

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

GEORGE M. COHAN MAKES SCREEN DEBUT At Imperial Theatre Monday in "Broadway Jones"

The widely heralded motion picture debut of George M. Cohan takes place at the Imperial Theatre on Monday. "Broadway Jones," his greatest stage success, affords him his initial screen vehicle in which he is supported by an excellent cast, including such well known film favorites as Marguerite Snow, of "The Million Dollar Mystery" fame, Russell Bassett, the veteran character actor of many screen successes, Crawford Kent and Ida Darling. The story tells of a small town youth who secures a goodly inheritance and journeys to the Great White Way to "burn it up." After various exciting experiences he finds that his money has dwindled to nothing and learns that there are many unpaid bills to be met. After complications involving a rich widow whom he asks to marry, he turns back to his home town and starts life anew, taking over his father's chewing gum plant where new experiences await him. Sparkling with a continuous series of humorous situations, offset by various dramatic scenes, this subject presents a breezy story of rapid action and human interest, a typical George M. Cohan production. When produced at the George M. Cohan Theatre in Broadway some three years ago, "Broadway Jones" immediately proved itself the biggest popular success in which Mr. Cohan ever appeared, as well as the hit of his entire theatrical season. Frequently sought by motion picture producers without success, this story presents an admirable screen subject and with George M. Cohan in the original character, should more than duplicate its stage popularity among patrons of high-class pictures. This New York hit will be the first of the Imperial's tenth anniversary super-festivals.

BLANCH SWEET, TOM MEIGHAN AND THEODORE ROBERTS AT IMPERIAL

A trio of noted favorites in Laszly's splendid and spectacular story "The Storm" at the Imperial tonight and tomorrow. There will also be the seventh episode in the exciting Vitagraph serial "The Secret Kingdom" as well as a Hughie Mack comedy.

CALL ON THE GERMANS TO SAY JUST WHAT ARE PEACE CONDITIONS

Berne, Switzerland, April 20.—The Hungarian Socialists have adopted resolutions, at a secret convention, demanding that the Central Powers make public their peace conditions. The convention called upon the Hungarian government to abolish all restrictions on public gatherings, to restore the freedom of the press and to furnish genuine proof of the honorableness and sincerity of their desire for peace. The resolutions declare that peace terms should provide for the obligatory reference of all disputes to an international tribunal, gradual disarmament of the nations, means for the free economic, national and cultural development of all peoples and the removal of friction between the nations and their governments. Demands were also made that all states make public every international agreement, place foreign policies under the control of parliaments and abolish secret diplomacy.

New Chief of Russian Navy. Petrograd, April 20.—Admiral Kolchak, commander-in-chief of the Black Sea fleet, has been appointed commander-in-chief of all Russian naval forces in the Baltic.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Date. Includes BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, and DEATHS.

SAUNDERS-JOHNSTON—On April 18, 1917, Miss Gladys Mildred Johnston, of Charlton, Queens county, to Frank Saunders, of Quispamsis, Kings county, by the Rev. Mr. Millidge.

ANDREWS—In this city on the 19th inst., Alice Maude Andrews, aged twenty-nine years, daughter of Amanda and the late Hugh Andrews. (Boston and New York papers please copy.) Notice of funeral hereafter.

IN MEMORIAM. McKee—In loving memory of Mrs. Alice M. McKee, who departed this life on April 20, 1917. Gone, but not forgotten. HUSBAND AND CHILDREN.

LAST CHANCES TONIGHT: OPERA HOUSE BILL

Last chance tonight to see this week's vaudeville programme at the Opera House, with the Rawson Trio, Blandy Robinson, The Great Manuel, Edwards and Louise and David Fischer and Company in a dramatic sketch, also two reels of scenic pictures, the Florence Rose Fashion Review and a rattling comedy. Two shows this evening at 7:30 and 9.

PINAFORE TICKETS

The exchange ticket sale for H. M. S. Pinafore is now on at the Opera House box office. Holders of exchange tickets may exchange them for reserved seats tickets today, tomorrow, Monday and Tuesday. The general public sale opens on Wednesday. Exchange tickets may be secured from members of Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. D. E. The performances are next Thursday and Friday evening at nine o'clock. Everybody with his sisters, his cousins and his aunts, is going to be there. It will be the big theatrical and musical event of the year.

SEE IT AT THE GEM

Only two more chances, tonight, to see "The Man Who Stood Still," featuring Lew Fields at the Gem, one of our best pictures. Good vaudeville also. Put on your hat and two Flages, with Theda Bara, Fox masterpiece, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

BRITISH LABOR M. P.'S TO VISIT THE STATES

London, April 20.—At the invitation of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, through President Wilson, the British government has agreed to send a delegation of British labor representatives to visit the United States. They are Charles W. Bowdman and James H. Thomas, M. P.'s. They are to explain in detail the measures taken in England to solidify the labor resources of the country and encourage co-operation.

YOUNG MAN MISSING.

The town of Milltown, N. B., offers a reward of \$25 for any information concerning the whereabouts of John Kilman, aged twenty, who disappeared from home about two weeks ago, or for the finding of his body if, as it is feared by his family and friends, the missing youth met with an accident. When last seen young Kilman was standing on the Union bridge which connects Calais and Milltown, N. B.

