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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

"COUSIN KATE"

Here Are Some of the Features of Tomorrow Night's Performance

There is going to be a packed house on Thursday night at the Opera House to see the Ethel Barrymore play, "Cousin Kate," presented by a picked local cast, under the auspices of Royal Standard Chapter. Seats have been selling for some time now, but there are still plenty of good locations in the front balcony and a few scattered singles on lower floor.

The following capable players comprise the cast:—H. W. Walker, George N. Price, Allison Cushing, Miss Madelaine de Soyres, Mrs. Daniel Mullin, Miss Aileen Morrison, Miss Agnes Anderson. Production under direction of Mrs. Clark. Some good specialties will be seen between acts, notably Lieut. Ormonde Perley in his inimitable character dances, with selected songs. In his offering Lieut. Perley will show the very latest ideas in London fashions, also the present rage in English songs, which he brought back with him recently from London.

The sale is still on at the Opera House box office; secure your seats now, for the supply is limited and you do not want to miss the big local dramatic hit of the season.

MUSIC AND STORY BOTH ENTHRALL

The engagement of the master film production, "Hearts of the World," at Imperial Theatre is continuing with increasing volume of patronage. It is a picture that to be appreciated as an historical and art work must be seen—and for that matter its wonderful accompanying music must be heard. The large orchestra simply enchanted the whole two and three-quarter hours presentation last evening and comment was about divided between the excellence of the film and the beauties of the musical setting. In all its career as a purveyor of motion pictures the Imperial Theatre has never before approached the present high standard. "Hearts of the World" continues tonight and throughout the week. Seat sale at box office.

FARNUM IN "THE SPY" AT THE GEM

Tonight at 7.15 and 8.45 Wm. Farnum in big spectacular six-reel photo-play "The Spy." Ford Sterling in roaring comedy. A great picture bill.

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

Tonight and tomorrow afternoon will be the last opportunity to enjoy this week's extra good vaudeville programme at the Opera House, for on Thursday night comes the presentation of the play "Cousin Kate," by a local cast. This week's programme is one of the best for some time, lots of good comedy and novelty. Better see it tonight—it will do you good.

HAROLD LOCKWOOD AT PALACE

Tonight and Thursday night, The Palace Theatre is offering a splendid mountain drama by the Metro Pictures Incorporation, entitled "The Avenging Trail," featuring Harold Lockwood in the kind of drama that will appeal to young and old, with pep and punch to excite unusual interest. It's sure to please.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

GAREY—On Dec. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Garey, 401 Douglas Ave., a daughter.

NOEL—On Dec. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. John Noel, a son, John Theodore Earle.

WILLIAMS—On Dec. 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Williams, Pleasant avenue, Sussex, a daughter—Elizabeth Pauline.

DEATHS

JOHNSON—On December 11, 1918, Melva Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Johnson, aged five years, leaving her parents, three sisters and one brother to mourn.

Burial tomorrow; interment at Jerusalem. Funeral private.

GRANT—At her parents' residence, 32 Erin street, on Dec. 8, Violo B., youngest child of Private Carr and Maud Grant, aged three years, leaving father, mother and one sister to mourn.

Funeral took place on Monday.

McCAVOUR—On December 10th, at Lorneville, of pneumonia, Samuel W. McCavour, son of John McCavour, aged twenty-nine years, leaving his father, four brothers and three sisters to mourn.

Funeral from his late residence Thursday afternoon at 2.30.

HENDERSON—In this city, on the 9th inst., John A. Henderson, aged seventy-three years, leaving his wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn. (Boston papers please copy.)

Funeral from his late residence, 437 Main street, Wednesday at 2.30.

KINGSTON—At the St. John County Hospital, on Dec. 10, Thomas R. Kingston, leaving a wife, father, two sisters and brother to mourn. (Chatham, Yarmouth and Dartmouth papers please copy.)

Burial at Chatham, N. B., Thursday morning.

SCAMMELL—On Dec. 9, of pneumonia, George Scammell, native of Southampton, England, in the 44th year of his age, leaving three children to mourn.

Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 2.30, from his late residence, 84 Sea street, Bay Shore.

BERRYMAN—Suddenly, on the 10th inst., Annie S. Berryman, sister of the late Drs. John and Daniel E. Berryman.

Funeral from her late residence, 19 Coburg street, on Thursday at 3.30 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS

Wait for Lesser's, $10.98. 12—15

Ladies' furs to clear at half price, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney. 12.13.

LUGRIN PHOTO STUDIO
New lot of folders at special Christmas prices. Proofs free. Sittings at night.—88 Charlotte street.

Do all your Christmas shopping at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney. 12—13

Great bargains in ladies' winter coats, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney. 12-13.

Band on Carleton Rink tonight; ice in excellent condition.

