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THE EXHIBITION.

The Exhibition will close tonight. It has attracted great numbers of visitors to the city, and has been of much interest to the citizens themselves. Looking forward to the Exhibition of next year, a request made by President Terry on the opening night might well be considered. Mr. Terry recognized that there are always criticisms, but that if it is well-founded the critics should lend a hand to remove the ground for it before next year. By all means criticism, but do not stop there. Co-operation is the thing most needed. The Exhibition Association is not a money making corporation. It is an association of citizens working as the members see it for the good of the city and province. It is most willing to receive suggestions, and to confer with any who have suggestions to make or criticisms to offer. The whole citizenship should feel an interest in the success of the Exhibition, and have no hesitation in showing a personal and an active interest. If the special attractions are not sufficiently attractive, or if there are not enough of them, let the matter be considered. Mr. Terry says it is by no means an easy task to book these attractions. If anybody knows an easier way, let the knowledge be passed along. St. John can support an annual Exhibition. It is good for our city and province.

THE NEW IRELAND.

The result of the Irish elections has been received without excitement in Ireland. The Free State Government did not get a clear majority over the other parties, but as the Republicans carried only forty seats it means that one hundred and thirteen of the one hundred and fifty-three members are supporters of the Constitution. Under that Constitution Ireland is a self-governing member of the British Commonwealth of Nations. The wish of the people has been declared, and if the Republicans are not utterly foolish they will accept the situation. Their mad leader, De Valera, is a prisoner of state, and will doubtless be held until tranquility is definitely assured. The election returns show that of 1,000,955 votes cast only 286,161 or 27 per cent. were for the Republicans. With such a majority against them the latter can have no hope of a revolution.

The Government will of course have to face opposition from Labor, the Farmers and Independents, on matters of local policy and administration, but these parties support the Free State Constitution. The members of the Government were re-elected with great majorities. It will be able to proceed with its policy of reconstruction. Because of the destruction wrought by the rebels in all parts of the country the task before the Government is a serious one, but since it was able to put down rebellion and carry on a successful administration before the people had spoken at the polls its path-way will now be a smooth. There is every reason to hope for a revival of Irish industry and a steady progress toward a state of prosperity. When this has been accomplished there will be hope for a united Ireland, including Ulster.

The St. John Board of Trade should have a large representation at the meeting of the Maritime Board in Halifax next Tuesday and Wednesday. It is announced that the speakers will include the Premiers of the three provinces, and Hon. Dr. Baxter and H. J. Logan, M. P. These gentlemen will no doubt have stirring messages, but the real work is to be done by Board of Trade members. They have the business grasp, and with a right spirit of co-operation they can accomplish much, the more so that they will have the support of the Premiers and Members of Parliament. This conference in Halifax should be the beginning of a great drive for the development of our natural resources and the opening up of new markets as well as a more vigorous exploitation of those that are now available. After we have got all we may desire from Ottawa we will still depend for industrial and commercial success upon our own faith, our own courage, and our own enterprise.

When the city of St. John is offered something for nothing, and the something is what it needs—why look the other way? The street from City Road to Kane's Corner is in good condition. It is a section of poor street between the paved city streets and the excellent new road from Kane's Corner through East St. John. The St. John Dry Dock Company offers, if the city will make this section good, to deliver free all the used stone required. That offer will stand if not accepted. Why not accept it and have the work done without delay?

THE OIL SHALES.

The day of the oil shales is bound to come, if the United States Bureau of Mines is right in the view that "despite government efforts in promoting the most efficient development of oil fields, it is becoming more and more evident that the country's oil production will probably never again catch up with the demand." In a summary of a statement issued by the Bureau we read: "Domestic consumption increased from 261,000,000 barrels in 1914 to 286,000,000 barrels in 1922, the bureau's figures show, while production increased from 266,000,000 barrels to 556,000,000 in the same period. Imports increased to make up the deficit. Bureau engineers have made extensive investigations of shale deposits in the Rocky Mountains and elsewhere and declare a potential fuel supply of great importance exists in these deposits and some day will furnish the raw materials upon which producers must rely. Investigation is being continued to determine the most favorable conditions and methods for restoring oil from shale deposits."

