

GOOD THINGS COMING
TO THEATRES OF
ST. JOHN

THREE BIG PLAYS
FOR THE IMPERIAL

Constance Talmadge, Geraldine Farrar and Billie Burke Here Next Week

Commencing Monday with Commo Hamilton's noted novel "Scandal," the Imperial Theatre will present a powerful programme of screen productions next week. Constance Talmadge makes her debut to St. John people in this first programme and will undoubtedly establish herself as a favorite. "Scandal" is a story that will send out a stinging rebuke, a picture that should leave a salutary imprint upon the minds of many.

On Wednesday that famous prima donna soprano and cinematograph queen, Geraldine Farrar, will appear in a weird mystic entitled "The Devil-Stone," a story altogether different. It is not like her other wonder-pictures, but equally as absorbing and possibly more gripping. Wallace Reid and Hobart Bosworth support Miss Farrar in this play.

ST. JOHN ACTRESS AT GEM

A matter of special interest in the Gem's new programme for tonight, Monday and Tuesday is the appearance of an actress whose St. John gave to the American stage. She is Genevieve Blinn, who was Miss Nannary of Carleton, daughter of the late Wm. Nannary. She plays in the big Wm. Farnum picture, "Playing Fair," based on "The Ironmaster," also there is Billy West as Charlie Chaplin in "Back Stage," a two-reel comedy drama, and also an attractive vaudeville double specialty.

BIG SHOW AT PALACE

Monday and Tuesday The Palace Theatre has secured a special picture, entitled "The Greater Law," a novel story of the Yukon from the story by Lynn McDonald, starring Myrtle Gonzalez and Lawrence Peyton ("The Red Ace" star). It's a Blue Bird play, too. Along with this, the Palace will show in a lively two-act comedy.

GO EARLY

You will have to be early if you show to get a seat at the first show in the Nickel, Queen square, today. The biggest and best programme put on in the city. "The House of Mirrors," a big five-act drama, and the second chapter of "The Lost Express."

A ROMANTIC AND THRILLING PICTURE

Margaret Gibson, in the "Leopard's Bride," a romantic thriller drama of India, featuring the Famous Hotstock Animals, at the Nickel, Queen square, Monday and Tuesday.

MARRIAGES

CORRINGHAM-THOMSON — On March 6th, by Rev. H. C. Fraser, Francis Corringham, of Dublin, and Edith W. Thomson of St. John.

BIRTHS

SMITH — On March 7, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, 78 Somerset street — a son. GODSOE — On March 7, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Godsoe, 210 1/2 St. George street west, daughter. Died at age of three hours. SMITH — On March 7, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Smith, 78 Somerset street — a son. ARMOUR — On March 6, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Armour, 18 Johnston street — a son.

DEATHS

READ — Suddenly, in West St. John on the 8th inst., Mrs. Ada Harvey Read, wife of George Read, leaving her husband, one son and one daughter.

Funeral from her late residence, 163 Market Place, West St. John, on Sunday, service at 3 o'clock.

BOYLE — In this city, on the 17th inst. Mary, widow of John Doyle, aged 78 years, leaving two daughters and three brothers to mourn.

Funeral Sunday afternoon at 2.30 from her late residence, 99 Orange street. Friends invited to attend.

KNOWLES — At his residence, 62 St. Patrick street, on the 7th inst., after a long illness, Walter Knowles, aged 70 years, leaving his wife, three sons, three daughters and one brother to mourn.

Funeral on Sunday from his late residence, service at three-thirty o'clock.

WATSON — At the General Public Hospital on March 7, Rebecca, beloved wife of Fred Watson, 9 Marsh street, leaving besides her husband, three daughters, also four brothers and five sisters to mourn.

Funeral service will be held on Sunday afternoon in the Salvation Army hall, Brimley street, at 2.45 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM

McBAY — In loving memory of Mrs. Ida McBay, who passed away March 6, 1918.

We miss the smile, the tender love and care we once enjoyed.

HUSBAND AND FAMILY.

