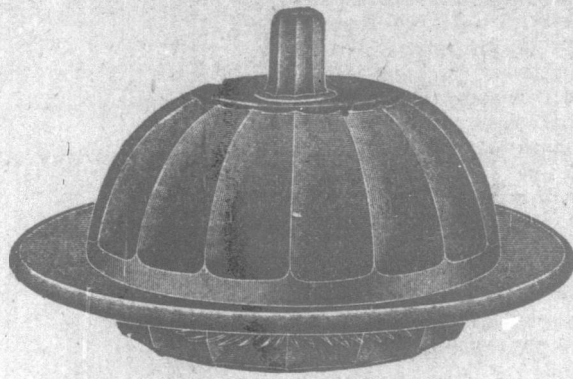


## A 4-Piece Table Set Bargain



A covered Butter Dish of medium size like the cut shown above, a Sugar Dish to match, handled Spoon Holder and nicely shaped Cream Jug of clear sparkling glass.

**95¢ is the price**

This is but a single hint from the Crockery Department, where is the biggest assortment of Glassware to be found anywhere in St. John's.

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mar 3, 1924

## VITAL STATISTICS.

### CITY OF ST. JOHN'S—WITHIN THE LIMITS.

Total number of births for month of February, 1924	102	Deaths from five years and over	33
Total number of deaths for month of February, 1924	50	CAUSE—	
Deaths under one month	6	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4
CAUSE—		Phthisis Pulmonalis	1
Convulsions	1	General Tuberculosis	1
Infantile	1	Carcinoma of Bowel	1
Bronchitis	1	Carcinoma of Intestine	1
Congenital Deblity	2	Periculous Anaemia	1
		Uraemic Poisoning	1
		Paralysis	2
		Cerebral Apoplexy	1
		Endocarditis	1
		Heart Bloc	1
Deaths under one year	9	Valvular Heart Disease	2
CAUSE—		Myocarditis	5
Whooping Cough	1	Syncope	1
Measles	1	Pleuro-Pneumonia	1
Congenital Lues	2	Ulcer of Stomach	1
Convulsions	1	Cardio Renal Disease	1
Bronchitis	2	Chronic Otitis Media	1
Pneumonia	1	Puerperal Septicemia	1
Congenital Deblity	1	Gunshot Wound Abdomen	1
		Senility	3
		Dropsy	1
Deaths from one to five years	2		
CAUSE—			
Broncho-Pneumonia	2		

### COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Years	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924
Total number of births for month of Feb.	105	91	90	106	102
Total number of deaths for month of Feb.	47	61	57	57	50
Deaths under one month	8	4	6	3	6
Deaths under one year	2	10	4	11	9
Deaths from one to five years	2	2	2	9	2
Deaths from five years and over	35	45	25	34	33

W. J. MARTIN,  
Registrar General.

### Coming Down to Earth.

London Express: If Mr. MacDonald will bury his red flag bogeys and treat the business of the State from a business point of view; if he will continue in the terms of moderation now adopted, which are naturally suspected in view of the heavy

leaving of Red stuff in his party composition, there may still be a chance of winning the confidence of the nation, which is perfectly ready to give the Labor Party an opportunity to produce prosperity and contentment. But we shall want more than mere phrases about dreamland. This is a practical world, and dreams do not butter parsnips.

## Just Received.

NEW DANISH CABBAGE  
YELLOW GLOBE ONIONS  
100-lb. Bags.

FANCY SUNKIST ORANGES  
176 and 216.

FLORIDA GRAPE FRUIT  
—64's—

FLORIDA TOMATOES  
EXTRA FANCY WINESAP APPLES  
125's and 138's.

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PHONE 549.

**John Rossiter.**

dec 3, 1924

### Portraits Presented

At the adjourned annual meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society, held yesterday, W. J. Higgins, Esq., K.C. presiding, Messrs. M. J. O'Mara and W. S. Dunphy, on behalf of the Portrait Committee, presented two beautiful oil paintings of past presidents. They were, Sir Joseph Ignatius Little, late Chief Justice, and John T. O'Mara, Esq. The former occupied the Presidential Chair for four years, only retiring when appointed to the Supreme Bench in 1884. Sir Joseph, who was greatly esteemed by all classes in the community, acted on two occasions as Administrator of the Colony.

Mr. O'Mara occupied the chair for two years, during which time he regrettably passed away. He, however, was first to introduce the club-rooms, theatricals, etc., and also, some three of four months previous to the big fire of 1882, was instrumental in having considerably increased the insurance on St. Patrick's Hall, which building was completely destroyed on that occasion.

The picture of Sir Joseph Little was donated by Hon. Daniel A. Ryan, M.L.C. and that of John T. O'Mara, Esq., by William J. Haller, Esq.

### "A Woman's Woman"

News of paramount interest to motion picture theatre goers is contained in the announcement by the management of the Majestic Theatre that the widely discussed and much heralded photoplay, "A Woman's Woman," with Mary Alden in the leading feminine role, and supported by an all-star cast, has been booked as the feature attraction for three days.

