

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

PHYSICAL MARVEL AT OPERA HOUSE

And He Shows All How to Build up—Other Features of New Bill

How to be beautiful, healthy and acquire perfect physical development is strikingly exemplified by Stauden and Marion, a real novelty feature at the Opera House. After several difficult feats of balancing, the man of the act, who is wonderfully developed physically, takes the time to show to those in audience several simple little exercises that can be taken mornings and in time develop the body into better condition. Two of the exercises are particularly recommended to the ladies as good for reducing the hips and preventing double chins, etc. This act is one of the most novel seen here for some time.

There are four other good acts on the programme and the first chapter of the new serial drama, "The Iron Test." This evening at 7.30 and 9. Tomorrow afternoon and evening. Usual change of programme opens Friday night.

BORROWED CLOTHES FINAL TONIGHT

Last time to see Mildred Harris (now Mrs. Charlie Chaplin) in the wonderfully appealing shoggy drama, "Borrowed Clothes," at the Imperial tonight. The picture has created an equally good impression as her former successes, "The Price of a Good Time" and "The Doctor and the Woman." Tomorrow May Allison will appear in the Metro romance, "The Return of Mary."

SIBERIAN MAILS.
Postmaster Sears has received word that mail for the Siberian forces will close at Vancouver on Feb. 13, going by steamer Kano Maru; and on Feb. 13 by the Arabia Maru. The Kashi Maru, postponed till Feb. 12, will not sail if a direct Canadian boat sails.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

HAMILTON—In this city on Sunday, February 3, to Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Hamilton, 61 Adelaide street, a daughter, Wilkins. In this city on the 4th inst., Reuben Wilkins, thirty-one years of age, leaving his wife and four small children to mourn a most kind and loving father and husband.

DICKSON—On January 24, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Lloyd Dickson, Fraser-ton, Alta., a son.

SHORITT—At the St. John Maternity Hospital on January 29, to Sergt.-Major and Mrs. R. M. Shortt, a son—Ronald Bishop.

McDONALD—February 4, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McDonald, Jr., 136 Waterloo street, a daughter.

WHITELEY—On February 3, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. Whiteley, 610 Main street, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

MASON-HAYES—On February 4, at the Reformed Baptist parsonage, St. John, by Rev. W. W. Howe, Otis Garrison Mason to Mildred Hayes, of Millstream, Kings county.

DEATHS

CHISHOLM—In this city on February 4, at her late residence, 177 Waterloo street, Mrs. Colin Chisholm, leaving her husband, three small children, three sisters and two brothers to mourn.

Funeral on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock from her late residence.

LEE—At his residence, 40 Protection street, on February 4, after a brief illness, Donald Lee, in his twenty-seventh year, leaving two sisters and five brothers to mourn.

Funeral notice later.

IN MEMORIAM

WRIGHT—In loving memory of William Charles Wright, died February 5, 1916.

PERSONALS

Miss Maud E. Commis of Bath, N. B., is the guest of Mrs. Margaret Bradley, 118 Main street.

It was reported at the infirmary today that the condition of Leo McGuire, injured in West St. John about two weeks ago, is improved.

Conductor James McDonald and Miss McDonald, of Truro, who have been visiting their brother, George McDonald of 17 Lombard street, have returned home.

EARLIER PEACE?

Paris, Feb. 4.—(By the Associated Press)—The progress made by the peace conference committees, as an outcome of the energetic Anglo-American campaign for quicker action has strengthened the hope among the most optimistic delegates that the league of nations may be established, and that even certain peace terms may be settled before President Wilson leaves for the United States. The president and Premier Lloyd George are understood to be agreed that there should be no further delay, and they are urging speed. Some opposition is being encountered in some quarters, but the general sentiment of the delegates who have expressed themselves is for prompt action.

Can you tame Wild Wimmen?

DIDN'T TAKE ADVICE AND NOW IS FINED

Quebec, Feb. 5.—The military authorities have announced that every absentee under the M. S. A. who voluntarily reports before the police court for sentence will be generously dealt with, but Joseph Couture, motorman on the Quebec street cars refused to believe this, so he waited for the military police to nab him if they could. Yesterday he was brought up for trial before Judge Langelier who fined him \$50 and costs.

SWISS MINISTER MAY LEAVE

Paris, Feb. 5.—M. Tchitcherine, the foreign minister in the Russian Soviet government, has withdrawn his opposition to the departure from Russia of Edward Odier, the Swiss minister, and his staff from Russia. A telegram to that effect has just been received from the Bolshevik government, according to Marcel Hutin, in the Echo de Paris.

