

CANADIAN RE-CONSTRUCTION



A special committee of the Dominion Cabinet has been formed to deal with the problems of re-construction after the war in Canada. It is composed of Hon. Sir James Loughheed (chairman), Hon. T. A. Côté, Minister of Agriculture; Hon. Arthur Meighen, Minister of Interior; Hon. G. D. Robertson, Minister of Labor; Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Colonization and Immigration; and Hon. N. W. Rowell, president of the Privy Council. These gentlemen are busy grappling with the many problems, industrial, agricultural and transportation, which will arise from the demobilization of the soldiers and sailors and the transfer of the munition workers to other occupations.

World, the Imperial Theatre management suspends its own picture policy for six days, next week, to allow Messrs. Jule and Jay J. Allen, D. W. Griffith's Canadian representatives, to screen for the people of St. John and vicinity the world's cinema classic—a human document of the late war, reverential, soul-stirring and inspiring, that with symphonic orchestral treatment will mark a new era in moving picture production in this part of Canada. On Dec. 16th Imperial will resume its usual program.

CHILD ARTIST IN "HEARTS OF THE WORLD."
Children of the stage and the motion picture are ever a constant wonder to grown-ups. The latest juvenile wonder to be seen on the screen is Master Ben Alexander, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander, of Pasadena, California, who appears as The Little Brother in D. W. Griffith's "Hearts of the World," at the Imperial next week. This little fellow, so small that he appears almost a babe in arms, truly is a wonderful child actor. While "Hearts of the World" has been a tremendous triumph for Mr. Griffith, for the beautiful Lillian and Dorothy Gish, and for its managers, Messrs. Elliott, Constock and Gest, surely when the final score is counted, all who have seen this remarkable production will give credit to little Ben as being wholly worthy of the Order of Merit and the War Cross for bravery.

CURTAIN AT IMPERIAL AT 8:15 TONIGHT
Persons having tickets for the performance of "Turn To The Right" at the Imperial tonight are respectfully requested to be in their seats at 8:15 as the opening lines of the story are quiet and important and interruptions would spoil them. Tomorrow's matinee starts at 2:30. The sale of seats for it is large, a heavy booking being made this forenoon. The sale for Thursday night is quite as large as for tonight.

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You are insured against corns and bunions by the purchase of a single 25c bottle of Putnam's Corn Extractor; it cures painlessly in 24 hours. Try Putnam's Extractor, 25c. at all dealers.

LABOR CANDIDATES SPEAK.
A large crowd gathered last night at Oddfellows' Hall, West St. John, where a mass meeting of voters was held in sympathy with the recall movement. The candidates selected by the recall committee, J. B. Jones and John Thornton, with some others, addressed the meeting and they were well received. The candidates then went to the coal handlers' meeting and received permission to address the gathering for a time.

FIRST FOOD SHIP REACHES GIBRALTAR
Washington, Dec. 4.—The first of the fleet of ships carrying 270,000 tons of food for the relief of European peoples has arrived at Gibraltar and has been ordered to proceed with its cargo to southern Europe.

GREEKS REJOICE AS TROOPS ENTER TURKISH CAPITAL
Soloniki, Dec. 3.—Reports received here from Constantinople describe the rejoicing there by the hundreds of thousands of Greek residents when the Allied soldiers and sailors among whom were Greek representatives, entered the Ottoman capital recently.

The Greeks held a parade, singing the Greek national anthem as they marched, evincing their joy at being freed from Turkish rule by the arrival of the Allied forces.

EXPECT ALLIES TO OCCUPY GERMANY
London, Dec. 3.—Marshall Foch has sent a new ultimatum to the German armistice delegates demanding that Germany give up the rest of the locomotives agreed to, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

Mathias Erzberger, leader of the German armistice commission, protested that it was impossible and asked for a respite. The ultimatum expired Monday forenoon with what result it has not been learned.

London, Dec. 3.—A Reuter dispatch

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from Berlin today confirms the delivery of the ultimatum. The time limit of which is twenty-four hours. It says Mathias Erzberger (of the German armistice commission), offered to deliver all the locomotives as soon as they were repaired. The German newspapers, adds the dispatch, point out that there is no hope of prolonging the armistice and that it is likely the Allies will occupy Germany.

John E. Adams.

John E. Adams, aged thirty-three, a highly respected resident of the North End, died last evening at his residence, 555 Main street, after a short illness. He went overseas with the 104th Battalion, but owing to ill-health did not reach France. He leaves his wife and an infant daughter.

STIR YOUR TEA
Stir the pot of Tea a minute or so before pouring. This evenly distributes the tea leaves, but is lying mostly at the bottom of the pot. You will then get the full flavor from your tea. And the delightful fragrance of the infused leaves. Note also the rich color of the tea poured—both indications of unusual quality.

