

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

KIRKE BROWN AND OTHER FEATURES IN NEW BILL, OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

Kirke Brown will positively be here tonight—at the Opera House, with Marguerite Fields and others in his support, presenting a stirring one act dramatic playlet, "The Alibi." St. John theatregoers need no introduction to Kirke Brown nor to Miss Fields either, and judging by the interest that has been aroused since the first announcement of his coming, he is going to receive a royal welcome to show that this city never forgets an old favorite.

There will be two performances this evening—at 7:30 and 9—old time. Other good features on the bill include the Keystone Trio, late of the film company that makes the Keystone comedies, in a rattling comedy variety offering; Chas. Ledgar, bounding rope artist; White and Bradford, snappy songs and dancing; Sydney and Sydney in comedy skit.

SEE IT TONIGHT

There will be plenty of thrills at the Star Theatre tonight in the fifth chapter of Pathe's great western drama "Hands Up." A two part Vitaphone serial, a Ford Sterling comedy, entitled "His Blighted Career," and the "Canadian News" will complete the bill. Hundreds were turned away last Friday, so be a little early tonight. Two shows at 8 and 9:30.

IMPERIAL BACK TO OLD TIME TODAY

Imperial Theatre is constrained to return to the old time schedule again today after the Clarendon engagement in order to accommodate all its patrons. The fact that the theatre purveys four shows per day makes this schedule possible. Until the city adopts the daylight time generally it would be not only inconveniencing too many patrons, but quite risky to the enterprise to start its programme when half St. John is sitting at table.

NEW YORK LIGHT OPERA SINGERS AGAIN TONIGHT

Those who missed this clean musical treat last night have an opportunity to attend tonight. Y. M. C. I. Hall, Cliff street. Tickets, 50c, 75c, and \$1.

AT ROTARY CLUB

Sir Robert Baden-Powell, chief scout of the world, and A. J. Wilder, chief sea scout of America, were guests of the Canadian Club at Bond's today. The room would not accommodate all the members who desired to attend. Sir Douglas Haas was in the chair and other distinguished citizens were at the great table. Sir Baden-Powell made a most instructive and inspiring speech, the boy scout movement. Mr. Wilder spoke very briefly, but will return in August as the guest of the club to speak on his own sea scouting movement, which is especially suited to St. John. Mr. Wilder is from Honolulu, where he knew very well George R. Davis, formerly of St. John, who still lives there.

MARCONI LONG DISTANCE STATION AT MONTREAL

Montreal, May 9.—The Marconi Company will erect a long distance wireless station here to handle the trans-Atlantic business. The station here will work with Paris.

PERSONALS

George E. Day left evening for Halifax to meet his son, Ralph, who is with one of the siege batteries returning to Canada on the Mauretania. Rev. J. A. Butts of Lourdes, N. S., and Rev. A. McKenzie of Westville, N. S., who have been guests at St. Peter's rectory for several days, returned to their respective parishes yesterday. Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson of North End arrived home on the Atlantic express today. F. G. Spencer has returned from upper Canada. Mrs. Thomas E. Dyer, Celebration street, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. W. Biggs, Fredericton. Allan Johnson and Otty Lingley, brother of Mrs. Johnson, who have just returned from overseas after almost five years' service, left on Wednesday night's train to visit their sister, Mrs. Erickson, of New York city.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

GALE.—On May 8, to the wife of W. V. Gale, 94 Waterloo street, a daughter, OSBORNE.—On May 8, to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Osborne, 4 Delhi street—a daughter.

DEATHS

STINSON.—In this city on May 8, Myrtle L., youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stinson, leaving her parents, two brothers and two sisters. Funeral Saturday at two o'clock, (old time) from her residence, 133 West street West, interment at Lorneville.

IN MEMORIAM

PUDDINGTON.—In loving memory of Alice Puddington, who departed this life May 9, 1916. Gone but not forgotten. ELIZA FRAZEE.

