

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

OPERA HOUSE

Present Bill Last Times Tonight; Features of the New One

There is a splendid vaudeville programme at the Opera House tonight—lots of comedy and laughter, a good trained dog act, some rattling good eccentric dancing, instrumental music—just the kind of a show that everybody likes. Tonight is the last time to enjoy, so get there early for there is bound to be a rush.

Tomorrow afternoon comes the regular change of bill, the new features including Holmes and Holliston in a lively comedy skit; White and Ryan in a dance offering illustrating the latest novelties in variety and society dancing; The Riellys in a musical feature; Willis Gilbert Co. in an acrobatic and juggling novelty; one other good act, and the second chapter of the gripping serial drama of circus life, "The Iron Test." The matinee tomorrow afternoon starts at 3 o'clock; evening at 7.30 and 9.

FAMOUS PERFORMER TONIGHT

Some years ago the film trade was startled by a new performer named Tim Mix. An obscure cow-puncher on the western prairies, he soon attracted attention of circus owners and eventually this fellow became the king of riders, ropers and dare-devil cowboys. For a long time now he has been in the movies as the all-compelling hero in red-blooded plays. The Imperial is going to show Mr. Mix tonight in a thriller called "For Fame and Fortune," said to be the liveliest story ever put on celluloid. So if you are not nervous and want a taste of the old-time boyhood story adventure stuff, drop around tonight or tomorrow and see the dot's. British Weekly, Matt and Jeff as extras.

ETHEL BARRYMORE WEDNESDAY

Ethel Barrymore, the metropolitan star, in the successful play and book, "Our Mrs. McChesney" will be the Imperial's extraordinary feature for Wednesday and Thursday of this week. This feature was withdrawn from the advertising columns about three weeks ago because of a longer run for another picture rather than shorten its stay at the Imperial. Now it will be possible to run the Barrymore success the full two days.

\$100 BOND DRAWN TOMORROW

The \$100 Victory Bond sold by the commercial travelers for \$216, which was to have been drawn at the Imperial last Wednesday night, will surely be disposed of tomorrow (Tuesday) evening at 8.30 after the first show. Ticket holders are herewith notified. The bond will be presented in the theatre if the owner happens to be present.

"A JAPANESE NIGHTINGALE"

Don't miss this wonderful story at the Star Theatre tonight. It is Fanny Ward's greatest feature.

"THE EAGLE'S EYE" TONIGHT

Nineteenth chapter of "The Eagle's Eye" will be shown at the Star Theatre tonight in addition to the big feature, "A Japanese Nightingale."

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

GIBSON—On Feb. 10th, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. A. McNichol Gibson, a son, HODGON—To Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hodgson, Bloomfield Station, on Jan. 26, a son, William Nelson, weight 12 lbs.

DEATHS

DRISCOLL—At her residence, 44 Albert street, West End, on the 9th instant, Nellie, beloved wife of James Driscoll, and daughter of the late John and Margaret Shannon, leaving her husband and three children, six brothers and three sisters to mourn.

McNEILL—At Moncton on Feb. 9th Miss Martha Louise, daughter of the late John and Ann McNeill, leaving two brothers and two sisters to mourn. Funeral notice later.

EARLE—At the General Public Hospital on the 8th inst., Dorothy Vivian, aged five years, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Earle, 242 Rockland road.

SNOW—In this city on the 9th inst., after a short illness, Frank, widow of Gordon Snow, leaving her parents, two sisters and five brothers.

FRASER—In this city on the 9th inst., after a short illness, Ernest H. Fraser, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William M. Fraser, aged twenty-eight years, leaving his wife, one brother and one sister to mourn.

STANTON—On 8th instant, Mary Kathleen, beloved daughter of Joseph S. and Mary G. Stanton, leaving parents, two brothers and one sister, Mrs. F. L. Roderick.

McKENNEY—At her residence Petersville Church, Queens County, on Feb. 6, Mrs. Catharine McKenney, widow of Stewart McKenney, leaving four sons and four daughters and two sisters to mourn. Funeral notice later.

IN MEMORIAM

HAYES—In loving remembrance of John F. Hayes, who departed this life on Feb. 10, 1918. Gone but not forgotten. WIFE AND FAMILY.

LOCAL NEWS

BIG NIGHT TOMORROW

Don't fail to see the Y. M. C. I. ice sports tomorrow (Tuesday) evening in Victoria rink at 8 o'clock. Twenty one red hot events. Large entry list; admission, 25 cts.

Free kindergarten tag day, Feb. 18.

