

CHAPLIN GIVES HIS VERSION OF TROUBLES

Screen Comedian to File Counter Suit For Divorce

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his attorney, Nathan Burkan, last night. "I can't understand all this bitterness, except that I know it has been instigated by my wife's family. She must be devoid of feeling, I guess."

CONFIDENT OF OUTCOME

Chaplin intimated he would be here for perhaps two weeks, in which time he would plan his divorce action. He admitted he was worried, but said he was confident of the outcome. "I have faith in the patience and sense of fair play of the people until I have a chance in court to tell my side of the story," he said.

LOVES CHILDREN

"I see all around me happiness, tenderness, home life, sanity—all the things I love, and I am very much attached to children and home life. I like both my children—they are both very wonderful. I wouldn't say that I love one more than the other; one may be more interesting than the other, but I love them both."

DENIES RETIREMENT

Mr. Chaplin denied he would retire from the screen, although, he said, work on his latest picture in process of making, was temporarily suspended. He also emphatically denied a statement in his wife's complaint that while on a railroad train on their honeymoon, he said to friends that it was better to marry than go to the penitentiary. "The story, he said, was a deliberate falsification, false in every detail."

HAYS SUSPENDS JUDGMENT

Will Hays, head of the moving picture industry in El Paso, Texas, last night said that in fairness to Chaplin, until the public has heard his side of the divorce proceedings, judgment should be suspended.

CALLS BAN "UNFAIR"

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—As a protest against alleged unfair treatment of Fatty Arbuckle films several years ago, and in anticipation of "an equally unfair ban" on Charlie Chaplin film productions, a local playhouse has announced a week's run of a combination Arbuckle-Chaplin films.

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Letters To The Editor

EX-PREMIER FOSTER WRITES

Saint John, N. B., Jan. 15, 1927. Editor Evening Times-Star: Sir—In your editorial of last evening's issue, in dealing with the address delivered by Mr. Pitfield at the Board of Trade meeting a few evenings ago you say:

"Speaking of capital investment, he (Pitfield) expressed the opinion that the provincial policy which provided a second electric distribution system in Saint John, had had an adverse effect upon the investing public in the United States and Upper Canada."

SKIING IN SAINT JOHN

(By a Disgruntled Enthusiast.) We started up a ski club in the city of Saint John. Two hundred in December joined. And more joined later on. We hired a house, we cleared a slide. We planned all sorts of larks. "Twill be a grand year for the ski!"

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HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 15.—Three trans-Atlantic liners docked at Pier 3 last night to land passengers, mails and cargo. The first to arrive was the Stockholm, Captain Renstrom, from Gothenburg, with five cabin, 71 third class passengers and 15 bags of mail.

ORANGEMEN ELECT

Royal Scarlet Chapter, Fredericton, in Annual Session

Special to The Times-Star: FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 15.—Royal Scarlet Chapter No. 1, Loyal Orange Association, was in annual session here Friday night with large attendance. Reports were presented by the various officials and officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are as follows:

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Funerals

Mrs. Mary A. Hurley. The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Hurley was held from her late residence, 217 Canterbury street, this morning, at 8.30 to St. John the Baptist church, for high mass of requiem, at 9 o'clock.

Funerals

John Hugh. The funeral of John Hugh was held this afternoon from his late residence, 222 Wentworth street. Rev. A. D. MacLeod conducted services and interment took place at Cedar Hill.

Funerals

Miss Ada Brooks. The funeral of Miss Ada Brooks was held this afternoon from the residence of her parents, 79 Bridge street. Service was conducted by the Rev. E. R. MacWilliams and interment took place in Cedar Hill.

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BUSINESS LOCALS

South End Rink, 12 bands every night. Weather permitting. 1-17

NOTICE. The Royal Scarlet Chapter of Saint John County, West, No. 118, will meet in the Orange Hall, Fairville, at 8.30 Sunday afternoon, January 16. All members are requested to be present.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS. Will you kindly see that your display copy reaches us no later than 2.30 p. m. the day previous to its insertion. This is necessary in order that we may give the proper attention to your advertisements.

THE SPECIALTY GIFT SHOP. 96 Charlotte St. Novelties, crepe paper flowers, Dennison's goods. 1-18

The Killies' dance, Orange Hall, Simonds street, Saturday night. Ladies, 25 cents, and refreshments; gent., 1-17

Try your next dinner at the Lansdowne House, 40 King Square. 50c. 1-16

C. W. L. LECTURE. Rev. James Cloran C. S. S. R., will give address Sunday night, 8.30, St. Vincent's Auditorium. Subject, Sex and Character. Public invited. Silver collection.

Miss Beatrice Price resumes piano-forte teaching. 81 Queen Square. M. 2911-21.

I, James Sullivan, will not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife, Kate Sullivan, after Jan. 15, 1927, having left my bed and board.

Commissioners Pass Rule To Protect Selves

Special to The Times-Star: NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—When the State Athletic Commission passed a ruling which provides that hereafter fighters' seconds must change sweaters in the dressing room, and not in the ring, no cause for the regulation was given.

But persistent research revealed that a second recently whipped off a green sweater in Madison Square Garden and in the process struck Jim Farley in the eye. Farley is chairman of the commission.

Too Late For Classification. LOST—On Monday evening, bunch of keys with name of M. J. Driscoll, between Queen Square, West End and Waterloo street via street cars. Please leave at 50 Waterloo.

TO LET—Furnished rooms. 41 King Square. 1-24

LOST—Leather glove, fur lined. Finder kindly leave same at Times Office. 1-17

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Nicaraguan President Denies He Will Quit

British United Press: PUERTO CABEZAS, Nicaragua, Jan. 15.—Despite what he referred to as a "blockade by the United States navy," and the neutralization of large territory.

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