

LYRIC Theatre, Simcoe

Friday - Saturday Ann Pennington In "The Little Boy Scout"

In 5 acts with others to fill out our usual programme of high class pictures and music

CONDENSED TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway

MAIN LINE EAST Eastern Standard Time. 2:01 a.m. - For Hamilton, St. Catharines, Niagara Falls and New York.

MAIN LINE WEST 3:40 a.m. - For Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago. 4:02 a.m. - For London, Detroit, Port Huron and Chicago.

BUFFALO AND GODERICH LINE Leave Brantford 10:05 a.m. - For Buffalo and intermediate stations.

GALT, GUELPH AND NORTH GUELPH Palmerston and all points north.

BRANTFORD TILSONBURG LINE Leave Brantford 10:35 a.m. - For Tilsonburg, Port Dover and St. Thomas.

G. T. R. ARRIVALS From West - Arrive Brantford 2:01 a.m.

Buffalo and Goderich From West - Arrive Brantford 10:00 a.m.

W. G. AND B. From North - Arrive Brantford - 9:05 a.m.

T. H. & B. Railway

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 14TH, 1917 7:30 a.m. except Sunday - For Hamilton and intermediate points.

Westbound 9:47 a.m. except Sunday - For Waterloo and intermediate points.

Brantford Municipal Ry. For Paris - Five minutes after the hour.

Brantford and Hamilton Electric Railway Leave Brantford - 6:35 a.m.; 8:00 a.m.; 9:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.

L. E. & N. RAILWAY

Effective July 1, 1917. SOUTH BOUND 8 a.m. a.m. a.m. a.m. a.m. a.m. a.m. a.m.

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NEWS OF NORFOLK

Improvement of Port Dover Harbor Is Mooted By Kitchener

FISHER'S GLEN NEWS Richard Riley, Formerly Of Simcoe, Dead at Arthur

Write Simcoe Agency Box 311 or phone 356-3 all matters regarding delivery or subscriptions. News items or advertisements.

(From our own Correspondent.) Board of Trade is credited in yesterday's dailies with initiating a movement for the improvement of the Port at Dover.

There was a big turnout of Walsh people, accompanied by the local brass band, at Fishers' Glen yesterday. The weather was ideal, and the band played liberally.

Bathing was very popular with the visitors. Yesterday was a gala day with the campers. Breakfast was taken down on the sands, tea and being prepared over coals by means of the ancient tripod.

Harry Nelson is picking daily at most two tons of cucumbers from a six acre field on Dr. Burts' farm just west of the town, and the crop is just coming along towards its maximum bearing.

Odd Ends of News Middleton council paid on Aug. 6th \$250 for sheep killed by dogs. Charlottetown township's total levy for 1917 is \$8,400.

Delhi without a meat shop. Miss Templeton-Armstrong writes that it will be impossible for her to fill any outside engagements till about the middle of September.

Mrs. Howard Nelles and four children, of Toledo, who have been visiting for some weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Innes, left yesterday for home, accompanied by Dr. Nelles, who came over on Sunday.

No trace has yet been picked up of any relative of the late Richard Riley, who died at Arthur, Ont., last Thursday night, after a short illness. Riley came here from St. Thomas three years ago, and had been associated with the local turf since then, as a trailer.

Large quantities of last year's pressed hay are being brought over from Wolfe Island to Kingston for shipment to outside points. The price is around ten dollars a ton.

Doing inmates of the Arlington Hotel, Smith's Falls reading room were distinctly startled one day recently when a runaway horse dashed through the door and stopped, quivering, in their midst.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276.

Miss Gertrude Davis has returned to her home in Toronto after spending the past week in the city as guest of Miss Annie Smith, Wellington street.

Miss Pearl Johnson, of Kitchener, is spending a short holiday in the city.

Mrs. Sharp Master Donald and Miss Dorothy, of Welland are spending the week with Mrs. W. Smith, Erie avenue. Edit

Mrs. M. A. Coler, (nee Gertrude Shrub) formerly of this city, arrived last evening to spend a few days at her home, 270 Marlborough street. Mrs. Coler has been a guest at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, during the past week with Mrs. J. W. Sloan, of Oklahoma.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Aug. 16 - The Chinese Government a Reuter despatch from Peking says, is arranging for the prompt liquidation of the German foreign office. Five officials of the foreign office have been appointed to take over the accounts and cash here and in the Shanghai, Canton, Tien Tsin and Hankow branches.

