

THE HOME  
THE WORLD

## NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES  
THE PLAYERSHere are Related Facts and Fancies Concerning the  
Activities of Individuals and Organizations, the  
Home, Fashions and Other Matters.

## W. S. A. HOLD AFTERNOON TEA.

That five hundred new garments are to be made during the course of the year by members of the Women's Suffrage Association in St. John, was the interesting information disclosed at an afternoon tea held by the association in the home of Mrs. Richard Hooper, Queen street, yesterday afternoon, this work to be known as the Emma Pike memorial, and distributed among the children of the city, through the Associated Charities.

The walls of the dining room were hung with large posters, illustrative of the suffrage movement, past and present, one being from the United States, entitled "1917, Women's Hour Has Struck," whilst the tables were tastefully decorated with yellow daffodils and white narcissi, and the colors of the association were everywhere in evidence.

The president, Miss McGovern, and 1st vice-president, Mrs. R. Hooper, received the guests, whilst Mrs. Henry Culver and Mrs. E. Fiewelling presided at tea. A table displaying some of the work of the association, consisting of boys' and girls' clothing and infants' outfits, was a feature of interest, whilst suffrage literature was on sale, the latter included the speech, in leaflet form, delivered by Miss Clara McGovern at the Social Service Congress recently, and which has been published and is being sold all over New Brunswick.

A representative number of ladies were present at the tea and the proceeds are for the furtherance of the splendid work.

London, Feb. 22.—(Montreal Gazette Cable)—Miss Violet Tremaine, matron of the L. O. D. E. officers hospital in London, who was decorated for her services, when she attended King George after his accident in France, has sailed for Canada on leave.

## FOR A BAD COUGH.

Here is a fine old-fashioned recipe for coughs, colds or catarrh trouble that has been used with great success. Get from your druggist 1 oz. of Paracetamol (Double Strength) about 75c. worth and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and 4 oz. of granulated sugar. This will make full half a pint when mixed. Take one tablespoonful 4 times a day.

No more racking your whole body with a cough. Clogged nostrils should open, air passages of your head clear up so you can breathe freely. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Any one who has a stubborn cough, or hard cold or catarrh in any form should give this prescription a trial.

Any druggist can supply you, or a bottle will be sent on receipt of 75c. post note or money order. Address International Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine St., Montreal, Canada.

## G. B. CHOCOLATES

A Few Favorites—Cereals, Almonds, Almond Crispettes, Nougatines, Burnt Almonds, Maple Walnuts, Caramels, Cream Drops, Milk Chocolate, Creams, Fruit Creams, etc.

Display Cards With Goods.  
EMERY BROS. 82 Germain Street  
Selling Agents for Ganong Bros., Ltd.

## SATURDAY'S POEM

Of Those Who Walk Alone  
Women there are on earth, most sweet  
and high,  
Who lose their own, and walk bereft  
and lonely,  
Loving that one lost heart until they die.

And so they never see beside them  
Children, whose coming is like  
breath of flowers;  
Consoled by subtler loves the angels  
know  
Through childless hours.

Good deeds they do, they comfort and  
they bless  
In duties others put off till the mor-  
row.  
Their look is balm, their touch is ten-  
derness  
To all in sorrow.

Betimes the world smiles at them, as  
twere shame,  
This maiden guise, long after youth's  
period;  
But in God's Book they bear another  
name—  
"The faithful-hearted."

Faithful in life, and faithful unto  
death,  
Such souls, in sooth, illumine with lu-  
stre  
That illumined midland wherein, the  
Vision saith,  
Earth's wrongs are ended.  
—Richard Burton, in the Century  
Magazine.

## CANADIAN WOMEN IN ENGLAND

Ottawa—There are seventeen thousand Canadian women in England, who are not wanted there by the British authorities and the problem is how to get them back to Canada. They are mostly wives of Canadian soldiers, but many of them are merely women with a morbid desire for being near the scene of excitement as possible.

Months ago, both the Canadian and British governments issued a warning to these people to return home, as soon there would be no guarantee of a safe passage, and it was further intimated that their presence in Great Britain constituted an additional unfair burden upon the people of the United Kingdom. The task of feeding 60,000 women, many of whom have children, is no light one.

Now comes a British order stating that women and children are prohibited from travelling on ships which pass through the war zone. This not only affects travels from Canada, but also out of Great Britain. Therefore there is little prospect of these women being able to return to this country in the immediate future.

## First Trip After Illness.

The many friends in St. John of Jas. W. Clarke, fuel inspector for the C. G. R., were pleased to see him making his first trip here since his serious illness, which lasted twelve weeks in Moncton Hospital, an X-ray examination and operation being necessary. During his stay in the city

many of his old friends called to see him and congratulated him on his recovery.

BIRTH OF A NATION AT  
LYRIC MONDAY EVENING  
AND ALL NEXT WEEK

Matinee Commencing Tuesday,  
Popular Prices.

