### **GOOD THINGS COMING** TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

IMPERIAL'S SPLENDID
WEEK-END BILL

TONIGHT AND NEW YEAR'S

The W. S. Harkins Players will present at the Opera House tonight Baby Mine, one of the furniest comedies ever written. From start to finish Baby Mine is nothing but a succession of laughs. This is the first time that this comedy has ever been presented at less than \$1.50 prices. Baby Mine will also be the New Year's matinee and evening play.

Tonight all returned soldiers will be the guests of the management. Those who apply to C. B. Lockhart, chairman of the returned soldiers reception committee, will be furnished with tickets good for admission. Baby Mine will present them with laughs.

INSURANCE PARTNERSHIP Notice has been given of the formation of a partnership by Frank R. Fairweather, Leland W. Nickerson and Ella L. Fairweather, to do business under the name of F. R. Fairweather & Co., St. John.

Band tonight in Carleton rink; also New Year's afternoon and evening.

February Pictorial Review patterns and publications now on sale at Daniel's pattern counter, showing the new draped afternoon gowns as well as the newest nonth.

FINE HOLIDAY SHOW AT GEM

A fine holiday programme has been arranged for the Gem Theatre for the week-end, the New Year's bill. A glance on the amusement page of this issue will show the good things in store for patrons. Chief interest next week will center in the presentation of "Nedra," from the well known novel of George. Barr McCutcheon, the ever likeable story of castaways on a tropical isle and their love-making. The adventures are startling and weird for the island is inhabited by savages. This great five reel photo-play will be given on Wednesday and Thursday next. The enjoyable serial "Neal of the Navy," is drawing to a close. Today's episode "Backed by the Navy," is one of the strongest chapters yet and with other good features makes a programme of keen attractiveness for the holiday. Helen Marr will have some new song hits, and the Gem orchestra will be present tomorrow afternoon and evening.

WHAT VOID RITHINAY

To Seek New Trial.

Los Angeles, Dec. 81—Mathew A. Schmidt, convicted of murder in the first degree, as an accomplice of James B. Me. Nonlea's Society Monday afternoon, Jenuary 3, 8.30 p.m., Knights of Columbus Hall.

Send your washing to Ungar's Launtry and get satisfaction. No chemicals used; 'phone M. 58 and our team will appear in court next Monday for a new trial; and the case will be continued until January 12, for arguments on the motion.

FOR THE SAILORS.

A lady deeply interested in the welfare of sailors said to the Times this mornatory was the season—not expensive \$1.75, \$2.85 or \$2.85.—Wiezel's Cash burgackets coming here. She suggested that as they prefer to be together, both the sailors whose work means so much district, 440 Main.

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# WHAT YOUR BIRTHDAY

St. John People Will Have a Daily

Readers of the Times will do well to take particular note of the Imperial Theatre space commencing on the New Year. Arrangements have been made with an American burcau for a daily service of fortune telling and character reading horoscopes as divined by leading experts in astronomy in relation to the destinies of human life. A horoscope dealing with the planetary influences of each day in the year will appear in accordance with the calendar. These will be found in the Imperial Theatre advertisements and should be a source of information and entertainment to everybedy and especially to those who on each particular date happens to have a birth-day. The following horoscope belongs to this closing day of the year and is printed herewith as an example of what the Imperial space will contain commencing tomorrow:

Dec. 31st, 1915.

The woman of this birth date has a horoscope that shows a sensitive nature, deeply affectionate but not demonstrative. There are no conflicting planetary conditions, but Saturn will bring about seasons of despondency. The nature is extreme and needs to learn calm poise and self-reliance. The governing planets are Mars and Saturn, Mars will favor travel and bring good business opportunities with travel. This woman will have several love affairs, but her happiest marriage will be made with a man whose birthdate falls during the first two weeks in October. She will find the most companionable friends are those born in the first two weeks in March. Her most fortunate weeks will be the two following May 27. The diamond is her birthstone.

