

## Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

### SOMETHING DIFFERENT AT THE YR NEXT WEEK

Italian Giant Maciste. One of the Best Living Specimens of Manhood. Featured in "The Warrior"

A picture which is claimed to be different from anything ever shown in the city, and as interesting as any is announced for the first five days of next week. The management claim that after the first showing of "The Warrior" it will prove a sensational success and be widely discussed. The lyric has been taking first rank of late in the excellence of its pictures and the claim to superiority for "The Warrior," in which Maciste, the Italian giant, appears, will be given serious attention by those who are seeking for the very best in pictures.

### OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT! ALL NEW TOMORROW

There is a good comedy programme at the Opera House this week and tonight is the last chance to see it. Five good vaudeville acts and Marie Walcamp in "The Red Ace," the gripping serial drama of the great Canadian Northwest. Two shows this evening, at 7.30 and 9. Popular prices.

The usual weekly change of programme comes tomorrow afternoon, with five new novelties in the vaudeville line, and Eddie Polo in the seventh chapter of "The Gray Ghost." Two shows tomorrow afternoon, at 2 and 3.30—evening as usual at 7.30 and 9.

### LOCAL NEWS

Save the coupons that you get with each purchase of cigars, cigarettes, tobacco and pipes and get in exchange for them beautiful presents free. Louis Green, Charlotte street.

### LETTERS FROM HOME.

(Washington Herald.) There is an insatiable, constant demand from soldiers in trench and training camp—the demand for letters and more letters from home. It is not so much to talk of loneliness—so there is never a word of that in the letters from camp—but the longing is expressed in the plea—over and over—"write me letters as best of all." Mothers and sisters and friends of soldiers can perform as great a service for them with the pen and ink as they can with the sword and the bayonet. Letters are the best comfort—while letters strengthen the heart. If our soldiers are to fight the best we must keep them secure in their faith in our appreciation of their sacrifice, and aware of the beauty and worth of the homes for whose freedom and happiness they go to battle. Letters to soldiers should be pictures of home, and make them cheerful and inspiring. The veriest commonplace of family life is dear to these exiled soldiers—the next best thing is making pictures, that father was on the solidifying committee for the Liberty Loan—that sister is secretary of her high school debating club. And don't forget the clippings from the home paper—and the snapshot of mother feeding the hen!

(Ottawa Citizen.) Bismarck saw the real difficulty of Germany's position, just as Napoleon did that of France in his attempt to conquer Europe. It lay in the non-possibility of sea power. Both leaders understood economics as well as they did military strategy and tactics. They appreciated that only the nation in possession of naval supremacy could dominate the world and the real factor in world power was the sea. "Our future lies on the sea," said the Kaiser when urging the construction of the German navy nearly two decades ago. And in a multitude of foolish words the Kaiser uttered some startling truths which betrayed a keen mind and a grasp of facts hidden from his contemporaries. The end of the German dream of world power will come in the collapse of the nation in an economic sense. The test is at hand and of the outcome there can be no doubt. Neither Germany nor any other country is self-sustaining. That sounds like the old doctrine of free trade, but, analyzed the economic theory of free trade is unanswerable and this war is in a fair way to demonstrate that fact.

Fashion and your health demand it. Have your corsets properly fitted. Corset Dept. Daniel, Head of King St.

If you can help a thing, help it and don't worry; if you can't help a thing, don't worry, on general principles.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Here's hoping that we may yet see some of that sort of Pygmy on the Rhine.—Ottawa Citizen.

### Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths. 50c.

**BIRTHS**  
GIRVAN—On Nov. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Girvan, 4 Champlain street, a daughter.

**MARRIAGES**  
BARBOUR-HARE—On Nov. 28, at Trinity church, by the Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong, Geo. Ernest Barbour to Catherine Margaret, daughter of Susan M. and the late George Hare.

**DEATHS**  
CONNELL—At his parents' residence, 112 Charlotte street, on the 29th inst., Joseph L., aged four months, youngest child of Joseph H. and Annie Connell. Burial tomorrow morning at 10.30.