SAID TO BE RECORD PRICE FOR MARTEN

New York, Feb. 5.—What is said to be a record price for martens was obtained here yesterday at the second day of the annual midwinter fur sale, when the best pelts brought \$22.50. Yesterday's offerings, chiefly for skins, brought \$1,250,000, raising the total for the two days to \$2,000,000.

ORGANIZE SOCIETIES TO "SAVE THE KAISER"

Amsterdam, Feb. 5.—Societies to "save the Kaiser" from being handed over to the Allies are being organized in Germany, according to the Volks Zeitung of Osnabruck.

Eitel Frederick, second son of the German emperor, is said to have written a letter to the premier demanding that the government assist in the plan.

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

Winter Days Strain the Eyes

The short days of winter, with their long evenings, and often the necessity of working during the day by artificial light, put a heavy tax on the eyes. If there is a defect in refraction, the constant strain of over-coming it is increased, and the eyes grow tired, headaches become frequent, and there is a general slowing down of efficiency.

Properly fitted Glasses will bring relief and prevent permanent injury to sight.

Our optometrist will provide you with the glasses you ought to have.

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WHEN A FAMILY NEEDS A FRIEND

In the Absence of Doctors Nobly Gone to War: After Influenza, the Grip, Those wonderfully useful medicines, Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, are warmly recommended.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, taken before meals three times a day, and Hood's Pills, taken at night as needed, are reasonably sure to keep a family in health and prove to be reliable and always ready friends. They purify the blood, relieve and prevent biliousness and constipation, build up strength and regulate the system.

Get both, or either one, as you think you need, from your druggist today and begin treatment at once.

DEATH OF MRS. COLIN CHISHOLM

The unexpected death of Mrs. Fannie Chisholm, wife of Colin Chisholm, of 177 Waterloo street, a member of No. 1 Fire Department and shipper with George S. Forrest & Sons, took place about ten o'clock last evening, and robs another home of a loving mother and most amiable wife, and the bereaved community of a bright-natured, charitable and popular young woman. Starting with a slight cold on last Saturday which developed into influenza and then as late as yesterday afternoon into pneumonia, Mrs. Chisholm became critically ill before her friends were hardly aware of her indisposition. Death was unexpected and has thrown the household and relatives into a confusion of grief. Mr. Chisholm and his little son, Raymond, are both ill with influenza at present and this adds to the sadness of the blow. Mrs. Chisholm was a daughter of the late Philip and Rebecca Garrick. Within two years she lost both her father and mother, and comparatively recently a brother and a sister. John S. and Mrs. E. A. Davidson, sisters. Mrs. T. Brown, another sister, lives in Springfield, Mass. The children surviving are Raymond, aged ten; Dorothy, aged eight, and Faith, aged six. Mrs. Chisholm was an especially devoted mother and a leading spirit in circles in which she moved. It was one of her favorite joys to surprise sick and over-worked friends with generous donations of home cooking in a spirit of true neighborliness. In all helpful work in Central Baptist church and without regard to denominational bonds her physical and financial help was ever ready. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

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GERMANS CAUGHT AT PROPOGANDA WORK AMONG AMERICANS

Coblenz, Feb. 4.—(By the Associated Press)—Three Germans have been convicted in military courts here during the last few days on the charge of circulating enemy propaganda among American troops in the occupied area of Germany.

Noted Spaniard Dead

Madrid, Feb. 5.—Fernin Calbeton Planchon, minister of finance in the Spanish cabinet, is dead. He had for several years been Spanish ambassador to the Vatican.

You Thrifty House-keeper

Just glance over these After-Stock-taking Cash Prices for Quality Groceries on sale this week from Tuesday until Saturday.

