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RECENT DEATHS

George Woods, railroad engineer, died at his home in California, on the 22nd inst., after a short illness. He was the third son of the late Hon. Frank Woods, of Weymouth, and was fifty-four years old. His wife, who was Miss Emma Scholtenberger, of Wichita, Kansas, and one son, George, survive; also two sisters, Mrs. Wm. Howard of Weymouth, and Mrs. F. C. Taylor, of York. Station and two brothers, Wm. F. and H. W. Woods, M. P. P., of Weymouth.

Mrs. Letitia O'Brien, widow of James O'Brien, died at her residence, East Weymouth, Mass., on Friday. She is survived by two daughters, two sons, and one sister, Mrs. P. McCarron, St. John's; and Misses Teresa and Clara Keenan, of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien resided in the North End in their younger days.

Sussex, N. B., April 23.—(Special).—Mrs. A. L. Adair, a highly respected resident of Apolonia, died very suddenly this evening at her home at 6 o'clock. Paralysis was the cause of death. Mrs. Adair was in good health up to within a few minutes of the attack when she complained of severe pain in the head and passed away about twenty minutes later. She is survived by a husband and three sons—Eason, barrister at law, Albert, law student of Sussex, and Guy at home and one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Wallace, of Apolonia. Dr. G. N. Pearson, of this place is a brother.

"BUD" FISHER JOINS BENEDICTS

He's The Man Who Has Entertained Hundreds of Thousands With His Mutt and Jeff Pictures

"Bud" Fisher has drawn his last cartoon depicting the marital woes of A. Mutt. His cartoons will go on just the same but no more slandering the spouses. Someone asked why?

"My wife won't let me!" said Bud. "Sure enough, it became known in New York this week that 'Bud' had become a benedict. He deliberately embarked on the sea of matrimony via the elopement route. The young woman with whom Mr. Fisher booked passage for the life trip was Miss Pauline Welch, a pretty little blonde vaudeville actress. The wedding took place on last Friday night, and while neither of the elopers told anybody where they were going on their honeymoon, it is believed that they are well on their way to San Francisco now."

Messrs Mutt and Jeff were perplexed when they heard the news. "Hullo, did he?" came from Jeff. "Why, that's what my friend Mutt did when he got married."

"Hullo!" came from Mutt. "I did not get eloped and I merely obeyed orders. I believe it," said Jeff. "I've seen 'em."

A very successful concert was given in the Portland Methodist church last night. Among those taking part were Misses Helen Miller, Eva Gallup, Laura Spencer, Kathleen Blizard, D. Myles, K. Hersey, Doris Corbett, Lizzie Holder, and Messrs. H. Heane, A. W. McInnis, J. Steen, and H. Cunningham.

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THE EVENING TIMES AND

Plays and Players

CHATTY NEWS OF THE GREEN ROOM

John Webster, who was here with the Valentine Stock Co. some years ago, is now playing in one of the "Get Rich Quick Wallingford" companies in the western states.

Added to the repertoire of the Chicago Stock since their last appearance here and which they will probably present in St. John when they come again are: "The Genius and the Maid," "In Missouri," "The Governor and the Boss," and "The Fatal Princess." They are now touring in the New England states.

May Wirth and her escort of twenty humans from the circus rode up Fifth avenue, New York, as part of the Easter Sunday parade. On the same day the Suffragettes of the circus were guests of the Woman's Political Union. The Barum and Bailey equal rights advocates have adopted the orchid as their floral emblem.

The "bunny hug" and "the grizzly bear" have been barred by the French Superior Council of Dancing.

Paris has been shocked by Pierre Beron's new play, Mische, in which Mile Polaire portrays an opera singer who dies of consumption on shipboard while returning from India and is buried at sea. The manager wished to cut out the gruesome burial scene, but the author threatened in junction if this were done.

When Helen Trix returned from England recently the customs men passed her stage dresses, believing them to be stree gowns. An official's wife, who saw Miss Trix perform at Union Hill, N. J., later described the gowns worn, the description was recognized and the duty had to be paid after all.

Arabs appearing in the "Garden of Allah" at the Century Theatre, New York, gave themselves a dinner the other evening. The first course was lamb, the second course rice, the third course lamb and rice, the fourth course rice and lamb. They squatted on sheepskins in a dank unheated room and had an Algerian time generally.

Not since the days of "The Christian" has Viola Allen had so successful a play as "The Herforda" in which the Lieble Co. is this year touring her. "The Herforda" is said to have the strongest "thriller scene" ever written.

Papers in a suit for divorce were served last week in New York by Miss Ann Held, the actress upon her husband, Florenz Ziegfeld, Jr., a theatrical manager and producer. Mr. Ziegfeld immediately turned the papers over to his counsel, Leon Laak, of 180 Broadway, who is preparing an answer, which it is said will be made public this week. Rumors of an action for divorce on the part of Miss Held have been rife for some time, but neither she nor Mr. Ziegfeld has affirmed or denied them. Miss Held and Mr. Ziegfeld were married in Paris in 1897.