That magnificent historical spectacle, "The Birth of a Nation," will come to the Lyric Monday for the entire week and will be given its first presentation Monday evening. The wonderful symphony orchestra will be heard at every performance, setting to music the many elaborate and spectacular scenes. The evening performance will begin at 8.15 o'clock, matinee 2.30, and the doors will open three quarters of an hour before the programme commences. It is important to note that there will be no advance sale, neither will there be reserved seats. This undertaking of showing the greatest motion picture ever made necessitates the cancelling of yearly complimentary passes. The price scale is as follows: Matinee—Balcony, twenty-five cents; lower floor, fifty cents. Evening—Balcony, fifty cents; lower floor, seventy-five cents. Don't forget beginning Monday and continuing all week, "The Birth of a Nation."

## Big Contract

A million dollar contract has been awarded to Horkheimer Brothers by the General Film Company for fifty-two feature photoplays of four reels each. This is said to be the largest order ever placed in the film world, for photoplays. They are to be produced at the Horkheimer studio in Long Beach, Cal., during 1917. One of these productions will be released each week.

WHOOPING COUGH  
SPASMODIC CROUP  
ASTHMA  
COLICUS  
BRONCHITIS  
CATARRH  
CROUP  
Croup at once. It is a book to sufferers from Asthma. The air carrying the antiseptic vapor, inhaled with every breath, soothes the sore throat and stops the cough, securing peaceful nights. It is invaluable to mothers with young children.

Send no postal for descriptive booklet and see your druggist. Vapo-Cresoline Co., London, W. 1, England.

"I earn 2 a day at home"

You may say that, too—if you want more income. Easy to learn. Steady work at home the year round. Write Auto-Splitter-Highway (Canada) Co., Ltd., 257 College St., Toronto, Ont. Dept. 56

## IMPERIAL.

The Road To Love.  
It was a long, long trail, this road which we are told led to love at the last. Eastern and romantic, with sandy stretches of desert, palm trees waving, camels and rugs, girls with veils, and slave auctions. All this transports one to Algeria and a sort of Lallah Book atmosphere. This, in a few words, describes the Morocco picture yesterday at the Imperial Theatre. They tell us that people don't like costume plays, but I do. The scenic effects of this eastern romance made up for any straining of coincidence, and it was rather a welcome change to get away from high society actress stuff or slums. There are some fights, several flights, a cabaret such as they have somewhere east of Suez, and plenty of action all through the picture. I personally enjoyed the production, and thought Leonore Ulrich was excellent in the part of a dusky beauty. Her attendant was very good, too. Colin Chase is the young American who wins "Hales," Beatrice Fairfax.

## Wrist Watches.

Just when you think you are tired of these serials perhaps, along comes a number that is better than the last. Have we have smugglers, rather familiar figures to movie fans, but these were nice, original smugglers, with a novel method of entrance to their secret den. It was not truth which lay at the bottom of that well built deceit, and they had a front door most effectively concealed by a screen of vines. At the very first minute Beatrice and Jimmie arrive to rescue the secret service man, Jimmie disguised as a Jew pedlar, but not so well disguised but that we can recognize him, although Beatrice apparently does not. His spyometer which he tries on the old sailor's wrist reminds one of some of Craig Kennedy's famous devices for crime discovery. After this came a riotous Vitaphone comedy in Hughie Mack foolishness at which everybody laughed. There was a stairway scene which was absolutely ludicrous.

## Spanking Doesn't Cure!

Don't think children can be cured of bed-wetting by spanking them. The trouble is constitutional, the child cannot help it. I will send FREE to any mother my successful home treatment, with full instructions. If your children trouble you in this way, send no money, but write me today. My treatment is highly recommended to adults troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

Address, Mrs. M. Summers, Box 937, Windsor, Ontario.

New Pathe Serial Booked in N. B. R. March of the Specialty Film Exchange has recently returned from a tour of the Maritime Provinces. "Pearl of the Army," the new Pathe

**UNIQUE**  
**CHARLIE CHAPLIN**  
In "THE PAWN"  
LAST TIME TODAY.  
"THE MENACE"  
8th Adventure of  
GRANT, POLICE REPORTER  
Cartoon Comedy—NEWSY MAT  
"MIDNIGHT"  
Featuring Little Joe Rae.  
"IN THE HEART OF INDIA"  
—Delightful Journey—  
Mon.—PURPLE MASK—8th Episode  
Thurs.—CHAS. CHAPLIN,  
In "A Night at The Show."

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World  
and on the Stage—Favorites and What They  
Say and Do.

Serial featuring Pearl White is to be run in many of the towns of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. This is a military serial and shows Miss White in many adventurous situations. It is a mystery story. Important plans have been betrayed and a feature of the plot is the unmasking of the traitor.