When the day comes that it is found commercially profitable to produce oil from shales, the Provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia will have in their shale deposits the basis of a great industry.

It is interesting to note that Holland can export brick to New York and compete with American and Canadian manufacturers. The New York Sun says: "Bringing bricks for the construction of American buildings from Holland is a practice which has been resumed after a lapse of many years. The news announcement that the burnt clay products are to be made in the Land of Dikes from wooden molds sent from this country is another variation of an ancient architectural theme."

The Times-Star confidently predicted some weeks ago that the civic committee to confer with the East St. John committee on the question of union would call the conference within a week. East St. John is ready to confer. What is staying the hand of the City Council?

September, thus far, has been most kind, as if conscious that the summer had not given us as much good weather as we could wish. Nevertheless, there is that in the air in the early morning which makes the prudent householder think of the coal bin.

SOME C. N. R. TRAIN SERVICE CHANGES

Canadian National Railways announce that after Saturday, Sept. 8, suburban trains 137 and 138 between Hampton and St. John will be discontinued. Trains Nos. 39 and 40, between Moncton and Sackville will be cancelled after Saturday, Sept. 8, and will run only between Sackville and Charlottetown. This means that P. E. I. connections will be made at Sackville after that date instead of Moncton. The Canadian Pacific will run to Moncton as usual on No. 14 train, but will return on No. 17, furnishing evening meals for passengers between Moncton and St. John.

Sunday trains Nos. 49 and 50, between Moncton and St. John, will be continued until Sept. 23.

After Sept. 8 the extra first-class car on No. 51 train for suburbanites on the Valley Railway will be discontinued, and after Monday, Sept. 10, No. 242 train between Fredericton and St. John will operate on regular schedule on Mondays.

C. P. R. SUBURBAN SERVICE.

The Canadian Pacific Railway announce a number of alterations in Suburban service, briefly outlined as follows: These changes become effective with the closing of daylight saving time at midnight September 8th. The figures given here are Atlantic time, which is City local time after September 8th.

The departures Suburban will leave at 9:15 a.m. for Welsford, and this train will be cancelled after September 15th.

Noon Suburban leaving 1:15 p.m. will run on Saturdays only, and will continue during September and October.

There will be no change in express leaving at 5:15 p.m.

Suburban will leave at 6:15 p.m., but will not run on Saturdays September 16th, 22nd and 29th.

Night Suburban leaving at 10:20 p.m. will run on Saturdays only September 16th, 22nd and 29th.

The arrivals. The early morning Suburban from Welsford will arrive at 7:45 a.m., and the Fredericton local will come in at 8:45 a.m.

The noon Suburban from Welsford will arrive at 11:50 a.m., and will be cancelled after September 15th.

The afternoon Suburban from Welsford arriving at 4:25 p.m. will be cancelled after September 8th.

The night Suburban will arrive at 9:05 p.m. but will run on Saturdays only in September and October.

After September 16th the St. John-McAdam express going and returning will stop, when required, at Ketepec and Ononette, in addition to regular scheduled stops.

The general change in time tables covering fall and winter will go into effect on September 30th.

The Sunday trains between St. John and Fredericton will continue until Sept. 30th.

I JOURNEY ON.

(Clinton Scollard.)
I journey on; the spring displays
The shining berry of its ways;
The summer spreads before my feet
Its wealth of blossom honey sweet.

I journey on; the autumn yields
The richness of its garths and fields;
The winter shows me skies of jade
Where bright auroras flash and fade.

I journey on, and though I gain
More pleasure out of life than pain
In hope of some diviner dawn
High hearted still I journey on.

IN LIGHTER VEIN.

Odd Fellow!