Lugrin Photo Studio. Sittings day night, 38 Charlotte street.

LECTURE ON ITALY "Malin" Mrs. James F. Robertson; music, Mrs. A. C. Robinson; Natural History Museum, Tuesday 8.30 o'clock.

Rummage sale, Clayton's store, 319 Brussels street tomorrow, Tuesday, Feb. 11th, 2 p. m.

PROMINENT SIGNS point out the Bassen sale, corner Union and Sydney.

Band on Carleton rink tonight and every fine night this week. 8372-2-11

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BASSEN'S BIG BARGAINS Still in force at sale, Corner Union and Sydney.

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LEVIN'S ALL THIS WEEK Clean up sale of footwear continues at 107 Charlotte street, (opposite the Dufferin). Splendid values in footwear while this sale is on. Rubbers for the family at cut prices at 8 1/2 Brussels street.

THE RETURNING SOLDIER Does well to outfit himself at King Square Sides Co's where special prices are offered on footwear and furnishings.

Bassen's bargains, Union and Sydney.

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RETURNED SOLDIER SHOOT TRURO MAN

Truro, N. S., Feb. 10—Harry Blair, a clothes cleaner, was severely wounded in his shop here last night by a returned soldier named Lovely, who resented Blair's alleged attentions to his wife. Lovely was arrested.

HER THREE CHILDREN DEAD

Halifax, Feb. 10—At Musquodoboit Harbor last week Mrs. Charles Wood, whose husband is overseas, left her house for a short time to go on an errand. When she returned she found the youngest of her three children, aged fourteen months, dead, and the two others, aged four and seven years, dying. Some damp kindling wood in the oven had caught fire and the smoke had made its way into a bedroom in which the children were sleeping. The two elder children died two days later.

THE VETERANS AND THE ALIENS IN CANADA

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 10—An appeal to returned soldiers to go slow in demands for the deportation of aliens is made by Major J. W. Madden, Nova Scotia president of the C. W. V. A. He says that a vast majority of these aliens are engaged in labor which the average Canadian born citizen considers beneath him, and will not do. He forecasts great industrial expansion in which such low class labor is imperative. He makes an appeal to respect the constitutional authority and to present grievances through the proper channels.

MILITARY NEWS

The S. S. Corsican is expected in St. John tomorrow with from 300 to 400 soldiers.

The S. S. Metagama is expected in St. John on February 17.

Major Pease, inspector of records of Ottawa, was at the military headquarters of district No. 7 on Saturday, inspecting the records. He found everything very satisfactory.

Major-General John Hughes, who is coming to St. John to the annual inspection of military district No. 7, is expected tomorrow on the Montreal train.

FREDICTON NEWS

Fredericton, Feb. 10—The team of N. B. debaters to oppose Mount Allison here on March 21, is to be composed of George T. Mitten, Moncton; Joseph Sears, Barker's Point, and C. M. Burpee, of Fredericton. The subject is "Resolved that our dominion government should nationalize all our Canadian railways."

U. N. B. will support the negative.

Mrs. Thomas Whitehead of Dejon has word that her husband who went overseas with the 55th Battalion, is seriously ill in Eastbourne, England.

THE BOWLERS. In a special match game on Saturday night on Black's alleys between teams from the office and factory of T. S. Simms & Co., Ltd., the office staff won from their opponents 1246 to 1229.

The Post Office bowlers scored four points in their match with the James Fleming Foundation Saturday night on Black's alleys, 1238 to 1168.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Dorothy Earle was held this afternoon from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Earle, 247 Rockland road. Services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. H. C. Stanton. Interment took place in Cedar Hill.

FOR THE SOLDIERS. The usual after-service entertainment for the soldiers was held last evening in the St. David's church. About 100 soldiers were present. Robert Reid acted as chairman and Miss Carrie Ballie as accompanist. Refreshments were served.

BEING DEPARTED. Chicago, Feb. 10—Fifty-four members of the Industrial Workers of the World passed through Chicago last night under heavy guard on the way to an Atlantic port, where, it is said, they will be deported. Forty came direct from Seattle.

USE The Want Ad Way

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In case of children, Hood's Sarsaparilla is needed take Hood's Pills—they are gentle and thorough. Get these medicines today.

TUNISIAN IN PORT WITH SOME 900

(Continued from page 1) until after the armistice. He said that he was badly in need of food while a prisoner in the hands of the Germans.

Major D. F. Keith of Toronto, who was attached to the 75th Battalion and was in France with that unit for some time, was sent to join the headquarters of the 11th Canadian Brigade, after being with them for a time he was sent to the 6th Canadian Brigade and was with the staff until after the armistice was signed.

