

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF SAINT JOHN

GAY AND LITTING MUSIC SHOW COMING

Another western comment upon "Three Little Maids" to be heard here Jan. 25-26—comes from Edmonton. It is—

"Sweet girls, sweet music, gorgeous gowns, beautiful scenery, sparkling lines—and George Patrick Huntley—all these, and more, go to make up that delicious musical comedy, "Three Little Maids," which is at present holding unscathed sway over the New Empire Theatre, and which will terminate its local engagement with the Wednesday evening performance.

Many gay, lilted musical pieces have come out of "Merris England" in the past, but few have had a greater appeal than "Three Little Maids." Originally produced 20 odd years ago, this delightful musical play enjoyed a tremendous vogue, and though it passed Edmonton by at that time, it proved that theatre goes had something to look forward to, as practically all those who have seen it during its present engagement are willing to admit that it was well worth waiting 20 years to see.—Edmonton Journal.

A GREAT PICTURE BUT NOT "TOUTED"

"The Dark Angel," which is to be Imperial Theatre's chief picture Monday and Tuesday, has the unusual distinction of being an extraordinarily fine production—worthy of intensive exploitation—and yet it is not being touted by its producers. The reaction to this quiet method of placing so good a film before an intelligent public is certainly satisfactory, for the people

themselves are doing the advertising for it. While "The Dark Angel" is a war story in its recruiting and battle scenes, that part of the romance occupies but a couple of reels, and the remaining 6,000 feet is the most charming English society love-sequel the human heart could desire. Ronald Colman, the male lead, and Wyndham Standing, his honorable rival, are both Englishmen, and officers in the late war. Vilma Banky, Budapest diva, is a London favorite, and George Fitzmaurice, the director, is also an importation from England, so the sweetly British fiction is receiving dignified, natural and altogether lovely English treatment in such capable hands. "The Dark Angel" is a story of a young British officer, who hides away from his aristocratic sweetheart because of being blinded in the war. When discovered the soldier tries to deceive her by feigning the use of his eyes again. It is a unique and heart-felt romance, and will create a mild furor.

Miner's Lintment Used by Veterinarians.

SEX AGAINST SEX OPERA HOUSE MON.

Balfour Stock Co. Announces Powerful English Play of "Sowing the Wind," Made Famous by Cyril Maude.

A modern version of Sydney Grundy's English play will be presented by the Balfour Stock Co. the opening part of next week. In view of its former success, attained at that time, large audiences will doubtless witness this play, for it is quite a long while ago since this famous drama has been seen in Saint John. Popular prices. Matinee—15, 25, 35. Evenings—25, 35, 50.

POWERFUL HEART-THROBBING ENGLISH DRAMA IMPERIAL-MONDAY THE MUCH-DISCUSSED POST-WAR DRAMA Samuel Goldwyn presents The George Fitzmaurice Production

The DARK ANGEL. The story of a chivalric English officer who, stricken blind by the war, hides from his sweetheart and considers himself dead. How she finds him and they become reunited is a charming romance. ASTOUNDING NIGHT BATTLE SCENES Recruiting in England—Armistice Celebrations—Social Whirl. T'WILL BE TOWN TALK TUESDAY!

UNIQUE TODAY with Barry Lyon, Mary Astor, Tully Marshall. A prize fight! A bull fight! A real auto race! And drama and thrill and romance to give you that wonderful feeling all over. Also Comedy "Who's Which" and "Sunken Silver"

GAS 'BOOTLEGGERS' EVADE PENNSY TAX

SAYRE, Pa., Jan. 15—Gasoline "bootleggers" have grown so numerous that the proprietors of local filling stations are startled. To avoid paying the Pennsylvania state tax scores of motor cars are driven a few miles to Waverly, N. Y., and their tanks filled with gasoline. Protests to Governors Smith and Pinchot will be unavailing, the gas-dealers have been told.

