

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

'BATTLE OF SOMME' PACKING IMPERIAL Press and People Warmly Praise This Marvellous Pictorial of Real Warfare

Imperial will commence its first exhibition of 'The Battle of the Somme' tonight at a quarter to seven, the same as last evening. This seems to be a more convenient hour than usual.

On Thursday afternoon the Imperial will present a double programme—one long show, commencing at 2:15 and concluding at 5 o'clock. This programme will consist of May Allison and Harold Lockwood in the charming Metro romance, 'The Masked Rider'.

CHAPLIN AT UNIQUE TONIGHT; LAST TIME FOR THE 'SHIELDING SHADOW'

Special return engagement of Charlie Chaplin in 'The Floor Walker' in addition to the regular programme at the Unique tonight.

THE GEM HAS THREE EXCELLENT PICTURES

The mid-week bill at the Gem, for tonight and Thursday, is another well diversified one. There are three features.

THEFT FROM BIRK'S STORE IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Nov. 15.—A thief cut a hole in one of the show windows of Henry Birk & Sons' jewelry store last night and stole about \$600 worth of goods.

PERSONALS G. Fred Pearson of the Halifax Chronicle passed through St. John today on his way home from New York.

Dr. L. De V. Chipman has arrived from New York. Rev. Hammond Johnson, pastor of Queen Square Methodist church, has returned home after spending two months in Hillsboro, N. B.

THE WHEAT MARKET Chicago, Nov. 15.—Wheat prices made a quick upward today as a result of an unexpected advance at Liverpool, where arrivals were light and millers' demand increasing.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS. 50c.

BIRTHS KERRIGAN—At Pleasant Point, on Nov. 14, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kerrigan, a daughter.

MARRIAGES GRAHAM-WALLACE—On November 14, at St. Rose's church, Fairville, by the Rev. Charles Collins, Clara A. Wallace to Edward A. Graham, both of West St. John.

DEATHS HUTSON—On the 14th inst., Elizabeth P., wife of Robert Hutson, and daughter of the late Thomas and Sarah Murphy, leaving a husband, one sister and three brothers to mourn.

FRASER—Killed in action, in France, Nov. 1st, 1916, Archibald Brydone Fraser, lieutenant in the 2nd Seaforth Highland Regiment, and formerly of the Bank of Montreal staff, eldest son of Geo. B. Fraser, Chatham, N. B., and grandson of the late Dr. Brydone-Jack, of Fredericton, N. B., aged 38 years.

MITCHELL—At her late residence, 25 Main street, after a lingering illness, on Nov. 15, Mrs. Daniel Mitchell.

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LOCAL NEWS

For the welfare of your children, shop at Bassett's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Now, you people, buy your rubbers at Gilbert's, 47 Brussels street. All sizes, all prices.

AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT The announcement, by Manchester Robertson Allison Limited, of a clearance sale of trimmed and untrimmed hats, starting Thursday morning, is one that has been awaited eagerly by a large number of ladies.

YOUR FRIENDS WANT YOUR PICTURE. Are you going to let them have it this Christmas? We are now busy with Christmas orders. Let us have your photograph early.

SPECIAL TO LADIES We bought before the big raise a very fine selection of English made solid gold bracelets, which we will sell at less than regular retail prices.

What you want in good shoes we have. What we have is yours at the smallest profit.

Don't miss Herbert W. Pierce's dramatic recital 'The Yoke' in Central Baptist church vestry tomorrow night, 25 cents.

'SIGHTERS WILL SEE HOW IT IS DONE.' The 9th Siege Battery boys now training on Partridge Island will come to the city on a special boat tonight to witness 'The Battle of the Somme' picture at the Imperial.

'THE CLIMBERS' RETURNS The gross receipts from the presentation of 'The Climbers' played in the Opera House last week for patriotic purposes, amounted to \$1,088.65.

Regular meeting Railway Freight Handlers' Union will be held Thursday evening in their hall, Market Place, West St. John, by order of the president.

The Children's Friend Society wish to thank Messrs. Patterson & Hetherington for their kind donations.

Will the person who took the bundle of woolen mitts from S. Jacobson & Co.'s store, 82 Mill street, return them at once and avoid prosecution.

Dr. L. De V. Chipman (from Manhattan Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital), has opened offices at 42 Colburn street. For appointment Phone M. 8081.

One soldier, writing to thank his friend for having sent him a tin of Borden's Reindeer Coffee said: 'We were in the front line when it arrived and had coffee for breakfast, dinner and supper; it was great.'

A rummage sale will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons at 204 Main street, corner Long Wharf.

Father Morrissey's Father Morrissey's Remedy for Rheumatism and all Kidney troubles, pure vegetable. No Cure—No Pay. All drug stores. Price 60c.

For your fall shopping, whatever it may be, you will have money at Bassett's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

SLUSH! SLUSH! Rubber time now—we have your size in the right quality at the right price at Bassett's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Miss Ruth Blaisdell (pupil of Oscar Saenger, New York) will accept five pupils in singing, 78 Sydney street, 2572-21.

VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES Victorian Order of Nurses removed to 1111 Paradise row. Phone Main 1893.

Buy your meals at Campbell's Meat Market, 41 Brussels street. 11-17.

Leave your glasses with us for any kind of repairs. K. W. Epstein & Co. Opticians. Open evenings. 198 Union street.

SON OF FORMER NEW BRUNSWICK RESIDENT TO EQUIP BATTALION Lieut. Stephenson Willing to Expend \$100,000 on Scottish American Unit

London, Ont., Nov. 15.—Lieut. M. Stephenson, who left here to attend a school of instruction to qualify as a captain for overseas, has offered to bear the cost of equipping a battalion, estimated at \$100,000.

He is a son of Scentor Isaac Stephenson of Marinette, Wisconsin, formerly of New Brunswick, and enlisted in a Scottish American unit and enlisted many Americans. He resigned command of the U. S. S. Yantic to take his Canadian commission.

Death of Denis A. Bourgeois London, Ont., Nov. 15.—The death of Denis A. Bourgeois, aged sixty-seven, an I.C.R. employe, occurred this morning. After his education at St. Joseph's University, he conducted a general store at Fox Creek and later was employed as a traveler for the Record Foundry and Machine Co., Montreal.

GET RID OF HUMORS AND ACID DISEASE

Humors in the blood cause internal derangements that affect the whole system, as well as pimples, boils and other eruptions. They affect all the organs and functions, membranes and tissues, and are directly responsible for the readiness with which some people contract disease.

For forty years Hood's Sarsaparilla has been more successful than any other medicine in expelling humors and removing their inward and outward effects. It is distinguished for its thoroughness in purifying the blood, which it enriches and invigorates. No other medicine acts like it, for no other medicine is like it.

Get Hood's Sarsaparilla today. Insist on having Hood's.

HOME FROM THE WEST INDIES

C. Ernest Barbour Found Property There—Some Impressions

Among the passengers on the steamer Chaleur which arrived in port this morning was G. Ernest Barbour of this city, who has enjoyed a six weeks' trip through the West Indies, going south as far as Trinidad.

One of the chief impressions Mr. Barbour brought back was that of the great prosperity which the island colonies are enjoying at present, due chiefly to the high prices which their products are commanding.

Regarding closer political union between Canada and the West Indies, so often suggested and discussed, Mr. Barbour thought he had not been able to see that it would be beneficial to either.

The beauty of the islands appealed strongly to Mr. Barbour, and he speaks with enthusiasm of the magnificent scenery, but the lure of the south did not lessen his appreciation of Canada as a place for permanent residence.

The trip had several unusually interesting features. When they arrived at Bermuda, the first stop, they received the news of the sinking of the submarine U-9 and there was some uncertainty whether they would be allowed to proceed. However, there was no delay.

Proceeding farther south into the tail end of a hurricane and had a lively time for a while, although they did not experience the full strength of the blow.

On their arrival at Antigua they learned of the destruction wrought by the hurricane in some of the islands and the vessel was commandeered for relief purposes. The acting-governor of the Leeward Islands came on board with a doctor and a large stock of supplies and the steamer went 900 miles out of its course to visit Tortola, one of the Virgin Islands, which had been swept by the gale.

Their visit to the island gave them an excellent opportunity to see what a hurricane can do. The island had been secured until it looked as if it had been ploughed, nothing remaining standing but some of the heaviest and strongest buildings and even these were partially wrecked.

Trinidad, with its white population of British and the old families of French descent, the large proportion of negroes and the great number of East Indian coolies, was one of the most interesting places visited. There Mr. Barbour was the guest of T. Geddes Grant, one of the prominent merchants of Port of Spain and a son of the first Canadian missionary to the East Indians in Trinidad. He had an opportunity to visit the mission schools and meet the missionaries and found the visit most interesting.

Mr. Barbour was impressed by the intense loyalty of the colored people of the islands but found them susceptible to slights which had been put on people of their race in Canada. As they form an important part of the population, many of them occupying prominent positions in business and public life, Mr. Barbour thought Canadians should exercise considerable discretion in their treatment of them when they visit Canada.

London, Nov. 15.—Reporting military operations in Greek Macedonia a British official statement says: Dolran front—Thirty concentration at Krastali (3 1/2 miles southwest of Dolran) was heavily shelled and dispersed yesterday.

WATCH THIS SPACE

This Will Be a Jewelry Christmas

First, because sentiment which distinguishes between a present and charity prefers jewelry, and the things a jeweler sells, since they are much desired by everyone and free from the implication of gratuitous aid.

Second, because prices have become unreasonably high, as the prices of wearing apparel, fabrics, articles of steel, iron and baser metals, and necessities generally.

Holiday showing of Brooches, Pendants, Rings, Earrings, Bracelets, Fancy Pins, Scarf Pins, Coat Links and other jewelry are on display at Sharpe's. It is an excellent selection of exquisite gift things, reasonably priced.

Selections will be held at the store, if desired, on payment of a small deposit.

