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A little different from the rest.
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SPECIAL PICTURE BILL NEXT WEEK
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Complete change of vaudeville every MONDAY and THURSDAY
Last Chance to Hear FRANCELLI and LEWIS IN OPERATIC AIRS
Educational Flowers of Nice
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IN DARING ACROBATIC ACTS WITH DOG ASSISTANT
Thur. Fri. Sat.
LAUGHING HIT OF VAUDEVILLE
VAN CAMP & CO.
with TRAINED PIG AND OTHER ANIMALS

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Great Selig Romance "Told in The Great West"
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BERTHA DUDLEY
NEW SINGER MONDAY
Bumper Matinee Saturday Afternoon.

Today At The GEM
"A BROKEN SYMPHONY"—Vitagraph
"Corporal Trueman"—Kalem War Story
"John Crobham's Gold"—Lubin Drama
Indian Song—New Music—New Singer.

MORNING LOCALS

The school board are anxious in order to facilitate the issuing of permits, that parents make application now, as the time for the re-assembling of the city schools is not far distant. It is necessary that a child shall be vaccinated before a permit is issued.

Rev. J. Heaney, wife and family returned yesterday from P. E. Island where Mr. Heaney has been spending his vacation. He will take the united service of the Carleton Methodist and Presbyterian churches on Sunday, and during August

At a meeting of prominent officials of the Royal Arcanum at the Royal Hotel last night, Sheriff McQueen of Dorchester, introduced Uriah W. Tomkins, some representative from New York. It planned had the weather been fine, take Mr. Tomkins up river. He will the members of the St. John Council their friends in Foresters' Hall, te street, tonight.

Low and H. H. Pickett returned last evening from Fredericton after discussing with the Fredericton council, Mr. Low's claim to $5,000 balance due for street pavement. No decision has been reached.

A meeting composed of individual representatives of the city bands will meet this evening in the office of the Victoria Bowling Academy, at eight o'clock, to complete final arrangements for Monday night's band concert.

A committee was chosen last evening at the meeting of the St. John County Temperance Federation to look into the advisability of a prohibition campaign next spring.

The Carleton Methodist church Sunday school held their picnic yesterday at Westfield Beach. On account of the inclement weather there was but a fair attendance. Numerous heavy showers kept the picnickers under cover at the shed on the grounds a considerable portion of the time. Trains left at 9 and 1.30 and the return was made at 7.30.

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; AT HOME AND ABROAD

Mike Twin and Dan.

Buffalo, Aug. 5—Bob Moha, the western welterweight, failed to show up for his bout with Mike (Twin) Sullivan here and the Boston man went on in a 10-round go with his younger and heavier brother, Dan. They put up a whirlwind exhibition and there was little difference between it and a real fight. The crowd was satisfied and accepted the situation without any trouble. Mike was matched to box Paddy Lavin a 10-round bout for an $800 purse before the International A. C. here the last week in August or the first week in September. They will meet at 145 pounds.

About the Boxers

Kid Henry and Charley Hitte will meet in Albany Aug. 29.

Charley Griffin of Australia will meet Phil Cross in New York Aug. 10.

Unk Russell and Billy Donovan have been matched to box in Philadelphia next Friday night.

Matt Wells, the English welterweight, and Paddy Sullivan will clash in New York next Monday night.

Bert Keyes and Cy Smith will be the card in Albany next Monday night. If Keyes does not box better than he did here it will be a punk bout.

Jack Johnson is certainly getting wise, if latest reports about him are correct. It is said that he bought $20,000 worth of government bonds the other day, making, it is reported, $60,000 that he has invested in that way.

Aleck McClean, manager of Matty Baldwin, was offered a chance for Baldwin to box "Cyclone" Thompson in Tom O'Rourke's New York club the middle of the month. McClean passed it up, as he does not want Baldwin to box till after Labor day.

Billy Papke threatens to cancel his proposed trip to Australia and to quit the boxing game.

Billy Rocap one of the best fistic experts in Philadelphia, looks upon the Kaufman—Langford bout as a joke. He suggests that as a matter of protection to the patrons each man be forced to post $2,500 as an evidence of good faith that they will do their best to win.

