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A. H. MACKAY

HAPPY HOUR

WEDNESDAY

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PRESENTS

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"Pals First"

SPECIAL IN SIX REELS

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British Canadian Weekly

THURSDAY

WM. FOX Presents

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"The Two Orphans"

A Super Production

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Thurs. at 4 o'clock

Children 5 cts.

Adults 15 cts.

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METRO Picture Corp.

PRESENTS

May Allison

IN

"Castles in The Air"

3rd Episode of

"THE MAN OF MIGHT"

Mutt & Jeff Comedy

Matinee Sat. at 4 o'clock

Store Breakers Sent up for Trial By Police Magistrate Lawlor

Complete Report of Preliminary Examinations Held in Police Court last week, in the cases of John Galliah, John Hall, Thos. Fallon and Francis O'Brien, who were arrested for breaking and entering stores in Newcastle

The Preliminary Hearing in the Demers and Ferguson Robbery cases, in which John Galliah, Thos. Fallon, John Hall, and Frank O'Brien have been arrested, were heard before Police Magistrate Lawlor in the Police Court last Wednesday at 10 a. m.

Clerk of the Peace, T. H. Whelan, prosecuted.

Francis O'Brien had previously given himself up and made a declaration. John Hall pleaded guilty.

The first case heard was that of John Galliah, for breaking and entering Mrs. S. A. Demers' store on Friday night Oct. 3rd.

The first witness was Policeman John H. Ashford who knew Galliah and laid the information in the case. After he laid the information he went to the woods and about 1/2 mile from Patterson's Sliding came to a camp. On entering he found 2 Bolognas, 1/2 doz. silver knives, 2 cans Pork and Beans, quantity of Butter, an empty cigar box, and a lot of empty cans and cigarette boxes. These articles he brought to the Police station and produced them in court. He then searched for the thieves and came in contact with some Scott boys who gave him some information. Subsequently the accused was arrested. He also got information from Frank O'Brien, who had made a declaration.

The next witness was A. Stewart Demers. He lived in town and knew the accused. His mother's store was broken into on Friday night Oct. 3, 19. He went into the store at 7 p. m. and found the door had been tampered with. Looking around the store he noticed the store in an upset condition, biscuit covers were off, grapes all strewn over the counter, the lemon and vanilla extracts had been taken off shelves and strewn about the counter, pipe boxes were also removed, a box containing 5 silver knives had been removed from its place on the counter and one of the knives were missing. He identified one of the knives in court as the one missing. The night before they had about 35 pkgs. players cigarettes in the store and the morning of the robbery he could find none. He did not close the store the evening before. He looked for policeman Ashford but did not find him, and at 9 o'clock Ashford came into the store, and reported the condition of the store to him. He found a bag of peanuts which he did not think belonged to the store. Also found a piece of cheese which had been taken from the cheese cutter and partly eaten. Later on in the morning he found a piece of tin, which had been nailed on the back door to cover a hole, had been torn off, which would allow a hand to pass through and draw the bolt of the back door, and the bolt had been unfastened. In the roof of the back shed there were a few holes and they would easily admit a person through them.

Thos. Fallon was next witness. He knew the defendant John Galliah. He knew Frank O'Brien. He heard the information given by Frank O'Brien. He remembered when Mrs. Demers store was broken into. That night he was with John Galliah in Hogan's Pool Room.

After leaving Hogan's pool room he started for home and met Galliah who had a horse and they drove around for a while. They then went to his home and stayed there for a while. Galliah went away and he stayed home. He did not know where Galliah went. He swore he was not in Demers' store with Galliah and O'Brien. He knew nothing about the breaking into Mrs. Demers' store. He did not know who owned the horse.

It was 25 minutes to 12 when he drove home and Galliah took the horse away. He got peanuts in Hogan's store at 25 minutes after 11 from Staff Harriman. Jimmy Hogan gave him 5 cents worth of candy. He was not with Galliah when he got the horse. He was not with the other boys when they divided the spoils. He ate the peanuts which he had gotten.

To Mr. Creaghan. He was with Galliah, but not O'Brien the night Mrs. Demers' store was broken into. He was not with them in Mrs. Demers' store.

To Mr. Lawlor. He saw Frank O'Brien coming from the time that night. He heard for the first time of Mrs. Demers' store being robbed on Saturday night. It was some time ago since he drank any liquor extract.

Adjourned for lunch. On resuming in the afternoon. The case of Mrs. S. A. Demers was left over and the case of entering John Ferguson & Sons Ltd store on Sunday night Oct 12th was taken up.

The 1st witness in this case was John H. Ashford, who said he went to George Halls after receiving the information and got a box from Mrs. Hall which contained a quantity of revolvers, ammunition, belts, flash lights, one pipe, gloves and knives and had these articles in his possession, ever since and which he produced in court. He found two of the revolvers loaded. He then laid the information against John Galliah.

