

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

NEW MUSICAL PROGRAMME AT IMPERIAL TONIGHT
The arrival of Walter Heckman, splendid New York tenor singer, brought the Imperial's singing novelty up to full strength yesterday.

THE GEM OFFERS SOMETHING BIG AND NEW
There's a ripping good bill at the Gem for tonight and tomorrow. See criticism elsewhere. With the change on Saturday afternoon will come something big and new—Gem's Own Comedy Company, imported for a stock season.

NEW SERIAL STARTING AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT
The excellent vaudeville programme at the Opera House is drawing crowds of amusement lovers this week. See it tonight—it is good and just what you want for clean, refined entertainment.

FIRST OF THE SPECIAL "LUKE" COMEDIES, UNIQUE TONIGHT
Unique will present tonight the first of the Lonesome Luke comedies, a special brand which is claimed to be as good if not better than the famous Chaplin comedies.

"THE FOOLISH VIRGIN" COMING NEXT WEEK
Thomas Dixon's intense domestic drama, "The Foolish Virgin," will be shown as another big feature on the Imperial screen next Monday and Tuesday with Clara Kimbrell, Agnes Mapey, Sheridan Tansey, Catherine Proctor and others. There will be no advance in prices for this special feature.

250 WOODEN VESSELS IN LUMBER ESTIMATE
Washington, June 7.—An official estimate made public by the Lumber Commission of the Advisory Commission of the Council of National Defense, through the Committee of Public Information, placed the number of wooden cargo-carrying ships to be constructed by the United States Shipping Board during the first eighteen months at 250.

FOR DAYLIGHT SAVING ALL OVER DOMINION
Ottawa, June 7.—(Canadian Press)—Daylight saving in Canada will be given a trial. Notice of a bill to provide for the introduction of this scheme has been given by Sir George E. Foster.

ON ITALIAN FRONT
Udine, June 6, via Paris, June 7.—The Austrians advance on the whole Carso front shows that the enemy command, after repeated attacks in the Vedrette zone, thought it necessary to make a supreme effort on his left wing, where every Italian gain constitutes a double threat on Ljubljana and Trieste.

TODAY'S BALL GAMES
National League—Philadelphia at Chicago, cloudy, 8 p.m.; New York at Cincinnati, clear, 8 p.m.; Brooklyn at Pittsburgh, cloudy, 8:30 p.m.; Boston at St. Louis, 8:30 p.m.

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE
Protect Your Eyes From the Bright Sunlight
You will find glasses with tinted lenses a wonderful comfort on bright, sunny days. They protect the eyes without dimming vision.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50c.
BIRTHS
DALEY—To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Daley, 29 Millidge avenue, a son, H. D. PAYSON—June 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Payson, 45 Cedar Grove Crescent, a son.

GENERAL LIST
H. H. Health Salts, 10c. tin
Kkovah Health Salts, 15c. tin
Olive Butter, 15c. and 35c. jar
Clam Chowder, 15c. and 35c. jar
30c. pkge. Malt Vinegar, 27c.
30c. pkge. Acme Starch, 25c.
Potato Flour, 16c. pkge.
25c. tin Colman's Baking Powder, 21c.
30c. pkge. Uncle Sam Food, 21c.
15c. pkge. Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour, 12-1-2c.
Pure Maple Syrup, 40c. bot.
24 lb. bag R. H. Flour, \$1.80
15c. Kkovah Jelly Squares, 12c.
5 lbs. Rolled Oatmeal, 30c.
25c. bottle Pure Gold Lemon Oil, 31c.
Vanilla, 1-2 lb. cake Baker's Chocolate, 20c
Marshmallow Cream for Frosting or Desserts, 35c.
25c. tin Baker's Cocoa, 25c.

MARRIAGES
McKENNEY-KELLEY—At the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Nell McLaughlin, on June 6, William W. McKenney of Portland, Me., to Miss Josephine, daughter of Mrs. Annie and the late Bernard Kelley.