**RAINIE**—At her late residence, 58 Sewell street, on Thursday, Nov. 29, 1917, Eliza Margaret, wife of the late William Rainie, in her eightieth year. Funeral from her late residence Saturday, Dec. 1, at 8 o'clock.

### IMPERIAL'S VAUDEVILLE ALL NEW TOMORROW

Walking Champion, Boy Scout, Dancing Evangelists, Etc.

Tomorrow afternoon Imperial theatre will resume its regular trend of pictures and vaudeville with three new acts and a special Paramount picture, entitled "Little Miss Optimist," in which winsome Vivian Martin plays the stellar part. The 5th chapter of Vitaphone's out-door serial "The Fighting Trail" will deal further with the plot of German agents to secure the priceless mine. Tomorrow's new vaudeville at the Imperial will be unusually attractive. In the first place a distinct novelty of an athletic character will be introduced by Geo. N. Brown & Co., the world's champion walker. Mr. Brown is considered one of the best types of athlete in United States today. The ladies say he is a veritable Adonis. His demonstrations of walking against time, races on the stage by means of walking machines and merry stunts round about the city during his stay will create considerable interest. He is accompanied by Billy Weston, The Champion Boy Scout Walker of America and no doubt the Boy Scouts will wild over the performance of this doughty little fellow. The other two acts in the Imperial's new bill are to be James & Agnes singing and dancing act, otherwise known as the Dancing Evangelists. They will create interest from the fact that they have been noted as demonstrators of healthful methods of dancing and gained considerable fame a few years ago by dancing on the cornice of the Singer Building in New York in proving their methods of proper balance. McLaughlin & Evans do a very funny singing number entitled "A Courtship on the Bowery."

### SPECIAL PERFORMANCE OF "OUT THERE" TONIGHT

"Out There," the soulful British play which has been creating such a profound impression and universal comment throughout the city for the last two days at Imperial, is being presented tonight as a special extra performance. Up to the hour of writing many had taken advantage of this additional performance by securing their tickets. The box office will be open continuously throughout the supper hour for this purpose.

"Out There" might be continued in St. John for a full week with confident assurance of increasing business daily, as the merits of the piece make it a compelling attraction. Moreover the company must move on its scheduled tour, and the performance is given at the expense of one of the smaller towns further along the line.

Knowing that Friday nights school children are allowed considerable latitude because of the absence of study, a special price of 50c has been arranged to accommodate them at "Out There" tonight. For instance, if parents come to the theatre their children may come with them at the half dollar rate, no matter where the seats may be located. A party of over one hundred has been arranged for the orchestra floor, and patriotic societies and other organizations are getting together in groups to attend the most inspiring theatrical treat.

### PERSONALS

H. H. Melanson, general traffic manager of the C. G. R., is in the city today. Just received shipment of mirrors, with test for limited time at \$1.25, complete with frame. Size 16x20, at 210 Union street. 12-4.

Mrs. J. G. Armstrong, 128 St. James street, artistic china, booklets, cards, calendars, etc. 12-3.

### A REASONABLE BASIS.

It is reasonable to suppose that such a firm as L. S. Smith & Bros., the originators of modern writing machines, would be content to put out ordinary products? The new Silent model is evidence of something better.

When it bears their name, there is no point, either in construction or in service, in which the new Silent model does not excel.

T. R. Smith, Eastern Sales Manager, or Soule Typewriter Co., demonstration will prove how it will serve you best.

### CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Nine union supporters were under doctors' care in Sherbrooke, Que., today, after last night's trouble. The four lightships in the lower St. Lawrence are adrift because of ice. In Montreal so far only three men who failed to register have been arrested and they were ex-jail birds.