Lieut. J. H. Bradley of Montreal, who was attached to the Canadian engineers, was in the 11th Canadian Brigade, L. Corp. M. Hawkins of Queensland, Australia, was among the soldiers returning. He went to France in 1916 and served for eighteen months, when he was taken prisoner. An advance party was ambushed by a German patrol and all of the party with the exception of himself and one comrade were either badly wounded or killed. He said they were kept behind the German lines working on railroads, etc., first at Cambrai, then at Valenciennes and later at Mons. The day the armistice was signed three of their number got away and walked to the Allies' lines at Mons.

PERSONALS

Very Rev. Patrick J. Mulhall, C. S. S. R., Toronto, head of the Redemptorist order in Canada, is at St. Peter's rectory in connection with a campaign for funds for a college, novitiate and seminary for Canada.

Miss Margaret Anglin was taken ill on last Monday in Hartford, Conn., and was unable to fulfill her engagement that evening in "The Open Fire," at Parsons Theatre, there, which had been arranged.

F. A. Marr, of Halifax, arrived in St. John this morning and will leave this evening for Montreal and New York.

Dr. D. Mahab returned this morning from Halifax where he spent the last month.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Irwin who have been spending the past week with their daughter, Miss Ella Irwin of St. John, have returned to their home at Golden Grove.

IN WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 10—Shipments were again the chief feature of weakness in the opening of today's stock market.

Coastwise issues adding materially to last Saturday's sharp declines. Further professional selling of oils, metals, equipments and industrials also was noted.

United States Steel recording a new minimum for many months on its fractional session to 88 1/2. Leather and tobacco issues were among the few firmer shares and rails as a group were dull at slight reactions.

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BELIEVED NOT ALL HAVE DONE AS LAW DEMANDS

The staff leading to the assessors' offices on the third floor of the city hall were black with tax payers all morning, as the citizens went their way upwards to file their statements of personal property and incomes, as required by the new assessment act.

This is the last day allowed by the law for filing the statements and, as usual, many people left this duty to the last moment.

The staff in the assessors' office was delayed this morning and the number of people who wished the assessors to take their declarations added to the congestion. It is difficult to estimate the many statements have been filed but it is believed that a considerable number of citizens have neglected to comply with the law and so have made themselves liable for the penalties provided.

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BELIEVED HIM DEAD; GETS LETTER FROM SOLDIER HUSBAND

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 10—After supposing for two years that he was dead, Mrs. Geo. Steele of Scatter Island was much surprised to receive a letter yesterday from her husband stating that he was to sail for Canada on the next boat. It is supposed that he must have been a prisoner of war.

SENTENCES UNDER SPEEDY TRIALS ACT

Several cases were disposed of by His Honor Judge Armstrong this morning under the Speedy Trials Act, and severe sentences were meted out to some.

In the case of the King vs. James McDonnell, charged with not giving a blanketed from the C. P. O. S. Ltd., the accused was found not guilty. K. A. Wilson appeared for the defendant.

In the case of the King vs. Thomas McCann and James Dalling, charged with stealing mufflers at the C. P. R. depot, the defendants pleaded not guilty. As the witness stand McCann admitted taking the mufflers. Dalling was found not guilty.

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IT IS A PAYING PROPOSITION

Renting our Books. Why buy books? You only need them once. We have the latest—Woman's Exchange Library, 158 Union St.

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EXEMPTION OF SOLDIERS DISCUSSED AT CITY HALL

(Continued from page 1) He estimated that there would be nearly 5,000 men entitled to the exemption when all the soldiers returned. In his opinion every returned man, whether a former resident or not should receive the exemption. They were asking for the exemption as a matter of right and it did not want it as a matter of charity. They had felt that the suggestion should have come from the citizens instead of from the veterans themselves.

The mayor remarked that when Major Johnson and Captain Logan had called on him regarding the matter several months ago, he had intimated that he would support exemption of \$1,000 for five years. Major Johnson had made some expression of approval and Captain Logan had not disapproved so he had thought that this was acceptable. He felt that the man who was earning more than \$1,000 would want to pay his share of the taxes. If a veteran was unable to pay taxes, he could be relieved of that burden, as had been done in many cases already, but he believed that the government should see to it that every returned man was placed in as good a position financially as he was before he went overseas so that he could meet his obligations.

Captain Logan said that some men, by reason of wounds and shell shock were unable to profit by the re-education offered by the government.

Referring to an individual case mentioned by Captain Logan, Mr. Fisher said that the man had been employed in his department, but had dismissed himself.

