

THE HOME
THE WORLD

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES
THE PLAYERS

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

FRANCES WILLARD DAY
WAS CELEBRATED

W. C. T. U. Held Interesting Meeting Yesterday at Residence of Mrs. Charles Hutchings.

The W. C. T. U. met yesterday by invitation at the home of Mrs. Charles Hutchings, 188 Carmarthen street. It was known as the Frances Willard Day and there was a large number present. The first hymn composed by Frances Willard entitled "A Charge To Keep I Have" was sung, after which Mrs. Seymour read the first chapter of John, which was the first chapter of Frances Willard memorized. After a short session of prayer a paper was read on "Cost of Discipleship," this was given in paragraph. The president, Mrs. Hipwell, read an interesting paper on Frances Willard's life. Mrs. Morton Smith gave a reading entitled "Memory," which was composed by Frances Willard. Mrs. Donald MacPherson gave a beautiful reading entitled "The Hidden Robe." A talk on "Rest" was given by Rev. Mr. Penna, who took his remarks from Hebrew 4:11. A solo, "Does Jesus Care" was rendered by Mrs. Wilcox, after which the White Ribbon hymn, "Some Glad Day," composed by Miss Willard, was sung, and this was followed by a piano solo by Miss Fox. Mrs. Corbett, the president of the North End Union, gave a helpful talk on L. T. L. work. Refreshments were served, and after the singing of Blessed Be the Tie That Binds, the meeting was brought to a close with the pronouncing of the benediction.

WEST SIDE S. C. A.

The regular meeting of the West Side Soldiers' Comforts Association was held last evening. Owing to the absence of the President, the chair was occupied by Mrs. W. Tobin. It was

reported that 73 parcels were sent last Friday to soldiers overseas. Owing to the absence of a number of the members, special business which was to have been taken up was postponed until the next meeting.

GET RID
OF THAT FAT

Free Trial Treatment on Request Ask also for my "pay-when-reduced" offer. My treatment has often reduced at the rate of a pound a day. No dieting, no exercise, absolutely safe and sure method. Mrs. E. Bateman writes: "I have taken your treatment and it is wonderful how it reduces. It does just as you say. I have reduced a pound a day and feel fine. Mrs. Anna Schmidt writes: 'I weighed 178 pounds before I started your treatment and I now weigh 138 pounds. You may print this if you like.'"

REJECTS GOVERNMENT'S
MAN POWER PROPOSAL

Amalgamated Society of Engineers Votes it Down, 121-017 to 27,470.

London, Feb. 19.—The Amalgamated Society of Engineers, according to a statement issued today by the secretary of the society, has rejected the government's manpower proposals by 93,547 votes.

The figures were:—For the government proposal, 27,470; against 121,017.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Dr. H. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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In Use For Over 30 Years
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ENJOYABLE TIME
AT CASTLE HALL

Knights of Pythias Celebrated 54th Anniversary with Enjoyable Entertainment—K. of P. Honor Roll Unveiled.

The members of the Knights of Pythias of the city had a gala time last evening when representatives of Union, New Brunswick and St. John lodges assembled in Castle Hall to celebrate the 54th anniversary of the order. The celebration took the form of a concert in which some of the best local talent appeared and which was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience present. The programme included an address by R. Slipp, Grand Chancellor of the Grand Lodge of the Maritime Provinces, vocal solos by Miss Gladys Grant, Miss Louise Knight, Thomas Guy and DeWitt Kearns, violin selections by Prof. W. C. Bowden, readings by A. E. McGinley and instrumental selections by the 28th band, all of which were heartily enjoyed. During the evening P. Chancellor F. A. Kinnear officiated at the unveiling of the Knights of Pythias honor roll. More than 100 members of the three city lodges are now in khaki serving the King and Empire.

\$10,000,000 BLOCK
FOR CUNARD LINE

Will Erect Great American Headquarters in New York on 48,000 Square Feet of Land.

New York, Feb. 19.—Announcement is made here today by the Cunard Line of plans for a ten storey office building to cost between ten and fifteen million dollars, as its permanent American headquarters. The new building will be located on lower Broadway on a site opposite Bowling Green. The property secured for the building approximates 48,000 square feet and is considered among the most desirable in the city.

MARRIAGES

MacFARLAND-KALLAR.—At the Parsonage, West End, Feb. 14, 1918, by the Rev. J. H. Jenner, William Edward MacFarland to Edith Irene Kallar, both of French Village, N. B.

DEATHS.

O'BRIEN.—In this city, on the 16th inst., Minnie, wife of J. P. O'Brien, after a brief illness, leaving husband and two sons to mourn.

Funeral on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from her late residence, 206 Metcalfe street, to St. Peter's Church for Requiem High Mass. Friends invited to attend.

PARKER.—At Yarmouth, N. S., on the 17th inst., after a brief illness, Enos R. Parker, leaving his wife and one son to mourn.

Funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon from his late home in Yarmouth, N. S.