LOCAL NEWS

SAW TWO MOOSE Philip Fitzpatrick and Michael Ryan saw a novel sight on the Quaco road between Ryan Settlement and the head of the Loch Lomond road yesterday when they were returning from Ryan Settlement.

GRAHAM-WALLACE A very pretty wedding took place Tuesday morning in St. Rose's church, Fairville, when Rev. Chas. Collins united in marriage Miss Clara A. Wallace to Edward A. Graham.

CHAPMAN-MCGOWAN The wedding of Harry Keith Chapman of Gagetown to Miss Hazel Estelle McGowan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McGowan of the same place, took place last evening at seven o'clock in the Portland Methodist church.

MRS. ROBERT HUTSON The death of Mrs. Elizabeth F., wife of Robert Hutson of the I. C. R. staff, occurred today at her home, 41 Britain street.

THE ASSESSMENT A meeting this evening in the assembly hall of the High School building should be of great interest to every citizen. The purpose is the presentation, in popular form, of the chief features of the report of the civic assessment commission and the proposed new assessment act.

DAUGHTER LIVES HERE Mrs. Abigail Killam, widow of a son of her son, L. W. Killam, Killam Mills, she was eighty-three years of age. She survived by three sons, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Killam, Killam Mills, and four daughters, Mrs. Josephine of St. John; Mrs. Wm. Branscombe of Steeves Settlement; Mrs. Myles Taylor of Pittsfield, Mass., and Mrs. James Lewis, of Lewis Mountain.

PEWINGERS-RYAN A wedding of interest was solemnized this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, when Miss Christine Augusta Ryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ryan of Brookville, was united in marriage to Walter Charles Fawcett, of London, Ont., by Rev. A. J. O'Neill in St. Joseph's church, Silver Falls.

TRANSFORMING OLD PAPER INTO NEW Process That Removes the Ink From Newspapers Successfully Tested in Wisconsin

Neenah, Wis., Nov. 15.—The high cost of print paper is largely responsible for bringing into the limelight Dr. Thomas Jasperison, who is confident he has invented a process whereby old newspapers are transformed into pure white stock, to be again used for newspaper printing.

The process has had an actual test, newspapers yellow with age having been converted into rolls of spotless paper and used for several issues of a Neenah newspaper. Dr. Jasperison is being besieged with inquiries from all over the country.

The process removes all ink from the old newspapers, and they are ground up, made into pulp, and run through a paper-making machine, coming out immaculate, whiter than the original paper. Dr. Jasperison worked more than four years on this process.

He persuaded a paper manufacturer at Kaukaunau, Wis., to make a test. A few weeks ago the mill of the Combined Locks Paper Company made one run of the Neenah paper, and the result was a paper firm, white and of excellent quality.

In this process the old newspapers are put into the beater, or mixing machine, and a chemical is added. By this the lampblack is extracted and the paper pulp is bleached clear white. The mass is washed several times before it is run through the rolls, from which it comes, wet, in a fine white sheet, and is rolled on a spool for use. No changes in plant are necessary. The same machinery is used. The inventor has received a patent from the United States.

A mill is being equipped at Chicago, where his processes will be used.

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

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FOOT POWDER to ease his feet - 10 cts. pkg.

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When You are Old Who'll provide the money to keep you? Will you then be compelled to keep on working the same as some old men you know? Or will you be able to enjoy an old age of comfort and independence? A small annual saving now—when you can spare the money—invested in an Imperial Endowment will secure you a regular income in your old age; or it will provide for your family should death call you early.

Carpet Squares! JUST ARRIVED We have just received from the mills an extra large shipment of Carpet Squares at prices prevailing January last. Since then there has been an increase of 30 to 35 per cent. We could very easily sell this shipment to jobbers and make a comfortable profit; but following our usual policy, which is to share the good things with our customers, we are putting this shipment on sale at the old prices, which means that you can buy your Carpet at practically wholesale cost.

J. MARCUS 30 Dock Street Look For the Electric Sign

G. B. CHOCOLATES A few favorites—Corollas, Almondines, Almond Crispetas, Nougats, Burnt Almonds, Maple Walnuts, Caramels, Cream Drops, Milk Chocolate Creams, Fruit Creams, etc. Display Cards with goods. EMERY BROS. - 82 Gernan St. Selling Agents for Ganong Bros., Ltd.

PATRIOTIC CAUSES TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION Will Repeat Operetta The operetta 'Cinderella in Flowerland' which was presented last evening by the children of the Union Point school, Fairville, in aid of the Belgian fund, will be repeated this evening.

WAR NOTES The Germans report that a German naval plane on Monday night raised the Polish kingdom, and deterring the provinces still a part of the Empire. The sinking of the Swedish steamship Astrid and the Danish steamer Ragnar, and the British steamer Phedra is reported.

SNAP removes the Grime of Motoring Keep a tin of SNAP in the tool kit—another in the garage. Then you can have a clean-up, after fixing any tire or engine trouble. SNAP gets out the grease and grime—leaves the handle smooth and soft. 15c.—all dealers.