Matty Baldwin has turned down an offer of a purse to meet "Cyclone" Thompson at New York, Aug. 9. Manager Alec McClean believes that the Charlestown boy needs a good, long rest, which he is taking at New Drop, Staten Island. Then, too, McClean is waiting for the return of Hugh McIntosh next month when the plans for a proposed trip to Australia will be completed.

May Organize Boxers

San Francisco, Aug. 2—Organization of an association that will exercise the same influence and control over pugilistic contests that leagues do over baseball is the scheme of A. B. Moffit an Oakland fight promoter, who recently began drafting letters to other California promoters calling for a meeting to be held soon in this city to form such an association.

Moffit says he is working on a plan of organization and by laws which he will have ready to submit to the promoters if the meeting is arranged. "I believe," he asserts, "that by organization we can clear away all the troubles of the fight game and put it on the same solid basis as baseball, track athletics or any other sports."

Jack Twin at Sydney.

Says the Sydney Record: Jack "Twin" Sullivan who is to fight Andy Morris in King's Theatre on Friday night, arrived in town yesterday afternoon accompanied by his trainer, Mr. Mahoney and Danny Smith of Glace Bay. The well known fighter created considerable interest as he passed through the street.

Baseball

Detroit to Try Out Pensley.

Woodstock, N. B., Aug. 4—(Special)—Pensley, the Woodstock pitcher, has entered into an agreement to try out with Detroit this fall. Kitteridge, a big league scout, has been here for a couple of days looking for material, with the above result.

National League.

At New York—Chicago, 5; New York, 1.

At Philadelphia—Pittsburg, 6; Philadelphia, 0.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn-St. Louis, wet grounds.

At Boston—Boston-Cincinnati, rain. Two games today.

American League.

Chicago, Aug. 4—"Big Ed." Walsh, of the White Sox, and Jack Coombs, of the Athletics, fought the most spectacular slab duel of the season here today, going sixteen innings to a scoreless finish. Coombs shut out the locals without a hit in nine innings and allowed but three safeties during that battle, striking out eighteen Sox. Walsh allowed six hits, and fanned ten. Three fast double plays in the closing rounds, with Eddie Collins starring, blasted Chicago's chances for going ahead. Darkness stopped the duel. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago— 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	3	4
Philadelphia— 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	6	2

Batteries—Walsh and Sullivan; Coombs and Livingstone. Time, 3.28.

At Detroit—Boston, 2; Detroit, 4.

At Cleveland—New York, 5; Cleveland, 6.

At St. Louis—St. Louis, 1; Washington, 0. Second game—Washington, 0; St. Louis, 5.

Eastern League.

At Newark—Rochester, 6; Newark, 2.

At Baltimore—Buffalo, 5; Baltimore, 4.

At Jersey City—Toronto, 7; Jersey City, 6.

At Providence — Providence-Montreal, rain.

Renforth Won.

An exciting game of baseball was played at Rothesay on Wednesday night between a team of enthusiasts from that place and one from Renforth, the latter team winning by a score of 4 to 0. A two-base hit by Wetmore was a feature of the game. The batteries were: for the winners Scott and Kinsman, and for the Rothesay players, Wright and Orr. The contest was witnessed by a large number of people, among the fans being many of the fair sex from Renforth, who accompanied their team as "rooters."

I. C. R. League

The I. C. R. baseball executive will meet this evening for the purpose of drawing up a new schedule.

I. C. R. League Standing

	Won	Lost.
Comets	8	1
Creams	6	3
Colts	5	5
Thornes	1	11

Thornes have disbanded.

Golf

Golfers to Halifax.

