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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

SEE IT AT GEM; IT'S ALL GOOD

You'll enjoy every minute at the Gem where a wholly satisfying programme of picture and vaudeville is being shown. In the picture Robert Warwick, eminent English actor, does a fine piece of work. A striking incident to the story is the introduction of a scene from Othello.

There are four vaudeville acts, all chipper and bright. Walt Burke has good songs and stories and an engaging style. Frank Coulter is an AI entertainer, and his song "If It Comes Your Way" makes a decided hit. Norris and Adeline, man and girl, distribute fun, with excellent dancing and acrobatic work, and Mortimer, with his unique and delightful trio of harmony singers and fun-makers. Their act scores a big hit. All this again tonight at 7:15 and 9 o'clock.

FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT OPERA HOUSE; NEW SERIAL TOMORROW

The eccentric dancing, slips and falls and antics that keep our vaudeville audience laughing, offered by More, Less and More, a trio of vaudeville artists at the Opera House this week, are a complete entertainment in themselves. It is about the best act of its kind that St. John has seen for a long time and every body is talking about it.

With this act and four others that are all of a high standard and highly entertaining, the Opera House should be the one good place for everybody to go for an evening or afternoon of real enjoyment.

The new Vitaphone serial drama, "Vengeance and the Woman," with William Duncan and Carol Holloway in the leading roles, starts tomorrow in conjunction with the vaudeville programme.

FAMOUS CARTER ARRIVES IN SAINT JOHN TODAY

Will Be Seen at Lyric All This Week With His Own Company of Novelty Entertainers

Chas. J. Carter, the famous exponent of magic, with Miss Corinne Carter, the magic marvel, and a company of unique entertainers will arrive in St. John today, coming direct from New York. Mr. Carter has all this week, presenting a remarkable and decidedly entertaining programme of novel features. Only one performance at eight-thirty. Matinees daily commencing Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Special matinee at 1 o'clock for the benefit of the ladies, when Miss Carter will present a performance for special benefit. Full particulars of this engagement will be found in the display advertisement on another page.

SIX FEATURES AT IMPERIAL

1—Wallace Reid in "Nan of Music Mountain."
2—Beatrice Fallow, cornetist and saxophone soloist.
3—History of The Great War (No. 1) Austria.
4—Mutt and Jeff Solre Transportation Problem.
5—In The Valley of the Dordogne, France.
6—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew in "Help."

WONDERFUL RED CROSS DIAMOND

(From Woman's Section, Department of Public Information.)

On first thought it seems inappropriate to talk about a wonderful diamond in war times. But the fact that this diamond has been donated to the British Red Cross makes it not only proper, but necessary to speak of it at some length. For four years there has been a Red Cross sale at Christy's in London and each year some entirely unexpected treasure has formed the centre of interest. Until recently no traction was expected for this year. But quite unexpectedly appeared this wonderful diamond of the most exquisite primary diamond—surpassing all the famous diamonds known except the "Siam of South Africa" (in the Imperial crown and the Mar de Royal Scepter) and the Matan diamond belonging to the Rajah of Borneo.

The famous Koh-i-noor in Queen Mary's crown weighs not quite 108 carats; the Regent or Pitt diamond, famous up to this time as being the only diamond showing a Miltose cross in the top facet, weighs 186.8 carats. The new diamond, which weighs 203 carats, is in the shape of a perfect square and shows a perfect Miltose cross in its top facet. It has the power of absorbing the rays of any brilliant illumination to which it is exposed and afterwards emitting them in phosphorescent light in the dark. The diamond was found in the De Beers Mines in Griqualand West in 1901. So far it has not been named but will probably be known as the Red Cross Diamond.

When a Columbia restaurant put up the sign, Triangle Lunch, the word "Lunch" was misspelled and the sign was a sign of the times, signifying the gradual disappearance of the well and favorably known square meal—Kansas City Times.

Mayor F. C. Miller, of Michigan City, Ind., is now in a jail cell at Washington facing internment.

Estate of Frank G. Messenger, Deceased.

