

CHANGE OF POLICY AT LYRIC ON FIRST THREE DAYS OF WEEK

An Announcement of Interest to Theatre Patrons—Big Feature Production Booked With Vaudeville.

A departure from the usual policy of the Lyric Theatre is announced by the management for the first three days of the week. Heretofore this popular amusement resort has confined itself to the featuring of vaudeville attractions, but in order to vary the usual programme and to allow St. John picture lovers to see a production that has become famous in the larger American and Canadian cities, arrangements have been made with the Mutual Film Corporation to present one of the famous series known as Mutual Master Pictures at the Lyric Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

This will be offered with the vaudeville act of Brooks and Lorella, comedy tumblers and acrobats. The Mutual Master Picture is entitled "On the Night Stage," and is released in five reels of acts, with a cast which for excellence, artistic and popular reputation is unequalled even in the moving picture world where big things are the rule rather than the exception. Robt. Edson, the noted dramatic star is featured and supported by Miss Rhea Mitchell and Mr. Wm. Harte. The theme of the play is one of intensely from beginning to end, it deals with the life of ranchmen and one of its many striking scenes is the fight wherein the minister played by Mr. Edson, holds back a mob of cowboys numbering over a hundred. The daring rides are spectacular and represent a wonderful accomplishment on the part of the actors.

The fact that this famous Mutual Master Picture will be shown in conjunction with the usual vaudeville programme will no doubt be the means of filling the theatre at each performance. The first show in the evening will begin at 7:10 o'clock, while the matinee will be held at the usual hour, 3 o'clock. No advance in prices.

PERSONALS

Joseph Stockford arrived in the city yesterday from Moncton to attend the funeral of his mother this afternoon. Dr. Catherine H. Trank of New Britain (Conn.), formerly of Hampton (N. B.), left New York on Monday last on the steamship Constitution for Berlin, by way of Halifax.

Friends of Malcolm White will regret to hear that he is confined to his home, 74 Winter street, suffering from appendicitis.

Valney H. Hanchett, a large manufacturer of Big Rapids, Mich., was in the city on Thursday afternoon. He is president of the Hanchett Sewage Works.

Mrs. W. H. Richmond, of Manchester, N. H., accompanied by her niece, Miss Lora Duffy, will leave this evening for her home after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. R. Walsh of St. David street.

Miss Bertie Sweeney and Miss Armorel Carney will return this evening from Vermont, after spending a pleasant vacation with Mrs. Bryon Sweeney.

Mrs. James Byrnes, of St. John, left this morning for a visit to Boston and New York.

Mr. C. H. Hart of Stoughton, Mass., is spending his vacation at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Burns, Douglas avenue.

THE MARKET

In the city market this morning wild strawberries were selling at 35c a box and cultivated berries for 15c a box. Fowl were selling for 22c a pound, and chickens were bringing \$1 a pair. There was a big supply of lamb on hand and it was bringing from 16c to 18c a pound by the quarter. Veal was selling from 12c to 15c a pound, and mutton from 12c to 15c. Eggs were sold at 26 and 28c a dozen. Raspberries and blueberries are in.

Headache and Eyestrain

Sixty per cent. of all headaches are due to eye-strain. Relieve the strain by the use of the proper glasses and the headache will soon disappear.

The fact that your sight in good does not signify that there is no strain.

The best way to find out if your headaches are due to your eyes is to let us examine your sight.

D. BOYANER

111 Charlotte Street TWO STORES 38 Dock Street

DEATHS

YOUNG—At West St. John, on July 21, after a short illness, William Elmer, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Young, aged fourteen years.

Funeral on Sunday at 8 o'clock from his father's residence, 194 Gulfport street, West End.

STOCKFORD—At Hampton, Kings county, on July 22, 1915, Mrs. Eliza widow of I. T. Stockford, formerly of St. John, leaving four sons and one daughter.

Funeral from her late residence, Thorne avenue, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

THE NOTE IS ULTIMATUM SAYS AMERICAN PAPERS

(Continued from page 1.) The note is now in the hands of the German government, and no reply is expected for several weeks. President Wilson and Secretary Lansing had left Washington today.

In Berlin. Berlin, July 24.—The American note was not published in this morning's Berlin papers, but probably will appear in the afternoon editions. Count Ernest Von Reventlow in an article in the Tages Zeitung headed "Ungrounded Assurances" declares that no matter what the note contains, the submarine campaign will not be restricted. So far as the German empire is concerned, he says, there can be no further question of its attitude. Germany's stand has been asserted, and it will be maintained.