GRANNAN.—At his residence, 267 Douglas Avenue, on Sunday, February 17, Philip Grannan, leaving his wife, three sons and two daughters to mourn.

Funeral Wednesday morning at 9.30, to St. Peter's Church for Solemn Requiem High Mass at 10 o'clock.

McGAW.—At her late residence 169 Victoria street, on the 18th inst., Rachel H. wife of James A. McGaw, leaving her husband, one son, four daughters, one brother and three sisters to mourn.

Funeral notice later.

MANITOBA GOVT
IS DEFENDED

Minister of Finance Claims it Has Effected Saving of \$2,000,000.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 19.—Quoting statistics in support of his contention, Don Edward Brown, minister of finance in the Norris government, defended the provincial administration of the past three years in the Chamber last evening. He said that the old government had been forced to resign because it could not carry on financially and comparing the basis of the old administration with that of the new, the latter had effected a saving of \$2,000,000 for the province of Manitoba.

SHEDIAC

Shediac, Feb. 15.—Among many highly successful patriotic functions was the Valentine Tea given by the Bachelor Maids of the Red Cross Society in Tipperary Hall, on Tuesday evening. Very pretty and attractive the hall looked in its valentine decorations, with the effective color scheme of red and white, being prominent on the walls, table appointments, and in the dress of the young ladies taking part. The tea was in charge of Miss Hilda Tait, Miss Elsie Jardine and Miss Lena Melanson, assisted by Miss Lena Pickup, who poured tea and coffee. The young ladies to serve were Miss Margaret Evans, the

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GRIN!
LAUGH!
ROAR!
SCREAM!

FROM START TO FINISH

CHARLIE CHAPLIN

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Drama—"The Woman"

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THOS. H. INCE'S OUTSTANDING MASTERPIECE—

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MATINEES 3 P. M.—2 EVENING PERFORMANCES, 8.45, 8.45.

PRICES—

Afternoon and Ev'g.—Balcony, 15c.; Lower Floor, 25c.; Mat.—Children, 10c.

NEXT WEEK WINSTON CHURCHILL'S "THE CRISIS"

FIVE CENTS

THE NICKEL

Queen Square Theatre

TODAY AND THURSDAY

GAIL KANE in a Comedy Drama, "THE UPPER CRUST," in which Mollie U. Toole (Gail Kane) refuses the love of the millionaire for the chauffeur, only to learn her choice also is a millionaire.

WATCH FOR OUR BIG SERIAL COMING SOON.

Misses Tait, the Misses Lawton, Miss B. Harper, Miss Jardine, Miss E. Melanson, Miss Frier, Miss G. Smith and Miss Patrice and Miss Drillo. The home cooking was looked after by Miss G. Evans and Miss Weddall. Miss Harper collected the tickets. The receipts were in the vicinity of \$53. An interesting feature of the occasion was a display of war relics brought from overseas by Lieut. Maurice O'Connor. The latter very kindly gave information concerning them to all who visited that department. During Lieut. O'Connor's stay in our midst his many friends have been glad to royally welcome him, and he has been a guest of honor at a number of very pleasant social events. In his honor Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Murray entertained at a dinner party to a number of returned heroes. Later in the evening other guests assembled and a musical and dance took place. Among strangers present were Lieut. W. Mason, recently from "Over There" and Miss McDermott of Moncton.

A very enjoyable snowshoe party and supper was the function at which Miss Elsie Jardine entertained in honor of the returned soldier. The guests enjoyed a musical programme and dance, after the return from the tramp over the fields, and the merry party closed the evening with the singing of well known selections.

On Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Livingstone entertained at a dinner and evening party for Lieut. O'Connor. The function was much enjoyed by the ladies and gentlemen present. A musical, dance and guessing contest took place. Miss Minnie Tait was the most successful contestant, won a pretty souvenir.

On Tuesday evening at her home Main street, Mrs. W. A. Flowers gave a card party to Lieut. O'Connor and a number of his young lady and gentlemen friends. Prizes fell to Miss B. Lawton and the guest of honor.

Strangers present included Mr. and Mrs. W. O'Connor of New York. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Macdonald and Miss Beatrice Harper went to St. John on Wednesday to be a few days in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O'Connor, of New York, and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, of Newcastle, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tait, "Elmbank."

Miss Laura Bray, Albert, is the guest of Mrs. J. C. Bray, Sackville street.

Hon. E. A. Smith is in Fredericton. Mrs. Macdougall, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Flowers, left town recently to spend some time in the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schaeffer are at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith.

Mayor White is expected home this week from a trip to Cuba.

Mrs. L. J. Belliveau, who is the guest of relatives in River du Loup, is expected home this week.

LABOR ENQUIRY

Halifax, Feb. 19.—J. C. Watt, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, and John W. Bruce, of Toronto, international representative of the Journeymen Plumbers

and Steam Fitters of America, are in the city and it is understood that while here they will investigate reports of unsatisfactory conditions in labor circles which have arisen during the past month.

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