SUGAR—(Two Tons)	BEANS for Baking
10 lbs. (with order)..... \$1.05	1 qt. Soya Beans..... 15c.
1 lb. Swift's Shortening..... 29c.	1 qt. Chilian Beans..... 19c.
1 lb. Pure Lard..... 32c.	1 qt. White Beans..... 24c.
3 lb. tin Pure Lard..... 95c.	15c. tin Clark's Beans..... 12c.
30c. tin Maple Butter..... 25c.	25c. tin Clark's Beans..... 21c.
30c. jar Forest Cream But- ter..... 25c.	25c. bottle H. M. Tomato Cat- sup..... 19c.
30c. jar Home-Leen Honey..... 25c.	35c. qt. bottle H. M. Tomato Catsup..... 27c.
12c. Eagle Brand..... 21c.	15c. bottle Heaton's Pickles..... 10c.
25c. Pure Gold Extract..... 21c.	20c. bottle Peerless Pickles..... 15c.
50c. Royal B. Powder..... 42c.	20c. bottle Peerless Chow..... 15c.
15c. tin Paris Pate..... 10c.	25c. Peerless Mixed..... 21c.
10c. tin Devilled Ham..... 13c.	35c. Peerless Chow..... 27c.
15c. tin Devilled Ham..... 13c.	
30c. tin Devilled Tongue..... 23c.	SOAPS AND CLEANERS
65c. tin Lunch Tongue..... 53c.	Lux..... Only 10c. pkge.
1-2 lb. tin Boneless Chicken..... 40c.	Old Dutch..... 9c. pkge.
1 lb. tin Boneless Chicken..... 75c.	3 cakes Ivory Soap..... 21c.
25c. tin Chipped Beef..... 21c.	3 cakes Lenox Soap..... 21c.
Lobster Paste..... 18c. and 35c. tin	3 cakes Sunlight Soap..... 21c.
1-2 lb. tin Lobster..... 21c.	3 cakes Lifebuoy Soap..... 21c.
1-2 lb. Flat Salmon..... 15c.	3 cakes Gold Soap..... 23c.
1-2 lb. tin Red Middle-cut Sal- mon..... 21c.	3 cakes Surprise Soap..... 25c.
15c. pkge. Cornstarch..... 12c.	15c. bottle Ammonia..... 10c.
15c. pkge. Macaroni..... 11c.	1776 Washing Powder..... 5c.
Royal Excelsior Dates..... 25c.	1845 Washing Powder..... 8c.
New Figs..... 17c. drum	10c. Nopeat Floating Bath Soap..... 5c.
Choice Seeded Raisins..... 15c.	10c. Pure Castile..... 6c.
Fancy Seeded Raisins..... 16c.	3 lbs. Mixed Starch..... 32c.
Seedless Sultana Raisins..... 25c.	

TEA	CHOCOLATTA
1 lb. pkge. Lipton's..... 53c.	30c. tin for..... 25c.
1 lb. Congou..... 43c.	60c. tin for..... 54c.
1 lb. Syrenne..... 48c.	
1 lb. Fine Oolong..... 70c.	Special Wash Boards..... 25c.
1 lb. Special Blend..... 65c.	Little Beauty Broom..... 89c.
1 lb. Quality Blend..... 90c.	Royal Household Flour..... 47c.
1 lb. Red Rose..... 60c.	24 lbs. bags, \$1.58
1 lb. Red Clover..... 60c.	

JAMS, ETC.	ORONA CLEANER
Beaver Brand..... 12 1-2c.	For hands or scouring..... 15c. tin for 10c.
25c. Pure Raspberry..... 19c.	
35c. Pure Raspberry..... 27c.	OXO CUBES
45c. Pure Raspberry..... 37c.	12c. tin for..... 9c.
55c. Pure Strawberry Preserves..... 45c.	25c. tin for..... 21c.
Stuart's Orange Marmalade..... 30c.	

WALTER GILBERT

CATHOLIC HUTS OPENED

The new Knights of Columbus Army Hut was opened last evening in the Y. M. C. I. building, Cliff street, and soldiers enjoyed the hospitality offered. They have the use of the large swimming tank, shower baths, reading, writing and billiard rooms. The canteen was opened in charge of a staff of ladies members of the Catholic Girls' Guild, with Mrs. F. J. Power as convener. Mrs. C. Kane and Mrs. McGrath were in charge at the opening last evening. The interest manifested last evening by the soldiers augurs well for the popularity of the hut.

NORWEGIAN PREMIER LOSSES CONTROL; HIS CABINET RESIGNS.

Christiania, Feb. 5.—The Norwegian cabinet headed by Guncar Knudsen has resigned. The reason given is that Knudsen's party has ceased to maintain its control of parliament. H. H. Bryn, Norwegian minister at Washington may be named foreign minister.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

Fredericton, Feb. 5.—The annual report of the fire chief, H. C. Rutter, shows the per capita fire loss of Fredericton during 1918 was only seven and five cents. Elwood Burt will leave tomorrow for British Columbia, where he has timber limits.

