

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

"LION AND THE MOUSE" COMING

Charles Klein's Great Play to be Pictured by Vitagraph at the Imperial Monday.

"The Lion and the Mouse," Vitagraph super-production, produced under the personal supervision of Albert E. Smith, Vitagraph's president, presents Alice Joyce in what promises to be another history-making role.

Particulars of the tragedy have not yet been received here, but according to the report which reached here this morning, officers Richard and Chandler went to the home of William Nowlan, upper Buctouche, early this morning for the purpose of making arrest.

ALL FRESH AND NEW OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

All new programme at the Opera House tonight—five splendid vaudeville features including Alice Thomson, singing and dancing comedienne; The Martians, in a comedy pantomime novelty direct from London, titled "An Astronomer's Dream of Mars"; The Robbers, Trio in high class vocal offering; Marcus and Booth, comedy songs and Broadway chat; Musical Mack, comedy musical novelty, and the "The Tiger's Trail," with Ruth Roland.

THE STAR TONIGHT

Reth Roland in "The Tiger's Trail," Harold Lloyd, Snub and Bebe in "Sweat the Crook," "The British-Canadian News" and other subjects, including "The Prince of Wales celebration and Soldiers' Joy Day will be shown at the Star Theatre tonight and Saturday. Pictures of the Prince of Wales celebration and Soldiers' Joy Day will be shown at the Star Theatre tonight and Saturday.

V. C. REACHES HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 22—Among the heroes of the world war who have served at sea or overseas during the war and have been honorably discharged, also under similar conditions to officers and men honorably discharged from the imperial naval service, provided that they were residents in Canada on Aug. 4, 1914, and have returned to reside in the Dominion.

NAVAL WAR BADGES READY

Ottawa, Aug. 22—The department of the naval service announces that the new naval war badges are ready for issue and are being distributed to those from whom applications have been received and who are entitled to them.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents

BIRTHS

HAMILTON—On Aug. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hamilton, 84 Water street, a son.

MARRIAGES

COMEAU-PIERCE—In St. Peter's church, by Rev. J. A. Cloran, C.S.S.R., on August 21, C. D. Comeau to Margaret J. Pierce, both of this city.

DEATHS

EWING—At his residence 27 Peters street, on Thursday, the 21st inst., William A. Ewing, K. C.

IN MEMORIAM

EWING—In loving memory of our sister, Eleanor Josephine Ewing, who died Aug. 22, 1918.

MILITARY POLICEMAN SHOT DEAD IN KENT COUNTY

Joseph Richard, According to Story, was Making Arrest Under Military Service Act

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 22—A despatch to the Transcript from Buctouche says Joseph Richard, military police officer, was shot dead this morning about seven miles from Buctouche, while attempting to arrest an alleged military defaulter, fired by a young man named Albert Nowlan, whom Richard was attempting to arrest.

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FRENCH GUN BOAT GOES AGROUND ON LEAVING HALIFAX

Halifax, Aug. 22—The French gunboat Somme struck on Ives Knoll while attempting to proceed to sea in a fog today.

The gunboat and fisheries department was called upon for assistance and the steamer Stanley has been dispatched to the scene. It is believed that Somme will be redressed without difficulty.

CURRIE GIVEN GREAT RECEPTION BY MONTREALERS

Montreal, Aug. 21—Following the civic reception tendered the hero of the war and the Canadian Corps commander, all that was notable in the civilian and military population of Montreal attended one of the most brilliant functions in the annals of this city.

In his address General Currie gave a series of reminiscences of the war and concluded with an explanation of the last few days of the conflict, pointing out why the Canadian Corps had been preserved in the fight to the last moment taking and occupying Mons at a time when the announcement came that the armistice had been signed and the enemy beaten.

THE SCARLET SEA

The long Pacific swells are blue, The old North Sea is gray, The waves are white and angry foam In Fundy's stormy bay.

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MEXICO FORMALLY ASKS WITHDRAWAL OF U. S. FORCES

But Protest Not Likely to Have Any Effect, it is Understood.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 21—Immediate withdrawal of the American troops now on the trail of bandits in Northern Mexico was asked today by Mexican Ambassador Bonillas, who called at the department, to present a formal protest from the Carranza government. The text of the protest was not made public and officials would not discuss it further than to say that no reply had been made.

At the war department, it was said that no additional reports on the operations of the American forces had been received from Major General Dickman, commanding the southern department. The troops are now being returned to the United States and it is expected that they will clean out bandits from the stretch of territory twenty miles south of the border where they are operating.

GIRL'S COAT MISSING WHEN BODY FOUND

Woodstock, Aug. 21—Acting under instructions from the attorney-general, Sheriff Foster is making an investigation of the circumstances in which the body of a young woman was found in shallow water near the Medunakeag bridge Tuesday morning.

It is said that several parties will be questioned as to their movements on Monday night. It has developed that when a young woman returned to her home on the fatal night she put on her heavy coat and when her body was taken from the river, the coat was missing.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Kirkpatrick and Miss Alice Kirkpatrick have left to visit their sister, Mrs. A. W. Pickering, of Walpole, Mass.

SUSSEX PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Corbett of Lower Millstream, N. B., announce the engagement of their daughter, Agnes MacLeod, to Sterling Brannen of Fredericton, marriage to take place early in September.

THE SCARLET SEA

Common black sporting powder is a source of monetary energy in some such purposes as loosening nuts and bolts, breaking up scrap iron and steel, forcing a rusted locomotive piston and breaking metal cooled in a furnace.