Wanted first-class bread baker; good wages. Apply McLaughlin's Bakery, Brussels street. 12-14.

Whatever and wherever you shop; shop at Bassen's 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches. 12-11-t.f.

Special cut prices in ladies' black wolf furs at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney. 12—13

REFILLED AGAIN
Bargain counter again refilled with those $3.98 and $4.98 footwear specials; still some in warehouse, but they are going fast. Drop in tonight and look them over.—King Square Sales Co.

Do all your Christmas shopping at Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches. 12-11-t.f.

HEADQUARTERS ESTABLISHED.
Commissioners McLellan and Hilyard have established headquarters at Breeze's Corner in rooms formerly occupied by Red Triangle and Diet Kitchen. Rooms open for committee of all wards on Thursday evening 12th and will be open every evening excepting Sundays until after the election.

Wait for Lesser's, $10.98. 12—15

Christmas and pantry sale by Ladies' Aid of Carmarthen street church, Thursday, 189 Princess street, 2 p. m.

Ladies' winter coats, regular $25 to $30, to clear for $17.50, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney. 12—13

Make your headquarters for your Christmas and season's shopping at Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches. 12-11 t.f.

TOMORROW'S TIMES
Will contain suggestions and prices from Poyas' Gift Shop, 12 King square. Read details carefully. Shop early.

Teamsters and Chauffeurs meet Thursday, 8 p. m. Addresses, discussing city politics. Don't forget the place, Oddfellows Building. 12—13

HERE'S CHRISTMAS CHEER
The 2 Barker's have just received a lot of delicious West India Guava jelly; also some excellent English cordials.

MOOSE NOTICE.
The regular meeting of the St. John Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose will be held in their rooms, 35 Charlotte street, this (Wednesday) evening, December 11, at 8 o'clock.
A. W. COVEY, Secretary.

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CHRISTMAS THINGS
For toys, books, games, dolls, toilet sets and fancy groceries at less than wholesale prices, call at 2 Barker's Princess street.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS
Do well to examine the fine stock of slippers for men and women carried by King Square Sales Co. Prices very moderate. Balance of the 1,000 pairs of shoes going rapidly. Have you been fitted?

ATTRACTIVE GIFTS
In latest jewelry, brac-a-brac, silver, novelty lines and trinklets, try Poyas & Co., 12 King square. See add, tomorrow's Times.

SAVE MONEY, BUY YOUR MILLINERY AT MARR'S.
Black silk velvet and black silk chenille hats and toques for matrons, made in our own workrooms. You can select your own shape, of which we have a large assortment, and have it made to your order. Or select one already made from our large assortment. Prices $3 to $5 each. Special clearing prices throughout the store.—Marr Millinery Co., Ltd.

PERSONALS

Mrs. R. Taylor McKim will be at home at her residence, 8 Richmond street, on the second and fourth Fridays during December and January.

A. R. Gould, of Presque Isle, came to the city yesterday. He is at the Royal.

Capt. Gerald G. Anglin, M.C., has received his discharge from the army and left last evening to take a law course at McGill University.

Captain W. Redick of the 1st Depot Battalion, left on the steamer Scandinavian on Saturday to report in England for duty.

DOUBLE FUNERAL.
Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 11—Mrs. Anne Elizabeth Nason, wife of Jonathan H. Nason, died at her home in Waasis last night, aged seventy-seven years. Her grandson, Geo. E. Smith, died in the west recently. Both funerals will be held on Friday.

Business Change.
Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 11—The Thomas Pink Co., Ltd., of Pembroke, Ont., has bought the controlling interest of the McFarlane Nail Mfg. Co., Ltd., North Devon.

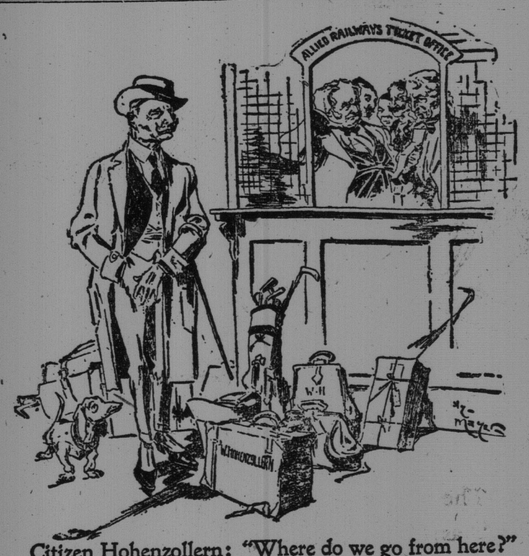
IN MEMORIAM

MASON—In loving memory of our dear son, Gunner James Walter Mason, who was killed in action in the battle of Paschendale, somewhere in France, on the 11th day of December, 1917.