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HERE'S VALUE FOR YOU
Men's Merchant rubbers, best quality.
Worth \$1, 78c. only, at the True Fit
Shoe Store, 389 Main street.

New Year's eve at Wanamaker's, dinner served from 11 p.m. to 1 a.m. Zingara Girls in big cabaret. Secure your tables 12-81

The Reid Studio will be open for business Saturday, New Year's Day. MEETING SUNDAY January 2, 1916, Brass Band hall, Ma street, 2.80 p.m.

MORNING AND EVENING

CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS
Commencing January 2, and continuing each week, the Christian Science church, First Church of Christ, Scientist, will hold two services on Sunday in their hall at 15 Germain street. The morning service will be held at eleven, and the evening service at seven. Heretofore on Sundays only the morning service has been held.

Excellent ice with band on the Victonight.

### PURE BLOOD MAKES HEALTHY PEOPLE NEW YEARMORN

PERSONALS

MORE OFFICERS FOR CANADA'S DENTAL SERVICE

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—The policy of having dentists appointed for each unit at the front in place of being at field head-quarters is reverted to. It will necessitate the enlistment of many extra officers for the dental service.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

SERVICE NOW FOR CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

MULLIN—To Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mullin, 26 Charles street, a daughter.

' MARRIAGES

STEPHENS-CANTY—At St. John, N. B., Dec. 80, by Rev. W. G. Lane, Garfield Hayes Stephens to Elizabeth J. Canty, both of St. John.

### DEATHS

La season ticket for the Queen's rink. This Christmas gift is a most acceptable one, as the boys have also received from other friends skates and a complete hockey outfit, and now they will be enabled to indulge in the sport to their heart's content.

Kitchen girl wanted—Royal hotel.

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WE HAVE YOUR NUMBER All sizes ladies' Merchant, best quality rubbers. Regular value, 80c., reduced to 48c. We have ladies' 85c. values storm rubbers for 55c. The True Fit Shoe Store, 839 Main street.

Dinner screed at Bond's New Year's day, 12-2 p.m., 5 p.m., 7 p.m.

THE VALLEY RAILWAY
The intimation that the operation of the Valley Railway will be continued during the winter is contained in a despatch from Ottawa

A new agreement will probably require the whole of the carnings to be turned over to the government. At present the Valley Railway Company gets forty per cent. of the gross. The government has lost \$1,000 a day in operating the road so far.

A New Discovery.

DISSEN—At Brooklyn, New York, on Dec. 30, Margaret, wife of Christian Olsen, leaving her husband, four sons and one daughter to mourn.

ROBERTSON—In Boston on 30th. inst., after a short illness, John B. Robertson, eldest son of the late Henry and Elizabeth Robertson, of this city. Funeral on Saturday on the arrival of the Boston train, from the depot to Fernhill.

BROWN—In this city on the 30th inst., Burpee E. Brown, leaving mother, brother and two sisters to mourn.

Funeral from residence of E. Clinton Brown, 60 Mecklenburg street, Saturday. Service at 3 p.m.

HAMMOND—At 14 Germain street on December 29, 1915, Henry S. Hammond, aged 73 years, leaving one son and two daughters to mourn.

(Fredericton papers please copy.)

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### Porvincial Convention OF THE Local Opposition Party

A convention of those opposed to the local government of New nswick will be held Monday and Tuesday, January 10 and 11, 1916, at

A representative delegation from every county is desired because the time has arrived when, in spite of the earnest attention demanded by the whole empire in the war and its problems, our provincial affairs must have the consideration of thinking men, and the discussion and preparation of policies best calculated to advance the interests and promote the prosperity of our province must be the first business of the convention,

Resolutions touching upon many questions of importance have been sidered and prepared by our executive committee and will be submitt-

The convention will open Monday evening, January 10, at 8 o'clock. Such railway arrangements as are made will be announced later. C. W. ROBINSON.

