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"	3 x 3-2 "	$11.75	$9.00
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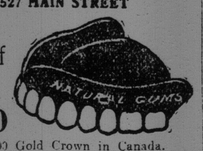

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LATE LOCALS

The Every Day Club band will play at the Carleton Cornet band fair this evening.

The annual picnic of St. Luke's Sunday school will be held tomorrow at Watters' Landing.

Miss Charlotte H. Barnes of Newton, Mass., is in the city the guest of the Misses Comben.

The Every Day Club is unable to get a C. P. R. train service for the proposed regatta at Westfield in August. The harvest excursions and other demands upon the passenger service prevent it.

The Germain Street United Baptist Church picnic will be held tomorrow at Westfield Beach. Trains leave at 9.25 a.m. and 1.30 p.m. Tickets 25c. and 40c. to be had at station. All members of Sunday school go free.

Quite a large number of the members of St. Stephen's church and Sunday school went to Westfield Beach this morning on the 9.25 train. The children marched to the train headed by the Scots Company, Boys Brigade and the pipers.

The harbor facilities committee last evening completed their work of drawing up the act under which the harbor commission will be appointed and a meeting of the council will be held on Monday next, to consider the report. If the minister of public work has no objections the provisions of the act will be made public.

It is possible that a public motor car service may be started in St. John in the near future. An American concern has been enquiring about the license fees for such a service. The mayor states that a charge of $20 a car would be made and each chauffeur would have to pay a $7.50 license while the manager of the concern would be asked to contribute $20 for a business license.

Dredge No. 4, owned by the Dominion Dredging Company, arrived at Yarmouth last Monday from this port. Captain Powell, who was most popular while captain of the small steamer Westport III, is in charge of the commisariat department of the dredge and likes the work very much. His many friends in this city extend to him the glad hand.

CENTENARY'S NEW PASTOR

Rev. C. R. Flanders Will Occupy Pulpit for First Time on July 5th.

Rev. C. R. Flanders, B. D., the new pastor of Centenary Methodist church, will occupy the pulpit there for the first time on Sunday, July 5. Rev. Mr. Flanders comes here from Swanstead, Quebec. Arrangements are being made for a reception to the incoming pastor on Tuesday evening, the 7th inst., when members of the congregation, ministers of other Methodist churches and representatives of the Evangelical Alliance will welcome Mr. Flanders.

Addresses will be made and a musical programme will be carried out.

THE PLAYGROUNDS

Funds Required for the Work of Woman's Council This Summer.

The people of St. John do not need to be told of the value of the supervised playgrounds for children. These grounds will be opened as soon as possible by the Woman's Council, those on the Every Day Club grounds on Monday next and the Centennial as soon as the school board gives permission. The Council requires more funds than it has on hand, and therefore appeals to the citizens for contributions, large or small. Any subscriptions left with the Times will be duly acknowledged. The following have started the fund:—

Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd.	$25
Mayor Bullock	10
Emerson & Fisher	10
Mr. Joseph Smith, Deland, Fla.	2
Mrs. W. K. Crawford	1
A friend	1

TWO SMALL FIRES

The fire department was called out twice this morning for small fires. The first alarm was from 21 about 8.30 o'clock for a blaze in the cellar of Mrs. M. W. Mohar's house on Golding street. The damage was slight, being not over a hundred dollars.

The second alarm was rung in about 10 o'clock for a slight blaze in Major Jas. L. McAvity's residence on Hazen street. A pot of tar on the kitchen stove had boiled over, but the prompt arrival of the firemen prevented any great damage. The blaze was put out by a bond chemical extinguisher from the Salvage Corps wagon.

CITY COURT

The debt cases that occupied the attention of the police court this morning were numerous and varied.

A spirited argument arose in the course of the Hopkins Bros. vs Robert Field case between J. A. Barry, who appeared for the defendant and one of the plaintiffs.

Mrs. McAuley, of St. Patrick street, sued Herbert Healey for three months' rent. Healey contested the debt and it developed in the evidence that the defendant, owing to the refusal of his fiancee to travel in double harness, he had been unable to fulfil his verbal contract with the plaintiff. The magistrate postponed the matter.

In the claim B. Vanwart vs Watson Bros., judgment was rendered in favor of Vanwart for the amount of $5.20, incurred for a purchase of a lamb.

At adjournment, the suit of Frost & Wood Co., Ltd., vs Frank Gorham, was in progress.

CITY HALL NOTES

A meeting of the safety board is being held this afternoon to open tenders for supplies and for repairs to fire stations, the exhibition buildings, etc.

Tomorrow afternoon the treasury board will meet to consider the matter of issuing bonds for building the annex to the Winter street school as decided on by the board of school trustees.

PERSONALS

Dr. Thomas Walker returned to the city on the Montreal train today.

W. D. Barclay, general manager of the Nova Scotia H. & S. W. Railway, was in the city yesterday from Yarmouth and left the city this morning.

Boston steamer, Calvin Austin, Captain Pike, arrived this afternoon at 3 o'clock with a large passenger list.

AMATEURS MAKE A DECIDED HIT

"A Sailor's Sweetheart" Splendidly Produced by St. John Dramatic Club Last Night--"Caprice" Tonight.