Chinese concessions in Tien Tsin according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch, and German and Austrian shipping is being seized at Canton, Amoy, Swatow, Shanghai and Nanking. The vessels include several small warships.

HARVEST HELP EXCURSIONS. \$12.00 TO WINNIPEG The Grand Trunk Railway System will sell Harvest Help Excursion tickets to Winnipeg on the following dates:

August 21st and 30th from all stations, Toronto and East to Lyn, Ont., and north to Huntsville, Meaford, etc.

August 23rd and 30th from all stations Toronto and West and South.

Fare going \$12.00 to Winnipeg, and 1-2 cent a mile beyond. Return, 1-2 cent a mile to Winnipeg and \$18.00 from Winnipeg.

Through trains leave Toronto for Winnipeg via Transcontinental route at 10:45 p.m. on dates of excursion.

For particulars as to tickets West of Winnipeg, etc., apply to any Grand Trunk Ticket Agent, or C. E. Howard, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

MARGARET S. SMYTH. The death occurred yesterday of Margaret S. Smyth at her residence, 47 Murray street. She had been invalid for some months and at the end fell peacefully asleep. Mrs. Smyth was a daughter of the late Benjamin Smyth, and sister of the late R. C. Smyth, K.C. She was an active member of St. Jude's church and her kindly and Christian disposition endeared her to all. Her niece Miss Bell who resided with her the deep sympathy of many friends will be extended.

BANK OF ENGLAND. By Courier Leased Wire. London, Aug. 16 - The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increased, 566,000 pounds; circulation, decreased, 323,000 pounds; bullion, increased, 241,673 pounds; other securities, decreased, 5,972,000 pounds; public deposits, decreased, 1,955,000 pounds; other deposits, increased, 3,465,000 pounds; notes reserve, increased, 599,000 pounds; government securities, decreased, 17,000 pounds. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities is 18.5 per cent. Last week it was 17.6 per cent. Rate of discount unchanged, at 5 per cent.

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FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-lives" Because They Did Her Good

Rochon, P. Q., Jan. 14th, 1915. "I suffered for many years with terrible indigestion and constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-lives'. I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-lives'."

I consider that I owe my life to 'Fruit-a-lives' and I want to say to those who suffer from indigestion, constipation or headaches - 'try Fruit-a-lives' and you will get well'. CORINE GAUDREAU. 70c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. All dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

DECLARATION AGAINST AIMS OF GERMANY

National Security League In U. S. Drafts A Confession of Faith

TRUE AMERICAN AIMS Sympathetic Challenged To Sign Declaration Against Fatherland

New York World: The National Security League has challenged the German-language newspapers and the German-American societies to sign a "confession of faith" which reads as follows:

1. I believe that the objects of America in this war are noble, unselfish, and that they square with the highest aims of morality and religion.

2. I believe that the aims of Germany in this war are avaricious, selfish and based on the principles of human liberty.

3. I believe that the statements of the German monarch and of the German Prime Ministers as to German aims and purposes in the war have been false and hypocritical.

4. I believe that the methods sanctioned by the German Government and rulers in this war are brutal, barbarous and revolting to civilized thought.

5. I believe that the preservation of human liberty and the ideals of civilization and morality depends upon our victory in this war.

6. I believe we cannot win this war alone and that our own future and all that we strive for is inseparably bound up with the success of our allies.

7. I believe that the peace of the world cannot rest on any contract made with preservation and the accomplishment of our objects in the war require the permanent effacement of the present German dynasty and radical changes in the present system of German Government.

8. I believe that the war must continue until this result is achieved by military victory for ourselves and allies or by revolution within the German nation.

9. I believe that there can be no neutrality or allegiance to the United States and the principles for which it is struggling; those who do not support the war whole-heartedly cannot claim to be wholly loyal.

