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Four Women Wrote this Advertisement—

"Roy has never had such a fine-fitting, good-wearing suit as the one of grey tweed (I think it's called,) that I helped him to pick out at A. D. Farrah's last October"

"Being a woman, I do not know an awful lot about style in men's clothes, but I do know that my husband looks about 5 years younger and slenderer in his new suit from Farrah's"

"The courtesy, individual attention and unbounded willingness to please which you showed my son and myself, make me feel that all advertising does not lie like the thermometer on my cook's stove"

"I have to thank you for the free tickets you have given my boy for pressing and cleaning, with the purchase of his suit. I also compliment you on this novel idea which saves the wife and mother a lot of work and trouble"



Pressing and Cleaning Service Free to Men

We have arranged to give all our customers, FREE, with the purchase of a suit or an overcoat, six coupons, which will entitle them to six free pressings of either a suit, overcoat or two pairs of pants at any one time, thus rendering them the utmost in service, and please remember that

Our Fair-Price Banner waves over all

Herring bone effects, hair lines, fancy mixtures, plain blues, grays, browns, in the fabrics that young men like best.

\$16.⁵⁰ to \$42.⁵⁰

A. D. FARRAH & CO.

"The Advance House of the North Shore"

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

The Preliminary Examination of the men, who were summoned to appear in the Police Court on the charge preferred against them by the Fraser Companies Ltd. was held last Wednesday morning before Police Magistrate J. R. Lawlor. The attendance was so large the Police Court Room was considered too small and the hearing was held in the Council Chamber. Mr. A. A. Davidson, K. C. represented the Fraser Companies Ltd. and Mr. Geo. M. McDade appeared on behalf of the men charged with the offense. The evidence of Mr. Donald Fraser, Vice-Pres. of Fraser Companies Ltd. was taken and occupied the morning session. During Mr. Fraser's evidence the two attorneys had a number of sharp arguments.

Mr. McDade objected to many questions put to the witness by Mr. Davidson but in almost every instance the Magistrate ruled that the questions were permissible subject to Mr. McDade's objection.

Mr. J. Martin, M. L. A. Labor Representative for Northumberland and Mr. J. E. Tighe Organizer for the I. L. A. were in attendance at the hearing.

The case was postponed until Thursday morning next at 10 o'clock when it will be continued. The case is being watched with close attention by both Labor and Capital, as it is considered a Test Case between the two factions.

MASTERCRAFT FILMS TO BE SHOWN IN NEWCASTLE

For some time there has been a strong desire in Canada that motion pictures produced in England should be shown in the Dominion. Until quite recently the moving picture industry has been exclusively controlled by the American producers and distributing firms. This situation is now likely to be considerably changed. The Anglo-Canadian Picture Plays, Limited, a corporation composed entirely of Canadians, are importing into Canada every week one or more of the latest and have already commenced to release these features into Ontario and Quebec, and according to numerous reports their efforts have met with immediate success. These British productions are being shown at all the principal theatres and are proving equal, and in a number of cases far superior to those of other competitors.

Mayor M. F. Gregg, V. C., M. C. secretary-treasurer of the Anglo-Canadian Picture Plays, Limited, and Mr. Basil Horsfall, president of Horsfall Production, Limited, who are the Dominion Distributors for Anglo-Canadian, have been visiting the principal cities of the Maritime Provinces, and have succeeded in arranging for the new British Mastercraft production to be regularly shown, commencing at an early date, in the principal theatre of every city in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

Friday these gentlemen visited Newcastle and made arrangements with Mr. Richards whereby the public of this town will shortly see these new British Mastercraft productions. The first release will be "Alf's Button," which has proved a tremendous success in every theatre it has been shown in and will be run here on Tuesday.

Notice to Advertisers

As Tuesday May 24th, is a holiday The "Union Advocate" will go to press on Monday, 23rd, and all change of advertisements must be received not later than Friday 20th inst.

MILL OWNERS HOLD MEETING

A meeting of the mill-owners of the Miramichi was held in the Miramichi Hotel on Tuesday May 10th, at 2 p. m. The following were present R. A. Snowball, Boyd Eaton, Wm. Sullivan, L. J. O'Brien, J. W. Maloney, D. Fraser, J. W. Brankley, Mac O'Brien, A. J. Ritchie, W. G. Thurber, Wm Sinclair, J. P. Burchill, David Ritchie and R. Gill.

Matters of a routine nature were discussed, and most of the operators present claimed they were doing minor mill repairs and were all working a 10 hour day. Some of the operators announced that they intended to commence sawing as soon as their mills were ready, and did not anticipate any trouble in getting crews.

Up to the present, there has been no word of any lumber being shipped to the Old Country, and in conversation with Mr. F. E. Neale Chatham we learn that conditions are very serious in England. Every line of business is practically disorganized as a result of the Coal strike, the lumber-business being no exception. Naturally this is reflecting on business on this side, and Mr. Neale states that he does not look for any improvement for sometime. The lumber held by the Government here apparently is not going to be moved, or at least the greater part of it, because there is no tonnage being chartered, notwithstanding that there is a great deal of tonnage lying idle at the docks in England.