Captain Smith asked if it would be possible to furnish to the G. W. V. A. a list of vacancies in the civic employ as they occur. There was a feeling among the members that they were not being fully considered. He himself had applied for a position and had not received it. The reason given was that the policy of promotion was followed, but at about the same time another appointment was made by an outside man who was not a returned soldier.

Mr. Jones, in moving that action be delayed until next year, said that the council was disposed to treat the veterans in a generous manner, but he did not feel that he had sufficient information before them to deal with the matter before all the soldiers had returned.

The motion was not seconded and it was agreed that the matter should be brought up at a meeting of the council on Tuesday of next week.

Mr. Thornton brought up the matter of George Carvill's application for permission to erect a garage in Cliff street. He did not see why it was referred to him. So far as his department was concerned there was no objection. The only protest on record was from Sister Frances, principal of a school, who said it was too near a place of worship. Mr. Carvill now operated a repair shop and he saw no reason why he should not erect a garage. He moved that permission be granted. Mr. Jones seconded the motion, saying that he understood that there was no protest from those in authority.

The mayor said that the bishop had objected. Under all the circumstances Mr. Jones felt that the permit should be issued. Mr. Fisher said the city could prevent any garage from becoming a nuisance. He did think that the plans should provide for a reasonably ornamental front. The motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Thornton brought up the claim of de Forest & Company for goods damaged by water in their store in the Market building. He had investigated and found the loss due to the negligence of a city employee. The city solicitor had said that the matter was one which might be argued in court, but he felt the city should recognize the claim. The amount of the loss was \$179. Mr. de Forest had offered to take the \$150 and he moved that this amount be paid.

In seconding the motion, Mr. Jones suggested that if the plumbing was defective it should be put in good order. Mr. Fisher introduced a resolution suggesting to the provincial government that the proposed change in the rules of the court, providing for vehicles passing to the right, should be introduced at once.

Mr. Jones did not wish to vote until he had inquired into the matter. The mayor suggested that Mr. Fisher should inquire regarding the attitude of the government and the reasons affecting the matter before action was taken. The matter of harbor fees was taken up by Mr. Bullock and on his motion the license fees for craft operating in the

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AUCTIONS

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harbor were fixed as follows: Under 50 tons, \$10; 50 to 100 tons, \$20; 100 tons and over, \$30. The action relating to harbor master's fees was amended to include barges.

SHIPPING

High Tide... A.M. Low Tide... P.M. Sun Rises... 7.37 Sun Sets... 4.50 Time used is Atlantic Standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived February 10 S S Manchester Corporation, 9479 tons from Manchester via Halifax. S S Tunisian, 6792 tons, Halifax, from Liverpool. S S Montcalm, 4145 tons, Hamilton, from London. Sch Northcliffe, 291 tons, Hilton, from Port Grenville.

Expected February 10 S S Frankham, 2924 tons, W F Heselton, for Falmouth for orders.

OTHER PORTS

Halifax, N.S., Feb 8—Arrd Feb 7, SS Manchester Corporation from Manchester; str Goloa, from Texas; SS Stanley from sea; str Titan, from St. John. Arrd Feb 9—Str Lisme Left, London at Carmania from Liverpool; str Chisnecto from West Indies; str Mattison from St. John.

Sid Feb 7—Str Chaleur, for West Indies; str Manchester Corporation, to St. John (NB). Sid Feb 8—Str Roserie, for transatlantic port; str War Seneca, transatlantic port; str G. A. Flagg (in tow of tug Iroquois) for Boston; str Carmania for New York; str Titan for London; U S S Tallapoosa, for sea.

Boston, Feb 9—Sid, str Sagamore Halifax. City Island, N.Y., Feb 9—Bound south str La Canadienne (Br), St. John (NB); str Petronian (Br), (new) Hantsport (S S) for New York. Newport News, Va., Feb 9—Arrd, str W M Irish, Halifax.

MARINE NOTES

The schooner Northcliffe is consigned to Nagle and Wigmore. The Blue Funnel liner Titan arrives in Halifax Friday afternoon, Feb. 10, and is loading apples for London. She has been chartered by the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services.

Two other steamers going to Halifax from St. John to load apples are the Montcalm and Mantysfort.

BEFORE SUPREME COURT. Two cases of special interest are on the docket for the sitting of the supreme court in Fredericton tomorrow. The appeal in the case protesting the civic election and the suit of the provincial government against J. K. Flemming which was removed from the lower to the higher court by consent, will come up, either tomorrow or on Wednesday.

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