THOUSANDS OF MEN REQUIRED FOR HARVESTING IN WESTERN CANADA. Thousands of men are required to help in the great work of harvesting the Western crop. Arrangements for transporting to the West this great army of workers have been completed by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Excursions from points in Ontario to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta will be run, and special trains operated during the trip. In about thirty-six hours, without change or transfer.

Going trip West, \$12.00 to Winnipeg. Returning trip East, \$18.00 from Winnipeg. Consult C.P.R. Agents regarding transportation west of Winnipeg.

August 21st and August 30th - All stations in Ontario, west of Smith's Falls, up to and including Toronto, on Lake Ontario Shore Line, and Havlock-Peterborough line, also from stations between Kingston and Renfrew Junction, inclusive, and from stations on Toronto-Sudbury line. From stations on South Shore Line, between Godwin St. Mary's, Port Burwell and St. Thomas, inclusive, and from stations north to Bolton, inclusive.

Further particulars from any C.P.R. Ticket Agent, or W. B. Howard, District Passenger Agent, Toronto. Ernest Green had 57 hogs slaughtered by Dr. Rowe, county primary inspector, of Chatham, last week. The hogs had both cholera and tuberculosis.

OUR ANNUAL AUGUST SALE J. M. YOUNG & CO. OUR ANNUAL AUGUST SALE

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Fine Black Silks at Absolutely Net Prices

Black Dress Satin, 300 yards of imported Satin of superior quality, pure dye, 36 in. wide, special, per yard \$1.98 Actual present retail price in stock \$2.50

Heavy Dress Paillette, 36 in. wide, imported, only 85 yards Paillette of finest grade, pure dye, actual present retail price in stock \$2.75, at per yard \$2.00

Pebble Black Chiffon Taffeta, 100 yards of an excellent quality soft and lustrous, 40 inches wide, actual present retail price in stock \$2.75, Sale price per yard \$2.00

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A Special Offering of White Habitu Wash Silks

50 yards; 36 inches wide, of a quality highly desirable for undergarments, blouses and summer apparel, reg. value \$1.25 a yard, August Sale price 98c

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Imported Silk and Wool Taffeta Cloth, 40 in wide, suitable for elderly ladies dresses and blouses, regularly \$1.85, August Sale, yard \$1.50

36 in. All Wool Suiting Serge, old stock, and fast dye, August Sale \$1.25 per yard

1 piece each only, 54 in. Suiting Serge, black and navy blue, fine even weave, all wool, regularly \$2.00, Hurry- Out Sale, yard \$1.50

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GERMAN BREAD. Zurich, Switzerland, Aug. 16 - (Associated Press)—Five members of the minority Socialist party of the German Reichstag are reported to have given notice that they will ask if the Chancellor is aware the bread now being supplied to the German people is composed as follows:—24 per cent, flour, 21 per cent, lupine, 17 per cent, chestnuts, 14 per cent, acorns, 12 per cent, bark of trees, 6 per cent wood shavings, 4 per cent potato peel, 2 per cent of a miscellaneous indefinable mixture.

NORSE SHIP SUNK By Courier Leased Wire. London, Aug. 16 - According to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Copenhagen, announcement is made by the Norwegian foreign office that the Norwegian steamer Falkland has been sunk in the North Sea. Ten persons were killed.

The steamer Capella was also sunk. The crew was saved. The Falkland displaced 4,877 tons gross and was built at Glasgow in 1897. The vessel was owned by a Christiania company.

Available shipping records give a steamer Capella as being 877 tons gross, built at Bergen in 1885. She was owned by a firm in Sandefjord.

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SHIPPING SHARES. Amsterdam, Aug. 16 - (Associated Press)—The Vienna correspondent of the Berliner Tagblatt that huge fortunes are being made on the Vienna bourse by a group of financiers and, as an instance, a remarkable rise which has been the correspondent says American shares which stood in April, were quoted at July, while those of other companies are being quoted tonationally high.

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Mrs. Reynolds, an aged Goderich lady, has knitted 520 pairs of socks from Feb. 1, 1915, to August 1, 1917 for the soldiers. She knits regularly every week four pairs of socks, a wonderful showing for a blind woman in her 82nd year.

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