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Representative of British Seamen in United States Seeking Co-operation of Workers on This Side of the Water

New York, Dec. 4.—The New York Sun this morning prints the following: "The Germans themselves fixed the limit of the seven years boycott that British seamen have voted to impose, according to Captain Edward Tupper, executive counselor of the National Sailors and Firemen's Union of Great Britain and Ireland, who came to the United States Monday for the purpose of urging the laboring millions of America to join the boycott on German commerce."

"The original boycott was for two years, beginning Sept. 1917, but the proviso placed an additional penalty of a month's extension of the ban for each crime committed on the high seas thereafter against international law. German wolves of the sea continued the slaughter of helpless fishermen escaping from trawlers, firing on seamen in lifeboats, and piled up five years of additional punishment before the armistice checked them."

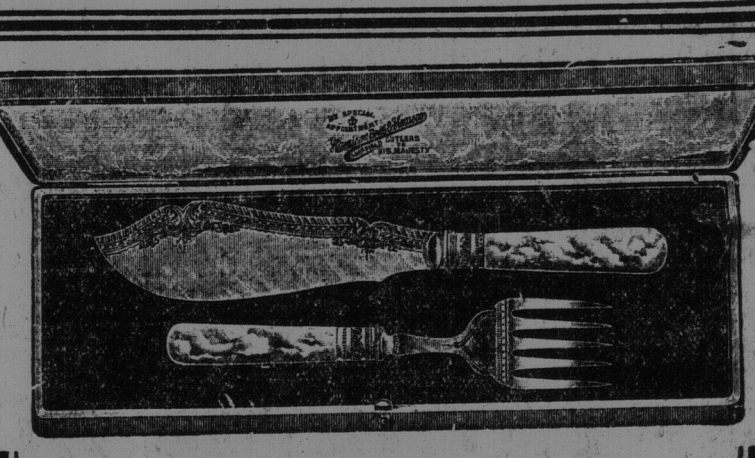
Captain Tupper held a conference with the leaders of the seamen of this country last night in Father McGrath's mission in West street, and later lectured in the Broadway Tabernacle. "Only the Bolsheviks of England oppose our boycott," he declared, "and they represent only five per cent of the working men of the United Kingdom. The other 95 per cent of British labor is loyal and that number, comprising about 11,000,000, stand back of the boycott. Their Programme. "We propose doing three things: Officers will not salute the German flag in any port; no Germans will be employed on British ships, and no German cargo will be handled for seven years. And this is our reason: 'Britishers have not squealed when men were killed in battle, but when they have been brutally massacred we are fired with a determination that justice be done.' "Our seamen have suffered cruel punishment. A month before the war fishermen were taken from trawlers and flogged through the streets of Germany. They were returned in exchange of prisoners during the war. "Captured seamen were taken on board submarines, the U-boats would dive and drown the men. Lifeboats of missing merchantmen were found filled with machine gun bullets. One seaman was found with thirty-three bullets in his body. "Treated Germans Fairly. "The English treated German sailors fairly. No like hate was shown. We had several thousand of them taken care of at the beginning of the war, men who worked on British boats, but were not subjects of the nation. We gave them all liberties, having them guarded only by boy scouts, until the day the Lusitania was sunk. "We were to have had a concert for them that night and I announced that the concert would be postponed because of the sinking. A few minutes after I left the building they burst into shouting for Germany and sang their national songs. Then they were turned over to the military authorities. "Now we want the United States to take the same stand. We demand justice. The seamen of Great Britain, numbering 250,000, have passed a resolution that the Kaiser be handed over to an international tribunal for trial by a certain date, or these sailors and firemen will take what action they think necessary."

Captain Tupper would not say whether this threatened action was a strike. In connection with Captain Tupper's visit to this country, representatives of the American union will sail for England Monday.

NEWS OF THE SOLDIERS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Good, of Big River, near Bathurst, have received a letter from Brigadier General G. S. Tunford of the 3rd Can. Infantry brigade, stating that their son, Corporal Herman J. Good, a member of the 13th Battalion, has been awarded the Victoria Cross for most conspicuous bravery.

Rev. G. A. Kuhring and Mrs. Kuhring have received word that their son, Gustav, who was recently wounded, received his wounds while performing a very gallant act for which he was mentioned in despatches. He volunteered, with others, to go through a barrage and find a position for the guns and for an observation post. He safely accomplished his mission and was returning when wounded.



