Thomas Dewar for 582. The picture shows the 89th Highlanders at Balaklava, and is familiar to the public by numerous engravings.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Peters arrived home today on the Boston train. A. E. Everett was a passenger on the Boston train to the city today. C. Jordan arrived home today on the Montreal train. Joseph Dalelli announces the engagement of his daughter, Blanche Hinesline, to G. Lowell Myers of this city, the marriage to take place at an early date. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Richard of Dorchester, N. B., announce the engagement of their daughter, Carmella Hortense, to Captain George Keefe, of this city, the marriage to take place about the middle of April.

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Mr. W. W. Oliver, Port George, Annapolis Co., N. B., writes: "I am going to tell you my experience with Dr. Chase's Ointment. There was a spot came on my face something like a mole, but it kept getting worse, and several doctors whom I consulted said it was skin cancer, and that it would have to be cut or burned out. I intended having this done, but changed my mind when my brother recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment. Before I had finished one box of the ointment this skin trouble had gone, and has not bothered me since. I cannot praise Dr. Chase's Ointment too much, and you are at liberty to publish this letter." If you have never used Dr. Chase's Ointment send a two-cent stamp for a sample box, and mention this paper. Price sixty cents a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co. Limited, Toronto.

LOCAL NEWS

Amdur's sale is going on. "ILLUSTRATED LECTURE" on his Columbian coast ministry work, tonight in St. Mary's church hall. You are invited. "NOTICE" Regular monthly meeting Railway Freight Handlers' Union, Friday evening in their hall. All are invited to the society by order of the president. 8-10. Smoky City Cleans Wallpaper. SPECIAL NOTICE Before you make arrangements to re-paper your house, try a tin of Smoky City Wallpaper Cleaner. It makes old wallpaper look like new. Get Scotch chestnut hard coal at Gibson & Co's, Ltd. M. R. A. page 8. T. F. "DAPHNODIL TEA." Demons Chapter, I. O. D. E., are holding a daphnol tea and sale at 306 Germain street, (Mrs. Percie W. Houghton's) on Thursday afternoon, March 22. Admission 25c. MEN'S SPRING TOP COATS All the latest styles at moderate prices, from \$10 to \$22. It pays to shop at Charlotte street, Wilcox's, corner Union. 4-10 Edward Scott, who has been in the employ of G. B. Pidgeon for the last five years, has obtained a position with Waterbury & Rising, Limited, in their Main street store, where he will be pleased to meet his old friends and customers.

SPECIAL ATTRACTIVE CONCERT

No. 11 Fleet Ambulance concert at Lyric Theatre, Wednesday, March 14th. Tickets for sale at all drug stores. See posters. IS GRATEFUL George Eccles wishes to thank the nurses and staff of General Public Hospital for their kindness shown to him in his recent illness. LADIES' SPRING SUITS At Wilcox's you can get the best variety and most up-to-date ladies' suits in town at prices to suit all shoppers; prices from \$12 to \$85. It pays to shop at Charlotte street, corner Union. 8-10

MEETINGS FOR INTERSESSION

This evening over 100 homes in various parts of the city will be opened for prayer under the direction of the forty churches engaged in the city-wide mission. You are invited to attend one of these meetings and join with others in praying for a spiritual awakening.

THE ST. JOHN PROTESTANT ORPHANS' HOME

The following trustees are thankfully acknowledged by the treasurer: Geo. E. Barbour, 80; Mrs. Thea (Dr. Walker), 1; Mrs. J. H. Weeks, Rev. Working Co., \$10 each; W. F. Leonard, Geo. A. Harding, Dr. A. F. Emsley, E. Clinton Brown, Mrs. Geo. F. Emsley, A. A. McMillan, R. B. Peterson, 85 each; J. Hunter White, A. Morrison, 88 each; Dr. C. F. Gorham, G. W. Weeks, Rev. H. Tuck, F. A. Dykeman, C. Kyle, F. Sidman, 88 each; Mrs. K. Cameron, Mrs. Chas. Ballie, Fred Doig, John Clarke, Geo. B. Hegau, W. C. Broadbent, Mrs. Jas. L. Dunn, 81 each.

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Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint There are many imitations of this great treatment for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and whooping cough. They usually have some sale on the merits of the original, but it should be remembered that they are like it in name only. This is a facsimile of the genuine bearing portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D.



For Cash Tomorrow

SUGAR (With Orders) 2 lb. pkge. Lantio..... 45c. 5 lb. pkge. Lantio..... 45c. 10 lb. bag Lantio..... 45c. 20 lb. bag Lantio..... \$1.69 3 lbs. Pulverized..... 29c. 1 lb. Shelled Walnuts..... 45c. 1-2 lb. Baker's Chocolate..... 20c. 25c. bottle P. G. Vanilla..... 21c. 25c. bottle P. G. Lemon..... 21c. 15c. tin Royal Baking Powder, 12 1/2c. 25c. tin Baker's Cocoa..... 45c. 1 lb. block Pure Lard..... 25c. Home-made Strawberry Jam..... 18c. Purnival's Strawberry Jam..... 22c. Golden Egg Macaroni..... 12 1/2c. H. H. Health Salts..... 12c. 25c. bottle Camp Coffee..... 9c. 25c. tin Baker's Cocoa..... 22c. Heaton's Mixed Pickles, 9c. bottle 1 tin Canadian Plums..... 12 1/2c. 1 tin Canadian Strawberry..... 17c. 35c. tin California Peaches..... 29c. 2 1/2 lb. Liggett's Best..... 19c. 1-2 lb. Dickson's Tea..... 20c. Bird's Custard Powder..... 12 1/2c. Kellogg's Cornflakes..... 9c. pkge. Oam Chowder..... 35c. tin Eagle Brand Milk..... 20c. tin Large Prunes..... 18c. 18c. tin Large Prunes..... 18c. 18c. tin Jumbo Prunes..... 27c. 18c. 40c. Royal Mayonnaise..... 29c. Small tin Oxo Cubes..... 9c. Large tin Oxo Cubes..... 22c. 5 lbs. Rolled Oats..... 25c. 3 Neufchatel Cheese..... 25c.

