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Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

BIG NEW VAUDEVILLE BILL AT OPERA HOUSE

A whopping big new vaudeville programme at the Opera House today, the new bill including the Four Valdares, sensational cyclists and singers and dancers; Caplane and Wells in a comedy laugh and be the better for it. The feature picture is "Bitter Truth," featuring beautiful Virginia Pearson in a Fox production, the story of a woman's revenge, and then the assertion of her better self.

BIG FEATURES MARK GEM'S NEW PROGRAMME

This afternoon at 2.30; tonight at 7.15 and 8.45 the Gem will entertain with a new laugh maker by its Own Comedy Company, "School Days." Come and laugh and be the better for it. The feature picture is "Bitter Truth," featuring beautiful Virginia Pearson in a Fox production, the story of a woman's revenge, and then the assertion of her better self.

RECENT DEATHS

At Parker's Ridge, recently, Mrs. Susan Calhoun, widow of Joseph Calhoun, died, aged sixty-five years. She is survived by two sons and five daughters.

THE FRUIT CROP

Ottawa, June 12.—Speaking in a general way the Niagara fruit crop will not be above average, and the Ontario apple crop is certain to be light, and quite possibly of poor quality. The spring weather has been very favorable to the development of apple scab, and unless orchards have been well sprayed, the fruit will be seriously affected.

A CANADIAN GIANT.

A giant who holds the British height record for the last 120 years, is at present a patient in the National Hospital for the paralysed and Epileptic, London, where he has been accommodated in a bed improvised from two ordinary beds. His name is Frederick Kempster, he is eight feet two inches in height and twenty-five years old, and he is suffering from giant's disease, known officially as acromegaly, or inaction of the nervous centre which controls growth. Kempster is a Canadian. He says that three of his brothers are serving with the Canadian contingent.

Girvan-Glenross

On Monday afternoon, June 11, Alfred Bruce Girvan, of Arundel, Sask., son of Daniel and Isabella Glenross, died at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Glenross, Coal Branch.

Burnett-Elliott

At St. Bernard's church, Moncton, on Wednesday, Miss Mary Theresa Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Elliott, of Moncton, became the bride of Harry Millard Burnett, son of Alderman and Mrs. C. W. Burnett, of Fredericton.

McLean-Ruddock

On Tuesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ruddock, Chatham, their daughter, Ada, was united in marriage to Henry McLean, son of A. C. McLean.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

MOTT—On June 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Mott, 91 City Line, a son.

MARRIAGES

HAYES-TURNER—In the Methodist church, Providence, R. I., on May 30th, by the Rev. George Hunter, Thomas Hayes, of this city, to Agnes Turner of Scotland.

DEATHS

DALEY—Early on Saturday morning, June 16, Paul Augustin Daley, infant son of Daniel and Augustina Daley, 29 Millidge avenue.

HODD—In this city on June 12, Mary E., beloved wife of William Hodd, leaving her husband, one son and three daughters to mourn. (Boston, New Hampshire and Maine papers please copy.)

Funeral tomorrow, Sunday afternoon, from her late residence, 20 Merritt street. Friends invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM

CAMPBELL—In loving memory of Corporal Joseph P. Campbell, killed in action, June 16, 1916. One year has passed, our hearts still sore. As time goes on we miss thee more. MOTHER AND FRIENDS.

ELLIOTT—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Elliott, who departed this life June 17, 1916. A precious one from us has gone, A voice we loved is still, A place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled. CHILDREN.

McINTYRE—In loving memory of Corporal J. Walter McIntyre, killed in action June 16, 1916.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Paul, Pleasant Point, wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy, also for floral offerings in their recent and bereavement.

H. A. Brown wishes to thank his many friends for kindness and sympathy; also for floral offerings received, in his recent sad bereavement.

LOCAL NEWS

The female school teachers of the city are asking for an increase in their salaries of \$100 a year. The request has not come before the board of school trustees as yet, but a delegation of the Teachers' Association is active.

Special sale of men's negligee shirts, with extra collar, tonight from 7 to 11, for 98c.—Corbett's, 194 Union street.

John Craig, of the imperial munitions board, arrived in the city yesterday to look after the shells that have been precipitated into the water as a result of the collapse of shed No. 5 at West St. John. He says that there will not be a loss of more than 200 tons.

Arthur M. Howe, managing editor of the Brooklyn Eagle, was in the city yesterday and left last evening for Newfoundland on his annual salmon trip. He is a native of Prince Edward Island.