Mrs. Laura Hall was the next witness. Witness knew the accused John Galliah. On Sunday night her boy John Hall came home at 8.30 accompanied by John Galliah. She was going to bed at the time and when she saw the stranger with her boy she went into the house. John Hall said, you need not run in it is only a kid John Hall is 16 years old. She then turned and saw it was a young man with a soldier's coat on. John put his overcoat on and they both left the house together. Johnny saying when he left "don't lock the door as I will only be away a few minutes. I told him not to do any mischief. I did not know the boy who was with him. I then went and laid down, and later on was awakened by the door opening

Red Cross Financial Statement

I have much pleasure in submitting the following financial statement of the Red Cross Society, Newcastle Branch, for the year ending September 30th, 1919:

Receipts.	
Life members	\$250.00
Active members	42.00
Sale of Cook Books	8.00
Sale of yarn, Cotton and Flanellette	82.75
Sale of Socks	5.00
Bank Interest & Exchange	6.13
Monthly Mite	141.75
Cash Donated	100.00
Proceeds from Rink Supper	239.55
Commission on Chautaugua	
Tickets	8.00
Collection from April Tea	1.50
2nd prize - Float Returned	15.00
	954.11
Balance on hand September 30, 1918	12.45
	\$966.56

Receipts	966.56
Disbursements	569.98
Balance on hand	\$396.58

HELEN A. M. STABLES
Treasurer
Newcastle, N. B. Oct. 14, 1919

1918 - Disbursements - 1919	
Postage	1.18
Materials for R. C. Work	369.10
Monthly Mite Bridgetown	26.25
Expressage	1.25
Telephone	1.20
Jordan Sanitarium (River Glade)	50.00
Provincial Branch for Military Hospital	20.00
St. Dunstan's Hospital for Blind	100.00
Advertising	1.00
	\$569.98

and shutting. I asked if it was Johnnie and he answered yes, I told him to lock the doors and go to his bed. Shortly after he went to bed, after remaining some time in the kitchen.

I saw no one with him nor did not hear any talking; the second time he came home. I got up at 7.30 Monday morning, and went to an oatmeal box to get some oatmeal, and found the box about half full of cartridges. I took some of the shells and went up stairs and asked John where they came from. John Galliah came to my house the next morning about 8 o'clock, and I enquired if he was the same boy who was with Johnnie the night before. He asked for Johnnie and I told him he was in L.S.I. but that I would call him. I called Johnnie and told him a boy was down stairs who wanted to see him. Johnnie was in bed and answered, it is Galliah, I suppose. I said you don't mind to tell me that it is that criminal Galliah. I then phoned for the police. In addition to the cartridges which I found, I also found the other articles in the cellar. When I came back from phoning, Galliah was gone. Mr. Ashford then came and asked me to get the box containing the stolen articles.

The next witness was John Hall. He knew the accused John Galliah. He met John Galliah Sunday night down on the bank by Ritchie's mill. Galliah was talking to some boys, a young Dunn boy being with him. He was telling the boys he had a revolver and some cartridges to fit it, and after we left the crowd I asked him where the revolver and cartridges were and he said he did not have it. I asked him if he could get me a revolver and then we made up our minds to rob Ferguson's store. We went to Ferguson's back store near the window and I left Galliah there and walked to the Post Office corner to watch for the policeman. Galliah told me to watch for the policeman. I heard the crash of the glass breaking. This was all pre-arranged between Galliah and I. Galliah then came out and Galliah and I went to the street back of Lake's store, and remained about 20 minutes. We then came back to Ferguson's back store by way of Lounsbury yard. We went in the store through the window. I went in first and Galliah followed. Galliah found a flashlight in the back store. Galliah went ahead and took me to the drawer containing the revolvers. We pulled the drawer out

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Regular Meeting Town Council

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Newcastle was held in the Police Court Room on Thursday Oct 16th, at eight o'clock p. m. Present: Mayor Doyle, Ald. Crocker, Durick, Jeffrey, Mackay, Sargeant and Russell.

Minutes of Sept 15th meeting read and confirmed. A letter was read from John W. Gilmor, Secy, Relief Committee, Oromocto, soliciting aid towards the establishment of a Relief Fund, and it was moved by Ald. Durick seconded by Ald. Jeffrey, and carried, that the citizens be asked to contribute as liberally as possible towards the relief of sufferers in the Oromocto fire, such contributions to be left in the hands of the Town Treasurer to be forwarded to the proper authorities.

An application from the St. James Presbyterian church, asking for electric current to pump their organ during the Sunday Services was submitted and on motion of Ald. Sargeant, seconded by Ald. Durick was received and referred to the Light and Water Committee.

Ald. Durick reported that the Petition Committee had received an affidavit from Thos. Jeffrey Sr. in which he stated that his total assessable valuation for 1919, was \$850.00, and it was moved by Ald. Durick, seconded by Ald. Crocker and carried that Mr. Jeffrey's valuation be reduced from \$1100.00 to \$850.00. The Public Works Committee recommended payment of E. E. Benson's account for \$45.80 and was ordered paid.

The Police Committee recommended payment of the Stothart Mercantile Co. Ltd. account for \$8.76 and was ordered paid.

Ald. Durick enquired if the Police Committee had any report to make regarding the appointment of a policeman, as the improvement of the police service was greatly needed. He said a number of complaints had been heard, and the people were dissatisfied with the conditions existing for some time past.