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Something to Read In Popular Fiction At McDonald's Library

Humpty-Dumpty (Voell); The Laws of Chance (E. Mills Young); The Strange Case of Cavendish (Randall Parrish); The Hidden Valley (Muriel Hime).

MARRIED IN ST. JOHN.

Miss Hilda R. Mahar, who has been in charge of the millinery department of Oak Hall, rather surprised her friends when she returned last week from vacation, having changed her name to Mrs. Reginald Ramsay and bringing with her her young husband.

WOMEN'S EXCHANGE LIBRARY

You only read the New Books once. Save money by renting them from our Special Cakes, Tea Biscuits, Preserves, -Woman's Exchange, Tea and Lunch Rooms, Lunch, 22c. up.

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Prompt Repairs Our complete lens-grinding plant enables you to have a broken lens replaced with great promptness.

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Store Open Friday Night

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BERMUDA ONIONS

2 lbs. for . . . 23c. Benson's Corn Starch 13c. pkge. 25c. bottle Tomato Catsup . 19c. Cox Gelatine . . . 15c. pkge.

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Fresh Shipment of Genuine Ceylon Coconut Sun Dried—Will Keep Indefinitely. A Bargain at 40c a Pound.

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Rests, Refreshes, Soothes, Heals—Keep your Eyes Strong and Healthy. If they are Smart, Itch, or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Safe for Infant or Adult. At all Druggists in Canada. Write for Free Eye Book. Marine Co., Chicago, Ill. U. S. A.

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Economical because of their low price and long wear. The beautiful patterns, suitable for every room in your home, are designed by expert rug designers, and the colorings are simply wonderful.

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We Are Now Showing the Newer Patterns and Have in Stock All Standard Sizes

J. Marcus, 30 Dock St.

LOCAL NEWS

AT THE HOSPITAL

According to a report from the hospital this afternoon John Moore is steadily improving. R. W. W. Frink is reported to be resting comfortably today.

A SURPRISE SHOWER

The home of Mrs. J. Harrison, 182 Adelaide street, was invaded on Wednesday evening by a party of friends of Miss Ethel Harrison, who tendered her a surprise shower in recognition of her approaching marriage.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE

Before enlisting with the 104th Battalion, in which he served as a lieutenant, Charles E. Worrell of 67 Sewell street, conducted a private detective agency here. He has now returned from overseas, where he was for a time with the 20th Battalion and has been in England for some time and returned yesterday on the S.S. Baltic.

COMPLIMENT TO SKILL

A. C. D. Wilson will leave this evening for Newcastle, N. B., to superintend the erection of arches which are to be built in connection with a celebration for Soldiers' Day, August 29. Mr. Wilson is a well known contractor here.

BACK FROM ENGLAND

Hon. Mrs. Alfred Shaughnessy, daughter-in-law of Lord Shaughnessy, passed through the city this morning from Halifax in a private car, accompanied by Lady Mulholland. Mrs. Shaughnessy has been in England for some time and returned yesterday on the S.S. Baltic.

LOCAL NEWS

Dance at Public Landing tomorrow night. Social and dance next Wednesday night.

G. W. V. A. BAND

All members please attend meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. No instruments. Important.

"THE FERNS" SATURDAY

Don't forget Ludlow street Baptist garden party at "The Ferns" Saturday evening and during sports. Ice cream, candy and refreshments on sale. Supper served 5 to 7.

HIS LIFE FOR MURDER

Guelph, Ont., August 22—James Giovanno, an Italian, paid the extreme penalty for the crime of murder this morning.

It is to your advantage to buy Freshly Roasted Coffee

GET IT AT HUMPHREY'S COFFEE STORE 14 King Street

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH

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SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, AUG. 22 AM PM High Tide... 9.42 Low Tide... 15.56 Sun Rises... 6.39 Sun Sets... 8.14 Time used is Daylight Saving.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived August 22 Coastwise—Stm. Keith Cann, 177 tons, from Westport, Captain A. L. McKinnon; schr. Telephone, from North Head, Captain A. Stanley; sch. Tethys, 20 tons, from Chace Harbor, Captain George Thompson; sch. Aggie Curry, 21 tons, from Back Bay, P. G. McLean.

CANADIAN PORTS

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 21—Ard stms Princess, Newfoundland; Baltic, Liverpool; Araguay, Portland. Sid stms Baltic, New York; Westmont, Genoa; back Carra, United Kingdom.

FOREIGN PORTS

Portland, Aug. 22—Ard, str. Lake Marrepas, from St. John.

MARINE NOTES

The Royal Mail Steam Packet Liner Caraquez is expected to sail tomorrow for Bermuda and the British West Indies via Halifax.

CORN AND OATS

Chicago, Aug. 22—Less bearish sentiment was reflected today in the corn market, prices being moderately higher at the outset, and increasing somewhat in the early trading, the distant months showing relatively greater strength.

REVOLUTIONISTS IN HONDURAS LOSE

San Salvador, Aug. 21—Official despatches received from Tegucigalpa state that Honduras revolutionary forces in the city of Gracias have been defeated as a result of the revolution in Honduras has been virtually suppressed.

Another Crop Estimate. Regina, Sask., Aug. 22—A. E. Whitmore, of Regina, a close student of crop conditions for many years, made a forecast yesterday that Saskatchewan will have 88,800,000 bushels of wheat this year. The Manitoba crop he places at 48,695,000, and the Alberta crop at 21,951,600.