FIRST SNOW PLOW IN LONDON FOR AGE

LONDON, Jan. 15—For the first time in more than a generation a snow-plow was operated in London today. It was used in the West End to push paths through the several inches of snow which fell during the night. The fall continued today.

SUPREME COURT CASE.

In Supreme Court chambers yesterday the case of Miss Jennie Summer-ville vs. Louis Rozovsky was tried before Mr. Justice Byrne. It was an action for damages for assault. B. L. Gerow appeared for the plaintiff and K. A. Wilson for the defendant. Judgment will be given later.

OPERA HOUSE LAST TIME TONIGHT "The Unwanted Child"

MON. A MODERN VERSION OF TUE. SYDNEY GRUNDY'S WED. ENGLISH PLAY. BALFOUR STOCK CO. Presenting SEX AGAINST SEX An unusual type of play that is powerful and interesting. Entire change of VAUDEVILLE. REGULAR PRICES. Mat. Tue, Wed, Fri, Sat. at 2:15. Eve. at 8:15. Doors open 7:30.

IMPERIAL ANNOUNCING An Attraction Extraordinary 2 DAYS COM. MON. Jan. 25 Specially Priced Tuesday Matinee.

CAPT. M.W. PLUNKETT presents ENGLAND'S CELEBRATED COMEDIAN G.P. HUNTLEY in HIS FAMOUS MUSICAL COMEDY SUCCESS "Three Little Maids" Excellent Cast of English Artists MOST BEAUTIFUL MUSIC IN A THEATRE. EVES: 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00. MAT: 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Tax extra. MAIL ORDERS NOW.

PALACE MONDAY-TUESDAY SHE'LL STEAL INTO YOUR HEART!

You'll Laugh, You'll Cry, You'll be Thrilled —BECAUSE— Here's a Picture that's truly great!

MARION DAVIES



in a modern tale of love, laughs and thrills!

ZANDER the GREAT

—sunshine and tears —gasps and laughs HERE'S ideal entertainment—a rip-roaring comedy-drama of today that has everything!

Marion Davies never played a more appealing role. As Mamie, the little orphan girl who conquers the world of men, with the help of only a child and a broken-down flivver, she reaches new heights. Such riches of charm, humor, courage as she displays!

This picture is true! It's human! It's life! One minute you are laughing your head off at the uproarious adventure of this doughty pair—the next you are gulping down that lump in the throat that rises when the heart is touched.

IMPERIAL Canadian Lumberjack Story Today Real Ottawa River Logging Location Milton Sills in The KNOCKOUT A born fighter But that's all he was in the eyes of the girl he loved—until a thousand odds faced him, a fortune was to be saved and he sacrificed until his mighty right brings back victory! TREMENDOUS TIMBER-JAM Final Chapter "Perils of the Wild" THRILL AFTER THRILL! A strenuous tale of lumber thieves in our own Canadian territory. Many Saint John people know this country. 1-16.

SOME OF THE FOOLS THAT HISTORY UNVEILS

- COLUMBUS, who dared sail beyond the horizon. GALILEO, who believed the earth was round. JOAN OF ARC whose "visions" saved France. JULES VERNE who foretold the submarine. WRIGHTS, inventors of heavier than air planes. FULTON, whose "folly" revolutionized navigation. EDISON, who flooded the world with light. FLAGLER, who converted everglade into an empire. FRANKLIN, who harnessed lightning with a kite.

AND TODAY DANIEL GILCHRIST, Social Revolutionist, who dared to live like Christ HE IS THE HERO OF

"THE FOOL"

Coming Monday to QUEEN SQUARE Of Course Matinees—10c and 20c Evenings—35c

UNIQUE - Monday

MILTON SILLS and VIOLA DANA IN AS MAN DESIRES



Fighting Like Tigers— for a South Sea Belle. One of them an outlaw—the other a strong man driven to this hidden isle by a woman's perfidy. Also THE PACEMAKERS

QUEEN SQUARE

TODAY FINAL SHOWING Wm. (Bill) Patton and a Notable Cast in Gench King's famous story "UNDER FIRE" THRILLS ACTION ROMANCE You will thrill at the breath-taking Indian fighting. You will glory in the courage of the great American pioneers. You will enjoy the romance of this, the sweetest love story ever told. FOX NEWS — COMEDY. AFTERNOON, 2:30—10c, 15c. NIGHT, 7, 8:45—25c.