A St. John golf team left on last night's late train for Halifax to play the annual match with a team from the club in the Nova Scotia capital. The St. John men who went are Dr. J. M. Magee, Andrew Jack, Paul Longley, D. W. Newcomb, J. U. Thomas, A. C. Currie, Edward Faulds, F. W. Fraser, F. A. Peters, F. M. Keator, Alfred Porter, H. B. Schofield, John Ogilvy and Dr. S. B. Smith.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE GAMES

The following is the schedule of the Commercial League games for the balance of the league season. The games are played in the evening on the Every Day Club grounds:

Aug. 8—Vassie & Co vs B. & P.
Aug. 11—M. R. & Co vs Vassie.
Aug. 15—M. & B Co vs B. & P.
Aug. 18—B & P vs Vassie & Co.
Aug. 22—M. R. A. vs Vassie & Co.
Aug. 25—Vassie & Co vs M. B. & Co.
Aug. 29—B. & P. vs Vassie & Co.

The Turf

Races at Moosepath.

A racing meeting has been arranged for Moosepath Park for Friday and Saturday, Aug. 19 and 20. Trotting and pacing will be the attractions. The entries will close on Aug. 11.

CAPT. KENDALL TELLS HOW HE IDENTIFIED THE TWO FUGITIVES

Told Crippen Funny Story so He Could See His Teeth—Instructed Dew as to the Arrest

According to the officers and crew of the steamship Montrose, which now lies in the port of Montreal after her eventful journey with Dr. Crippen and Miss Le Neve as passengers, the whole credit of capturing the fugitives of the London murder belongs to Capt. Kendall, commander of the vessel, and to Capt. Kendall alone.

It was he who first scented a clue. It was he who followed it up, and it was he alone who planned all the details of the arrest at Father Point. Inspector Dew and his colleagues of the law were merely obeying orders given by Kendall four hours before, when they stepped aboard the Montrose disguised as pilots.

"When I first became suspicious of my two passengers," said the captain, "I wired Mr. Piers, who transmitted my message to the authorities. I said: 'Have every reason to believe Crippen and Le Neve aboard my vessel, latter disguised as boy.' Later on, I again wirelessed confirming my suspicions. These messages had to be relayed back by the Sardinian, we having passed the wireless zone of our own vessel. I received no reply to these, owing to the fact. I suppose that we were out of reach of both land and sea stations.

Watched Them Daily

"I watched the pair daily from my port hole. I saw more than Scotland Yard will ever see from my binoculars when they thought no one was looking, but I was not absolutely certain and decided that I must have them watched in their stateroom to make sure that Le Neve was a girl. The chief engineer, Mr. Pyne, and myself rigged up a sling and Le Neve to go over the ship's side on a rope to have a look through the port hole that night. Before they had turned in, however, I was so sure that it was not necessary.

"When the Montrose got near the Gulf I began to receive wireless messages, among those one from Dew. I replied that I now fully identified Crippen and the girl from photos which appeared in the Daily Mail and from their actions aboard ship. He replied that he would wireless again. I did not hear from him, and therefore sent him word how he was to act in making the arrest.

"Four hours from Father Point, Dew replied: 'Everything arranged as you advised,' and his coming aboard disguised as a pilot was the result. The Canadian ensign at the mainmast-head was to be the signal for the newspaper men that it was all right.

"Now as to the actual arrest. Although no newspaper men were aboard the Montrose, they got the facts practically correct. After the arrest both were searched and women's clothes provided for the girl. I don't know for sure, but I think it was poison, the same as some found on the doctor, that Miss Le Neve threw out of the porthole."

Told Funny Story

Capt. Kendall told the following funny story to Dr. Crippen to make him laugh, in order that he would open his mouth and give the captain a look at his teeth to ascertain whether they were false or not: "A merchant in London had a shipment of limburger cheese which he wanted to send to Scotland. The smell was so bad no railway would take it. Finally the merchant put it in a coffin and he himself dressed in black. He shipped the limburger as a corpse. When the journey's end was reached the guard asked the merchant:

"'Relative, sir?'

"Yes," replied the merchant.

"'Well, he sure is dead, ain't he, sir?'

Crippen haw-hawed and Capt. Kendall got his look.