All persons having claims or accounts against the above named Estate are requested to file the same duly proven with the undersigned Solicitor and all persons indebted to the said Estate will make payment at once at the office of the Solicitor in Ritchie's Building, 50 Princess Street, St. John, N. B.

HEBER S. KEITH,
Solicitor for Estate.

FOUNDER OF WOMEN'S BATTALION GOES TO THE WESTERN FRONT

A Pacific Port, May 12—Madame Leonia Botharova, founder of the Russian women's "Battalion of Death," arrived here today from Russia on route to France where, she said, she expected to meet death on the battlefield.

LOCAL NEWS

SELF DENIAL DAY MAY 13
Our soldiers' and sailors' lives are made up of sacrifice and heroism. Our spirit of sacrifice by denying ourselves, even necessary things, for those brave defenders on Loyalist Day.

LOCAL 810, I. L. A.
Coal handlers and trimmers, a full half yearly meeting for the election of officers and other business will be held on May 14. Members not being present will be fined. By order of president.

AT 4 P. M. THURSDAY
The best dressed woman in the world will be introduced at the patriotic concert in Imperial Theatre. This performance will commence after the first show. Tickets selling rapidly. A. Imperial lobby, Nelson's, Gray & Ritchie's, Klecker's Drug Store, and from members of the Loyalist Chapter.

THE LUMBER DRIVES
Fredericton, N. B., May 12—A fairly heavy run of logs into the booms is reported by the St. John River Log Driv-ing Company. No particulars of the haul are given. The water is reported to be falling slightly but is still too high for rafting.

THE SOLDIERS HERE
It is understood that the Depot Battalion will be going to camp Bosses during the latter part of the month. New regulations forbid any soldiers going under canvas before June 1. There has been considerable talk with reference to the 8th Siege Battery going under canvas at Red Head within the next few days; but according to this regulation, this is not likely to be the case. It is said that as yet Ottawa has not sanctioned the siege battery's change of quarters, but the local military officials are going ahead getting ready at battery point on the Red Head road, and by the middle of June, it is expected that the battery will be camped there.

BURIED TODAY
The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Hamill took place this morning from the residence of her son-in-law, Captain F. W. Kenney, 125 St. Peter's church, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by George W. C. Oland, successor to Simon Jones, Ltd. Her husband was taken to Hampton for burial.

THE FUNERAL OF ARTHUR MILBURN
The funeral of Arthur Milburn took place this afternoon from his late residence, Brussels street. Services were conducted by Rev. F. H. Wentworth. Interment was made in the Church of England burying grounds.

GOLDEN JUBILEE OF SIR WILFRID AND WIFE
Ottawa, May 12—In accordance with the desire of Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, there will be no formal presentation of gold plate to them this afternoon to mark the 50th anniversary of their wedding. The plate from his followers is being presented to the house of commons has been sent to Sir Wilfrid's residence.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS
STRAVHOUND—On May 8 to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stravhound, 51 Richmond street, a daughter.

DEATHS
CONNOLLY—At Moncton, on the 11th inst., Mary, wife of Patrick Connolly.
Funeral from the residence of her brother-in-law, Joseph Higgins, 41 Murray street, this city, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

HANNAH—At Coldbrook after a lingering illness, Ida M. Hannah, beloved wife of James Hannah, leaving a sorrowing husband, five sons, three daughters and one brother.
Notice of funeral hereafter. No flowers by request.

CARR—Suddenly at her residence, 16 Chapel street, West End, on May 11, Mrs. John Carr, leaving her husband, one little daughter, two brothers and two sisters to mourn their sad loss.
(New York papers please copy.)

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PEER—On Saturday, May 11, 1918, John Edwin Peer, of 399 Duke street, West End. He is survived by his parents, one son, one daughter, two brothers, and five sisters.
Funeral this afternoon at 4 o'clock from his late residence, Interment in Boston.

HARRISON—In this city on the 11th inst. Bernard E. Harrison, leaving his wife, five sons and one daughter to mourn.
Funeral will take place on Tuesday at 8:30 o'clock from his late residence, 38 Brooks street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass; interment at Chapel Grove.