BETTER THAN MEDICINE

Slip a in vacation and make it vacation. Get away from the hum-drum of city life, and get out into the country for a breath of fresh air. Use the line again this season with smooth running automobiles, either five or seven passenger cars. Each car is driven by a careful, courteous chauffeur, and we always strive to please our patrons in every way imaginable.—McGuire Bros., Phone M. 1242.

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The contract for excavating (laying the 24-inch main and back-filling in Mainwagon road for a distance of 5,000 feet, has been awarded to George Tobias and Assad George Moses, who were the lowest tenderers for the job. The tender was in the vicinity of \$6,500.

Commissioner Richards of the Salvation Army spoke in the Charlotte street citadel last night, giving a stirring evangelical address. Mrs. Lee sang. Major Barr presided. The commissioner, who was returning to Toronto from Scotland last night, was accompanied by Brigadier Morris, field secretary, and Lieut. Webber, private secretary.

A FITTING REMARK

Fitting men with the kind of shoes they ought to wear is our specialty.—Wiesel's Cash Stores, 248-247 Union street.

FOR SOLDIERS' CLUB

The ladies' executive of the Soldiers' Club wish to acknowledge subscriptions for coal, etc. from: Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Ltd., \$20; T. McAvily & Sons, \$10; Robertson, Foster & Smith, \$10; N. M. Jones, \$5. Total, \$55.

E. L. RISING, Treas.

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The annual statement of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries, submitted at the annual meeting of the directors yesterday, showed the business for the year passed to be a success, with an increase of 25 per cent. over that of the previous year. The statement declares that profits are very small, averaging less than two per cent. on sales or less than 15 cents on 100 pounds.

FOR PARTICULAR WOMEN

Dainty styles in women's pumps, cordials and slippers. A feast of shoe beauties. \$2.35 to \$4.95.—Wiesel's Cash Stores, 248-247 Union street.

Mayor Hayes has called a meeting of representatives of the patriotic societies in the city to consider the advisability of holding a public meeting to give the citizens of the city an opportunity to express themselves on conscription. Labor leaders say that a meeting against conscription would likely be held without a week on the Market square stand, West St. John, or some other place.

Battery Entertained

The N.C.O.'s and gunners of the island battery gave a delightful entertainment last evening in honor of the opening of their new recreation room. About thirty young ladies of the city were present. Mrs. P. W. Wetmore and Mrs. Herbert Crockett were chaperons. Dancing and card playing followed by refreshments.

Killed in Action

C. M. Dawson, ticket agent of the Canadian Government Railways at Truro, has received word that his son, Lieut. Howard Charles Dawson, is officially reported as killed in action. He was previously reported wounded and missing. Lieut. Dawson was a brother of John B. Dawson, formerly in the I.C.R. ticket office here, and who went overseas with the field ambulance.

For Cash Today

BERMUDA ONIONS Small and Delicious for Boiling, 5 lbs. 27c.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Has advanced in price to 15c., 28c. and 55c.

Sale prices, 13c., 35c. and 45c. tin Onion Salt, 15c. bottle

Celery Salt, 15c. bottle Currie Powder, 15c. bottle

Clark's Spaghetti, 12c and 17c tin Not-a-Seed Raisin, 15c. and 20c. pkgs.

30c. jar Savana Mixed Pickles, 23c. Heaton's Mixed Pickles, 12c. bot.

White's Mixed Pickles, 25c. bot. 35c. bot. Royal Salad Dressing, 31c.

40c. bot. Royal Mayonnaise, 33c. 1 lb. block Shortening, 24c.

1 lb. block Pure Lard, 29c. Toilet Paper, 3 rolls for 25c.

Saniflush, Only 30c. tin TEA at Before the War Prices

Dickason's, 40c. lb. Ramaglia, 40c. lb.

"We mustn't kick about that three days' rain. The farmers needed it." "Great Scott! Are all the farmers raising water?"

This is the Buckle PRESIDENT That Signifies Quality in Suspenders REFUSE IMITATIONS.

CLEVELAND EDITOR, A GERMAN, INTERNED

Von Nostitz Makes Best of Loyalty to Kaiser—Indorsed Lusitania Sinking

Cleveland, Ohio, June 16.—Walde-mar Nostitz, sixty-five years old, former editor and editorial writer of the Star and Anzeiger, and accredited by federal agents with being the personal representative of Kauffman of Dresden, Germany, principal stockholder in the paper, was arrested here and ordered interned for the remainder of the war.