IF YOU ARE FAT AND HOT READ THIS ARTICLE

There is no necessity of fat people suffering as they do. Most fat people are so good-natured they do not care how they look or how they get along during the hot weather. As a matter of fact there is a natural fat reducer that for the past several years has been demonstrating that it will reduce fat and not tear down the body or leave wrinkles, flabby rolls of skin and wrinkles. This method is the famous Marmola prescription, which is now prepared in tablet form to meet the demands of fat people in the summer and to enable them at all times to take their fat reducer after each meal. One of these little tablets taken after a meal turns that meal into good blood for the blood and stops all fat-producing elements from going into the system. Marmola Tablets has an army of men and women who testify to its success, and you would tire reading what they say of its triumphs. Marmola tablets not only stop producing fat in the body but they reduce flesh at the rate of from 12 to 15 ounces a day. They are harmless and do nothing but assist nature to give to the body the nourishment it requires. They are sold at all drug stores, price 75 cents, or you may write The Marmola Company, 1179 Farmer Bldg., Detroit, Mich.

For the accommodation of suburbanites wishing to attend the Merry Widow performance at the Opera House tonight, Friday, August 5, the C. P. R. suburban train, which leaves St. John at 10.35 p. m. will be held until 11.25 p. m.

Enamel green is a predominating color among the parasols on beach and board walk.

ST. JOHN MEN ARE IN ON THIS DEAL

Bought Shares in Device Guaranteeing 100 Per Cent.

$15,000,000 STOCK

Shareholders in Burlingame Telegraphing Typewriter Co. Get Sudden Shock—Must Transfer Stock to New Concern at a Cost of 25 Cents a Share

About a year ago there appeared in St. John a couple of men who obtained space in a shoe store on Charlotte street, and exhibited what they termed were the "Burlingame Telegraphing Typewriters." Two machines were set up and any who were curious enough could have the working of the device demonstrated for them. Many called and were greatly impressed with the possibilities of the scheme, and were induced to purchase stock in the company. The agents were here about a week and are understood to have carried away a very substantial sum of St. John cash.

Those who purchased will probably be interested in the following, which appeared in Wednesday's New York American:

Stockholders of the $15,000,000 Burlingame Telegraphing Typewriter Company, who were promised an annual income of 100 per cent. on their money, have received notice to transfer their stock to a new $15,000,000 concern, which proposes to organize a sort of telegraphic typewriter trust. The new corporation is the Consolidated Printing Telegraph Company, of No. 2 Rector street.

Until the Burlingame stockholders got this notice they believed they already had a perfect machine which would revolutionize wire communication, and net them vast profits. Now they are informed that no present device is satisfactory from a business standpoint, and that accordingly it is necessary to buy up rival patents and perfect a machine through them.

Must Put Up More Money

The Burlingame stockholders are also told that it will cost them twenty-five cents a share for transferring their interests from one company to the other, a toll which on the 1,500,000 shares of the concern would net the sum of $375,000. The consolidation offer closes on August 15.

Elmer Burlingame, the inventor of the Burlingame telegraphic typewriter, has an office in Boston. He says he is no relative of Elmer E. Burlingame, whose promotion of a $10,000,000 cluster of wireless telephone companies was recently exposed by the New York American. All communications sent out by the typewriter officials are stamped with a statement to this effect.

Although the proposed trust announces its intention to get control of the leading telegraphic typewriter patents, officers of two rival companies said yesterday that no offer had been made to them.

The representative of one concern, who showed a letter from L. S. Wells, electrical superintendent of the Long Island Railroad, stating that its machines were operated successfully by that railroad, said:

"If any trust is being formed, we for one would certainly refuse to go into it."

Very Illuring "Literature"

Several former employees of the Burlingame concern were interviewed by American reporters. They said that the Burlingame stock was sold almost entirely as the result of a spectacular campaign in nearly every large sized city in the United States. The stock selling agents carried with them machines with which they gave demonstrations from one room to another, or across the street.

The demonstrations were rendered still more effective by the company's circulars, of which the following is a sample:

Where the telegraph instruments now produces at the sending point a combination of sounds or clicks to indicate a certain letter, and reproduces that combination of sounds or clicks at a receiving point, this new device records the letter itself on paper at the sending point, and simultaneously records the same letter at the receiving point.

The machine will be leased; never under any circumstances will they be sold.