IN MEMORIAM
SARGANT—In loving memory of Thomas Sargent, who departed this life May 13, 1918.
Thou art gone, but not forgotten.
FAMILY.

LOCAL NEWS

'Phone for ice—nature's great preserver.
Oilcloth for stair, shelf and table; rakes, hoes—Duvall, 17 Waterloo street. 8192-5-20.

MEAT CUTTER WANTED.
Wanted—First-class meat cutter. Must be experienced, to wait on customers. Right price to the right man. Apply to J. O. Porter, 248 King street, West St. John. 5-14

With every purchase of cigars, cigarettes and tobaccos, give coupons that are valuable. Save them—Louis Green, Charlotte street.

MAN WANTED
Wanted to assist in training of boys. Knowledge of farming necessary. Apply at once, Boys' Industrial Home, 5149-9-14.

LOST, POCKETBOOK
Lost—red, pocketbook containing papers valuable to owner only; reward offered. Finder please deliver to Red Head, 75 Charlotte. 81423-5-14.

ST. MARTIN'S STAGE
Car leaving Love's stable at 8 o'clock Monday, Wednesday and Friday, shore road; Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday by the middle road; returning leave St. Martin's at 1 o'clock, carrying passengers. Stage managed by L. J. Phillips.

Waterbury & Rising announce that a direct representative of Dr. Scholl, famous American foot specialist, will be at their King street store Tuesday afternoon from 10 to 12 (May 14). He would be glad to interview any of those suffering from foot trouble. Any advice given is entirely free of charge.

PROTEST FROM DEER ISLAND.
A vigorous protest against the proposed withdrawal of the steamer "Commonwealth," on account of the "Commonwealth" being a military vessel, has been received by the St. John Board of Trade from a firm in Deer Island. This island, which has several thriving communities and which carries on considerable business, has been dependent on the mainland and its withdrawal would be a serious blow to the residents.

A HEAVY RUN
The tremendously heavy run on Red Bull Beverage is due wholly to its piquant flavor and appetizing perfume. Red Bull comes from the bottle cool, clear and sparkling. An ideal dinner drink is Red Bull, which is made only by George W. C. Oland, successor to Simon Jones, Ltd. Phone Main 25.

CONDENSED NEWS
An aerial service between Aberdeen and Stavanger is expected to be opened soon for carrying mail.

Quebec police say that probably tomorrow they will arrest some forty alleged disturbers in connection with the recent rioting in the city. The rioting was headed by Annie R. MacGrath, aged twenty-two, of Halifax, died suddenly today by a fatal operation. She leaves her husband, who is over-keen, and two children.

CANADIAN TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS
On May 8 Sir Albert Stanley, president of the Board of Trade, announced in the British House of Commons the decision of the government to place great restrictions on travel in London, England, a restriction, which later will be extended throughout the country. Passenger train service, he said, would be reduced by forty per cent, and it will be necessary for everyone to show that his proposed trip has an adequate reason. The issue of season tickets will be greatly restricted. This will affect a large number of aliens, who have moved all roads, and travel back and forth each day.

In Canada the C. P. R. with a view to the economical train service, and thereby assisting in the most vigorous war effort, has been obliged considerably to reduce the number of passenger trains.

FISH CHOWDER.
With the aid of vegetables it is quite possible to have an entire dinner in one dish—a dinner that is wholesome, nutritious and very palatable. How many people are familiar with fish chowder? Here is the recipe: It is enough for a family of five—One and a half pounds of cod, haddock or flat fish; nine potatoes, peeled and cut in small pieces, one onion, sliced, two cups carrots cut in pieces, three cups milk, pepper, one tablespoon fat, one and a half tablespoons cornstarch. Cook vegetables until tender. Add fat, mix cornstarch with the liquid in the pot to thicken. Add rest of the milk and fish which has been removed from the bone and cut in small pieces. Cook until the fish is tender, about ten minutes. Serve hot.