We wish to thank our many friends for the most successful business year in our history and wish you all A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS

NEW YEAR

J. Marcus

## News of Maritime Province Men In the War

Julia Carmichael, 50c; D. McClellan, \$5;

Transferred to 104th.

Private Spencer Everett, who enlisted at Victoria, B. C., with the 67th Battalion, Western Scouts, has been taken on the strength of C Company of the

Julia Carmichael, 50c; D. McClellan, \$5;

C. F. Wade, \$1; Dr. A. E. Logic, \$3;

I. B. Daly, \$5; W. H. White, \$5; L. H.

Arundell, \$3; Scovil Bros., Ltd., \$25.

KITCHEN GIRL and two dining room girls wanted. Apply Western House, West End. 85520-1-4

CENERAL Girl and one who under-

104th Battalion. Private Everett is a U. N. B. graduate and a son of Mrs. Edgarton Everett, of Fredericton.

P. B. I. Recruits.

As a result of recruiting meetings held in several points in Kings County, P. E. I., on Monday, fifty-four men were added to the 105th Highland Regiment, bringing the number up to over six hundred.

Carleton County Recruits.

Woodstock, N. B., Dec. 80—A successful recruiting meeting was held last evening at Beechwood, in this county, when six new recruits signed the roll. They are Angus D. Merchant, Raymond Bell, Marcus Holmes, Millidge Grant. Wilmot Broad and Almen Canan.

Fredericton Recruits

IN FIGHT WITH WHITES

Blakeley, Ga., Dec. 31—In clashes between negroes near here and negroes near here last night seven negroes were killed and two whites seriously hurt.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

Chicago, Dec. 81—Opening prices, which ranged from 1-2 to 11-8c., advanced with May at 128 to 128 1-2 and July at 119 1-8 to 119 1-2, and were followed by further gains and then a moderate reaction.

CHRISTMAS TREE

WANTED—At once, experienced girl for general housework for family of two. Apply Mrs. Newbery, Box 104 Hampton, or Phone Hampto

## PATRIOTIC FUND

Single—Brandram-Henderson, Ltd., \$1,-000; Ladies' Aid Society, St. Andrew's church, \$80; H. O. Peters, \$5. I Monthly—Benj. Mirey, \$2; W. J. Steen, \$5; Jr. Nelson (2 mos.), \$1; Mrs. Julia Carmichael, 50c; D. McClellan, \$8;

Fredericton Recruits

Yesterday's Fredericton Gleaner says:

Fredericton is having one of its most successful recruiting weeks for some time. Up to noon today twenty-one recruits had been sworm in since Monday, and two more are expected to enlist this afternoon. Since yesterday afternoon six volunteers have been sworn in by the recruiting officer. Donald Stewart of Taymouth, Walter Fraser and Harold Day of Chipman, Hazen Biggar of Biggar Ridge, Edwin Moore of Mouth of Keswick, and William Poor of Oromocto.

A Crack at the 195th.

Fredericton Gleaner:—This morning Recruiting Officer McCaffrey received word from Chief Recruiting Officer W. B. A. Ritchie, to the effect that all recruits would be given the opportunity of picking their own corps. This district is supposed to recruit for the 115th Batalion, but any recruit who desires, can be sent to the 140th. This option is afforded all recruits.

For the 132nd Batt.

At a recruiting meeting at Trout Brook school house, Northumberland county, Monday night, the following enlisted: James Allison, Wayerton; Harry Johnston, Denmark, and Weldon Dunnett, Trout Brook.

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## TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

New CIRCULATING LIBRARY costs only \$4.50 a year, or 2c, a day for all the latest books. Call and see

WANTED—To lease or rent, a nine to twelve roomed house, suitable for children's detention home. Apply to Rev. W. R. Robinson, secretary. 117 Sydney street.

WANTED—Matron for children's detention home. Apply by letter, stating qualifications and references. Rev. W. R. Robinson, secretary, 117 Sydney street, St. John, N. B. 1-8

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