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CHURCH'S MOTION CHIDES THE D.S.C.R.

Toronto Member-Elect Condemns Curtailment of Pensions of Veterans

OTTAWA, Dec. 23.—A motion concerning the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment in respect to the curtailment of pensions to returned soldiers with 20 per cent disability or less has been placed on the order paper of the House of Commons by Thomas I. Church, Conservative member-elect for Toronto.

POPE PIUS RECEIVES PRELATES' GREETING

Pontiff Speaks With Each Cardinal—Holy Door to Close Today

ROME, Dec. 23.—The usual reception of the Sacred College by the Pope for presentation of Christmas greetings was held today, for the reason that tomorrow will be taken up with the ceremony of closing the Holy Door, marking the end of Holy Year.

Gutenberg Bible Is Forwarded to U. S.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—When the last of the late Lord Leveson's art treasures left for the United States in the White Star liner *Homeric* a few days ago, they were accompanied by another treasure, the most perfect example of the Gutenberg Bible, which has been in England only since July.

A STRANGE COINCIDENCE.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A curious coincidence is reported from the village of Quatford, near Buxton. Recently a motor hearse, containing the body of Mrs. Bruce Palmer, the wife of an engineer living in Manchester, overturned in exactly the same spot as the taxi-cab containing Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, returning from the village church after their wedding, overturned in December, 1918.

POPE PIUS CREATES SPECIAL FEAST DAY

Festival of Redeemer to be Celebrated on Last Sunday in October

ROME, Dec. 23.—Pope Pius today published an encyclical which introduces into the liturgy a special festival of the Redeemer.

The Holy Father recalls that the program of his pontificate "is the Peace of Christ in the Kingdom of Christ." He enumerates recent events, including the missionary exposition, various canonizations and the centenary of the Council of Nice, all of which, he

declares, have seen a hastening of the realization of the Kingdom.

Therefore, he believes it opportune to close Holy Year by establishing a special festival for Christ's Kingdom.

LAST SUNDAY IN OCTOBER.

His Holiness sets the last Sunday in October for the festivity of the

Kingdom of Christ. On that day a world-wide formula will be read in all churches concerning "mankind to the heart of Jesus." This year the formula will be read on Dec. 31, on the occasion of the service to be held by the Pope in St. Peter's.

A SANDBAG in the hands of the holdup man is a stunning affair.

DETECTS FLAWS IN RAILS.

Defects in railroad track that might cause a serious wreck can be detected quickly and easily, says "Popular Science Monthly," by a new clockwork registering machine recently tried out by the London Northeastern Railway

of Great Britain. Installed in a coach, it records on a roll of paper all vibrations and jolts when the train is running at high speed.

Use the Want Ad. Way

IMPERIAL

Our Merry Christmas for You!

Tomorrow and Saturday

- 1—Betty Bronson, the Peter Pan Girl, in THE GOLDEN PRINCESS.
- 2—"Our Gang" Comedy entitled "FAST COMPANY"—Those terrible kids.
- 3—Orchestral and Organ Recitals of Special Christmas Music.
- 4—Serial Story, "PERILS OF THE WILDS," and Extras.

FOUR BIG SHOWS!
THE USUAL SCALE OF PRICES

This Christmas programme has been selected with every attention to the holiday spirit. It is one of the nicest bills for months.

XMAS

DINNER DANCE

GEORGIAN BALL ROOM
Christmas Night, 6 P. M.
OLD-FASHIONED XMAS DINNER.
And Dancing from 6 to 12.
\$2.00 per Person.

ADMIRAL BEATLEY HOTEL
H. A. PETERS, Manager.

PALACE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Xmas Matinee 2 and 3.40
EVENING, 7 and 8.50
PRICES—Afternoon, 1c and 16c
Evening 16c and 26c

WILLIAM FOX presents

BUCK JONES

in

DURAND OF THE BAD LANDS

Our Gang
"Jubilo Junior"

MON. and TUES.
WILLIAM FOX'S BIG SPECIAL
"The Iron Horse"

A Smashing Stupendous Sensation.

OPERA HOUSE

Big Attraction for the Holiday Season—2 Shows in One

GREETINGS FROM THE OPERA HOUSE.
Sincere Good Wishes For a Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

SEMI-ANNUAL EVENT OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE!

"STOP FLIRTING"
an
AL CHRISTIE feature
Directed by Scott Sidney

If you want to spend an afternoon or evening of sheer enjoyment, by all means see this wholesome comedy, adapted from the musical success.

There's a Delightful Evening of fun waiting for you. See this comedy.

Doors Open at 1.30 and 6.30

MATINEE DAILY AT 2.30, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c
EVENING, Starting at 7.15 15c, 25c, 35c

BEGINNING TOMORROW

ROSSLEY KIDDIES

THE WONDER SHOW OF THE SEASON.

35 to 50 CHILDREN FROM 3 YEARS to 18

Bigger, Brighter Than Ever.

Elaborate Wardrobe, Special Scenery, And Electrical Effects.

A Show Worth While.

The Rossley Kiddies Have Always Pleased and Always Will.

Come Early. Avoid Waiting.

Holiday Spirit At High Pitch in Our Theatre!

SANTA CLAUS MATINEE

IMPERIAL TODAY

BIG SHOW

FUNNY FILMS

One of Paramount's Bright New Comedy Pictures Today

Who Are They?

THE BEST PEOPLE

What Are They?

HOW A WEALTHY MISS RUNS OFF WITH THE CHAUFFEUR

and the social horror it caused—but then how happy they were, and—oh come and see for yourself!