The greatest triumph ever scored by local amateures was achieved by the St. John Amateur Dramatic Club under the direction of Theodore H. Bird, at the Opera House last night, when they presented "A Sailor's Sweetheart" before a large and fashionable audience. The acting, collectively and individually, the costumes, the specialties, settings and scenic effects—all bespoke care even to the smallest detail and reflected the greatest credit on both instructor and performers.

"A Sailor's Sweetheart" is a comedy drama written along conventional lines, the interest centering around Tom Manly, impersonated by Mr. Bird, and Rose Prescott, cleverly portrayed by Miss Carrie Baillie.

This year, Miss Baillie does even better work than she did last season when she made a big hit in the role of Mercy Baxter in "Caprice." Her conception of Rose Prescott leaves really no room for adverse criticism, a fact which was clearly apparent by the reception given her last evening. The strongest point about Miss Baillie's acting is the entire absence of staginess and the perfectly natural way in which she handled the roll entrusted to her. Added to this, her stage presence is particularly pleasing and she possesses a clear musical voice, her annunication being in all instances, perfect.

As for Mr. Bird—it is by no means necessary to remind St. John theatregoers that he has proven himself an artist of no ordinary ability but is one of the best instructors in dramatic art who ever visited this city. In "A Sailor's Sweetheart" he makes a splendid Tom Manly, a role which forms a striking contrast to any in which he has been seen here. He was last night accorded a tremendous ovation and it needs no telling that he has won for himself a very enviable reputation with local patrons of the theatre.

The major portion of the comedy was furnished by Alfred E. McGinley and Miss Helen Kenny, who carried off abundant shares of laurels. Mr. McGinley needs no introduction to local theatre goers and made a capital Si Kidder keeping his audience in roars of laughter manifestly his strong point is comely and his excellent work in last night's production served only to win him additional honors.

Now a word for Miss Kenny, who, on the local amateur boards is a new comer—and one at that, who, judging from the manner in which she handled her part as Ruth Manly,—gives promise of a great future, for not only does she work out splendidly the principal points in her role, but she devotes careful attention to detail.

Miss Kenny has a pretty stage manner and was accorded a gracious reception.

Godfrey Kenny was —to be frank—much better as James Hammond in "A Sailor's Sweetheart," than he was in the role of Harry Northorp in last year's production of "Caprice;" but then, it must be remembered that before last season had had practically no experience, a fact which goes to show that he not only possesses a great deal of natural talent, but has also the quality of versatility which is not always prominent in amateurs. His work in last night's performance was distinctly meritorious, the most prominent feature being that he didn't overdo the part.

Of Rupert E. Walker, it may be said that he never appeared to better advantage than in the role of William Farren (known as Squire Hammond), which last evening, he portrayed admirably. Mr. Walker is already very well known in local amateur circles, and, in addition to what has already been said of him, it may very well be stated in "A Sailor's Sweetheart," he scored a distinct triumph and elicited many favorable comments.

Frank Stanton, another of last years St. John amateures showed once more that he is admirably adopted to roles of elderly personage and made a capital Uncle Davie and his work was not a whit behind that of last season when he appeared as Jethro Baxter in "Caprice", a role which he will also assume in this season's production of that play.

Now for a word as to the clever work of little Marion Campbell, who last season won laurels in her rendition of the popular song "The Naughty Little Bird on Nellie's Hat." This year the lines "Little Nellie, a waif of the ocean, were thrown to her," and in her rendering of the really difficult child-part" she demonstrated a very decided talent for the histrionic art—particularly in the death bed scene with Mr. Bird, when there was hardly a dry eye in the audience. The little lady was so delightfully natural and seemed so unconscious of the presence of an audience that at times it was difficult to realize that she was simply "acting a part." Of her also it can safely be said that she has improved wonderfully since last season and has a great even a glorious future in store for her in the theatrical line.

Miss Pauline Baird as Mrs. Manly, also came in for a generous share of applause, while Miss Sybil Craigie, in the part of Mary, a maid—only a short part it was—made a most favorable impression on her audience who accorded her a hearty reception.

The Sea-Saw Chorus and Old Fashioned Walk were splendidly rendered and well costumed and like Steve Matthews' songs and monologues—replete with clever local hits—were accorded three-fold curtain calls.

The supernumerary characters went a long way towards making the performance the rousing success that it was and were greatly appreciated by the audience.

That "Teddy" Bird is a thorough master of stage-craft was amply evilenced by the superb settings which as the curtain rose on each act, formed the signal for enthusiastic outbursts of applause.

"Caprice" will be given this evening again this evening when the amateurs should be greeted by another bumper house.

Before the performance the Every Day Club fife and drum band gave a concert—in front of the Opera House—which was highly appreciated.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, June 15 (Special).—Prices were firmer today. The features were Detroit 39 1-2, Mexican 55; Dom. Steel 17 1-4, Pfd. 64 1-2; Soo 108; Power 93 1-2; Pacific 159 7-8; Scotia 44 1-2; Mackay 65-1-2.

Capt. Murray Hatfield, who was first officer on the steamer Caribbee, which recently foundered at sea, arrived home yesterday.—Yarmouth Times.

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