"Guy—Waters has an odd case of absentmindedness."
"Girl—Oh?"
"Guy—Yes, he's just back after a motor boat cruise, and the other night he sat down in the bath and baled it out until the whole floor was flooded."

Repertory?

"Misses—Sarah, my husband complains that the oatmeal was soggy, the coffee cold, the eggs hard boiled and the toast burnt."
"Cook—You have my sympathy, ma'am; it must be fierce to live with such a man."

Takes No Chances.

"Is he a careful business man?"
"Indeed, yes. He never hires a private secretary, but his hair is the same shade as his wife's."

Explained.

Some editor's humor about the American girl, who in disgust, said to her escort, "Oh, Percy, you English are so slow." And, falling to see the point, he replied, "Why, er, I don't grasp you," and she said, "Yes, that's just the trouble."

No Tears For Her.

Actor—My good woman, the last place I stayed the landlady wept when I left.
Landlady—Oh, did she? Well, I ain't going to. I want my money in advance.—London Answers.

Not Acquainted.

He—Do you remember Horatius at the bridge?
She—I don't recall ever meeting him. The bridge parties I attend are all women.—Boston Transcript.

A Silent Partner.

"Two men who were 'something in the city' were lunching at their club one day. 'Oh,' said one, 'my partner formerly used always to oppose my views, but now he agrees with me in every thing.'
"How do you account for it?" asked the other.
"Don't know," said the first. 'I'm not sure whether I convince him or only make him tired.'—The Tatler (London)."

TO THE PROTESTANTS OF ST. N. B.

The fraternal societies of St. John are planning to hold a mammoth Orphanage Fair in the St. Andrew's Rink, early in October, in aid of the N. B. Protestant Home for Children. This work being provincial in its scope and engaged in caring for indigent children from all parts of the province, the appeal is therefore directed to all Protestants thereof. Donations of any and every kind solicited from each according to their means, profession, class or kind. There are few lines of produce, manufacture or home production, small or large, that cannot be turned to account or that will not be welcomed by those conducting the fair. There are doubtless many who will gladly contribute if there are those who will take the lead and arrange to have the goods collected and forwarded. This is a worthy cause and should not lack workers or solicitors in any section of the province. It is well for all to realize that the care of these helpless children is as much a part of their individual duty to the Empire as it is of those who are called upon to sacrifice their time and means in the direct oversight of this work, and who in a Christian community, such as this, should not need to worry or make the constant appeals so necessary in order to carry on the limited amount of work being accomplished under present conditions, and which could be enlarged upon considerably if those equally responsible would regularly forward even a very small amount as their contribution to this end.

We are offering our services for a short time to your agents. If you will give us the proper support in any form, cash or goods, we will guarantee results in proportion to your support. If we fail or come short in our efforts the fault will lie solely with those to whom this appeal is directed, i.e. the Protestants of New Brunswick one and all.

Volunteer workers and correspondence solicited. Address: Orange Fair Committee, P. O. Box 12, St. John, N.B.

CABOTS AND CABOTS.

(New York Nation)
When the editor of the Nation was in college, it came about that a certain undergraduate secret society chose to initiate into its mysteries and fellowship a member of the Cabot family. Known for the public character of its rites and their power to take the sublimity out of any sophomoric society took this particularly interesting candidate, placed him on what was then the most frequented corner in Boston, decorated him with a large pasteboard reading I AM A CABOT, and kept him there throughout the daylight hours. If we mistake not, this same Cabot is one of the members of his family who has just protected, in vain, to a Philadelphia Judge who had before him the application of Harry and Myrtle Kabotchnik to change their name to Cabot. Now we should have thought that this indicated a most praiseworthy desire on the part of these Slavs, of a race which Charles Steinmetz has just declared will shortly rule the world and triumph upon the ruins of the Anglo-Saxon civilization, to become 100 per cent. Americans, and to stamp that Americanism with an authenticity beyond question—at least in the land of the cod. The Judge apparently thought so, too, for he granted the petition, where he might have insisted upon their being Kabots and not Cabots. But the Cabots are outraged to their depths. Their name is their property and theirs alone. We suggest to them that they take a leaf out of the undergraduates' book. Why should they not each wear a neat little badge, decorated with a codfish, and marked: "I am a real Cabot?"