HALIFAX GIRL IS POISONED; CANDY IS BEING TRACED

Halifax, May 13—Ella Campbell, who resided with her aunt, Mr. Webb, here, on Saturday ate a few chocolates which, it is since learned, had been in stock in a local store for some two months. She became ill and a physician adjudged it accidental poisoning. The police and health departments are tracing the candy.

HAVE PURE BLOOD

Hood's Sarsaparilla Makes Pure, Rich, Red Blood.
Your heart works night and day without a pause. It is the principal organ of the circulation of your blood. It is of the utmost importance that it should do its work well. The quality and quantity of your blood have much to do with its success. If this fluid is pure and abundant, your heart and other vital organs act with more energy than when it is deficient in quality or deficient in quantity.

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INCLUDES THIS AMONG THE GERMAN LOSSES
Zurich, May 12—It will require the labor of many generations to restore Germany's commercial relations, said Finance Minister Von Pfortner in an address to the Wartburg Diet. Even with neutrals, he said, German merchants would have great difficulties than heretofore.

Kaiser Prayers Again
Amsterdam, May 12—Replying to a message of congratulation from King Ludwig of Bavaria, on the conclusion of peace with Roumania, Emperor Wilhelm has sent the following telegram to military units: "With you in firm confidence that the Almighty will lead our good cause to victory. May God bless a Vimy Ridge veteran. He pleaded guilty. He said he was not aware of violating the law and that he had made no representations that he had been overseas. The case was continued.

FOR ILLEGAL WEARING OF MILITARY UNIFORM
Halifax, May 13—Lawson Spence, aged 20, of Londonderry, N. S., was before Stipendiary Magistrate Fielding this morning charged with illegally wearing military uniform. Spence lost an arm in an accident a few years ago. People have been given the impression that he was a Vimy Ridge veteran. He pleaded guilty. He said he was not aware of violating the law and that he had made no representations that he had been overseas. The case was continued.

CORN AND OATS
Chicago, May 13—Buying on the part of prominent commission houses gave an upward swing today to the corn market. Apparently, recent declines were assumed to have more than discounted bearish aspects of the crop outlook. Shorts covered freely on the advance. Opening prices, which varied from unchanged to 3-4 cent off, with May 127 1/2-3, and July 142 1/4 to 1/2, were followed by sharp gains in the July delivery to well above Saturday's finish.

OSHTUNTSKI WITH CORN. The chief demand came from shorts. After opening unchanged to 7-8 cent lower, with July 98 1/4 to 98 1/2, the market soon decided advance.

DEMANDS DEATH OF TWO.
Paris, May 12—Captain Morner, prosecutor in the case of the directors of the Bennett Rouge, a Germanophile newspaper, who are on trial for treason, ended his summing up last night by dramatically demanding sentence of death upon Duval and Marion. His words caused a sensation and he would leave the other defendants to the decision of the court.

PERSONALS
Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, who preached the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the U. N. B. in Pictou, returned to the city today.

Miss Ida Webber of Halifax, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. Webber, of this city, was returned to her home.

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ONE GROUND ONLY FOR EXEMPTION
(Continued from page 1)
Jacques Bureau introduced an amendment to section 90 which had to do with the dismissal of employees. The section now provides that employees shall be dismissed by the governor-in-council. Mr. Bureau's amendment places this power in the hands of the civil service commission. It provides that in the case of deputy ministers the recommendation for dismissal or removal shall come from the minister; in the case of other employees from the deputy minister. When the recommendation is received by the commission the amendment provides that the deputy or clerk to be dismissed shall be notified of the charge made against him and be given three days to file an answer. If he fails to do this, the dismissal goes into effect automatically. If he replies, his answer is considered by the commission before any dismissal is authorized.

In support of his amendment, Mr. Bureau said that in order to get good men into the service it was necessary to guarantee to them some measure of protection.

Mr. A. K. MacLean said that the amendment was unnecessary. The power of dismissing employees should be thought, remain with the governor-in-council. The government was employing of dismissing them. The civil service was not suffering because of this provision. He asked Mr. Bureau to let his amendment stand for further consideration.