He sleeps not in his native land,
But under foreign skies,
Far from those who loved him best,
But in a hero's grave he lies.
FATHER, MOTHER, BROTHERS, SISTERS AND SISTER-IN-LAW.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson and family wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy extended them, also for floral offerings received.



Citizen Hohenzollern: "Where do we go from here?"
—New York Times

EXPATIATION.

BREWERS FROM STATES TO CHINA

San Francisco, Dec. 11—A general exodus of brewing capital from the United States to the Orient was predicted in a statement by Rudolph Samet, president of the California State Brewers' Association, at its annual meeting here.

"We are looking to China as the best place to go," Mr. Samet said. "I am to leave in a few days for that country to arrange for the construction of a $2,000,000 plant. Other breweries are making similar arrangements."

WHEN A FAMILY NEEDS A FRIEND

In the Absence of Doctors Nobly Gone to War, After Influenza, the Grip,—

Those wonderfully useful medicines, Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, are warmly recommended.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, taken before meals three times a day, and Hood's Pills, taken at night as needed, are reasonably sure to keep a family in health and prove to be reliable and always ready friends. They purify the blood, relieve and prevent biliousness and constipation, build up strength and regulate the system.

Get both, or either one, as you think you need, from your druggist today and begin treatment at once.

ACTION AGAINST FORMER OFFICIAL UNDER M. S. A.

Quebec, Dec. 11—The federal government today entered action against registrar under the M. S. A. here. The complaint alleges that there is a shortage of $6,500 in his books.

Special This Week

Maple Butter . . 30c. tin

Lobster (½ lb. tin) . 25c.

Dressed Dolls, with orders, 16 in. high, six dierent styles; good value, $1.50.
Special Price, 98c.

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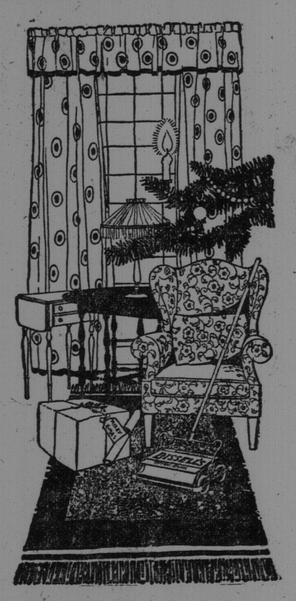

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	A.M.		P.M.
High Tide	5.03	Low Tide	23.49
Sun Rises	8.00	Sun Sets	4.37

Time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST JOHN.
Arrived December 11.
Coastwise—Str Granville from Annapolis, N. S., Captain B. S. Collins.
Cleared December 11.
S. S. Queen Margaret for trans-Atlantic port with a cargo of grain, R. J. Taylor, master.
Coastwise—Str. Granville for Annapolis Royal, N. S., Captain Collins.

CANADIAN PORTS.
Halifax, NS, Dec 10—Ard, str Edith, from Nantes; str Chaleur, from Bermuda; str Amanana (Nor), from Jamaica; str Lake Mantoc, from Norfolk.
Sld—Str Kegvwe, for Santiago; str Scandinavian, for Liverpool; str War Witch, for Sydney; str Edith, for New York.

MARINE NOTES.
The C. P. O. S. liner Scotian will sail this afternoon for Liverpool with general cargo and grain. As soon as she leaves the C. P. O. S. liner Franktour will shift from No. 15 berth to No. 6 berth and load grain. After taking a consignment of grain she will move to No. 7 berth and load general cargo.

The Donaldson liner Saturnia will sail tomorrow for Glasgow, with a cargo of foodstuffs.

The C. P. O. S. liner Queen Margaret has completed loading grain at No. 1 berth, Sand Point, and is ready to go to sea. She will probably sail tomorrow.

The Donaldson liner Cassandra sailed from Glasgow for St. John on December 4 and is expected to arrive here either on Sunday or Monday.

The Manchester Corporation left Manchester about eight days ago for St. John via Halifax and is expected at the latter place tomorrow or on Friday.

The C. P. O. S. liner Pretorian is due here tomorrow from London.

The new C. P. O. S. passenger liner Minnedosa is expected here tomorrow or the next day from Liverpool on her maiden voyage. She is bringing about 600 soldiers and some women and children.

The government steamer Aberdeen is engaged replacing the Blond Rock buoy, after which a search for the old one, which has drifted away, will be made. The steamer is also coaling the Lurcher Lightship. When these in all have been attended to the steamer will return to port and will then proceed to lift all the buoys from here to the head of the Bay of Fundy.

Advice was received by James T. Knight Co., agents, yesterday, that the steamers Bendu and Clan Gordon are expected here the latter part of this month from South Africa. Also that the Middleham Castle sailed from Hull on the 6th instant for St. John to take cargo for Australia and New South Wales.

