

Easter Entertainments

CONGREGATIONAL LECTURE HALL

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church are holding a social in the Lecture Hall of the Church to-night, which promises to attract a very large gathering. The concert programme is one which is bound to please as some of the best city entertainers will take part. A two-act sketch entitled "The Winning Widow" will also be staged and this alone will be worth the admission. "The Ladies' Aid" will serve tea, while candy and cream will be on sale during the evening.

PRESENTATION CONVENT ASS'N.

In the kindergarten school of the Presentation Convent, this afternoon, there will be opened a sale of work under the auspices of the Ladies' Association. Much preparation has been made for this event and a large amount of goods have been provided, including plain and fancy needlework, children's clothes, etc., whilst many novelties are also included. Afternoon and night teas will be served. The sale will be continued to-morrow afternoon and will conclude at night with a card party.

AT WESLEY SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOM.

The Sunday School Room of Wesley Church will be the scene of a concert to-night, which promises to be very enjoyable. The following performers will contribute items:—Mesdames C. F. Garland, J. J. Miller, Brian Dunfield, Harvey Small; Misses B. Leslie, Olga Hutton, Jean Taylor, D. Withers, M. Murray, Anderson, Messrs. R. Harder, A. Lawrence, Dewling, Somerville, Cornick, Bastow, F. Wylie, Chaplin, Redmond, A. Snow, George & King. The concert will be broadcast from Station 8WMC.

AT ST. JOSEPH'S HALL.

At St. Joseph's Hall, to-night a concert will take place that will no doubt attract a large audience. On St. Patrick's night a similar event was held, and the programme arranged was of such an order as to greatly please the large number that was present on that occasion. To-night's concert is under the same management, and a programme equal to the previous one is promised.

AT CANON WOOD HALL.

Under the auspices of St. Thomas' Women's Association and St. Margaret's Guild, a sale of work will be opened in Canon Wood Hall this afternoon by Lady Allardice, who will be present at 2.30 o'clock.

A large variety of goods will be offered for sale, whilst teas will also be served.

AT GOWER ST. LECTURE HALL.

In the schoolroom of Gower Street Church this evening the members of the Mission Circle, assisted by well-known vocalists, will render a Sacred Concert and Easter Cantata "From the Palms to the Lilies." Preparation for this event has been going on for some time, and those in charge of the programme now feel that they can assure the public, whose patronage is solicited, a most enjoyable feast of song.

General Admission to-night's Concert and Dramatic Entertainment Majestic Theatre—25c.
april 15

"Little Robinson Crusoe," a Big Hit

Jackie Coogan's Newest Metro-Goldwyn Picture Great Entertainment.

Seemingly there is no end to the possibilities of Jackie Coogan's genius as an actor; no limit to his powers of appeal. He is at the Nickel Theatre in a production, supervised by Jack Coogan, Sr., and directed in its principal elements by Eddie Cline. It is called—with far more propriety than most pictures are named—"Little Robinson Crusoe," and it is a story written expressly for little Jackie by Willard Mack.

It is a thrilling success. That was the verdict of yesterday's audiences at this theatre.

It begins, in San Francisco where, at the opening of the story, the hero, little Mickey Hogan, is found bereaved of his father. The latter, a member of San Francisco's police, was killed. The boy is now fatherless as well as motherless.

The story begins on the day of Mickey's mother's death. He is taken to a orphanage where he is to be cared for by a sister of his mother. The voyage is abruptly ended in mid-ocean. The ship is wrecked in a typhoon and all are lost, except little Mickey.

He is found by a fisherman and taken to a small island where he is cast upon an island in the tenth seas.

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"Peg O' My Heart," a Beautiful Performance

ARLIE MARKS SCORES BIG IN POPULAR CHARACTER AT CASINO.

It can be truthfully said that "Peg O' My Heart" as played by Arlie Marks and her Players, is one of the finest pieces of dramatic work seen in a long while. Last night "Peg" duplicated her success of the previous night. Miss Arlie-Marks is perfectly at home in the role of Margaret O'Connell, who is known as "Peg." Miss Marks is such an accomplished artist that at one moment she has you in tears of laughter and then changes the laughter to seriousness in a manner that grips the attention of her audience. The role of Peg abounds in heart interest and delicate humor. In fact Peg is a lovable character and the way she so cleverly matches her Irish wit against the chilly heartlessness of her English relatives and beats them to a standstill is indeed interesting.

Lindsay E. Perrin, who plays the character of Sir Gerald Adair infuses reality into the role. His performance is excellent to a detail. The entire cast shows good directing and each character scores individual triumphs.

The settings are indeed atmospheric and is a true life interior of the home of English aristocrats. The lighting is perfect and the furnishing very handsome. The vaudeville numbers are big attractions of this well balanced show. Princess Abdi Hamid, the woman of a thousand eyes is an entertainer of a particular nature. Her crystal gazing and the secrets she reveals are certainly marvelous. The Great Andrews delighted all by his feats of Magic and Judging from the reception tendered him, he is going to be very popular with lovers of this kind of amusement. The remainder of the programme was excellently carried out. The play for the balance of the week is the celebrated success, "Speed Jones." Tickets for same are now on sale.