The rentals will be from $3 to $15 per month.

Those who may be disposed to invest in the stock might employ as a basis for calculating probable income, an average charge of $5 a month.

Consider the fact that there are approximately 10,000,000 telephones in this country at an average monthly rental of more than $1.25 and that at a conservative estimate one-fifth of these phones are in use in business offices. If these 2,000,000 commercial phones are producing only $5 rental each month the gross income for one year amounts to $120,000,000.

"Three hundred thousand Burlingame machines in operation at a rental of $5.00 per month each would earn a gross income of $118,000,000. By no reasonable calculation can it be made to appear that more than $3,000,000 of this income would be necessary for operating expenses. The net income would therefore be $15,000,000, which is the amount of the company's capital stock.

The men who have made fortunes by owning shares in industrial enterprises are those who saw the irresistable conclusions to be drawn from facts, and, looking ahead, saw that the stock would increase in value with the expansion of the enterprise.

"This is good policy for you." a

Why Consolidation is Urged

The purpose of the consolidation as set forth in a circular signed B. M. Barr, president, is "to concentrate under its control the various printing telegraph interests and by combining the best features of the various instruments to produce a commercially successful telegraph printing machine in the fullest sense, one that will take its place with the telephone, the adding machine and the telegraph, etc."

"The busiesss world," says Mr. Barr, "is clamoring for a successful and practical printing and telegraph machine, and in response to this demand a number of machines have appeared from time to time, but none has so far combined all the qualities that go to make a successful instrument adapted for general business use.

"By acquiring a number of leading patents, as well as stock control of a number of corporations that have machines already built, we place ourselves in position to select their best features and adapt them to our use."

The offices of the Consolidated and of Mr. Barr are at No. 2 Rector street. Repeated efforts to see Mr. Barr failed. A representative said that the new company was incorporated in Washington, and that a factory wiuld be operated in Newark, to which place the Boston factory of the Burlingame concern would be transferred.

Children Often Need a laxative—but you cannot be too careful what you give them. Harsh purgatives injure the bowels and pave the way for life-long troubles. The new evacuant in

NA-DRU-CO LAXATIVES

does the work most effectively without irritating the bowels or causing any discomfort. The children like them for they taste like candy. One of the most popular of the NA-DRU-CO preparations. 25c. a box. If your druggist has not yet stocked them, send 25c. and we will mail them. 20 National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, - - Montreal.

AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH MEETS IN YARMOUTH

Bishop Derrick Warmly Welcomed—Rev. Joseph Gibbs of St. John, Present

Yarmouth, N. S., Aug. 5—The annual conference of the A. M. E. church opened here Wednesday morning. Among those present are Bishop Derrick, of Flushing, N. Y. Bishop Derrick's jurisdiction extends over Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, Western Virginia, Bermuda and the lower provinces of Canada. He is sixty-seven years of age, and before entering the ministry 48 years ago was a seaman on the American frigate Minnesota. He was educated in Antigua, where he was born, and in England, and is a loyal subject of King George.

Others attending the conference are Rev. S. W. B. Pearson, Halifax; T. B. McConnell, Amherst; Joseph N. Gibbs, St. John; J. W. Edgehill, Woodstock, and Austin Morgan, Yarmouth.

In the evening a reception was tendered Bishop Derrick. Mayor Kelly on behalf of the town welcomed his lordship to Yarmouth. He was always glad to do anything in his power for the uplifting of humanity.

AMUSEMENTS FOR OURSELVES AND OTHERS

LYRIC

A new system will be inaugurated at the "Lyric" starting next week whereby two entirely different and distinct vaudeville attractions will be seen, one to open on Monday and the other on Thursday. This is possible by the possession of Mr. Spencer of a new and beautiful theatre in Truro, N. S. This news will be welcome to the "Lyric's" many patrons. For the first three days of next week the Aerial McGinley's will be the headliner. Advance reports from Halifax and the Sydneys claim these people to be wonders in their profession and will present a daring and sensational acrobatic and trapeze act assisted by a clever trick dog. For the balance of the week the much talked of Van Camp & Co. with their trained pig and other animals will positively make their appearance. The programme of pictures undergo a change today and they are all good.