### HEALTH IN EVERY PACKAGE OF THE DELICIOUS FOOD Grape-Nuts

CONGAL (bulk)..... 37c. lb.  
Symenne (bulk)..... 43c. lb.  
Orange Pekoe (bulk)..... 48c. lb.  
Oolong (bulk)..... 47c. lb.  
55c. Lipton's (pkgs.)..... 60c. lb.  
80c. Ridgeway's (pkgs.)..... 1.10  
No Delivery of Special's Store

### EXTRA VALUES

5 lbs. Onions..... 21c.  
5 lbs. Rolled Oats..... 17c.  
Shrimps in tins..... 27c.  
New Pack Lobsters..... 17c.  
Thin Spaghetti (Clark's)..... 27c. lb.  
24 lbs. R. H. Flour..... \$1.65  
24 lbs. Whole Wheat..... \$1.70  
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### GILBERT'S GROCERY

### SUGAR DROPS AT EASTPORT

State Food Administrator Gets After Grocer Who Has Been Charging War Prices

Eastport, Nov. 28.—The effectiveness of the federal food administration was demonstrated Wednesday when Dr. Leon S. Merrill of Orono, food administrator for the State of Maine, upon learning that sugar was being sold here for eighteen cents a pound served notice upon local merchants that extraordinary profits would not be tolerated and that at the present time fourteen cents a pound for loaf sugar and ten cents for the granulated product are the maximum prices that may be charged. The result is that loaf sugar, which seems to be the only variety in stock here at the present time, is being sold at four cents, four cents, cheaper than that charged since one merchant obtained a corner on the product and boosted its price accordingly. Sugar formerly sold at 15 1/2 cents a pound until all but one merchant sold out their supplies.

Grocers are allowed to charge more for lump sugar than for granulated because of a higher cost of manufacture and marketing and it is figured that the four cents above the price of granulated sugar covers the extra charge.

While at the present time sugar is out of granulated sugar the next supply that comes in must be retailed at ten cents a pound, the same as merchants all over the state are charging.

The state food administrator, it is understood, will have authority to revoke licenses of those who persist in charging war prices, but as for local grocers, since the matter has been called to their attention they are willing to co-operate with the food administration's plans and charge the prevailing prices for their products.

The report that bread was being sold here at excessive prices was also investigated on Wednesday by the state food administrator and it was found that the loaves which are being sold for fifteen cents weigh one pound and a half, the price being practically the same as charged elsewhere and not excessive.

Householders here learned of the efforts of the state food administrator with a good deal of satisfaction and believe it will tend to keep prices of other commodities from soaring to prohibitive heights.

### The Quinine That Does Not Affect Head

Because of its tonic and invigorating effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." W. G. Gwynne's signature is on Box 80c.

### Ferris-Viscount

A wedding of interest took place at the home of Wellington J. Marr, when Miss Pearl Vincent, daughter of Edgar Ferris, the bride was attended by Miss Lillian Marr, while Wellington Marr performed the ceremony.

### FOR CASH TOMORROW

Youngsters of the Corn Law program to night, last times at 7.15 and 8.45. Clara Kimball Young and two good vaudeville acts, including an acrobatic team and woman, that it will be hard to beat. All new tomorrow.

### BUSINESS CHANGE

The Dunlop Tire & Rubber Goods Co. Ltd., who at present have their place of business in Canterbury street, will take over the premises now occupied by the Canadian Fairbanks-Morse Co. Ltd., in Prince William street at the first of the year. The latter company will move to the building formerly occupied by Comeau & Sheehan.

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### BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Captain Thomas Blanche took place this morning from his late residence, Elliott row. Services were conducted by Rev. D. J. MacPherson. The body was taken to Penobscot for interment.

### Choice Western Beef

Lamb, Pork, Chickens and Vegetables

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### PURE BLOOD MAKES HEALTHY PEOPLE

Hood's Sarsaparilla surely and effectively removes scurf, boils and other blood diseases because it drives out of the blood all the humors that cause these diseases. They cannot be successfully treated in any other way. External applications for their removal have proven almost useless, because they cannot drive out the impurities that are in the blood.

Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure, rich blood, perfects the digestion, and builds up the whole system. The skin becomes smooth, clean and healthy. This great blood remedy has stood the test of forty years. Insist on having Hood's, for nothing else acts like it. There is no real substitute. Get it today. Sold by all druggists.