JOHNSON.—In loving memory of Lieut. Robin L. Johnson, 2nd Squadron Royal Air Force, who made the supreme sacrifice May 9, 1918, somewhere in France.

EARLE.—In loving memory of James E. Earle, who departed this life May 9, 1915. In the lonely graveyard Four years of silent sleep; One we loved and cherished, One we could not keep. DAUGHTER.

LOCAL NEWS

Experienced waitress, Sign 'O Lantern, 99887-5-7.

OAK HALL CLOSED TILL ONE O'CLOCK DAYLIGHT TIME
Our store will be closed Saturday morning to give every assistance possible to welcome home our Soldier Boys. We will open again at one o'clock, daylight time. Oak Hall, Scovill Bros.

Girl wanted, Confectionery Store, 10 Dock street.

Gentlemen, we have such brands as Bingard's, Imperial, Progress and Colibri. They are made in the very best way.—Brager's, 185-187 Union. 6-12

For sale at Nelson's, King street, history of 6th Siege Battery from St. John to France.—A. Nesbitt. 99862-5-12

Macaulay Bros. & Co. announce that their stores will be closed on Saturday till 1 o'clock (Daylight time), to join in the reception to the returned heroes.

Saturday morning being proclaimed a half holiday, our store will be closed until 1 o'clock and open from 1 to 10 p.m. Daylight time.—Daniel, Head of King street.

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The boys are coming home. Are you ready to meet them? Come in and dress up with a nice new suit or overcoat.—Brager's, 185-187 Union street. 6-12

The lady who has one of our very attractive suits or capes, which we have imported from New York, feels dressed.—Brager's, 185-187 Union street. 6-12

NEW SWEET SHOP.
Mary Ann will open her sweet shop at 79 King street on Saturday next. She has a large supply of choice, good candies, cream biscuits and other goodies such as you will require.

NINE LIVES LOST.
The other day an express train was bringing a load of new merchandise for Lesser's, 210 Union street, to sell you for cash or credit a cat was run over and killed, thus the old saying nine lives killed. See ad. on page 9.

Remember party sale Imperial lobby Saturday, May 10. 9:15-11:30-12

If you are looking for styles, fit and satisfaction you must come to Brager's, 185-187 Union street. 6-12

RED TRIANGLE TAG DAY POSTPONED
In view of the home coming of the 4th and 6th Siege Batteries on Saturday morning and the desire on the part of everyone to participate in the welcome to these heroes, the Red Triangle committee have decided to postpone the Tag Day which was arranged for Saturday. Notice will be given in the press as soon as another date is chosen.

SPECIAL SATURDAY.
We are selling best corned beef at 15 cents again Saturday. All kinds of fresh meats.—Doyle's Meat Market, 153 Brunswick street. 246-5-11. 79861-6-12

Will all the returned men of the 4th Siege please assemble at the G. W. V. A. building an hour before the arrival of the train in order that we may meet the old battery in a body? Wear uniforms if possible.

J. H. A. L. FAIRWEATHER.

HALF HOLIDAY TOMORROW
All the stores of Manchester Row—Anson, Ltd., will be closed Saturday until 2 p. m., to enable all to participate in receiving the Soldier Boys who are expected to arrive in the morning.

Come in and open a charge account with us.—Brager's, 185-187 Union street. 6-12

Dr. Dr. S. H. Calne has opened an office at 94 Waterloo street.

NOTICE G. W. V. A.
All members of the G. W. V. A. will meet at the rooms in uniform a half hour before the Siege Batteries arrive so that they can march down and meet their comrades.

INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, LOCAL NO. 278
Special meeting Sunday afternoon, May 11, 2:30 p.m. in Hall, 35 Waterloo street. All members requested to be present. By order of the president. 99898-5-12.