Mr. Bureau said he would have some distribution of the amendment made for distribution. In the meantime, it might stand.

TO INVESTIGATE COST OF PAINTING CITY WAREHOUSES
(Continued from page 1)
Commissioner Hilyard said it was common talk that only one coat of paint had been given the sheds.

Commissioner Bullock remarked that the work was undertaken in October and completed in December. Mr. Pullen said that the former commissioner gave him verbal authority to go ahead with the work. The work had been done and he felt that the city should pay the bill, and he would not approve adding more money for legal action. There were other bills in similar case. Value had been given.

Commissioner McLellan, who said that value had been given. Mr. Hare only presumes that two coats were given and even if they were, that does not show that the value is there. I could get painters to come in here who would say that they would have done the work for \$600.

Commissioner Bullock—"The engineer says they have done it, that there were two coats."
Commissioner McLellan—"We want it an extra in the dark as the origin of the statement. At present all I can say is that I am convinced that the knowledge of the prime minister or the British war cabinet."

Paris, May 13—Active artillery fighting in Picardy, on both sides of the Aisne river, is reported in today's official statement, which follows:—"Our artillery and the enemy were active at certain points along the front north and south of the Aisne."

In Loraine a French detachment penetrated the German lines north of Nomeny and brought back twenty prisoners. In the region of St. Die, a German raid was broken up by our fire. "Elsewhere the night passed in quiet."

London, May 13—The hostile artillery was active during the night in the Somme Valley and Albert sectors, also between Locux and the Forest of Nieppe (Flanders front)," says today's official statement.

American Casualties
Washington, May 13—The casualty list today contained ninety-six names, including—Killed in action, ten; died of wounds, six; died of disease, two; died of other causes, one; severely wounded, twelve; wounded slightly, nineteen; missing in action, thirty-eight.

Tillan Front
Rome, May 13—Austro-Hungarian troops yesterday made an attack on Mont Corne, which recently was captured by the Italians. The war office announced that the enemy was repulsed with heavy loss.

FUNERAL OF SISTER THECLA
The funeral of Sister Mary Thecla took place at 8:15 o'clock this morning from St. Peter's convent to St. Peter's church, where solemn requiem high mass was celebrated by the rector, Rev. Peter Costello, C. S. R., assisted by Rev. Francis Healy, C. S. R., as deacon, and Rev. F. J. Coghlan, C. S. R., as sub-deacon. At the conclusion of mass, His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc officiated at final absolution, assisted by Very Rev. J. J. Walsh, V. G., and Rev. Wm. M. Duke.

The funeral was one of the most impressive seen in the North End in years. Immediately preceding the hearse, were the boys from St. Peter's school, led by Principal William J. Shea, on either side of the hearse were the pall-bearers and, following, came twenty Sisters of Charity and a large number of parishioners. As the body was borne up the steps of the church hundreds of girls crowded around to catch a glimpse of the casket and many with tear-dimmed eyes offered a prayer for their former beloved principal, teacher and friend.

At the conclusion of the services the body was conveyed to its last resting place on earth, to the Sisters' lot in the new Catholic cemetery. At the grave burial services were conducted by Rev. Father Healy, C. S. R. The pall-bearers were James D. McGee, Frank Walsh, Thomas Buckley and F. Fitzgerald.

WAR AND NEWS NOTES OVER BROKERS' WIRES
New York, May 13—Artillery engagements only cents of importance on British and French fronts Sunday. French capture Hill 44 near Kemmel.
British casualties during last week, 40,000.
Anthracite shipments for April 6,000,000 tons, increase of 776,100 over year ago.
400 tons, increase of \$65,000,000, bringing that item up to \$102,807,100.

Lesson in Reprisal.
If your next door neighbor starts in to learn the comet you should not shoot him. You should start in and learn to play the trombone.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Washington has decided upon a separate motor transport department for the United States army.

Commissioner Hilyard asked about the changes in street lines which are being rounded off and said that if they involved changes in the location of catch basins, he could not accept the responsibility.

Commissioner McLellan said that no changes in street lines should be made without authority of council. Rounding