The internment was brought about by the orders of President Wilson. Von Nostitz is held on the charge of being an enemy alien, but the real cause of the action is publication of articles held to be seditious. To this charge Von Nostitz added fuel when, under interrogation, he said: "I am a subject of the Kaiser. I have refused to be a subject of the United States. My allegiance is with Germany and I have written many editorials expressing my approval of the sinking of the Lusitania."

Von Nostitz resigned his post as editorial writer early in April and in May rejoined the staff as translator and proofreader. At the same time department of justice reports show a new and bitter policy of pro-Germanism began to manifest itself in the Waechter crowd upon the grass plot and tramp over it to such an extent as to retard the growth and tear up the sods. A suggestion has been made that the policeman stationed at the foot of King street be instructed to keep people from destroying this property, which helps beautify this section.

TWELVE DEATHS

Twelve deaths were reported to the Board of Health this week, as follows: Pneumonia, three; senility, two; pulmonary tuberculosis, two; pyemia, bronchitis, inanition, broncho pneumonia and chronic rheumatism, each one.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

ROOM AND BOARD, 68 MECKLENBURG, Phone M. 2157-21. 6154-4-23 FOR SALE—BABY CARRIAGE, good condition, \$6.00. Apply 7 Hospital street. 6152-5-20

ARTHUR DOYLE, PLUMBER AND HEATER, 34 St. Patrick street, Phone M. 1830-12. 6155-7-18

TWO ROOMS, PANTRIES, FRONT proof cellar, toilet, electric. Enquire 149 Elliott row or Phone 2191-11. 6114-5-22

PRIVATE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD furniture, including ice diningroom set, at bargain, 96 Main street, top floor, or Phone Main 892-11. 6153-6-19

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND typewriterist. Apply in own handwriting stating age, experience and salary expected to P. O. Box 1046, St. John. 6189-6-23

LOST FRIDAY NIGHT—\$10 by workman, between Mount Pleasant and City road. Reward; please leave 100 City road, care of F. J. Chenevix. 6152-6-18

LOST FRIDAY NIGHT—GENTLEMAN'S tan gaitlet glove by way of Dominion Auto Exchange, Brussels, Union, Opera House, Coburg or Charlotte streets. Finder please leave 32 Carleton street or Phone M. 2205-31. 6161-6-19

NUMBER DELIVERY EXPRESS wagons for sale; also six second hand slovens, two second hand dump carts, and number of new and second hand carriages sold at sacrifice prices. Apply Edgecombe's, 115 City road, Phone Main 647. 6-28

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

Wear Glasses For Comfort

Distress, such as tired eyes, headaches, itching, aching eyes comes from eye-strain. Sight may be good, even extra keen, and yet eye-strain be present, because muscular effort has much to do with sight. Eye-strain is muscle strain, the result of doing extra hard work constantly to overcome defects in refraction. Properly fitted relieve the strain—bring comfort. Consult us about your eyes.

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SOUTHERN LEAGUE IS PROSPERING; SAYS PRESIDENT

New York, June 15.—The Southern League, the strongest of the class A minor leagues, is going to weather the storm of war taxes, bad weather and other things which have conspired to punch the minors in the nose.

In a statement today to the United Press, R. H. Baugh, president of the league, declared that, while many minor leagues are in a shaky condition, the Southern is having not only one of the most popular seasons in its history, but is playing in exceptionally fine weather. "The minor leagues of the country," Baugh said, "which have been most affected by war conditions are those which started the season in a shaky condition. Many of these have either disbanded or have allowed some of the weaker clubs to fall out, thereby reducing the number of clubs. Such leagues have been materially affected by the season's progress. As to the Southern Association—the clubs are owned and have at their heads men of ability and high standing and started the season on a sound basis. For this season I cannot see why the success of the league should be materially affected at least this year."

"As present the race is close and interest runs high, which has kept the attendance so far above that of last year. Instead of the interest waning, it looks just at this time that it might increase. We have better players and faster ball than in previous years. This league promises to continue through the season successfully unless the war draft takes too many of our players and the war tax does not hit us too severe on the gate receipts."

FEATURE AT EMPRESS

"Crime and Punishment," Motion Picture Version of Dostoevsky's Book

The feature at the Empress Theatre is the motion picture version of Fedor Dostoevsky's celebrated book "Crime and Punishment." It is a Pathe Gold Roster picture produced by the Arrow Film Corporation. The star is Derwent Hall Caine, son of Hall Caine, English author. The supporting cast includes such well known players as Marguerite Courtot, Cherryl Coleman and Sidney Bracy.