Ald. Jeffrey who was the only member of the Police Committee present stated that he had no information, as no meeting of the committee had been held. The following report was presented by the Park and Fire Committee.

The Park and Fire Committee recommended payment of the bill of Stothart Mercantile Co. Ltd for \$12.17. The Committee would also report in favor of removing the old Fire Bell from its present position on the King's Highway, and the owner of the land where it is placed, be given notice the agreement will terminate at the end of the present year.

A. H. MacKAY
Chairman

The report was received and adopted and the bill ordered paid. Ald. Crocker suggested that the bell be used as a Curfew Bell and it was moved by Ald. Crocker seconded by Ald. Durick and carried that the bell when removed be put in a convenient place in the town and used as a Curfew Bell, to be rung every night at 9 o'clock p. m.

It was moved by Ald. Durick, seconded by Ald. Russell, and carried that the Police Committee be instructed to give positive orders to the Chief of Police that the regulations governing the Curfew Bell be strictly enforced.

The Light and Water Committee recommended payment of the following Bills, which were ordered paid.	
T. McAvity & Sons Ltd.	\$149.50
W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd.	55.00
I. C. Coal Mining Co. Ltd.	805.35
Fraser Companies Ltd.	75.00
Miramichi Mfg. Co. Ltd.	33.83
Maritime Foundry	2.20
Imperial Oil Ltd.	67.11
A. R. Williams Mach. Co. Ltd.	34.00
Canadian General Electric Co. Ltd.	4.80
Stothart Mercantile Co. Ltd.	243.59

The following report was presented from a committee of the whole. At a meeting of a committee of the whole, held on Sept. 18th, to consider the matter of proposed installation of a Hydro-Electric Plant, it was found that later advice received from the Engineer were not so favorable to the proposition, owing to the town's present consumption of current being insufficient to warrant outlay of the

Kent-North'd District Division S.O.T

The fifty-first quarterly meeting of the Kent-Northumberland District Division Sons of Temperance, was held in the W. C. T. U. Hall Newcastle, on Monday afternoon, Oct. 13th, District Worthy Patriarch Harold C. Stothart, of Douglstown Division presiding, H.H. Stuart, of Newcastle Division District Scribe.

Following committees were appointed: State of the Order—Grand Treasurer, Mrs. T.A. Clarke, Mrs. Alice B. Leard and Miss Annie Alexander.

Programme—Miss Lida Copp and H.H. Stuart.

The D.W. P. reported that, on the whole the Division in Northumberland County had not been meeting very regularly during the summer, but he felt sure that this would be improved during the fall and winter.

The District Scribe reported that returns from four of the ten divisions in good standing showed an increase of nine in the total membership during the past quarter. Estimating the membership in the other six as the same as June 30th, the total membership of the District would be 366-296 adult and 74 including 4 adults, in the Band of Hope. The same conditions re-enforcement of the Prohibition Law obtained as formerly. While the government was giving the inspectors a free hand in suppressing the illegal use of the old-fashioned liquors, the sale of other alcoholic compounds appeared to be unrestricted. Hon. Mr. Doherty's motion in Parliament to enable each province to wish to do so, to prohibit both manufacture and importation of liquor as well as the sale thereof showed the Dominion Government's intention to deal fairly in the matter of prohibition. If the temperance people worked, there could scarcely be any doubt of absolute prohibition carrying in all the provinces except Quebec.

Dominion Records On Chatham Track

Chatham, Oct. 10—According to information received by S. D. Heckbert, chairman of the local track committee, the records made on the Chatham speedway during the summer's racing stand as dominion records. This information came from Mr. Gleason, editor of the American Horse Breeder. Mr. Gleason stated that the Canadian record for trotting is 2:10 made on the Chatham, N. B. track by The Exposer, July 9, 1919. The dominion record for pacing in 2:08 3/4 made on the same track by John A. Hal, 2083, in the second heat of the free-for-all September 26, 1919. The dominion record for the three fastest heats ever paced or trotted was also made on the Chatham track on the above date when John A. Hal went the three miles in 2:09 1/4, 2:08 3/4, and 2:09 1/4. Thus Chatham through her splendid oval, has brought to the province the three main turf records for the Dominion and the rest of the province can well understand why Chatham is proud of its track.

SHIP SAILED.

The vessel which was built by the Miramichi Construction Co. Ltd. of Nordin, N. B. of which Mr. H. A. Frank is the enterprising manager, sailed out of the river last Friday afternoon at 1.15 o'clock.

required sum, and as the Light and Water Committee reported a more favorable prospect for the year 1920, it was decided to allow the matter to stand for the present, pending the outcome of other propositions which are under consideration.

A. H. MacKAY
Chairman

This report was received and adopted. The chairman of the Light and Water Committee reported that Mr. Foss, Chairman of the N. B. Water-powers Commission, with Mr. Smith the Engineer of the department had been in town, since last meeting, looking over the general situation, and that they had stated that prospects were good for a central installation of a plant on the Toteouche River, to supply electricity to all the North Shore communities and if the towns would agree to take a sufficient quantity of power our present requirements might be secured for about \$12000.00 per year. On motion the council adjourned.