ANNUAL MEETING
The annual meeting of the directors of the St. John Protestant Orphan's Home will be held in the Board of Trade room on Monday, the 12th inst. at 8:30, daylight time. Every subscriber of a dollar or more during the past year is a member of the organization.

F. D. MACLAREN, Secretary.

Splendid Fiction Stories This Week-end At McDonald's Library

The Evolution of Peter Moore (Drummond); Wolf Breed (Gregory); Helen of Four Gates (A. Mill Girl); Once on a Summer Range (Hill); The Devil to Pay (Green); The Extra Day (Blackwood), and a reading privilege costs only 2 cents a day, at McDonald's Lending Library, 7 Market Square. 'Phone Main 1273.

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The Fredericton Globe has decided to extend its course by the purchase of a ten-acre field near the grounds. This will add two holes. Juveniles of the age of sixteen to eighteen years will be admitted to membership.

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BUSINESS CHANGE.
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Comfort, good looks and long service mean much to you if you wear glasses.
If your vision is impaired—if your eyes won't stand the strain of hard, constant work—you owe it to yourself to make up the deficiency by wearing glasses of the highest quality.

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L. L. Sharpe & Son Jewelers and Opticians. Two stores—21 King St., 189 Union St.

SEAPLANES HELD AT HALIFAX; THE THIRD IS SAFE

Washington, May 8.—The departure of the naval seaplanes N. C. 1 and N. C. 3 from Halifax for Trepassy Bay, Nfld., on the second leg of their trans-Atlantic flight, has been postponed until tomorrow. The naval department was advised just before noon today from Halifax. The message follows: "Planes will start from Halifax today because of renewal of four propellers. Will be ready to start Saturday morning."

St. John's, Nfld., May 9.—Weather of the Grand Banks and Western Atlantic is unfavorable for flying today, and a "hop-off" by Hawker and Bayham has been suggested.

Halifax, N. S., May 9.—The American hydro-aeroplane N. C. 3 and N. C. 1 this morning were being prepared to start on the second leg of the trans-Atlantic flight. Fuel was taken aboard both planes during the night and the engines overhauled. Early this morning the N. C. 1 was run up and down the surface of the bay. Later N. C. 3 was put through the same tests. The favorable atmospheric conditions of yesterday, N. C. 4 is safe.

Chatham, Mass., May 9.—The naval airplane N. C. 4, missing since last night when it was forced to descend on account of engine trouble, was towed into Chatham harbor by a motor boat from the Chatham aviation station about 6:30 o'clock this morning. The N. C. 4 was first sighted in a cove at the station. The members of the crew of the N. C. 4 reported that they were comfortable and that they had passed the night on a calm sea. Only one engine of the plane was in service, the others having been disabled on the trip from Rockaway.

Officials at the air station here said the machine would be repaired immediately and would probably return to Rockaway Beach. Whether the return flight will be started today depends on the time required for repairs as well as weather conditions.

HARRISON H. BRIDGES DEAD

Fredericton, N. B., May 9.—Harrison H. Bridges died last night at Sheffield, aged fifty-nine. Alderman D. W. Burpee, of Fredericton, is a nephew. Mr. Bridges was graduated in Arts by the U. N. B. in 1892. He taught school for several years at Magalloway, Sheffield and other places. Later he spent several years in the study of medicine in New York. At the time of the Yukon gold rush he went to the Yukon. In recent years he has been a resident of Fredericton, for some time manager of the York Hotel and also clerk at Windsor Hall. Afterward he was employed by the Hart Book and Shoe Company. In the last few years he was engaged in farming.

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CHINESE ARE ORDERED NOT TO SIGN THE TREATY

Paris, May 9.—(By the Associated Press)—The Chinese delegation has received cable instructions from Peking not to sign the proposed peace treaty because of the Kiao-Chau-Shantung settlement. Instructions to the same effect have been received from the representatives of both the northern and southern governments in the peace conference at Shanghai.