Manager Smith is justified in his statement that "Crime and Punishment" is one of the most remarkable pictures of the year. Dostoevsky's book has been translated into every language and has created a sensation in every civilized country of the globe. Chas. A. Taylor, dramatist, author and producer of "Yosemite," and others of the most successful melodramas, made the scenario. He learned what the public wanted by managing the famous Third Avenue Theatre in Seattle. There he wrote and produced many of his own plays and others, such as "Way Out West," "The Two Orphans," "Arizona."

"He said in his heart there is no God!" That is the theme of "Crime and Punishment," which made it one of the most widely discussed plays ever produced when it was presented on the stage by Richard Mansfield. So runs Rodion's creed in the book which was responsible for his expulsion from the university.

He kills a pawnbroker who mercilessly squeezes the penniless wretches who fall into his clutches. He takes money from the safe and uses it for the needy and manages to keep the guilt from himself, but the crime is fastened on an innocent man, who, to escape further torture of a relentless third degree, confesses. Then comes Rodion's struggle between his conscience and his greed, and through the guidance of a girl of the streets, he rejects the faith he started, acknowledges his guilt and goes to pay the penalty.

"Crime and Punishment" will be shown tonight for the last time.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner in the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every copy of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public in and for the State of Ohio.

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SAYS PLENTY OF COAL FOR WESTERN CANADA SOON AND CHEAPER THAN ANTHRACITE

The important announcement was made by Dr. Rutman, of the Government's Research Council to the Manufacturers' Association, meeting in Winnipeg, this week, the Western Canada will have abundance of coal within a very short time at a price about two-thirds the price of anthracite. This will be secured by a process for the treatment of lignite coal lying in such vast quantities in Western Canada, and according to figures given by Dr. Rutman, there can be turned out from Winnipeg from 100,000 to 200,000 tons daily. The whole scheme for this undertaking is necessary for a project that would provide the government. Preliminary cost of \$400,000. Dr. Rutman's announcement was received enthusiastically by the convention.

Mr. Deacon of Winnipeg, assured Dr. Rutman that if that sum was all that was necessary for a project that would provide a boon to Western Canada, he would have no uneasiness of mind, for in Winnipeg on any afternoon it could be got.

Dr. A. B. McCallum, chairman of the Research Council, explained that its object was to endeavor to bring to bear upon industries would advance them, to investigate and discover methods, and to determine what the country actually has in the way of natural powers and resources. He emphasized the need for a permanent research industrial laboratory, where experts could take up and solve the problems of industry and manufacture.

Wins Military Medal

Sidney J. Marwood, who was formerly employed in M.R.A., Ltd., has been awarded the military medal for bravery at Vimy Ridge.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE

At the N. B. and P. E. I. conference, in session in Moncton yesterday, resolutions were passed commending the new government in New Brunswick for the vigorous enforcement of the prohibition act and expressed regret at the laxity in Prince Edward Island. During the evening, which was devoted to social service matters, a warm tribute was paid to the Maritime Home for Girls at Truro. In the question whether to allow probationers to preach this year instead of attending college, it was decided that the men must complete their studies.

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Official announcement is made of the capture by the British of an important position held by the Germans, north of Bullecourt.

The American tank steamer Moroni was sunk after a running fight with a German submarine for two hours. Four lives were lost.

Lord Rhoads, formerly David A. Thomas, has been appointed food controller for Great Britain.

W. Sanford Evans of Winnipeg has been appointed food controller for Canada.

The announcement that Hon. Albert Severyn, minister of inland revenue, had appointed to an office in his department a Quebec editor who had been publishing articles bordering on sedition, caused a sensation at Ottawa last evening.

Mr. Severyn explained that he had thought it better in the interests of Ireland to give the man a job to keep him quiet.

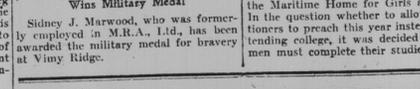
Bonar Law announced yesterday that all Irish prisoners who were arrested for complicity in the rebellion are to be freed in view of the coming convention at which the Irish leaders will endeavor to settle their differences.

John Woods of Calgary was elected president and J. R. Burnett of Charlottetown, vice-president for the maritime provinces at the meeting of the Canadian Press Association in Toronto yesterday. The association adopted a resolution calling upon the government to place its advertising direct with the newspapers.

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