FRESH GROUND COFFEE

Try Stanzalone for honest value, Only 37c. lb. DAILY WANTS 2 pkgs. Old Dutch..... 17c. 2 pkgs. Lux..... 17c. 2 bottles Ammonia..... 17c. 1 lb. bar Castile Soap..... 13 1/2c. 15c. tin Snap Hand-Cleaner..... 12 1/2c. 25c. tin Smoky City Cleaner..... 21c.

QUICK PUDDINGS

Pure Gold in chocolate, custard, arrowroot or tapioca..... 10c. pkge. CANDY DEPARTMENT Marshmallows..... 30c. lb. English Battered Walnuts, 60c. lb. English Buttered Almonds, 60c. lb. Macintosh's Toffee..... 33c. lb.

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THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

YOUR CHILD'S SIGHT

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NATIONALISTS NOT IN COMMONS

London, March 8.—The Nationalist M. P.'s did not put in an appearance when the speaker took his seat in the House of Commons today. Nationalists of the William O'Brien group and Laurence Ginnell, an independent Nationalist for Northwest Meath, were the only occupants of the benches usually occupied by the Irishmen.

LOCAL NEWS

JACKSON-McMAKIN At Havelock on February 21, at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. W. H. Johnson officiated in marriage Lillian M. McMackin, of that place, and Gunner John J. Jackson, of the 8th Regiment, C. G. A. HANDS US A BOUQUET The Vancouver, B.C. Daily Sun, reviewing the New Brunswick general election result and rejoicing over the victory, says in conclusion: "We congratulate those hard-fighting Liberal newspapers, the St. John Telegraph, the St. John Times and the Moncton Transcript on the result." AFTER THE MEETING Many of the opposition candidates who came to the city for the conference yesterday have returned to their homes but some still were around the hotels this morning. Most of those whose homes are in Westmorland and along the east coast and north shore left this afternoon but P. J. Venot of Gloucester, and Messrs. Tweedale and Burgess of Victoria, and some of the others will be in the city until tomorrow. In Halifax on Tuesday Frank W. Steeves, machinist, passed away. He was fifty-five years of age and a native of Hillsboro, N. B. He was a member of Mystic Lodge, No. 18, I.O.O.F. He is survived by his wife, one son and two daughters. One of the latter is at present in Winnipeg.

REPORTED SALE OF LUBEC SARDINE CO.

It is authentically reported that the holdings of the Lubec Sardine Company are to be sold to the Booth Fisheries Company of Chicago and that title to the property will be passed in a few days. This gives this company control of some of the most valuable sardine manufacturing property along the coast, as besides the Grady property in this city, which this company recently purchased, it also has control of the largest sardine factory at Chamcook, N.B., and are negotiating for a site on the water front here, near the Main Central wharf, upon which they expect to erect the large cement cold storage plant which the company expects to give a great boom to the sardine business in this section of the coast, as the Booth Fisheries is considered the largest concern dealing in fish products in the country.

STUDEBAKER

The name that denotes QUALITY, COMFORT and POWER. The Car with the ROOMY TUNNEAU. See the NEW MODELS at J. CLARK & SON, Ltd., E. P. DYKEMAN, Manager, 17 Ge. main Street

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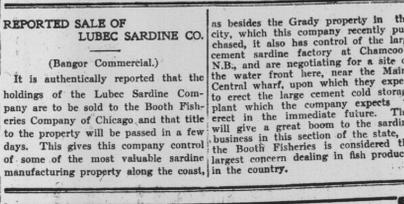
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- First Prize—\$350 Shubert Piano.
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Fifth Prize—Pair Gold Cuff Links.
Sixth Prize—Diamond Scarf Pin.
Seventh Prize—Gold Locket.
Eighth Prize—Pair Skates.
Ninth Prize—Fair Skates.
Tenth Prize—Boy's Knife.

THE CANADIANS ARE COMING! This is the cry that goes up from the terrified German troops when the boys from the hand of the Maple leaf make one of their historic charges. It's every man for himself. They run, they hide, they quit in terror. Here is an illustration of the Canadian boys in action. The Germans are hiding. Can you find them? Some will find five, some six, others will find more. Can you find at least eight of them? There are ten Germans all-told. How many can you find? DIRECTIONS—Mark each German soldier found with a pencil or with pen and ink. Mark them distinctly. Write your name and address plainly and distinctly. Children should have parents write names. Stamp each answer when mailing with three cents in stamps, or bring the answer to our store. Only one answer accepted from any family. This contest closes within five days from this date. All answers must be in our hands before that time. AWARDS—The Prizes will be awarded to the nearest correct solutions, etc., according to their merit. You can work this contest out on a separate sheet of paper or other material. Neatness, workmanship, etc., will be taken into consideration in making awards. Each contestant will receive a suitable premium whether the answer is correct or not. In addition to this each contestant will be afforded an exceptional opportunity to buy a high grade dependable Piano or Player Piano. We take this method of advertising our Pianos as we can reach more people and we feel that the best advertising is to have a Piano in the home of some good family that are well satisfied with it. Contest Closes March 12, 1917, at 6 p. m. All Answers Must be on Hand at That Time. Contestants Will be Notified by Mail.

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