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TOOK OVER BUSINESS

As will be seen by our advertising columns Mr. M. J. O'Keefe has taken over the carriage business of Mr. S. G. Collier on Waldegrave Street. Mr. O'Keefe is a thorough mechanic having served in the U.S. and also working with Mr. Collier for many years. All the old customers of the firm and new ones who may want anything in the carriage line will be sure to get the utmost satisfaction from Mr. O'Keefe.

SMASHED THE FURNITURE.

Last night a resident of the Cook Pit Road, after coming home under the influence of drink, began to abuse his aged father, and ended up by smashing nearly all the furniture in his home. This is not his first time to cause a disturbance in the house, and he was arrested under warrant this morning. Brought before Judge Hutchings to-day he was fined \$2 or 7 days for being drunk; \$10 or 30 for breaking the furniture and must give bonds to keep the peace. If he fails to do this he will serve another 30 days in H. M. Penitentiary.

THE "MAGGIE U." BURNT.

The public message to-day gives particulars of the burning of the schooner "Maggie U." She was owned by Joseph Ude and Sons, of Carbonear, and was formerly called the "Telegram," and was commanded by Capt. Wm. John Kennedy, of Carbonear, who, it will be remembered, about 10 years ago was driven off about 3 weeks before Christmas on a voyage from Carbonear to St. John's, and was picked up by the liner "Rotterdam" and brought into Rotterdam. Capt. Kennedy is well-known here in St. John's and it is to be hoped that he and his crew have been picked up by some passing steamer or vessel.

MORE DIPHTHERIA OUTBREAKS.

An outbreak of diphtheria recently occurred at Stephenville and three houses are under quarantine. There are several patients in the residences affected being looked after by Dr. McDonald. There was one death on the 1st inst. a boy of 9 years, but all the rest of the patients are doing well. Another outbreak of the same disease has occurred at New Hr., Trinity Bay. There are four ill in two families and two houses are under quarantine. Dr. Chisholm is looking after the disease, which was only discovered on Saturday last.

UNCONSCIOUS FROM ALCOHOL

Last night officers Whalen and Dempsey found a man lying behind the S. A. Barracks so far gone from an overdose of alcohol that the wonder is he did not smother. When aroused from his lethargy the man showed fight and the officers had to hand-cuff him to get him to the station.

ANOTHER DIPHTHERIA CASE

Yesterday a boy aged 14 of Pleasant Street was sent to hospital suffering from diphtheria. This is the first case of the disease reported since the 31st ult.

TROUBLE IN PARK.

Last night a party who had enough booze taken to render him pugnacious started a row with some Navy men in Bannerman Park. Consts. Whalen and Brace were called there and the fighting one tried the game on them. He never got such a surprise in his life, for they manacled him and rushed him so quickly to the station that he imagined he had been transported there by aeroplane.

A DESERTER CAUGHT.

A deserter from the vessel Waterwitch was before Judge Hutchings to-day. He was given a chance to return to the vessel, which is still in port, but if he does not he will do a term in jail.

Mr. Fisherman, to save nintents of your Engine trouble, use CARBONVOID.

The S.S. Seatonia left Botwood yesterday for Cardiff with 2,700 cords of pit props.

The S.S. Ariel left Gambo for Barry Roads yesterday with 2,865 cords of pit props.

The Stephano arrived at Halifax at 3.50 p.m. yesterday.

TRAIN REPORT.

Sunday's No. 1. Arrived Port aux Basques 11.15 p.m. yesterday.

Yesterday's No. 1 left Gambo 6.55 a.m.

To-day's No. 2. Leaving Port aux Basques after arrival of Meigs.

SEE THE SPLENDID PROGRAMME AT THE NICKEL TO-DAY

The Lubin Company present

ROSE COUGHLIN and ETHEL CLAYTON In "THE SPORTING DUCHESS."

A powerful social drama in five acts adapted from the famous play of the same name by CECIL RALEIGH, a truly great production abounding in beautiful settings and talented acting. Direction of Barry O'Neil.

"DAWNING HOPE"—Edna Mayo and Henry Walthall in that wonderful tale of unconquerable love. "The Strange Case of Mary Page."

COMING BIG PRODUCTIONS:—"THE MILLIONAIRE BABY," six acts. A Selig Red Seal play. "SINS OF THE MOTHERS" with Anita Stewart and Earle Williams; "THE WHITE SISTER" with Viola Allen; "THE ROSARY" with Kathlyn Williams.

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OUR THEATRES

THE NICKEL.