UNIQUE

Today and tomorrow at the Unique theatre the programme that will be put on is sure to attract a great number of people as the picture features are said to be unusually good. In the first place there is the Vitagraph Scotch comic drama, "Twa' Hielan' Lads," and it will be found a most inviting and novel subject. Then there is another feature from the same film called, "The Diamond Maker," which tells a thrilling and sensational story. The scene in this study where the chemical apparatus is destroyed is one not soon to be forgotten. Next a sweet bit of sentiment will be seen in, "Big Hearted Mary" "Roosevelt and the French Troops," will give exposition of the colonel's doings in the gay city of Paris. Fun will reign supreme in a laughable farce "My Birthday" and Mr. Sherman is offering a pretty love ballad "Only a Dream of You." Monster matinee Saturday.

THE STAR

Star Theatre, North End, will have one of the finest scenic melo-dramas ever made into motion pictures for tonight and Saturday in the Edison production "The Judgment of the Mighty Deep." This is a sterling feature of the finest kind. In addition there will be the Selig romance of the prairies "Told in the Golden West" and two screaming comedies; "Winning Over the Father," and "Oh, So Sick." This will make a first-class bill for the week end and with Miss Dudley in songs and bright music a good show is promised. On Monday Miss Vivian King will commence a short stay at the Star in late song-hits.

THE GEM.

Despite the inclement weather of last evening, the audiences at the popular Gem theatre, Waterloo street, were very encouraging, and were well paid for their attendance in witnessing a splendid bill of moving pictures, which will be repeated this evening, and at the souvenir matinee tomorrow. The feature film, A Broken Symphony, presented by the Vitagraph Company, was very favorably commented upon, as it portrayed in a clever and striking manner, an interesting story, true to life.

Another fine film was the stirring tale of war, entitled Corporal Trueman, alive with action and full of dramatic situations, one of the Kalem Company's late releases. There were other subjects which added greatly to the success of the performance, and strengthened the verdict that the Gem is the best place to see a good show. The Indian song, Sunbird, was heartily encored, and with the selections of the orchestra, pleased immensely.

MAKE THIS TEST

How to Tell if Your Hair is Diseased

Even if you have a luxuriant head of hair you may want to know whether it is in a healthy condition or not, 98 per cent of the people need a hair tonic.

Pull a hair out of your head, if the bulb at the end of it is white and shrunken it proves that the hair is diseased, and requires prompt treatment if its loss would be avoided. If the bulb is pink and full, the hair is healthy.

I want everyone whose hair requires treatment, to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. I promise that it shall not cost anything if it does not give satisfactory results. It is designed to overcome dandruff, relieve scalp irritation, to stimulate the hair roots, tighten the hair already in the head, grow hair and cure baldness.

It is because of what Rexall "93" Hair Tonic has done and my sincere faith in its goodness that I want you to try it at my risk. Two sizes, 50c. and $1.00. Sold only at my store—The Rexall Store, Chas. R. Wasson, 100 King street.

MERRY WIDOW A GREAT SHOW

Very Highly Praised by All Who Attended — Performance Tonight and Matinee at 2 Tomorrow

With its catchy songs, pretty choruses and chorus girls, its entrancing airs, its brilliancy, gayety, and charm, the production by Henry W. Savage of The Merry Widow at the Opera House last night gave untold delight to a large and appreciative audience, and the famous Viennese operetta with the artists who figured in its presentation, installed itself at once at the head of the list of favorites with local theatre-goers. It is a long time since a play has been so heartily received, as was this one last night, and it is safe to say that it was one of the finest productions from every standpoint ever shown in St. John.

The scenes, costumes and general effects were magnificent. The piece was splendidly staged, careful attention being given to every detail, and for brilliancy and grandeur it would be difficult to excel the beauty of the scene presented in the ball room, and at the famous Parisian resort, Maxime's.