SOLDIERS' SETTLEMENT

Professor W. J. Black, of the Department of Agriculture, has been appointed chairman of the Soldiers' Settlement Board.

WHAT ALLIES WANTED FROM UNITED STATES FOR FIGHTING IN AIR

Washington, Dec. 11—An appeal by Premier Clemenceau of France for an American aircraft contribution of 2,000 planes a month and a total of 5,000 aviators and 50,000 specialized mechanics formed the basis for the extensive aircraft programme to which the United States committed itself in the world war. This was disclosed today.

LOCAL NEWS

IN NEW QUARTERS.
The 7th Canadian Garrison Regiment moved this morning to new quarters in the dairy building, exhibition grounds.

ST. GEORGE'S SCHOOL. KING GEORGE SCHOOL.
Five rooms in the King George school were re-opened this morning and tomorrow morning the remaining four will be open.

VALLEY RAILWAY SUIT.
The suit of the Bank of British North America against the St. John and Quebec Railway Company, for $120,000, on account of the claims of the Hibbard Construction Company, was continued before Judge Chandler this morning. The direct examination of Colonel Hibbard, head of the company, was completed and his cross-examination is going on. F. R. Taylor, K. C., appears for the bank and Hon. W. P. Jones, K. C., and T. M. Jones for the railway company.

EAST ST. JOHN EXTENSION.
With the ground frozen to a depth of fifteen inches, the contractors are having hard work on the extension of the water main to East St. John. Work is in progress at both ends and at several places along the line in order to get it completed as soon as possible. The estimated date for the completion of the work was the end of December but the severe weather makes it probable that more time will be needed.

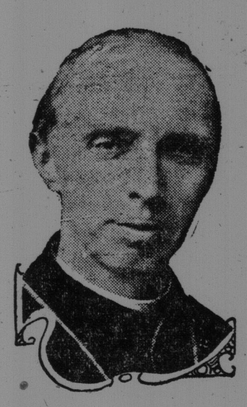
A NIGHT OF SPORTS.
The first sports gathering since the outbreak of influenza will be held tomorrow evening in the Y. M. C. I. gymnasium. A list of nine events will be held, the seniors and the school boys participating. The events will all be conducted under the supervision of the instructor, Joseph McNamara. Non-members as well as members are welcome to attend.

BURIED TODAY.
The funeral of John A. Henderson took place this afternoon from his late residence, 437 Main street. Services were conducted by Rev. R. T. McKim, and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

Mr. Henderson was a man identified with the life of North End for a considerable number of years. Before the present modern building was erected at the corner of Douglas avenue and Main street he conducted a waiting-room lunch room there in a wooden structure familiar to older residents. That was in the days of the Fairville 'bus line. When the corner building was razed Mr. Henderson moved his restaurant to Main street. His was perhaps the longest-established eating house in St. John and through this connection he was very well and widely known. All who held his acquaintance knew him to be a staunch friend and always willing to give a helping hand.

The funeral of George Scammell took place this afternoon from his late residence, Bay Shore. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Owen, and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

TO VISIT AMERICA.



His Eminence Cardinal Mercier, the patriot prelate of Belgium, will soon visit the United States and Canada.

LAST WEEK

Laymen's Evangelistic Campaign

Tonight (Wed.)
Evangelist Kenyon
— Subject —
"The Church"
Afternoon Meetings This Week, 3 o'clock
Addresses Given By
Rev. O. P. Brown
"On the Deeper Spiritual Life"
Prof. Paul Duffy Will Sing Tonight and Tomorrow Night
Song Service - 7.45 p.m.
Prayer Service - 7.15 p.m.
(Downstairs)
Brussels St. Church
Laymen's Committee
(Undenominational)

HONORED BY FRANCE.

Mrs. Julia Henshaw, of Vancouver, has been mentioned in despatches and decorated with the Croix de Guerre, with star, "for evacuating and recuperating inhabitants under shell fire and aerial bombardment, with a devotion and courage worthy of the greatest praise."

Philadelphia Ledger: They were just friends, he and she, and were lunching together.

When the fowl arrived he explained to her, by way of making conversation, the mystic properties of the wishbone.

"You see," he said, "I take one end and you take hold here. Then we must both make a wish and pull, and when it breaks the one who has the bigger part of it will have his or her wish granted."

"But I don't know what to wish for!" she protested.

"Oh, you can think of something," he said.

"No, I can't," she replied. "I can't think of anything I want very much."

"Well, I'll wish for you!" he exclaimed.

"Will you really?" she asked.

"Yes."

"Well, then, there's no use fiddling with the old wishbone," she interrupted with a glad smile, "you can have me."

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