The Lokal Anzeiger says the contents of the American note do not preclude the possibility of further negotiations between Washington and Berlin.

ULTIMATUM SAYS PAPERS OF UNITED STATES

New York, July 24.—Practically unanimous in supporting President Wilson's representations to Berlin, editorial comment throughout the country, without regard to locality or political predilection, praised as a model of diplomatic phraseology, the third note to Germany. It is termed substantially an ultimatum. Germany's reply is awaited with interest, and in the belief that at last the Kaiser must realize the true sentiment of the United States. Many editors, although asserting that the country does not want war, infer that, if forced into the conflict by the president's firm insistence on Germany's abiding on the laws of civilized warfare, American action will be firmly behind whatever step may result from the policy expressed in the new note.

Some of the Comment. Following are excerpts from some of the leading papers: "The New York Sun"—"The future lies with the Kaiser. The United States with abated friendship stands not as a suppliant for favor, asks no privilege; the rights of neutral and non-belligerent nations, founded on custom and buttressed in law, exist our defense. To evade them, Germany must first violate them, and to the immediate sufferers, but to all mankind. There can be no misunderstanding, in misinterpretation of the message of friendship and firmness and admirable clarity, our dissatisfaction with the German course that went to Berlin yesterday."

"The German answer may come in words. It may be expressed in deeds, whichever the tenor, the United States has done neither more nor less than its obligations demanded, and content with its future confident and with conscience clear."

"The Philadelphia Public Ledger"—"The final word of diplomacy has obviously been said. There can be no possible doubt as to its meaning. It is an ultimatum in fact, if not in form. Less than ever, after the clear exposition of the American attitude which the secretary of state has sent to the German Foreign Office, can the administration engage in further delay. It is the duty of Germany to meet the demands upon Germany which their irreducible nature make inevitable."

"The Chicago Tribune"—"The reply of the government to the latest German note appears to be final, so far as the American contentions of law and right are concerned. If not an ultimatum in fact, it is an ultimatum in effect. The door of discussion is closed. There now can be no doubt of the duty of press and public, and that is to accept the stand taken by our government, without cavil or reservation, to give our government our unflinching and unreserved support whatever the consequences may have in store for the nation."

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"The Buffalo Express"—"We have shown Germany that we are bound to protect American lives and property from the barbaric methods of German undersea fighting and it now is for Germany to say whether or not we shall be required to go beyond words in making our position plain to her and to the world."

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Visiting Salvationists. Brigadier Cameron and Capt. Eastwell of the Salvation Army Training College, Toronto, were in Fredericton yesterday.

NOTICE

CEDAR HILL CEMETERY. The public generally and in particular those who use the Cedar Hill Cemetery as a thoroughfare, are requested by the directors to show greater respect to the property, falling which, drastic protective measures will be enforced. Complaints have been received that windows of I. T. Stockford, formerly of St. John, leaving four sons and one daughter. Funeral from her late residence, Thorne avenue, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

THE UNITY OF THE FAITH. THE TRUE AND THE FALSE. SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST SERVICES. Sunday 7 p. m. SUBJECT: "Short Beds and Narrow Blankets" EVANGELIST: GEO. H. SKINNER 37 SIMONDS ST. COME!

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THE STORY OF TODAY is one intensely interesting to wise home furnishers. It's the story of big values in every kind of Furniture for lesser outlay than you would be asked in many other places.

Hustling and planning never ceases here. As fast as one benefit is found and given to our customers another is looked for—that's what brings a continual flow of pleasing results to you and us. We want your trade, be it large or small. Just as soon sell you one small piece of furniture as a houseful, if that's all you need. It's a simple but good story and "A GOOD STORY WILL BEAR OFF REPEATING"

J. MARCUS - - 30 DOCK ST.

LOCAL NEWS

First annual sale in five years at 14 Charlotte street. Wasson's Ice sale closes on Monday, better bargains for the last day—711 Main street.

WASSON'S SALE. Five cent bars Surprise soap, 2 for 6c, with other goods on Monday at Wasson's, 711 Main street.

Don't mind other sales; come to the People's Dry Goods sale at 14 Charlotte street—Bassens.