SCENIC TRAVEL TRIP
Whisked About in Strange Lands for 15 Minutes.

CHRISTMAS COMICS
Happy-time Humorous Films for Old and Young.

FREE! FOR OUR MATINEE BOYS AND GIRLS PRIZES

SANTA CLAUS ON HAND TO GREET KIDDIES

Orchestra And Organ

CHRISTMAS DAY
Betty Bronson in
"THE GOLDEN PRINCESS"

Daily Prizes
Weekly Prizes

7 to 7.15—Christmas Music on the Organ.
M. C. Ewing in Yuletide Recital.

UNIQUE - TODAY

Jack HOXIE

The bride at the altar with an imposter! Up the aisle, a galloping horse with a grim-faced cowboy and a wild-eyed hermit yelling "That's Two Fisted Jones" coming to get his girl in the nick of time. Ably supported by the acknowledged kings of the saddle—the famous Ranch Riders. All the speed and thrills of ten pictures crammed in one.

In "TWO FISTED JONES"

Also Serial, "SUNKEN SILVER," and OUR GANG COMEDY—"CIRCUS FEVER"

GAIETY

MATINEES XMAS AT 2.30
EVENING 7.30 and 9 O'CLOCK
Prices—Aft. 11 and 16c.
Eve. 16 and 26c.
Usual Saturday Matinee

FRI. and SAT.

WILLIAM FOX presents

KENTUCKY PRIDE

WITH HENRY WALTHALL
J. FARRELL MACDONALD, GERTRUDE ASTOR
A ROMANCE OF THE KINGS AND QUEENS OF THE TURF
EXTRA ANDY GUMP COMEDY EXTRA

QUEEN SQUARE

2.30, 10c, 15c. TODAY 7 and 8.45, 25c.

TOM MOORE and FLORENCE VIDOR
IN
"THE TROUBLE WITH WIVES"
A Matrimonial Comedy.
Also Two Reel Comedy.

CHRISTMAS DAY—4 SHOWS, 2, 3.30, 7 and 8.45.
COMING—EAST LYNNE

CHRISTMAS DAY SPECIAL
Tomorrow 4 to 6, 9 to 12

Venetian Gardens

D-A-N-C-I-N-G

SATURDAY AS USUAL
Afternoon 4 to 6, Night 9 to 12

VICTORIA RINK

Christmas Day—Band Afternoon and Evening.

GOOD ICE—BIG CROWDS

Skaters are having a wonderful time at the "Vic" this winter. Jolly friendly crowds. Good smooth ice and all the latest skating music.

Single admission, 25c. Season tickets sold at the Rink box office.

TRY THE "VIC" ICE

ARENA

BAND CHRISTMAS Afternoon and Night
Admission 25c; Children, 15c.

The Music is Wonderful—Ice Perfect.

Ladies' and Gent's Skates to Hire. Phone Arena, W. 5067

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

Open every afternoon and night. Buy your Season Ticket now.

Girls! Don't forget Miss Saint John and the Princess for 1926 will be chosen soon.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

COME OVER TO OUR HOUSE TOMORROW AND SEE WHAT I GET FOR CHRISTMAS!

BUT I DON'T KNOW WHERE YOU LIVE, OSCAR

OSCAR COULD BE MORE EXPLICIT

WELL, I'LL SHOW YOU—YOU GO DOWN THIS STREET TILL YOU COME TO THE END THEN YOU COME BACK TWO BLOCKS AND GO SOUTH—

WHY DO YOU GO TO THE END OF THE STREET IF YOU HAVE TO COME BACK TWO BLOCKS?

BECAUSE I CAN'T TELL WHEN I'M TWO BLOCKS FROM THE END UNLESS I COUNT FROM THAT WAY—THERE YOU GO U' THIS WAY A WAYS—

SEE—I CAN'T GO ANY FARTHER WITH YOU—I GOTTA GO HOME!

ALL RIGHT—YOU SEE THAT WASTE PAPER BOX? WELL, THAT'S WHERE WE LIVE!!

By BLOSSER

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

ON SUNDAY, BOOTS IS AWAY AT SOME DANCE THIS EVENING, GO DOWN AND BRING UP ONE OF HER LITTLE PUPPETS TO LIVE TO PLAY WITH HIM—I JUST LOVE LITTLE PUPPETS

HEAH, CARLO!

CALO! CALO! LAWSEY, AM I DONE FORGET WHAT KIND OF A DANCE CALO AM—I SHO AM A GOOD THING MISS CORA TOLD ME HIS NAME—NOW AM I, JES CALL CALO—ANY PICK IM RIGHT OUT

HEAH, CALO—YEAH—YEAH!!

WHICH ONE O'YALL AM CALO

HEAH PUP, CALO

WHYTTTTT—WHT!!!

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By MARTIN

SALESMAN \$AM—

MERRY CHRISTMAS, STRANGER

SAME TO YOU, SIR—BY THE WAY—I WANT TO BUY A HAT FOR MY BOSS FOR CHRISTMAS—HE TAKES THE SAME SIZE I DO SO GET ONE TO FIT ME

THIS IS A DANDY SIR—HE'LL BE TICKLED TO DEATH WITH IT \$20.00

OH, FOR THE LIFE OF A SALESMAN

WHERE'S TH HOLES IN IT?

WHAT HOLES?

WHY—TH HOLES FOR TH JACKASS THAT WOULD BUY THAT HAT TO PUT HIS EARS THROUGH

By SWAM