LEITCH — In loving memory of James N. Leitch, who departed this life on March 9, 1917.

WIFE AND FAMILY.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mrs. Michael McCann and family wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy in their recent and bereavement, also the members of the Plumbers' Association.

METROPOLITAN STAR'S
RECITAL HERE TUESDAY

Is it possible for a singer to hear a duet with herself?

Can a living voice and the same voice reproduced on an instrument be so identical in tone quality that they cannot be distinguished, one from the other?

Has science achieved a triumph that marks the dawn of a new day in the art of music?

These are some of the questions—questions in which every person of culture must take a deep interest—that will be answered at the exclusive musical recital to be given at the Imperial Theatre on Tuesday afternoon.

Invitations to this affair at which Madame Odette LeFontenay, the noted French operatic soprano, who last season was a member of the Metropolitan Opera Company, of New York, will sing, have been arranged by many prominent musicians in the city, and interest in the coming affair seems to be keen at musical circles.

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The appearance of Madame LeFontenay alone, of course, would be sufficient to arouse the enthusiasm of music lovers here, but the fact that she will lend her superb voice to the laudable work of revealing conclusively that manfully achieved achievement of the re-creation of musical sound has been attained adds immeasurably to the interest in the occasion.

In the coming recital which is being eagerly awaited by those who are fortunate enough to hold cards of admission, Madame LeFontenay will sing in comparison with her voice as re-created by the New Edison, to enable those in the audience to judge whether or not the living voice can be made to live forever.

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At times she will sing in unison with the re-creation of her voice at times she will sing duets with herself, carrying one part of the song with her living voice, and the other part with her re-created voice. The audience will try to pick the two golden threads of tone apart, to say when one lives for a moment and which one has been made immortal. Can it be done? This is the question the musicians of the city are asking themselves today.

It will be the most unique recital ever given here, both from a musical and scientific standpoint.

Madame LeFontenay will be ably assisted by Joe Glockner, violinist of rare distinction. Mr. Glockner is too well known to need any elaborate introduction, and the fact that he too will illustrate the perfection of Mr. Edison's New Musical Art lends added interest to the occasion.

TURRET CROWN, CUT OF COAL

ADRIFF ON THE ATLANTIC

An Atlantic Port, Mar. 9.—The British steamer Turret Crown, out of fuel, was reported adrift off the coast yesterday.

A wrecking tug sent to her assistance reported last night she had not succeeded in locating the vessel.

PERSONALS

Lieut.-Colonel A. E. Masie, who left St. John in 1915 as O. C. of the second divisional train is expected in St. John sometime in the very near future.

Premier and Mrs. W. E. Foster arrived home from Fredericton last evening to spend the week-end in the city.

Thomas Nagle returned to the city this afternoon from Ottawa.

Miss A. O'Neill of St. George is visiting Miss O'Neill, Main street.

Lieutenant-Governor Pugsley and Mrs. Pugsley returned to the city today from Fredericton.

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AUSTRIAN VIOLINIST NOT TO PLAY IN PUBLIC DURING WAR

New York, Mar. 9.—Fritz Kreisler, a noted Austrian violinist, whose appearance even in concerts held for charitable purposes has caused disapproval of several communities, yesterday cancelled all his engagements and announced that he would not appear before an American public until peace was declared.

ALBERTA PETITIONS THE UNION GOVERNMENT

Edmonton, Mar. 9.—The Alberta legislature yesterday passed a resolution petitioning the dominion government immediately to remove the import tariff from agricultural implements as a war measure and to have the minimum price fixed at once for the 1918 crop.

M. P. P. WITH ASSESSMENTS FOR NEWSPAPER WORK

Montreal, Mar. 9.—La Patrie announces that Arthur Sauve, M. P. P., leader of the Conservative opposition in the Quebec legislature, wants to start a weekly newspaper or political review, to be called La Minerve.

Equals World's Record

Philadelphia, Mar. 9.—A world's record was equaled at the Meadowbrook Club indoor athletic meet here last night when C. R. Erdman of Princeton University, won the 45 yards high hurdle handicap from scratch in six seconds flat.