The bargains we give you on footwear will bring you back and your pleasure after buying is part of our profit. — Watson's, Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street.

Remedy for the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Gas, Stomach, Sourness and all forms of stomach troubles. No Cure—No Pay. Price 50c. All Druggists.

Walk in, please—walk out pleased, that's the way. Bargains on everything at 14 Charlotte street.

The railroad employees' midnight excursion Monday evening: City Cornet Band; Steamer May Queen. Stops at Crystal Beach for dancing.

If you love music, especially male singers who know how to sing, see that you visit the Opera House this afternoon or evening and hear that male quartet with the Empire Musical Company.

Screen goods, window screens, screen doors, wire and cotton netting—Duval, Waterloo.

St. Mary's Sunday school picnic at Crystal Beach Tuesday next; steamer leaves 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Band in attendance.

We can't drag you in, but it's your fault if you miss the People's Dry Goods sale at 14 Charlotte street.

R. K. Y. C. CRUISE HAD GOOD WEEK

W. A. Church has returned home from up river after spending the week with the yacht on the R. K. Y. C. cruise. He reports that they had ideal weather, a most enjoyable time and, fortunately, no accidents. The fleet of fourteen boats left Grand Bay on Tuesday evening. The following day they cruised as far as Jenkins' Cove, and on Thursday made Ury's Cove on the Belleisle. Friday they sailed to the Cedars, and tonight they will go to the R. K. Y. Landing, where service will be held tomorrow.

INVESTMENT, NOT SPECULATION

Our Fairmount lots are situated just across the city border on the direct line of traffic to Courtenay Bay, where the largest single government contract ever undertaken in Canada is in full swing. East St. John must rapidly develop into a city and lots here are an investment, not a speculation.

We will sell you a lot, build your house on it and give you ten years to pay for it.—The Mutual Realty Co., Dock street. —79

FINERALS

The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. McSherry took place this morning at 8:45 o'clock from her late residence, 448 Main street, to St. Peter's church, where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Costello, with Rev. Father Borgmann as deacon and Rev. Father O'Hare as sub-deacon. Relatives bore the pall and there were many floral tributes. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

TWELVE DEATHS

Twelve burial permits have been issued by the St. John Board of Health during the week. The causes of death were phthisis, three; senility, two; meningitis, pneumonia, malnutrition, cerebral hemorrhage, intestinal obstruction, tubercular peritonitis, and strangulated hernia, one each.

Too Late For Classification

BARBER WANTED. (Experienced). 641 Main street. 28865-7-31

TO LET—Three Flats, 80 Chapel St. 28875-7-31

ROOMS and Board, 146 Carmarthen. 28875-8-24

TO LET—Two Furnished Rooms in private family, central. Phone Main 1644 Row. 28879-7-31

ROOM with Board, 80 Paradise Row. Married couple preferred. 28874-7-31

WANTED—Capable girl in small family. Apply 88 Millers' Row. 28871-7-28

WANTED—Barber with experience, young or old, 4 Rodney street. 28874-7-31

WOOD—All kinds, choice quality; delivered promptly. Jas. W. Carleton, Telephone W 37-11.

LOST—Child's Blue Coat, between King Square and Woodworth's Store, under number to Mrs. M. Kankit, 12 Dock street. 28869-7-28

FURNISHED COMFORTABLY, new plumbing, electric, gas stove, coal stove. Central, No. 181. Write 127 King East. 28814-24

TO LET—Flat of six rooms and bath, 48 Exmouth street; also small flat in rear, 2 rooms. Apply G. H. Arnold. 28874-7-31

WANTED—Sector for Contrary Methodist Church. Apply by letter to J. L. Thorne, 102 Carmarthen street, stating age, experience and salary. 28870-7-27

BUSINESS PARTNER WANTED

To join me in manufacturing business, excellent proposition, for either active or silent partner. Small capital required. "Partner," care Times Office. 28874-7-31

NEW up-to-date two-tenement house in Carleton, eight rooms each, splendid view of bay. Price \$2,500, only \$700 cash, shows net return of over \$100 per month. Apply Mutual Realty Co., Dock street. 28874-7-31

FOR SALE—One Hundred Acre Fruit and Dairy Farm in Annapolis Valley, next door to school and station, one thousand apple trees bearing well, in few years will yield four bushels per acre. Good buildings. Three thousand cash required. The Mutual Realty Co., Dock street. 28877-7-31

RECENT DEATHS

William Elmer Young. Many friends in the West End will sympathize with Elmer A. Young of the ferry office, in the death of his only son, William Elmer, aged fourteen, which took place yesterday after only a short illness. He was a bright lad. He is survived by his parents and by a sister, Miss Mamie, at home. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock from the parents' residence, 194 Guilford street.