PERSONALS
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DEATHS
HALPIN—On June 4, 1917, Nora, widow of Patrick J. Halpin, and daughter of Margaret and the late John O'Connor, leaving four sons, her mother, four sisters, and three brothers to mourn.

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IN MEMORIAM
BRIDGE—In loving memory of Robert Siddal Bridge, who departed this life June 7, 1916.
They will be done.

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CARDS OF THANKS
Mr. and Mrs. John E. B. Herd wish to express their sincere thanks to all those who were so kind to their daughter, Lillian, during her illness, also for the many tokens of sympathy in their sad bereavement.

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LOCAL NEWS

M. R. A advertisement, page 3. T.F. Wanted—Several waitresses. Royal Hotel. T.F.

Don't miss seeing "The Voice of the Violin" at the Imperial today. Music for dancing—Seaside Park tonight.

"JOURNEMEN BARBERS" NOTICE
Open meeting tonight in Jessomes' shop, King square, at 8.30.

FISH FOR FRIDAY
Small salmon; also fresh mackerel, shad, halibut, haddock and cod at Leonard's Fisheries, Ltd., Brittain street. Phone Main 450.

Get your flower beds ready now. Call or phone K. Pederson, Ltd., 86 Charlotte street, and we will supply you with the plants. We have all kinds at the right prices, or if you want a nice window box filled, we will them. Cut flowers grown at our green houses fresh every day. Although they have taken our old stand from us, our phone numbers are the same, 1864 and 2135. 6-13.

UNIVERSITY COURSE IS PROPOSED FOR VETERANS

London, June 7.—An education scheme for soldiers has been proposed, which, if acted upon, would rival the Rhodes Scholarship Trust in scope and imperial bearing. The main proposition is that a certain number of ex-service men, both in and out of overseas, to take a course in the University of Oxford, the underlying idea being not only to equip soldiers with education, but to develop an inter-empire spirit.

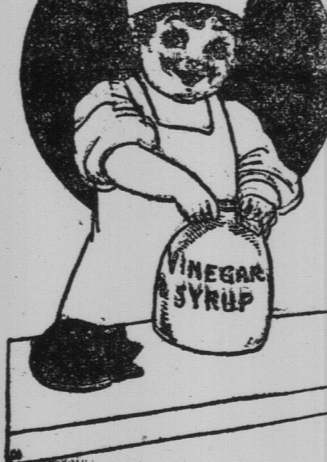
THIS IS A SAMPLE OF GERMAN JUSTICE

Amsterdam, June 7.—The city of Mons has been fined £20,000 because a Belgian paper published in Holland, announced that Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria was in Mons when the city was bombarded by allied airmen.

Presbyterian Assembly

Montreal, June 7.—This morning's session of the Presbyterian General Assembly was almost entirely occupied by routine organization work, the reception of minor reports, etc. There were in the vicinity of 600 delegates registered up to noon.

For Cash Tomorrow



- 2 Babbitt's Cleanser, 8c.
2 Old Dutch, 17c.
2 Panshine, 15c.
2 Lenox Soap, 17c.
5 Ivory Soap, 27c.
4 Gold Soap, 27c.
26c. tin Smoky City Cleaner, 21c.
26c. bottle Gilt Edge Boot Polish, 20c.
10c. tin Nugget Boot Polish, 8c.
1 tin No-Dust, 22c.
SPRATT'S DOG CAKES
A few hundred lbs. at the old price—5 lb. bags, 65c.

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Protect Your Eyes From the Bright Sunlight
You will find glasses with tinted lenses a wonderful comfort on bright, sunny days. They protect the eyes without dimming vision. In the lighter shades they are hardly noticeable, looking almost like ordinary optical glass. Come in and let us demonstrate tinted lenses. You will like them immensely.