Fire at Attleboro

Attleboro, Mass., Mar. 9.—Fire early today destroyed the Oddfellows block, a four story brick building, and the front of the Attleboro Hotel, which occupied the first two floors. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

IN WALL STREET

Profit taking yesterday's substantial rise caused irregularity at the opening of today's stock market. Reading, Union Pacific and United States Steel forfeited fractions, but other leaders were firm to strong.

Zbyzko Wins Match

Houston, Texas, Mar. 9.—Wladek Zbyzko won a one fall match from Yussif Hussane here last night with a flying mare in one hour and ten minutes. Hussane was knocked virtually unconscious, his head hitting the mat with terrific force.

Street Car Ran Away

Montreal, Mar. 8.—A street car jumped the track in Atwater avenue this morning, ran down a hill and collided with another car. A motorman was badly hurt and some of passengers badly shaken up.

PLANS SHAPING FOR
NORTON FLOUR MILL

Committee Appointed to Seek Government Assistance and to Canvass Farmers

A meeting of farmers of Norton and the vicinity was held last night in the temperance hall there to discuss the question of a co-operative flour mill.

The meeting was well attended and it was explained that the proposal was to build a mill which should be run by the farmers and owned by them, thus cutting out all middle-men's profits.

A committee consisting of John Jamieson, Dr. Dooley, William Reynolds, Dr. Gilchrist and Roy Wetmore was appointed to go to Fredericton and wait on the government to seek for financial assistance.

Messrs. Jamieson and Dooley were appointed a committee to circulate the prospectus of the mill among the farmers who might be interested and to report results to the problem of feed and flour, are determined to go ahead with the scheme.

ARRESTS IN MONTREAL
IN LOCAL HIDE CASE

John Francis Hayes and Stanley Herten to Be Brought Here

Chief of Police Simpson yesterday received information from Montreal that two men wanted in connection with the theft of wool from the Colonial Hide Company had been arrested there.

They are John Francis Hayes, brother of Harry Hayes, already on trial, and Stanley Herten. These men will be brought back to the city by Detective Sidomski, who left last night to get them.

Required for Health and Beauty

It is surprising that it is necessary to repeat again and again that the health and beauty of the skin require that the blood be pure. If the arteries of the skin receive impure blood, pimples and blotches appear, and the individual suffers from beauty to the skin. It gives external appearances are sometimes used for these affections, but will never have the desired effect while the cause of impure blood remains.

The indications are very clear that Hood's Sarsaparilla is the most successful medicine for purifying the blood, removing pimples and blotches, and giving health and beauty to the skin. It gives tone to all the organs and builds up the whole system. Insist on having Hood's Sarsaparilla when you ask for it. Don't take anything else.

PIN BOYS' LEAGUE

In the Y. M. C. I. pin-boys' league this morning the Junior Hawks won three points from the Junior Sparrows. The scores were as follows:

Junior Sparrows. T. H. Av. McCloskey . . . 66 69 291 67

Marr . . . 75 67 171 215 71

141 138 140 414

Junior Hawks. T. H. Av. Milan . . . 60 49 74 189 61

P. Harr . . . 88 78 74 237 79

145 127 148 420

AMERICAN MILLIONS TO MAKE BIG GUNS

Washington, Mar. 9.—Congress was asked today by the army ordnance bureau for an urgent deficiency appropriation of \$60,000,000 to the manufacture of ordnance, principally heavy guns.

Bowling Tournament

Cincinnati, Ohio, Mar. 8.—Sixth place in the individuals was the best that was pointed out by the bowlers rolling at the American Bowling Congress tournament here yesterday. This mark was made from scratch in six seconds flat.

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25c. tin Fat Herring in Sauce, 21c.

30c. tin Kippers in Sauce, 21c.

1 lb. pkgs. Cod in Sauce, 25c.

35c. tin Fresh Mackerel 31c.

1 lb. pkgs. Cod Bits 12c.

1 lb. pkgs. Starr Cod 17c.

Episcopus Herring 27c. lb.