## What Would the Movies Be Without

Eucalyptus trees.  
The villain's sneer.  
The heaving chest and the rolling eye.  
The announcement for next week.  
The guy that walks over you just as you get comfortably seated.  
The knocker, who goes to the show every night and knocks every night.  
The ungrammatical subtitle.  
The policeman. Why doesn't some film factory hire a regular policeman who knows how to act like one?  
Balboa's Little Mary Sunshine stories.  
Cigarettes, cigars, and more cigarettes and cigars.  
The boarding-house keeper who is always cruel and unkempt.  
The Far West. Where'd the author send the hero if it wasn't for the Far West? What?  
The newspaper boys to boost 'em.

ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

## SPRING OPENING

## IMPERIAL MONDAY.

Commencing Monday Imperial Theatre will regale its patrons with programmes especially suited to the Lenten season. The eye will be pleased and refreshed with a gorgeous new stage setting imported from New York. In fact it is what the Imperial calls its Spring Opening. The whole effect of the new stage decoration will be spring-like with strong sunlight effects, profusion of blossoms and clear blue sky with here and there a suggestion of a huge glass conservatory. The opening picture will be a Vitaphone five-reeler, entitled "The Ninety and Nine"—a picturization of that beautiful theme of the evangelistic song about the sheep that was lost on the faraway hills. William Courtney and Lucille Lee Stewart play the leading roles. The World Tour pictures will take our armchair-travelling patrons to Budapest, the capital of Hungary, another jaunt in faraway Egypt and a ramble among the foothills of the Pyrenees. Pathe's British Gazette will conclude the programme.

SPECIAL WIRE ELECTION RETURNS  
COMMENCING AT 4 O'CLOCK

A Week End Show with Many Features.

## Imperial—"The Road to Love"

Lenore Ulrich—The Heroine Queen of Movies, in a Thrilling Drama of Algerian Slavery.

**"BEATRICE FAIRFAX"**  
Serial Story, Chap. 12  
**"WRIST WATCHES"**  
Featuring Harry Fox and Grace Darling.

**HUGHIE MACK**  
Another of His Screams  
**WHOOOPS & HOLLERS"**  
Funnier than Vitaphones  
Ever Dared to be Before.

Scenic Picture—In the Heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains

F'g Show for Monday || Novelties Coming!

**OPERA HOUSE**  
**NITRE VAUDEVILLE** PROGRAM TODAY

Afternoon at 2.30	GALLARINI DUO Father and Son.	Unique Musical Novelty.
1.5c and 10c	WASTIKA AND UNDERSTUDY With Two Under Seals.	
Evening at 7.30 and 9.15c and 15c	WALKER and ILL Comedy Skit	ELINORE FISHER Singing Comedienne
	LUCCA Triple Voice Wonder	3rd Episode Crimson Stain Mystery.

**ELECTION RETURNS TONIGHT**  
Seats May be Reserved in Advance for FIRST SHOW TONIGHT, and FOR ANY EVENING PERFORMANCE.

**Pathe Gold Rooster Plays**  
Specialty Film Import Limited  
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**PATHE FILMS**  
Now Playing in St. John.  
IMPERIAL "BRITISH GAZETTE." LYRIC. Coming Soon  
Known the world over. "PEARL OF THE ARMY."  
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**Shorten the Longest Days**

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Basil S. Courtney Presents D. W. Griffith's World-Famed Masterpiece:

## "THE BIRTH OF A NATION"

## LYRIC THEATRE—ALL NEXT WEEK

Starting MONDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA of 20 TALENTED MUSICIANS  
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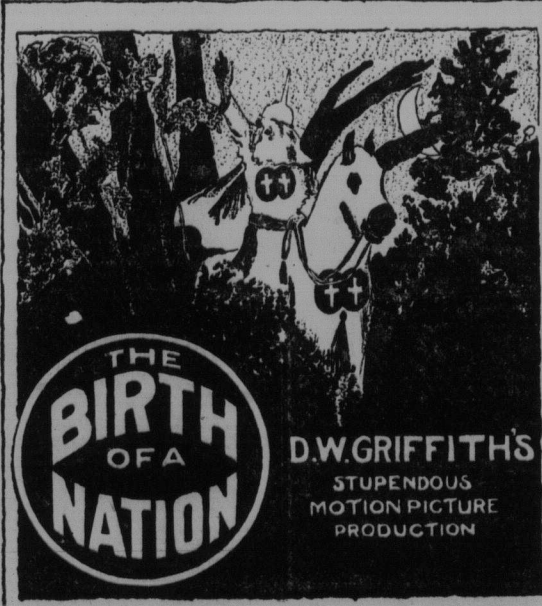
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3,000 Horses, Great Battle Scenes,  
Destruction of Cities, Hundreds of Soldiers,  
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EVENING—Balcony, 50c.....Lower Floor, 50c.

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First Performance Tuesday  
Evening at 8.15 O'clock.  
Matinees Daily, Starting Tuesday at 2.30.  
Doors Open three-quarters of an hour before performance begins.  
No Seats Reserved.  
All Complimentary Passes Suspended.