At Keswick Ridge on last Saturday Samuel Estey, a prosperous farmer passed away. He has been ill for ten months. Mr. Estey was thirty-two years of age and is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Bird, of Smith's Corner, his father, John W. Estey of Keswick Ridge, and one sister, Mrs. Clowes Currie of Mactaquac.

W. M. Riggs, baggage master at Charlottetown for the last twenty years or more, died on Wednesday evening, July 21. He was over sixty years of age, and is survived by his wife, one son, of the Bank of Montreal, St. John; one daughter, Mrs. Kennedy, of Clashes; another daughter resides at Sackville.

James McPherson, a well known I.C.R. employee, whose back was broken at Edmundston, N. B., last week, by falling from a doorway, died yesterday in the Moncton hospital. Mr. McPherson was brought to the hospital, accompanied by his brother, I. C. R. truckmaster, Thomas McPherson.

BALL GAME IN MONCTON

Of today's baseball game in Moncton the Transcript says:—As announced time ago, the St. John team will appear on the M.A.A.A. grounds tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon and evening, against All-Moncton's best team.

The team will be picked from the players of the Church League. The lineup will probably be—McLeod, catcher; Crossman, Shirley, Balsey, Weldon, Armour, pitchers; Edington, Mann, Kinross, Walsh, McCoy, fielders; J. Swetnam, first base; Lockhart, second base; G. Swetnam, third base; Armstrong, Coles, short stop.

The St. John team is not the team that appeared here on May 29. This team is known as the St. John professional team, with such well known players as Copeland, Lynch, Riley, McNully, McGowan, Devos, and others sensibly well known.

RECENT WEDDINGS

The wedding of Miss Clara Kingston of Blisville, and Archie McFawn of Fredericton, took place in Fredericton on July 12. Rev. J. E. Wilson officiated in marriage by Rev. J. E. Wilson.

On Thursday at the George street Baptist parsonage, Fredericton, Miss Mary Pearl Walker and Robert W. Hamilton, both of Penzance, were united in marriage by Rev. J. E. Wilson.

CHAPEL GROVE NOTES

Divine services were conducted in St. Bridget's church here on Sunday last by Rev. Joseph Borgmann, C.S.S.R. A large congregation was present, a great many having come from the city and other points in yachts and motor boats to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanton and family of the city, enjoyed a trip here on Sunday on their yacht the Robin Hood.

Those who have opened their cottages here for the summer are:—C. M. Coughlan and the Misses Coughlan, Miss Alice Barbour and her family, Mrs. Moran and Miss Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Haslett and family and the Misses McCann, C.S.S.R.

Frank Cronin of St. John, spent the week-end as guest of Thomas Martin's. Mrs. Porter and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Tiffany and Miss Mary Porter, of Lowell, Mass., are spending the summer with relatives here.

Friends of Mrs. Thomas Hughes will regret to hear of her sudden illness which visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kirk, Millville avenue. She is being attended by her sister, Miss Rene Kirk, professional nurse of Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards of St. John (West) are guests of Mrs. Mary R. Edwards, of this city.

E. J. O'Hara of St. John (North End) is visiting friends here.

Fred Pealin of the St. John Street Railway and Mrs. Pealin, have taken a house here for the summer.

Mrs. Margaret O'Hara and Miss Geraldine Cole of the city, were guests of the Misses Coughlan on last Sunday.

Mrs. Short and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Bolton and family, and Miss Hamilton of St. John, are staying at Shutesand Farm for a few weeks.

Miss Beatrice Edwards arrived home from Fredericton last week to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edwards.

Marysville, N. B. Knights of Pythias are starting to raise a fund in Marysville for a machine gun.

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

Held At Arm's Length

That's too far to hold your paper or book. It's a sure sign that you need glasses as it is to hold what you read only a few inches from the eyes.

It amounts to much more than the inconvenience of holding things at arm's length. It means a constant strain on the eyes, which, unless ended by properly fitted glasses, will result in serious sight troubles.