London, May 9.—After meeting to consider the terms of peace imposed upon Germany by the Allied and associated powers, the national executive committee of the British Labor party last night issued a manifesto declaring the treaty in some essential particulars "opposed to the interests of the British people."

The case was adjourned until this afternoon at two o'clock, when an accountant from the Bank of Nova Scotia will be called.

ARBOR DAY

The observance of Arbor Day in the public schools of this city has gradually become a less conspicuous occasion as the years have passed and today the concerted effort to make merry upon the advent of spring and summer took place in the High School, Union street, where the following programme was given through with:

Recitation—"The Romance of the Seasons," Gertrude Ewing, Grade IX.
Recitation—"Brace and De Boune," Ronald Shaw, Grade XI.
Violin solo—"Ave Maria," Clark McClock, Grade IX.

Chorus—Girls of Miss Eatabrook's room.
Recitation—"Jean Desprey," Murray Lawson, Grade XI.
Instrumental trio—Uliano, James Russell, cello, Isadore Ellman; violin, Hyman Ellman.

Flute soliloquy—"I Wish I Were King," God Save the King.
In Victoria School building, as well as St. Joseph's, next door, the scholars were especially instructed in plant life, the growth of trees and kindred subjects. In some of the rooms there were exemplary drawings upon the blackboards illustrating botanical studies and in a few isolated instances recitations and songs breathing the spring-time spirit were given, especially in the primary grades.

In St. Vincent's school, Cliff street, St. Peter's, North End; Winter street, Alexandria, Indian town; Dufferin, North End, and also in West St. John the scholars were given the lesson of the day on botanical and arboricultural life.

HERE ARE THEIR NAMES

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Thompson, Rothery; C. A. Wasson and W. B. Wasson; A. Welch, 34 Adelaide street; B. C. W. Lock, 73 Portland street; G. P. Withers, 108 Hazel street; J. L. King, 7 Pokok street; B. R. Young, 61 Guilford street; H. A. Morton, Rothery; Corp. J. V. Geldart, 99 Millidge avenue; P. C. Dorion, 52 Dorchester street; I. L. Barrett, East St. John; L. P. Wilson, 194 Guilford street; D. A. Milton, 206 Newman street; E. A. Bailey, 188 Queen street; W. J. Davy, King street; G. E. Jay, 208 Pitt street; L. D. Logan, 120 Chesley street.

The names of the other New Brunswickers were received too late for publication.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows:—
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City of St. John to Bishop, \$625, property in Union street, West St. John.
Samuel Dunlop Jr., to F. P. Starr, property in Kings ward.
S. H. Ewing et al to W. H. McAllister, property in Lancaster.
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Elizabeth P. Klatt et vir to D. K. Sweeney, property corner City road and Tower street, Lancaster.
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W. E. A. Lawton to Thomasine Bradley, property in Simons.
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SUSSEX SCOUTS ARRIVE

The Sussex Boy Scouts under Commissioner Atherton arrived in the city about 1:45 p. m. and were met by a guard of honor under Commissioner Waring and conducted to the Y. M. C. A. which in situation gave their rooms for the accommodation of these boys. They are about sixty strong and have been given the place of honor in this afternoon's rally. Commissioner Atherton and the other officers with him, Deputy Commissioner Highgreaves and Scout Master Flaherty are on the staff of Commissioner Waring at the rally.

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PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived Today, Stmr Keith Cann, McKinnon, 177, from Westport, N. S. Barge Dogfish, Leighton, 57, from Campbellton, N. B.

Classed Today, S. S. Empress, MacDonald, 612, for Digby, N. S. Stmr Keith Cann, McKinnon, 177, for Westport, N. S. Str. Ida M. Leeger, 77, for Economy, N. S.

CANADIAN PORTS

Sydney, N. S., May 8.—Artd, Strm War Karna, Hunter, from Halifax. Old—Stmr Pruthi, Piekworth, with grain for Falmouth (Eng.).

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