L. L. Sharpe & Son

Jewelers and Opticians, 21 KING ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

Store Open Friday Night Gilbert's Grocery

GROWING BOYS AND GIRLS

It is a mistake to think that anaemia is only a girl's complaint. Girls show the effect of it more plainly than boys. Delayed development, pale faces, breathlessness, sick headaches, attacks of dizziness, and frequent pain in the back or side call attention to them. But apparently they have grown thin, waxy and have pimples on the face, showing that they have not enough blood. The anaemic boy is just as likely to become a victim to ill-health or consumption, as the pale, breathless girl with headaches and worn-out look. Both need new, rich blood to bring back the health and activity that naturally belongs to the growing youth or maiden.

PAPERS IN GERMANY PUSHED TO THE WALL

1,500 Publications Have Already Ceased to Exist—Prices Beyond Reach
Amsterdam, June 7.—The Bayerische Landes Zeitung, of Warburg, before discontinuing publication, says: "The war has proved fatal to the economic situation of the German newspapers generally. One thousand five hundred newspapers and periodicals have already ceased publication, and the war has made demands on the German newspaper industry which is characterized as frightful and entirely unexampled. Paper has reached a price which enabled most of the paper mills to increase dividends considerably, and grease and oil for lubricating machines are only obtainable at usurious prices, while the prices of colors have enormously risen. The same is true of all other materials requisite for the newspaper printing of paper and salaries and wages have increased. Printing works are compelled to give their employees progressive grants to aid in meeting the increased cost of living apart from the fact that regular wages have also been augmented."

GEN'S NEW BILL HAS BIG FEATURE PICTURE

"The Hidden Scar" a Master Work—The Vaudeville Bright, Lively and Entertaining
"The Hidden Scar" proved a gripping feature at the Gem last night. It is the story of the struggle of a cabaret singer, Janet Hall, who has been left with a nameless daughter by the death of the man who wronged her. His final act in bequeathing her his home gives her an opportunity to settle in a village where she is unknown and live down her past.

BULGARIAN PREMIER GOES TO SEE MASTER

Amsterdam, June 7, via London.—A Sofia dispatch says that Premier Radolov left for Berlin on Wednesday. He was accompanied by the chief of the royal political cabinet and the director of the public debt.

THE REPLY OF SIR ROBERT BORDEN

On June 7 Sir Robert Borden replied as follows:—
Dear Sir Wilfrid Laurier:—
I beg to acknowledge your letter of yesterday which you set forth the substance of recent negotiations respecting the formation of a coalition government. At our first interview you expressed the opinion that compulsory service should not be enforced until it had been approved by a referendum or join the government on the terms proposed. I asked you at the same time if you would have a closer statement of what you had in mind. I always stated to you that whenever conscription was adopted, after a consultation with the people, I would certainly urge every possible way of obedience to the law.

THE WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, June 7.—Large clearances and decreasing stocks today tended to lift wheat values. The market was also visibly affected by changes in the price of corn. After opening 1/4 to 3/8 cents higher, wheat scored material further upturn and then underwent something of a reaction.

BRITISH SAID TO HAVE CAPTURED MESSINES

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The British also captured important trench positions all the way from observation ridge south of Ypres, to Flogstert wood, north of Armentieres. More than 1,000,000 pounds of high explosives was blown up under the German forward positions. This, the most gigantic mining operation in the history of warfare, spread panic among the Germans.

HELD PRISONER FOR TWO YEARS

London, June 7.—Sergt. F. G. Hammerley, whose home is at No. 1181 Alexander avenue, Winnipeg, is one of the trio who arrived in London from a German prison camp, from which he successfully escaped recently. He was in the hands of the Hun for two years, being one of the original prisoners taken in the second battle of Ypres in April of 1915. Fortunately he was not wounded, but at one prison camp, aptly named Teufelmoor, the first syllable of which means devil, while he was sick, he was absolutely neglected. He passed through a succession of camps, and the only place where his treatment was fair was near Bremen. Probably this was due to the fact that the shipping interests of this city mean that the people there are better acquainted with the English people.