This is a very regrettable matter, as most of the mills are so badly piled up with sawn lumber, that if they are unable to ship they will be unable to saw this summer, and there will necessarily be a lot of unemployment here this season.

HAPPY HOUR ON WEDNESDAY

Constance Binney, winsome star of stage and screen, will be the attraction at the Happy Hour theatre Wednesdays starring in "39 East," the Rachel Crothers' play in which she made the biggest triumph of her stage career, and is said to repeat her success on the screen.

Miss Binney opened in "39 East" early in the Spring of 1919 at the Broadhurst Theatre in New York. She carried off the honors of the opening performance and became in truth a star over night. After a long run in New York, "39 East" was sent on a tour of the principal cities, finally winding up in the early summer of 1920 in a brief return engagement on Broadway.

"39 East" gives Miss Binney the best role of her screen career, permitting her to give full reign to her girlish charm, her unsophisticated air, her dramatic and comic ability. It also permits her to do some of the dancing for which she first won the admiration of theatrical audiences.

Miss Binney has the role of Penelope Penn, a sweet daughter of a poverty-stricken minister. She goes to New York to remedy the family's financial affairs, and there she takes a room at a boarding house, located at "39 East." She makes the acquaintance of Napoleon Gibbs, another boarder, who falls in love with her at first sight.

After failing to obtain employment of her choice, Penelope is driven to accept an engagement in the chorus. She doesn't let the boarders know what she is doing for a living, and because they know so little about her, their suspicions are aroused. Finally, when she hasn't enough money to pay her board bill and her landlady threatens to put her out, she has "a piece of luck" and is asked to replace the prima donna, who has resigned from the show. Returning to the boarding house with plenty of money, she is welcomed with open arms—especially those of Napoleon Gibbs.

Miss Binney is surrounded by the same cast that supported her in the Napoleon Gibbs and is replaced in the stage production with the exception of

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN

Modern science has found that a great many of the diseases of mankind are preventable; and before the war great progress had been made in arresting the spread of them, according to local Red Cross officials. But the war stepped in and diverted the attention of medical men from the work of arresting and preventing disease to binding up the wounds of men broken in battle and assisting those who were not mortally wounded to regain their health as speedily as possible.

Medical research work had demonstrated that typhus was almost extinct, typhoid was being rapidly stamped out of civilized countries and small pox was becoming infrequent.

The active campaign of the Canadian Red Cross includes much educational matter for residents of the Dominion that will prevent such diseases as those mentioned above from gaining a foothold. Many diseases result from unsanitary conditions and a too careless disregard for the things that bring good health and happiness.

During May and June the Canadian Red Cross will institute a membership campaign all across the Dominion, in an endeavor to have every person who supported the Red Cross in wartime put their shoulders to the wheel for the work that will make this country a better place to live in. Membership in this society only costs one dollar a year and Red Cross officials anticipate that the response will be very gratifying. Childs Membership 25c.

LIEUT. COL. LOGGIE HALF A CENTURY IN PROVINCIAL SERVICE

Fredericton, May 12—When Lieutenant Col. T. G. Loggie, I. S. O., Deputy Minister of Lands and Mines, reached his office in the departmental buildings this morning he found a monster bouquet of fifty carnations in a basket upon his desk. They had been placed upon his desk by the department of lands and mines, including the forest service, and marked his completion of half a century in the provincial service. On May 11, 1871, Col. Loggie became a draftsman in the Crown Lands Office under the late Hon. F. J. Stevenson, then surveyor general. He had previously resided at Chatham, N. B.

About twelve years ago Col. Loggie succeeded the late W. P. Flewelling as deputy minister, and in 1917 the Imperial Service Order was conferred upon him, the medal being presented by the late Lieutenant Governor Ganong. Today congratulations have been pouring in upon Col. Loggie from all parts of the province.

JURY DISAGREES IN STEEVES CASE

Hopewell Cape, Albert Co., May 16—After being out nearly four hours the jury in the case of O. Gaius Steeves, charged with the murder of his wife, Lucy Steeves, near Pine Glen on February 15th last, reported to the court this afternoon that they could not agree on a verdict. The jurors were then discharged and after a formal motion by the Crown, Chief Justice McKeown fixed July 12th next as the date for a re-trial of the accused.

Eight of the jury were for conviction for manslaughter, while the other four were for acquittal. None of the jurymen, it is reported, were for finding the accused guilty of murder as charged in the indictment.

Senator Fowler applied for bail for the accused, but this was denied by Chief Justice McKeown, and the prisoner was remanded to jail to await his second trial.

Henry Hull, who had the role of Napoleon Gibbs and is replaced in the picture by Reginald Denny. John S. Robertson was the director and Kathryn Stuart did the continuity.