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T.A. Ladies' Entertainment

An enjoyable card party and dance was held last night in the T.A. Armories, under the auspices of the T.A. Ladies' Auxiliary. The affair was largely patronized and proved a financial success. The card party was participated in by a large number of players and the competition was so keen that a play-off was necessary to decide the prize winners. The lucky winners were Mesdames Tobin and Cantwell. At 9 o'clock dancing was indulged in and was kept up until an early hour this morning. The ladies announced that the next entertainment will take place on Wednesday, eve of the holiday.

"The Nfld. Quarterly"

Established 1901; 96th edition; the oldest general magazine published in the Colony will be issued Saturday, April 18th, and for sale at all the Bookstores and Agents in the Outports at 20 cents per copy. Subscription, 50 cents per year for Newfoundland and Canada. Foreign Subscription, except Canada, 90 cents.

Contents:—Front Cover, "Colnet River and Steady Brook Falls" in "The Quarterly's Easy Chair" Some Interesting Incidents Recalled, with photos of Young Harp Seal, Horse Racing, and Skating on Quidi Vidi Lake; Hauling Seals, by Alex. A. Parsons, J.P.; "The New Tourist Policy—Newfoundland Recreation," with photos of Motor Canoe on Exploits River, Getting Breakfast at Fox Pond, Catching Brook Trout at Quarry River, Clarke's Beach, Kelly's Island and Bell Island, Quidi Vidi Lake; "Lilies"—poem, by G. Cooper; "When Grampa Wuz a Little Boy"—poem, by P. Florence Miller; "The Opening of the New R. C. Palace," with photo; "The Haven"—poem, by Alpha; "A Thought for Easteride"—Sonnet, by Robert Gear MacDonald; "The Fieldian Hockey Champions for 1924-25," with photo; "The Newfoundland Memorial College and Normal School," with photo of building, by W. W. Blackall, B.A., D.C.L., M.B.E.; "The Return"—poem, by Amy McEvoy; "The Labrador Boundary—A Difficult Question between Canada and Newfoundland," with photos of Delegates from Newfoundland, and interesting places in Labrador; "Trees Olden Living Things," by Dr. A. Selwyn Brown; "Our Lady's Juggler," by Anatole France; "Three Forms of Verse"—poems, by Henry Polk Lowenstein; "Popular Sport—Skiing in Newfoundland"—photos; "Newfoundland Section, Wembley, 1925," with photo of Newfoundland Pavilion.

BOYS WANTED, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

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STOCK MARKET NEWS

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NEW YORK, April 15.

TO-DAY'S NEW YORK OPENING.

Baldwin	114 1/2
Anacosta	39 1/2
C.P.R.	143
Cosden	27 1/2
General Motors	73 1/2
General Petroleum	50 1/2
Inter. Comb. Engineering	37 1/2
Inter. Nickel	29 1/2
Pan American "B"	75 1/2
Punta Sugar	43 1/2
Pacific Oil	56
Radio	56 1/2
Reading	74 1/2
Sinclair	10 1/2
Studebaker	45 1/2
Sub. Boat	9 1/2
Shell Union	24 1/2
Southern Pacific	101 1/2
Tobacco Products	76 1/2
U. S. Steel	116 1/2

Montreal Opening.

Brazilian	50
Breweries	48 1/2
Dominion Bridge	91 1/2
Montreal Power	179 1/2
Abitibi	140 1/2
Converters	81

(From Halifax Chronicle April 8.)

CENTRAL LEATHER CO.

New Business Booked in First Quarter Not Up to Expectations.

BOSTON, April 6.—Although the first quarter of this year for Central Leather was disappointing from the standpoint of new business booked, the company continued through this period to make substantial shipments of leather on old contracts, further drawing down stocks on hand. Buying did not revive in March as

expected and conditions at the moment remain rather quiet.

It is anticipated, however, that Central Leather will show a profit for the first quarter against a deficit after interest charges of \$368,617 in the first quarter of 1924. Prices of leather have remained very firm, with no indication of recession, following the 25 per cent. to 30 per cent. appreciation from the lows of last year. This is permitting the company to show some profit.

That leather consumption continues to exceed production is indicated by steady decline in stocks on hand over the country. In February, the latest month available, there was another reduction of 110,000 pieces of sole leather, bringing stocks on hand down to about 5,000,000 pieces, which contrasts with approximately 8,300,000 at the end of February, 1924. This is a decrease of 3,300,000 pieces, or 39.7 per cent. in a year. There has been a steady decline from month to month, as a result of curtailment of production by tanners. In conjunction with the firmness in hide prices this is an explanation of the strength in leather.