THE W. H. ESTEY CASE. C. A. Clark has returned from Boston where he attended the hearing in the case of Wesley H. Estey, charged with embezzlement from Mr. Clark, and who has been fighting extradition. While Mr. Clark was there the attorney for Estey made the proposal that, if Estey were allowed to remain out on the \$5,000 bail under which he is still enjoying his freedom, they would agree to deliver him to St. John in time for the June sitting of the court, the bail to hold until then. This was agreed to, further extradition proceedings being waived by the defence.

HAWKS TAKE THREE

In the three men league in the Y. M. C. E. I. alky the Eagles dropped three points to the Hawks, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes Hawks and Eagles scores.

SUBURBAN HELD UP

The incoming suburban train was delayed at the Island yards this morning on account of a broken rail. There was a delay of about twenty minutes. Meanwhile, many of the passengers left the train, crossed the creek to the Marsh road and came in by street car or other conveyances.

DIVER DOYLE AT WORK. Diver Doyle was busy yesterday and on Wednesday at the I. C. R. wharf at the head of the harbor, sending up rail that had fallen over while vessels were loading. Some were taken up from each side of the wharf.

Post Office Robbed. Winnipeg, Man., April 20.—Burglars last night robbed the post office at Sifton of \$1,500 in cash and stamps. Sifton is a village on the C. N. R. in the Dauphin Lake region.

Grape-Nuts. A Food with pleasing flavor and real nourishing quality. Gilbert's Grocery.

ENTERTAINMENT OF BRITISH COMMISSIONERS IN AMERICAN CAPITAL

Washington, April 20.—An elaborate programme of entertainment arranged today for the distinguished British commissioners now on their way to Washington for war conferences, includes a dinner at the White House for all members of the party, dinners by Secretaries Lansing, McAdoo, Baker and Daniels for members of the commission with whom they will have special discussions and a reception by Secretary of State Lansing at the pan-American Union buildings to allow members of Congress to meet the British guests.

PERSONALS

Miss Gertrude McCormick of St. Stephen is a guest of Mrs. John Baird of 70 St. John street, West St. John. Captain Robinson Black of Halifax arrived in the city last night and is at the Victoria hotel. Charles K. Palmer of Fredericton arrived in the city on the noon train. Hon. L. J. Tweedie of Chatham is in the city. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc has returned from Halifax where he has been in attendance at the funeral of Very Rev. Mgr. E. Kennedy. Friends of Alexander Corbet will regret to hear that he is confined to his home in Hazen street owing to illness. Hon. P. J. Veniot is in Fredericton today on departmental business.

THREE FROM NEW BRUNSWICK

The convocation of Pine Hill College took place last night at 8 o'clock, at St. Matthew's church, Halifax. There were six graduates: E. J. Kerr, Lawrence town; Geo. Scott, George Knight, St. John, N. B.; J. M. Fraser, Quebec; W. F. Irving, Shubenacadie; C. A. Richie, Dalhousie, N. B. An address was delivered by Rev. J. Macartney Wilson on "German Religion and Theology and the War." George Scott is a well known former St. John newspaper man. All his old friends will extend congratulations. The prize for orations, amounting in value to \$60, was presented to Mr. Scott; a second prize, amounting to \$40, to Mr. Kerr. Book prizes were presented to the other graduates.

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LOCAL NEWS

M. R. A. advertisement, page 5. T.F. We make a specialty of family trade, outfitting parents and children to their entire satisfaction.—Ideal Shoe Store, 103 Union street, W.E. 4-22

Red Cross Day, Monday.—Remember our splendid soldiers.

Help your chums at the front by joining No. 8 Field Ambulance Depot for overseas. They expect you. 4-30.

MEN'S SHOE VALUES. Our lines of men's shoes for spring are particularly good values at prices that are not indicated. \$3.50 to \$5.50.—Wizez's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street.

Men's suits in gray, brown, blue and the best in tweeds and worsteds at People's Cash and Credit Company, 555 Main street.

Removal sale; millinery bargains. Mrs. Brown, 48 King square. 4-27.

Once a customer, always a customer, at the Cut Price Fruit Store, 15 Sydney street.

Latest in ladies' raincoats, tweeds, poplins, and parametta, with belts or Balmacran.—Peoples' Cash and Credit Company, 555 Main street.

The lowest prices for lace curtains. Specials from 69c. up.—Bassens', 14-16 1/2 Charlotte. No branches.

Eventually you will, so why not now buy your fruit at The Cut Price Fruit Shop, 16 Sydney street.

MACAULAY BROS. & COMPANY. Tomorrow, Saturday, will sell all new corduroy velvet at 76 cents a yard, regular \$1.25 quality; white virginia suitings have arrived.

"MEN'S SUITS". Pinch-back suits for young men is the most exquisite style for young men this spring. You can secure them from Brager's at \$15, \$18 and \$20.—165-167 Union street.

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AMIDST WEST END. Just arrived, a big assortment of house dresses, also special out sizes; prices the very lowest, from 79c. up. 4-23.

Two hundred and twenty-five of our boys are now doing their bit in the trenches. Join No. 8 Field Ambulance at once and do yours. 4-30.

A large assortment of boys' suits, as well as men's at Turner's, out of the high rent district, 440 Main street. T.F.

Theda Bara at Gem, Saturday, in Ouida's great war story, "Under Two Flags," A big Fox five reel picture.

Be Careful! What You Wash Your Hair With

Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain mulsified coconut oil, for it is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair shines quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

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