The monthly meeting of the provincial government will begin tonight. Hon. P. J. Veniot and Hon. J. P. Byrne are here.

The marriage of Miss Catherine S. Wall of Plymouth, England, and Gunner Bayard C. Simmons of Fredericton took place on Dec. 20 in Bramshot, England.

A Simpler Process

Quebec, Feb. 5.—Sir Lomer Gouin yesterday announced that it was the intention of the government to allow changes in the clauses of incorporation of companies and corporations by a mere official notice in the official gazette with the approval of the lieutenant-governor-in-council.

Jobs Sure for Soldiers

Washington, Feb. 5.—"Every soldier who put on the uniform of the United States, who fought, or trained to fight, will have a job, if he wants one," Secretary of War Baker declared today.

For small or large quantities of choice Home Cooking, come to the Woman's Exchange, 158 Union. Rent all late books from our library for a few cents. Open evenings.

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"It is kind of you to offer it, but Fred left us beyond need of financial assistance. Three years ago he was persuaded to buy an Imperial Monthly Income Policy."

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Don't forget we store and insure goods purchased at our sale free of charge until required.

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News Notes About Prominent Baptists

(Maritime Baptists.)

W. G. Fletcher, Lic., who spent last summer on the Hillsdale-Hammond field, has received his discharge from the Royal Air Force. He is spending a few months in Fredericton getting up some college work in anticipation of resuming his studies at Acadia.

The Honor Roll of the Amherst church is an impressive list. Twenty-four have made the supreme sacrifice, one hundred and forty-nine went overseas, and one hundred and forty-four were in training for overseas or on home service. The large number on home service was due to the location of the Detention Camp in Amherst. Pastor C. W. Rose has had the privilege of ministering to more than half of the Protestant soldiers on guard at the camp.

Rev. O. N. Chipman, of Port Williams, N. S., has been appointed treasurer of the Sunday School and Young People's Board, or, to give it the newer title, the Board of Religious Education.

Rev. Z. L. Fish has been called to the pastorate of the George street church, Fredericton, and has intimated his acceptance.

The sad news reached us last week of the dangerous illness of Rev. R. M. Brown of River Glade.

We regret to record the death of Rev. J. W. Weeks, which occurred at his home in Sydney, on January 25. His brother, Dr. W. W. Weeks, of Springfield, Mass., reached Sydney too late to see his brother alive.

The appointment of Rev. Waldo C. Machum as field secretary for our Sunday school work will meet with the fullest approval of all who know his work and worth. The church at Port Maitland, which is called upon to part with its loved and trusted leader, has our sympathy, but the welfare of the whole

body must take precedence over the interests of the individual church.

Rev. H. H. Phinney has accepted a call to the Public field and will take up his work there at once.

The clerk of the Murray River church writes that that field desires to call a pastor.

WE ARE EXCEEDINGLY GLAD TO REPORT THAT THE CONDITION OF SUPERINTENDENT GUNSON CONTINUES TO IMPROVE, THOUGH A RAPID RECOVERY IS NOT LOOKED FOR.

Rev. A. S. Bishop has been laid aside from work for the last week on account of sickness. The pulpit of the Fairville church was occupied last Sunday by Rev. L. M. Duval, home on furlough from his mission field in Africa. Pastor Bishop's condition has not been serious and he will be again at work in a few days.

With the return of Rev. J. B. Anderson from overseas service another gap in our ministerial ranks will be filled. Brother Anderson was pastor of the church at Liverpool, N. S., previous to his enlistment with the Canadian forces.

Rev. E. H. Howe is now residing at Greenwood, N. S.

Our heartfelt congratulations are extended to Deacon and Mrs. Albert Horton

of the Guysboro church, who recently celebrated their golden wedding.

SWEEPING INVESTIGATION OF BOLSHIEVISM IN STATES

Washington, Feb. 5.—Sweeping investigation of Bolshevism I. W. W. and other propaganda, was ordered unanimously yesterday by the senate after two hour of tempestuous discussion, some said organizations were plotting to overthrow the American government by violence.

The senate judiciary sub-committee, which for more than a year has been investigating pro-German and brewers propaganda was authorized by the senate resolution to conduct the new inquiry. The committee will begin work probably next Friday.

OUT OF WORK.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Urging the house rules committee to give the right way for passage of legislation prohibiting immigration for four years, Frank Morrison, secretary of the America Federation of Labor, said that 500,000 men in the United States were without employment.

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