Very large audiences attended the Nickel theatre last evening, and were delighted with the excellent programme. The pictures were of the very highest quality, and were pronounced by many to be the best ever shown at this popular theatre. "The Strange Case of Mary Page" was continued and was very keenly followed. The chapter was entitled "Dawning Hope." The other great feature subject, "The Sporting Duchess" was a highly interesting one. The acting was perfect and the settings elaborate. The programme will be repeated to-day, and those unable to attend yesterday should go.

THE CRESCENT.

The Crescent Picture Palace to-day presents L. C. Schumway and E. Slowman in "Sold to Satan," a wonderful feature produced in three reels by the Lubin Company. A fine scenic picture is a "Petrified Forest near Adamano Arizona." Ham takes a chance" is a great Ham and Bud comedy with Lloyd V. Hamilton, the funniest man in the movies, and Bud Duncan. Mr. Sam Rose, baritone, sings "Yauka Yula Hickey Dula" the latest New York song hit, from the Broadway musical comedy "Robinson Crus. Jr." Professor McCarthy plays a classy programme of music including "A Poet's Vision" waltz; "Big Ben," rag tune march; "Hear Dem Bells," etc., etc. Don't miss seeing this big show to-day.

HAS 47 WHALES.

The last report from the whale-boat, operating at Hawke's Hr. gives her catch as 47 whales. Her work has been greatly impeded by stormy weather, but as she has more than two months more to operate she should do as well, if not better, than last year.

REID'S STEAMER REPORT.

Argyle to Jence Placentia early this a.m. for West.
Clyde left Lewisporte 1.45 p.m. yesterday.
Dundee left Port Blandford 9.30 a.m. yesterday.
Ethie due Flower's Cove from North. Later left Parsons Pond 7 a.m. to-day.
Home left Fortune H.F. 1 p.m. yesterday outward.
Glencoe left Fortune 2.55 p.m. yesterday coming East.
Kyle left Port aux Basques 12.05 a.m. to-day.
Wren left Clarendville 9.30 a.m. yesterday.
Meigs due Port aux Basques to-day.
Sargona left Hr. Grace 9 a.m. to-day coming South.

WAS CHEAP COAL.

Last night the police arrested a man who is now a seaman and recently came off a voyage for drunkenness. Since he went away the fact was gleaned that while arriving one of Mr. Tester's carts last December he deliberately went up to the Reid Nbd. Co.'s yard, backed his cart into the place below the round house and filling it, brought it to his home. To-day Judge Hutchings fined him \$1 or 5 days for drunkenness and for stealing the coal \$10 or 30 days.

IRISH SITUATION STILL UNSETTLED

It is obvious that the situation in Ireland is far from reassuring to the British Government, for the island has been virtually isolated in a military sense from the rest of the United Kingdom. Aliens are not allowed to visit Ireland; even British subjects outside of the British Isles are forbidden, though they may secure permission to do so if the British authorities are satisfied that they mean no mischief. It seems that the prohibition is aimed chiefly against the United States, for it is notorious that American citizens did much to promote the Dublin rising, and are now ready to continue the agitation which has resulted in the paralysis of recruiting in Ireland. On this ground the general exclusion of all aliens who cannot be vouched for is a justifiable military precaution; it is for the protection of loyal subjects who would certainly be in danger of being killed in the event of another uprising. It is plain that the policy to be followed toward Ireland while the war lasts will not err upon the side of lenity as did the policy which was responsible for the rebellion.

Commenting adversely upon these facts the Philadelphia Press says that the course adopted since the Easter riots has worked a great change in the feelings of the Irish people. Originally there was little sympathy with the Sinn Feiners, but the harshness with which the uprising was put down, the shooting of Sheffington and others, the wholesale arrests of men who had nothing to do with the movement, the execution of Casement, and the refusal of the British authorities to permit the two Americans carrying funds for the relief of those made destitute as a result of the rising to land in Ireland have combined to make sympathy with the Sinn Feiners general. It is difficult to follow this reason, since it must be seen that the Sinn Feiners were responsible not only for the rising, but incidentally for all the results of it. The truth is rather that the secret sympathy on the part of many Irish people for the rebels has been made vocal by the events of the past few months. The shooting of Sheffington appears to have been a mistake; it was equally a mistake not to shoot some much more prominent Irishmen who have made no secret of their disloyalty. When arrests are made by wholesale, injustice is very likely to befall some persons; but as soon as these mistakes are discovered they are rectified. In any event the supreme business of the Government is to maintain order in Ireland and give protection to the loyal Irish people, and in discharging this duty individuals may suffer.

RETURNING TO SCHOOL.

Miss Helen Reid, daughter of Mr. H. D. Reid, Reid-Nbd. Co., will leave here by this evening's express, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Flora Cliff, daughter of Mr. A. G. Cliff, K.C., returning to school at Toronto. Mrs. Cliff will go with the little ones to their destination.

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