### ANOTHER ST. JOHN HERO

Who died in King George Hospital in London from wounds sustained on the battlefields of France. His death was published in the Times.

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### LIEUT. MACLAREN HOME FROM THE WAR

Lieutenant D. Lawrence MacLaren, son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. MacLaren, Coburg street, arrived home this morning from the war. In the big British ambulance at Vimy Ridge, Lieutenant MacLaren was badly wounded in the right leg and as a result of his wounds his leg was amputated. He went overseas as a member of the 7th Canadian Siege Battery, afterwards known as the 7th Canadian Siege, and while with that unit he rendered exceptionally good service and on more than one occasion was mentioned for bravery.

Lieutenant MacLaren declined to discuss the situation at the front, saying that a Lieutenant was in no position to size up the general situation.

The Citizens' Committee with the Killies Band went to Mr. MacLaren's home early this afternoon to give the gallant young officer a welcome home.

### ITS FINE AT THE GEM

You enjoy the Gem's programme to night, last times at 7.15 and 8.45. Clara Kimball Young and two good vaudeville acts, including an acrobatic team and woman, that it will be hard to beat. All new tomorrow.

### CANADIAN LEADERS ARE TO SPEAK IN SAINT JOHN

On Monday, December 3, at the Imperial Theatre, a mass meeting of the electors of St. John and vicinity will be addressed by Sir Robert L. Borden and Hon. F. M. Curran.

Two meetings will be held, one of them at four o'clock in the afternoon for women voters, and the evening meeting for men. It is particularly requested by the committee in charge that in view of the limited accommodation, women voters endeavor to be present at the afternoon meeting, leaving all possible seating in the evening available for men.

### T. P. REGAN NEW MEMBER OF CITY TRIBUNAL NO. 33

Mr. P. Regan succeeds John Keefe as a member of Tribunal No. 33 in St. John.

W. A. Ewing, provincial registrar, yesterday reported 416 claims allowed and six hundred and seventy-seven disallowed. To date there have been 9,711 claims considered throughout the province. Of this number 1,858 have been disallowed.

### CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Four workmen were killed and two injured in an explosion in one of the buildings of the British Chemical Company at Trenton, N. J., this morning. The building was destroyed.

A seventeen-year-old school boy was arrested today in connection with the robbery of the Imperial residence, Wilhelmshohe, at Cassel.

Dominion headquarters of the Victory Loan reported subscriptions of \$279,000, 900 from 402,897 individuals up to ten o'clock this morning.

### LOCAL NEWS

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Rummage sale, 821 Brussels street tomorrow, Saturday.

Men's wool underwear for 88c. gar., at C. J. Bassen's, cor. Union and Sydney.

Special sale of men's furnishings at Corbett's, 194 Union street. 12-1.

Do all your shopping at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney streets, where prices are always low.

Ladies' sample house dresses from 88c. to \$1.25 at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

Help the Woman's Council to help the children tomorrow—Rosebud Day.

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Ladies' and gentlemen's clothes remodeled at Morin's, 82 German. 60092-12-3

Those who purchased Victory Bonds are reminded that their payments are due at the banks tomorrow.

Ladies' fleece lined hose 25c. pair at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

Boys' overcoats from \$4.50 to \$7.50, at C. J. Bassen's, cor. Union and Sydney.

### VICTORIA WARD

Ward meetings every night at room No. 2 Haymarket square. All are welcome. Jas. H. Coll, chairman. 12-3.

### ROSEBUD DAY

Buy a rosebud without fail on Saturday, December 1, and help the St. John Council of Women in their work for the Children's Aid Society.

Chair seats at Duval's, 17 Waterloo 12-1.

Kings Daughters will hold fancy work-bag sale in Imperial lobbies Tuesday, 4th. This will appeal to Christmas shoppers. 12-4.

### BARGAINS IN LADIES' COATS

See the very latest coats for ladies at special low prices, at C. J. Bassen's cor. Union and Sydney.

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