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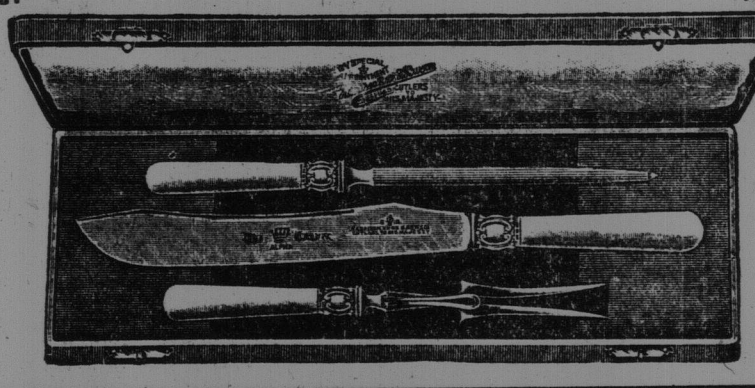
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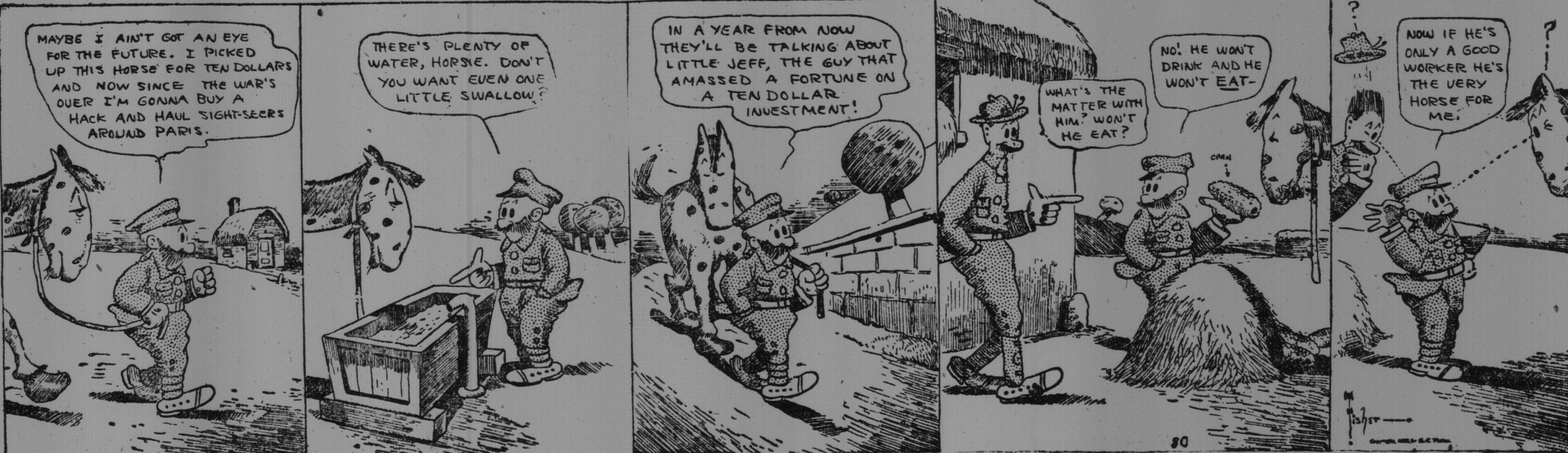
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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

METRO PLAY SHOWS PLANTATION LIFE

Over two hundred Georgia "dickies" picking cotton in the fields on a plantation will be seen in "The Voice of Conscience," a Metro wonder-play, co-starring Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne, which will be shown at the Palace Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday.

WM. FARNUM AT THE GEM TONIGHT

Tonight the Gem will present Wm. Farnum in "Rough and Ready," one of the new series of big pictures by the big stars. William Farnum, of course, is the favorite of everyone with any knowledge of "Who's Who on Stage and Screen." He is without a peer in his field and has long been established as America's most popular dramatic star. "Rough and Ready" fits him like a glove. Mr. Farnum's leading lady is petite Violet Palmer. Bill Stratton, whom Mr. Farnum portrays, is a man whose heart is as big and as clear as the great, cold Northland into which he goes to forget a lost love. He reaches Yellow Gulch, a rough mining settlement perched in the snows, to rest from the weariness of the trail, and there wonderful things develop. It's a great live reel picture. Altogether New Weekly and Fatty Arbuckle comedy. A bang-up good bill tonight at 7:15 and 8:45.

MAGICAL AND ILLUSION AT THE OPERA HOUSE

A topic of general interest at the Opera House this week among the audience is now Francis Scott and his assistant change places in the illusion act—the small cabinet being in plain view on all four sides and the bottom raised from the floor so there is no chance for concealment there—nothing but silken curtains on the sides—yet one step in, the curtains are lowered for just a second, and presto, the man is gone, another chap has taken his place and the first man comes walking from the wings—all done while you are thinking about it. In addition to the magical and illusion feature, there are four other good acts on the programme, with lots of good singing, dancing, musical features, and plenty of hearty laughs. This evening at 7:30 and 9; afterwards at 2:30.

IMPERIAL'S POLICY NEXT WEEK

In order to present the extraordinary pictorial attraction, "Hearts of the World,"

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning
Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of Limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

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