15c. bottle Heaton's Pickles, 11c.

20c. bottle Peerless Mixed Pickles 17c.

20c. bottle Peerless Chow Pickles 17c.

15c. pkgs. Macaroni 12c.

4 lbs. Rolled Oats for 27c.

35c. pkgs. Quaker Oats 29c.

1 qt. Soya Beans 23c.

16 oz. tin Snider's Tomato Soup 15c.

Sept. Canadian Cheese 27c. lb.

Gilbert's Grocery

FORMER ST. JOHN
BANK MAN'S
KILLED IN WAR

Fredericton, Mar. 9.—Private W. Bruce Smith, only son of Fred B. Smith, local manager for the Western Union Telegraph Company, was killed in action in France on February 26. He was twenty-five years old, and had been a clerk with the Bank of Nova Scotia. At the time of his enlistment he was with that bank in St. John. He joined the 104th battalion, was stationed in Fredericton with C company and went overseas in the spring of 1916. In last August he was drafted to a New Brunswick battalion in France. At the front he had many narrow escapes. He is survived by his parents and one sister, all residing in Fredericton.

BRITISH PAPERS WILL BE
MORE HARD PRESSED THAN
EVER FOR NEWS-PRINT

London, Mar. 9.—Never before has the white paper situation in Great Britain been so serious and newspapers are regarding the future anxiously. The amount of news print available in the coming year will be only one-sixth of pre-war supplies. Newspapers have accepted the national necessity, but further tonnage has to be saved for food and raw materials, for munitions must have priority. Most papers are reducing the size or increasing the price, or both.

VATICAN ANXIOUS OVER ARTICLE
IN HUN TREATY WITH RUSSIANS

Washington, Mar. 9.—Vatican circles are aroused over an article in the British press regarding the return to Turkey of Armenian territory held by Russia, according to an official dispatch from Rome, and the papal secretary of state is reported to have directed the apostolic delegate at Constantinople to take steps to obtain formal assurances regarding the fate of the Christian population.

WAR NOTES

The Hamburger Fremdenblatt says it learns Germany has secured the privilege of utilizing the Roumanian petroleum industry, and thus hopes to be independent in this respect of the United States.

The Vienna Fremdenblatt says the Ukrainian government is endeavoring to deliver to the Central Powers by the middle of March 30,000 carloads of grain, 1,200 carloads of sugar, 2,000 carloads of frozen meat and 1,000 carloads of dried fruit.

The outlook in Sweden for foodstuffs and fueling grain is reported disquieting. Bearing personal dispatches from the Emperor of Japan to President Wilson, a Japanese military mission arrived at the Swedish school of staff to study industrial mobilization.

APPLICATION FOR A
RECEIVER FOR ROYAL
ACADEMY DISMISSED

St. Louis, Mar. 9.—An application for a receiver to administer the affairs of the Royal Academy Order was dismissed yesterday by Judge Dwyer in the United States district court on motion of the defendants.

C. F. Adams, humorist, died.

Boston, Mar. 8.—Charles Foster Adams, one of the last of the humorists of a generation ago, died suddenly at his home in the Roxbury district yesterday. He was seventy-six years of age.

"TIZ" GLADDENS
SORE, TIRED FEET

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LOCAL NEWS

Wanted, boy for steward's department. Apply Royal Hotel. 74881-8-11

J. Wiesel returned today after a visit to the leading shoe centres.

Bracelet watches at auction at The Optical Shop, 107 Charlotte street, tonight.

New laid eggs at all Lancaster Dairy Stores, 65 cents dozen.

Place your order for your made-to-order suit and overcoat for Easter early. Turn, out of high rent district, 450 Main.

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Diamond rings at auction at The Optical Shop, 107 Charlotte street, tonight.

Thursday, March 14, grand shamrock concert and social St. Philip's Sunday school indicates large attendance. Come witness good programme. Admission 10 cents.

Photo-Special line for Easter, from \$8 a dozen up; open nights, 7 to 8—Lugrin Studio, 88 Charlotte street.