That the shoe industry, on which consumption of leather is largely dependent, has maintained a very fair pace is indicated by the fact that output of the factories in February was 26,906,000 pairs comparing with 26,275,000 pairs in January and 26,831,000 pairs in February, 1924. Certain of the large companies have been remarkably busy during the entire first quarter. The expectation has been that 1925 would be likely to show an increase in shoe production over 1924, which year witnessed a decline in output of about 10.7 per cent. compared with 1923.

There is considerable speculation as to the concessions which the Street Railway Company propose seeking during this session of the Legislature. When the propositions were submitted to the Council some short while ago, they were turned down flat, but very little information was given out as to their nature. From a well informed source it is learned that the company regard the street car service as a white elephant under present conditions, and are asking that free customs entry be given for all material to be used in rebuilding the lines; that the Municipal taxation be reduced and that the onus of clearing the tracks of snow be shouldered by the municipality for the payment of a fixed sum. The right to prevent jitneys operating on streets where there is a car service is also said to be one of the concessions asked, as is also the right to raise the fare from five to seven cents.

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Magistrates Court

A married woman of the West End, who is well known in police circles, having served several terms in the penitentiary, for various offences, was arrested yesterday at the instance of a city mechanic, and appeared before court this morning charged with stealing a purse from his pocket on Monday night, which contained the sum of \$28. The evidence of the complainant was taken, and that of a detective, who has been engaged on the case. Shortly after the woman had been placed under arrest the detective cautioned, and although she denied the charge, she declared she knew where the purse could be found. The detective, stated further in his evidence that the woman, on the night that the larceny was committed, had cashed a five dollar note in a shop on New Gower Street and later hired a taxi and drove in Mundy Pond Road. Supt. O'Neill then asked for a postponement of the case for the purpose of giving the police ample time to complete their evidence. This was granted. The woman was then remanded to the penitentiary for eight days.

An 18-year-old girl, who gave her name as Salvago, E.E. was also arraigned before court, and was charged with stealing a ladies coat, valued at \$30.00 from the store of Messrs. James Baird, Ltd., within the past four weeks. The girl stood weeping before the bar, and between sobs acknowledged her guilt, and upon answering questions addressed by Judge Morris, she stated that she was fatherless and motherless, had no work, and was depending on a few friends, whom she had met in the city to give her enough to eat. Mr. Piercey who was called on behalf of Messrs. Jas. Baird Ltd., did not wish to have the girl sent to prison, but stated that something would have to be done to prevent stealing, which has been altogether too prevalent of late. He would only ask that some arrangement be made to refund cost of the coat. Judge Morris took into consideration the circumstances surrounding this girl's case, and rather than send her to jail, he decided to suspend sentence to give her another chance, but she must make good the amount of stolen property.

A resident of Manuel's who was held on remand about a week ago, charged with stealing a sum of money from the store of J. R. Martin, at Manuel's on April 5th, came up before court this morning, and upon being convicted was sentenced to six months imprisonment. According to the evidence submitted the accused was a bosom friend of Martin, and visited his home on the day of the larceny and partook of tea with his family. The Martin family left the house that evening to attend church, while the accused went off in another direction. In the meantime Martin was very suspicious of his friend, and left Const. Efford in hiding in the shop, which adjoined the residence. Upon his return he found the man had entered the shop by a false key, and was caught red handed by the constable at the cash drawer from which he had taken \$2.45, and placed in one of his long rubber boots. The officer waited his chance and flashed a light upon him, and quickly handcuffed the man, placed him under arrest. The accused was convicted of larceny in 1914, and upon being convicted was let go with a light fine. In this case he had nothing to say.

A man given in charge by his wife for being drunk and disorderly in his home was ordered to sign bonds to keep the peace.

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SEAL TOOK 500 YESTERDAY.

Messrs. Baine Johnston and Company received a message from Capt. Jacob Kean of S. S. Seal this morning stating that 500 old ones had been secured yesterday. The day was fine and seals reported plentiful.

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Columbus Ladies' Association Sweepstake

NEPTUNE'S CATCH—20604

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20603 WINS \$25.00

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LUCKY NUMBERS FOR THIS WEEK:

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Mr. Wm. Wrigley, Jr., the chewing gum king, of Chicago, in explaining the rapid growth of his company, said it was all due to advertising. "But," interrupted one of his friends, travelling with him to the Pacific Coast, "you have already built up a remarkable business. Why not save some of this advertising money and run along on momentum for a while?" "Well," Mr. Wrigley said, "we have had a fine, fast trip West from Chicago so far. How much progress do you think we would make if they took off the engine?"

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Shows Signs of Improvement

The boy Edward Martin of Simms Street who was removed to Hospital Monday night suffering from injuries received at the hands of some companions, shows signs of improvement. The injuries to his head are not as serious as at first thought, and although not yet out of danger it is expected he will be around again in a few days.

"Blue Bird Tea Brings Happiness."

Drowning Fatality Reported

A message was received this morning by the Justice Department from Magistrate Small, of Burgeo, reporting the death from drowning of Charles Spencer of that place. The message reads as follows: "Charles Spencer, aged 65, was found drowned this morning. He had been missing since yesterday when he went in the woods."

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Personal

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