MORE JUNE BRIDES

McFarland-Hart
The wedding of John McFarland of Aberdeen, Carleton county, to Miss Sarah Hart, daughter of the late Edward Hart of Indianwood, was solemnized last evening in St. Luke's church by Rev. R. P. McKim in the presence of a few immediate friends. Mr. and Mrs. McFarland left this morning by river steamer for Aberdeen, where they will make their home.

MISS GRACE BAILEY, DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. FRED BAILEY, OF MARYSVILLE, WAS MARRIED ON WEDNESDAY TO L. T. HILTZ, REV. E. J. BRASS PERFORMED THE CEREMONY. THE BRIDE AND GROOM LEFT BY C. P. R. ON A WEDDING TOUR, WHICH WILL INCLUDE CITY IN THE UNITED STATES.

MISS MABEL C. DICKSON, DAUGHTER OF FRANK DICKSON OF BARKER'S POINT, WAS MARRIED LAST NIGHT TO PERCY D. W. RICKARD, ALSO OF BARKER'S POINT. THE CEREMONY WAS PERFORMED BY REV. A. D. McLEOD OF THE GIBSON METHODIST CHURCH. MR. AND MRS. RICKARD WILL RESIDE AT BARKER'S POINT.

AT THE GEORGE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH, FREDERICTON, YESTERDAY, REV. J. E. WILSON UNITED IN MARRIAGE FRED A. FOX AND MISS JENNIE O'HARA, BOTH OF THAT CITY.

THE WEDDING OF CHARLES B. GATES OF WEST ST. JOHN TO MISS LUCINDA EWING, YOUNGEST DAUGHTER OF THE LATE THOMAS AND ANNIE EWING, FORMERLY OF EAST SCOTCH SETTLEMENT, KINGS COUNTY TOOK PLACE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AT THE HOME OF THE BRIDE'S SISTER, MRS. ROSCOE MELVIN, 289 GUILFORD STREET. THE CEREMONY WAS PERFORMED BY REV. J. H. JENNER. THE BRIDE, WHO WAS GIVEN AWAY BY HER BROTHER-IN-LAW, ROSCOE MELVIN, LOOKED CHARMING IN A DRESS OF EMBROIDERED NET OVER WHITE SILK, WITH VEIL OF ORANGE BLOSSOMS AND CARRYING A BOUQUET OF WHITE CARNATIONS. SHE WAS ATTENDED BY MISS MYRTLE GATES, SISTER OF THE BRIDEGROOM, DRESSED IN SHADOW LACE OVER PINK SILK, AND CARRYING A BOUQUET OF PINK CARNATIONS. MANFORD MELVIN ACTED AS BEST MAN. FOLLOWING THE CEREMONY, A BOUNTIFUL SUPPER WAS SERVED, AT WHICH MR. AND MRS. GATES LEFT FOR A SHORT WEDDING TRIP. THE BRIDE WORE A TRAVELING SUIT OF NAVY BLUE. ON THEIR RETURN THEY WILL RESIDE ON THE WEST SIDE. A LARGE NUMBER OF WEDDING PRESENTS, INCLUDING CUT GLASS, LINEN AND SILVER, WERE RECEIVED.

TO MEET IN SECRET, JUST AS IN RUSSIA

Winnipeg, June 7.—At a secret meeting of the committee in charge of the anti-conscription campaign in Winnipeg the advisability of abandoning all attempts to hold anti-conscription meetings and of adopting the Russian system "in secret societies and secret propaganda," will be considered, according to a statement made by F. J. Dixon, M.P.P. "If the authorities permit the suppression of free speech, and if soldiers refuse to allow us to hold meetings we will have no alternative, but the adoption of the Russian system," Mr. Dixon declared. "Secret societies and secret propaganda were successful in Russia, where free speech was impossible under the old regime, and I have no doubt they will prove successful here, too, if we are compelled to resort to these methods." Some of the members of the committee are in favor of holding another anti-conscription meeting, supplying the speakers with bodyguards of trained pugilists and restricting the admission to civilians. They declare that if the meeting is again broken up they will support the secret society and secret propaganda, heart and soul.

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