SCREEN STAR IS SEEN AND HEARD AT IMPERIAL

Marjery Wilson Talks to Patrons After They've Enjoyed Picture.

Naively admitting that she liked to talk about herself, Marjery Wilson, who plays the leading role in her own film story *Insinuation*, now showing at the Imperial, was heard in a personal, chatty, and pleasing talk, by the patrons of the Imperial last evening, following the first presentation of the picture. Before she had been talking but a few minutes, she answered, what she says is the most of repeated question addressed to her, by saying, "I would know who to blame. But to judge from the applause which greeted the conclusion of Miss Wilson's talk, the people of St. John had no fault to find with either the picture or its authoress."

The screen star proved a mighty little talker. "Insinuation," she said, had been written by herself, directed by herself, staged, managed and financed by herself, and she played the leading part. She said a newspaper man in Boston had said to her if people didn't like the picture they certainly would know who to blame. But to judge from the applause which greeted the conclusion of Miss Wilson's talk, the people of St. John had no fault to find with either the picture or its authoress.

The story, she said, had a lesson for everyone, for much harm is done by the raising of an eyebrow, the misstriding of circumstances, and other indirect ways.

The scene of the picture she explained, was her own home village in Vermont. Whenever they grew tired of talking about the weather there now, they always fall back on "insinuation." Miss Wilson said that she was in love with New Brunswick, and believed that the people here did not appreciate the sale, the service and the possibilities. In saying this she said, that she did not say it because she was expected to, but because she meant every word of it.

Expect Many at Yacht Club Service

The Royal Kennebecasis Yacht Club will hold its 26th annual church service tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock on the Club grounds, Millidgeville. The service will be conducted by Rev. Dr. J. A. Morrison, club chaplain, who will be assisted by Rev. R. P. McKinnon and Rev. Mr. Purdy. The service at St. Clement's church will be for the New Brunswick Protestant Orphan Home.

The music for the service will be provided by the Imperial Orchestra. An invitation has been extended to the St. John Power Boat Club, Renforth, Rothesay and Westfield Outing associations and the general public to take part in the service.

THE EMPRESS EUGENIE'S LACE.

(London Times)
The sale yesterday at Christie's of the lace, furs, and fabrics, the property of the late Empress Eugenie, proved a little sensation, both as to attendance and as to prices. Crowds have viewed the property during the last few days, and the room was densely crowded throughout the sale, the ladies being in white silk. There were many private buyers, but most of the lots fell to dealers, and the seventy-six lots, registered a total of 21,354 8s. Sentiment undoubtedly had much to do with the prices paid, which were considerably beyond both market values and anticipations. Messrs. Blackmore gave 213 guineas for three lots of Alencon lace, and another buyer paid 44 guineas for a Valenciennes flounce. Messrs. Colnaght gave 100 guineas for a lot which consisted of a fur stole, a muff, and a chinchilla stole; a sable cape was bought by Mrs. Ead for 54 guineas, and another buyer secured a black silk coat, lined with fur for 21 guineas; a black bear rug, with embroidered border, worked with the Imperial crown, initial N. and eagles, was bought by Mr. F. Partridge for 42 guineas. Among the fabrics a Chinese white crepe, embroidered with flowers in white silk, was bought by Mrs. Pearce for 30 guineas; cashmere scarfs and shawls ranged between 10 guineas and 17 guineas. One of the last lots in the sale consisted of a French white corded silk jacket embroidered with gold thread, a brace in silk, and a number of pairs of silk shoes, which brought 18 guineas.

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BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES.

St. Peter's Park, Fredericton vs. St. Peters. 2 games Saturday Sept. 8, at 2:30 and 5 p. m. Advance sale of tickets at Waterbury & Rising's King street store. 25550-9-10

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