Railway men's shirts in dark blue, with two collars, at Corbett's, 194 Union street.

Save Louis Green's coupons; they are valuable. You get them with every purchase of smokers' goods at 89 Charlotte street, and they are redeemable in beautiful gifts.

Gents' watches at auction at The Optical Shop, 107 Charlotte street, tonight.

MILLINERY OPENING

J. & J. Manson, 51 Charlotte street, announce their spring millinery opening for Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Come to the West Side S. C. A. Shamrock Tea in the "Fremont Boys" hall, Tuesday, March 19.

RECITAL

Recital at Art Club, Peel street, on Tuesday evening, March 19, under auspices of Seven Seas Chapter, I. O. O. E. Admission 25 cents.

Silverware at auction at The Optical Shop, 107 Charlotte street, tonight.

MEETING

The members of Eldon L. O. L. No. 2, are requested to meet at the residence of their late brother, Walter Knowles, 62 St. Patrick street, on Sunday afternoon, March 10, at 3 o'clock. Members of sister lodges cordially invited to attend.

IMPORTANT MEETING

The Prohibition Law Enforcement League will meet at the Y. M. C. A., Monday, March 18, at 8 p. m. Important business to come before the meeting. All members are urged to attend. By order, Rev. W. R. Robinson, President.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB

Rev. F. Best of military Y. M. C. A. will address the Women's Canadian Club in Lyric Theatre on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The War and the Women." Tickets 25 cents.

MASS MEETING AT IMPERIAL THEATRE

Capt. I. F. Best, who spent two years with the Y. M. C. A. in France, will address a mass meeting in the Imperial Theatre on Tuesday evening, March 19, at 8 p. m. The Depot Battalion Band will be in attendance. Doors open at 8.30 p. m.

WEST-SIDERS, ATTENTION!

Rev. F. Patrick Denison will deliver his "Bible of the West-Siders" at the Baptist church, west end, at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of the Sunday school, subject, "The Bible of the West-Siders." This is one of Mr. Denison's finest addresses, and all should hear it. Special music.

FLOWER SALE, WRONG SIDE OF STREET

This will be our third week-end sale at pre-war prices. Those who were disappointed last week should call early and secure choicest blooms. Best roses, 81 per doz; carnations, 50c per doz; gerberas, 50c per doz; Poeticus and Narcissi, 25c per dozen. Dahlias and tulips, 40c. Remember we are on the wrong side of Charlotte street, but in right side by flower buyers, as we grow our own at green houses on the Sandy point, where the public can visit and be convinced for themselves.—K. Pedersen, Ltd., 68 Charlotte street.

EXTENSION COURSE IN HOME ECONOMICS

Under auspices of Housewives League, the extension course will begin at 9 a. m. Tuesday, 12th, in the school room at 125 St. John street, west end. The home nursing health and cooking classes are limited only by the seating capacity of room, which is about 250. No fee or charge of any sort is asked but best seats, etc., will be given to members of Housewives League. Every woman in the city is invited to be present at all or part of the course. Notes given out at close of lectures will be incomplete, therefore bring pencils and note books. Changes will be made in the time table to suit St. John women and will be announced when arranged on Monday.

WRAP THE BREAD

A grocer speaking to a Times reporter today quoted a veteran man from one of the bakeries in favor of having the bread wrapped in paper to do the work. He said that the new department of soldiers' civil re-establishment is announced. He is a director of the invalided soldiers' commission.

There is again talk of a strike in the Drumheller coal field in the Canadian west.

Wooden shipbuilding on Puget Sound is reported threatened with a tie-up by the refusal of 185 members of the Caulkers Union to permit apprentices to work with them and learn the trade.

A Big Year

Toronto, Mar. 8.—Ontario's mineral production during 1917 marks a high-water point. The total amounted to \$71,000,948, an increase of \$5,757,120, compared with 1916.

Douglas Glass Dead

Toronto, Mar. 8.—Douglas Glass, who was prominent in banking circles until his retirement from the staff of the Bank of Montreal ten years ago, died from heart disease last night at his home here.