Chicago is tempering its prejudice against innamable scenery. A scene in "When It Comes Home," a new drama by Augustus Thomas, is to be used without the use of fireproof chemicals, because they would destroy the effect aimed at. This is the first scenery of the sort submitted by the police since the "Trojan Theatre" fire.

William Morris has signed Harry Lauder for the season at the Century Theatre at a salary to be \$2,500 a week. Mr. Lauder has presented a silver cup to the Forty-eight Highways, stations in the route.

Gene Gauntier writes from Cairo, Egypt, that the Kalam players, of whom she is the leading lady, finished their most strenuous experience up the Nile late in March and expected to spend Easter in Jerusalem.

Howard Mitchell, of the Lubin players, an unexpected experience occurred when he visited a Philadelphia police station for local color. He got mixed up with the "bunny hug" and was locked up some hours, gaining his liberty only after the most exasperating delays—all indeed it might be added, by his joking associates of the Lubin company.

The Halifax Columbus Club, who are favorably known to St. John audiences, made a brilliant success in presenting The Runaway Girl in that city this week. It was staged under the direction of J. E. O'Connell. The music was under the direction of Mrs. D. H. Bailey, accompanist, Mrs. W. A. Affleck, assistant stage manager, J. W. MacDonald, master of ceremonies, G. O. T. Thomas, master of properties, John Kane, special secretary, and made and painted by Gregory Thomas, of the Academy of Music staff. Following in the lead, many of whom pleased local audiences a short time ago:

Lord Coodie—J. F. O'Connell.
Signor P. J. Leary.
Guy Stanley—F. P. Quinn.
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Hon. Bobby Barclay—S. C. Vaughan.
Mr. Cress—J. T. Linahan.
Pietro—George A. Farrell.
Santa Cruz, Boccacio, Dolores—(Musicians)—J. B. McRobert, F. R. Hart, V. Gendarme—J. F. Bellaw.
Gendarme—R. M. Taple.
Walter—J. J. Leary to Ireland—this in addition to their fixed salaries, almost as good as a world's series in baseball, this.

The following from the New York Dramatic Mirror is self-explanatory:—"A practically unexploited field for theatrical endeavor is said to be the maritime provinces of Canada. Western Canada is now well known to every live theatrical manager, but comparatively few have delved into the easternmost extremity of that country. An advertisement in this issue gives interesting particulars concerning the territory. The Aaron's Associated Theatre, with offices in the New Amsterdam Theatre building, have the exclusive booking of this territory and report lively interest on the part of managers. The coming autumn, owing to the elections, may be a dull one, theatrically, in the United States, which accounts possibly for more than ordinary interest now shown in foreign fields, particularly when they look as green as those of eastern and western Canada."

As a result of the advertisement some book companies may be induced to include the maritime provinces in their time. The advertisement gave the towns and the population of each.

The total advance sale for the two weeks' engagement of Robert Mantell at the Garrick, Chicago, exceeded \$7,700, more than half of this amount having been subscribed by educational institutions.

New York Suffragettes have organized a theatrical company to present Suffrage plays there and in nearby towns, under direction of Mrs. Helen Graham Griffith. Miss Horstman, a visiting English actress, was not entirely satisfied with her Canadian trip, and like most persons sending wires that have found complaint buyers elsewhere, she attributes the failure to the audiences she encountered on this side of the Atlantic. Her sentiments were expressed as follows:

"I think in Montreal by the end of one visit we really made them understand we were not working on the 'star' system."

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Sale of Dress Goods

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Sale of Dress Skirts
Sale of Raincoats
Sale of Waists
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Charles Rann Kennedy denies that The Terrible Meek represents the actual events of the Crucifixion. "My real purpose," he declares, "is, perhaps, rather more startling; it is to awaken people to the realities of the religion they profess, especially bringing them to bear upon actual problems of the day."

Willette Kershaw, who was well known in St. John some years ago, when here with Harkins, is recuperating in Atlantic City after an operation for appendicitis.

The betrothal of Mrs. Jack Gallatin, one time a New York chorus girl, and Francis B. Anderson, a Cincinnati millionaire, is announced.

The roof of the Century Theatre in New York is being remodelled into a separate playhouse to be known as The Children's Theatre. It will be opened in October and will be the first exclusively children's theatre in the United States.

Next season's attraction at the Century Theatre, New York, will be "The Daughter of Heaven," a Chinese play by Pierre Loti and Judith Gautier, a granddaughter of Theophile Gautier. The Liebler Company has sent Heywood Brown, a representative of China to get local color for the production.

Charles Frohman has arranged for an annual revival of Peter Pan with Maude (Continued on page 9; fifth column)