Arena—Band Afternoon and Night—Arena

A perfect sheet of ice for today—Special music. GIRLS Miss Saint John for 1926 will be chosen next Wednesday night, Jan. 20th. Band and skating as usual. The judges will choose their favorite from the crowd while skating, their names will be taken and then the judges will vote and decision announced between the 6th and 7th bands. The names of the girls will not be called out or asked to skate around the ice as formerly. Only the winner to be announced. Continuous Skating. Admission 25c. The Princess for 1926 will be chosen next Saturday, Jan. 23 HOCKEY next FRIDAY, 8 P. M., SUSSEX vs. ST. JOHN

TOM MIX IN ZANE GREY'S The Rainbow Trail The sequel to "Riders of the Purple Sage" with "Tony" the Wonder Horse at the GAIETY MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Venetian Gardens TONIGHT Dancing 9 to 12

BIG DANCE THE STUDIO TONIGHT "Black's Studio Orchestra" Studio available for Private Parties. Phones 8371-1314

FIRE CAPTAIN GETS BOTH FEET FROZEN TORONTO, Jan. 15—Both feet of Fire Captain J. Dixon were frozen when he walked through a room, the floor of which was covered with ammonia, in the plant of the Pure Gold Manufacturing Company here yesterday.

Use the Want Ad. Way

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—

Comic strip panels with dialogue: "NOW WHERE'S THAT ANGEL YOU OUSE ME? MY DAD'S A POLICEMAN I WANT VA TO KNOW!" "HAWK—THAT'S AUNTIE'S A COP? MY FATHER'S A DEWIST I WANT VA T' KNOW!" "I DON'T CARE—GIMME MY ANGEL! AN' IF YOU HIT ME WITH THAT BIG STICK I'LL TELL MY DAD AN' A'ELL PUT YOU IN JAIL!" "WHAT'S THAT? WHAT'S THAT? DID LIKE T' SEE AUN-YEAH, I'D LIKE T' SEE AUN!"

I KNOW MY BUSINESS

Comic strip panels with dialogue: "I'LL TELL MY FATHER AN' A'ELL PULL ALL YER TEETH OUT! SEE IF I DON'T!" "HEY! WHY DON'T YOU KIDS THROW YOUR STICKS AWAY AN' STOP FIGHTING LIKE THAT? DISARM!" "WHAT! DISARM! AN' A'ELL WITH A CLUE TWICE AS BIG AS AIN!"

OH! OH! OH!

Comic strip panels with dialogue: "OH FINE! DON'T YOU THINK GERARD HAS A BEAUTIFUL VOICE, HORACE?" "YEAH— GREAT STUFF —O-HO-HUM!" "OH, HERE'S ONE YOU HAVEN'T SONG YET—" "NOW SING SOME OF YOUR NEW ONES FOR HORACE, GERARD— I'M GOING OUT AN' MAKE US SOME RIDGE—" "N SOS YER OLD MAN!"

By SWAN

Comic strip panels with dialogue: "I'LL HAVE APPLE PIE A LA MODE" "YESSIR" "I'LL TRY TH' SAME AS THAT GENTLEMAN WHOSE ORDER YOU JUST BOK" "APPLE PIE A LA MODE? YESSIR" "SAY YOU—ARE YOU SHORT OF PLATES HERE?" "WHY NO, WHY?" "WELL THEN—WHAT'S TH' IDEA OF PUTTING TH' PIE AND ICE-CREAM ON THE SAME PLATE, HUH?"

SALESMAN SAM—

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HE WANTED PIE A LA SEPARATE

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