The costumes worn by the ladies in the cast were works of art, and in their splendor and superb appearance, were the source of admiration not only from the fair sex in the audience, but from the male members as well. The singing and music were excellent, and the dancing enthralling, being the spirited national dances of the gay Marsovians, in their native costumes. The famous "Merry Widow waltz" was encored eight times, thunderous applause greeting each appearance of Mr. Meakins and Miss Wilber, as they "tripped the light fantastic."

The lively, coquettish widow was well and cleverly portrayed by Miss Mabel Wilber, who is possessed of a handsome appearance, and a remarkably sweet voice, and whose graceful dancing merited much favorable commendation. In her numbers with the prince, as played by Chas. Meakins, she was heard to special advantage in several pleasing vocal selections.

Charles Meakins was the dashing, reckless prince, admired by all the girls, loved by the widow, and madly in love with her himself, but prevented from saying so by a foolish promise. He filled his role in a manner which pleased his audience immensely, and was a welcome figure on the stage on every appearance.

Much of the comedy of the performance was provided by Fread Frear as Mr. Nish, and R. E. Graham, as Popoff, who in their respective roles created many hearty laughs.

Harold Blake, although hardly cast in a pleasing part, won applause in his rendering of several beautiful solos, and his clear tenor voice sounded distinctly sweet and thrilled his hearers. Miss Scott sang and acted well her solo, "For I'm a Dutiful Wife," being especially praiseworthy.

The balancing company was strong and cleverly supported the leading members of the cast. The performance was increased by a large orchestra of nicely mixed pieces, who played the soft and dreamy airs of the piece with considerable skill and ability.

The opera was late in starting, and in consequence it was at a late hour before the curtain dropped on the finale of the third act, but in spite of the inclement weather and the tardiness of the hour, the people in the house did not seem to mind, but were loud in their praises of the operetta.

St. John people who delight in magnificence and brilliancy of scene cannot but be thrilled as the curtain rises on the splendor of a Parisian ball room. To those who appreciate a strong portrayal of dramatic ability is recommended the scene in the last act where Tonia walks into Maxim's, the celebrated resort of Paris, and finds there the Prince with the ballet dancer. But the entire piece is a succession of stirring incidents, and striking scenes, of good acting and excellent music. Nothing better in opera has been seen in this city. At the matinee tomorrow the curtain will rise at 2 o'clock sharp

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Arthur Irwin, who was drowned from Sir William VanHorne's yacht at St. Andrews, was buried from Bayside, near St. Andrews, yesterday. Sir William was among the mourners.

Gloom was cast over the Canadian Henley at St. Catherines by the drowning yesterday of Merton Kent, one of the mainstays of the Argonaut Rowing Club. The unfortunate man was drowned from the club's launch in Lake Ontario. The drowned man's brother is a member of the Argonaut eight, and they will probably not row.

James Porter and Homer Cotreau, two American fishermen, arrived at Louisburg N. S., yesterday, from Forchu, where they had been landed, after drifting about the Atlantic since Tuesday last in an open dory without food or water. They had strayed from their schooner, the Quan Pawett, in a dense fog. The American consul sent them to their homes in Boston.

A movement that was on foot at Springhill to have the militia, who have been doing duty in the strike town, recalled, resulted in failure. Judge Patterson, on whose requisition the troops were called, agreed that if a force of twenty special police, recommended as proper men by E. B. Paul, M. P. P., were sworn in, he would then request the withdrawal of the military. As the men appointed were not recommended by Mr. Paul the military are still on hand.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Railway company was held in Montreal yesterday. The directors report was considered satisfactory, and a dividend of four per cent on the capital stock of the company for the year ended June 30, 1910, was declared payable August 15. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy takes the place of the late John S. Kennedy, of New York, on the board, and R. W. Reford the place of Samuel Thorne, of New York. At a meeting of the board of directors, Robert Meighen was elected president, and W. T. Whitehead vice-president.

The royal commission on industrial training and technical education held a meeting yesterday in Antigonish. Among the speakers were the mayor, Dr. M. P. McPherson and Prof. McDonald of St. Francis Xavier College.

The Moncton Baptist church has called Rev. W. Archibald, pastor of the Baptist church at Brockton, Mass. At present the Moncton church is without a pastor.