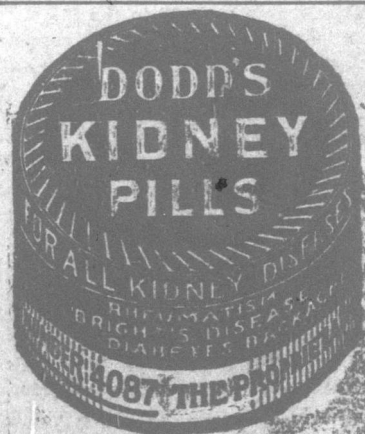
"A Woman's Woman" tells an actually truthful story of that sort of inner home life that is to be found every day everywhere, whether it be in Main Street, Gopher Prairie, or in the exclusive social circles of the bigger cities. And from all who have seen this remarkable picture come words of praise for production, story, star and cast, direction and photography. Patrons of the Majestic have a genuine screen treat awaiting them.

"A Woman's Woman" is a Charles Giblyn production, and a film adaptation of Mrs. Nalbro Bartley's Saturday Evening Post story of the same title. Indeed, so closely does the picture follow the story that the screen character have the same names as those in Mrs. Bartley's story. It tells the story of a woman, who after twenty years of married life finds herself facing a choice of two paths. Will she continue to accept the role of the unpaid domestic drudge, who has sacrificed everything for husband and children except her own personal ideals, or will she cease to be the homemaker, branch out and keep pace with the times.

The Zylos will be seen and heard in their final performances to-day and to-morrow, and a splendid program is prepared.

### Coin Collectors Will Bid on Robber Baron's Loot

Halle, Germany, Feb. 3 (A.P.)—Back in 1701 a certain German baron whose principal vocation was the robbery of passing travellers, secreted some of his loot in the castle walls, and then died before he had a chance to spend it. Thus it was that one Wilhelm Kraas, of this generation, is today the owner of a fine collection of old coins. He became possessed of the castle which is near Eberbach, and discovered the baron's hoard. The collection is really interesting and valuable, and consists of 1,150 specimens. Mr. Kraas is going to sell them all at auction, and expects coin collectors from all over Europe to attend the sale.



## MAJESTIC



## The ZYLOS

in a combination of Latest Musical Hits, including some

## Old Time Favourites

### Scandal

(By a Psychologist.)

Scandal, which we should like to think of as being confined to the mentally and morally weak, occurs nevertheless among people of all classes and all degrees of intelligence.

Nor can we console ourselves with the thought that it is commoner among savages, as everything points to its being a product of civilisation. Savages, it is true, are good and constant liars, as, like children, they are keenly imaginative, but they rarely calumniate one another.

No doubt this is partly because they can express their displeasure by direct action and therefore do not have to resort to backbiting. For the same reason, though men are by no means free from it, scandal is more common among women.

Owing to the fact that it is more often a clever distortion of the truth rather than a direct falsehood, scandal spreads with incredible rapidity and has a long life.

There is always a certain amount of difficulty in sifting the truth of any matter, but scandal can be accepted without any effort. Unfortunately, few of us really ever go to the bottom of the things, either pleasant or unpleasant, which we hear about our neighbours. Hence it comes about that we not uncommonly give as our own opinion that which we have heard from others.

Jealousy is probably the driving force behind all scandal. In civilised life we rarely enter into bodily combat, but we are nevertheless in keen competition with one another in the struggle for our daily bread. For the manly man there is always the lust of the fight, even in civilisation; but certain miserable people, more especially women, dislike keenly all those who are more favourably circumstanced than themselves.

It is not necessary that the people they scandalise should have done them any direct harm—on the contrary, they may even have incurred their rancour by doing them a good turn. Their fault is that they have been more successful in life. Few of us pass through life untouched by scandal, and we should always be on the lookout to prevent even its accidental spread.—Daily Mail.

### Iceberg Freaks

Blown to Pieces by Air.

Icebergs are full of air, which has nestled in the midst of these huge frozen masses for hundreds of years, and which blows them to pieces when they reach warmer temperatures, according to Professor Barnes, of McGill University, dealing with this subject before members of the Rotary Club here.

Professor Barnes illustrated his lecture with many beautiful lantern slides showing the various formation of the bergs, which represent anything from the face of a child to a sleeping dog.

The colours of bergs, he explained,

## A Wonderful Picture at the STAR To-day

LOIS WEBER'S TREMENDOUS PRODUCTION, taken from the famous story

## "JEWEL"

ASK YOURSELF THESE QUESTIONS:

1. Can the Gorgeous Surroundings of Glittering Wealth Compensate for an Empty Heart?
2. Can one win back Love and Innocence what Hatred and Selfishness have destroyed?
3. Can one build a new Future on the ruins of a dead Past?
4. What was the chapter in her life that she kept from her husband?

## See the Sensational Jewel Production in Eight Parts

A CHAPTER IN HER LIFE.

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COMING:—THE HERO—The Thriller of Thrillers, WILLIAM DUNCAN, in SMASHING BARRIERS, and—? ? ? OH BOY! Will tell you Later! But, But, Well, Wait and See.

## In the Realms of Sport

### COMMERCIAL BOWLING LEAGUE—SATURDAY'S SCORES.

Imp. Tobacco Co. vs. Customs.	Imp. Tobacco Co.	1	2	3	Tot.
Imp. Tobacco Co.	115	166	190	441	
W. McCordle	87	113	94	294	
H. Renouf	85	88	91	264	
L. Young	128	97	100	325	
C. McKay	415	464	445	1324	

### Co-Operative Venture a Failure.

Chicago, Feb. (C.P.)—The recent sale of the Midland Packing Plant at Sioux City, Iowa, marks the final stage of the "most gigantic co-operative fiasco in all ages," according to Everett C. Brown, President of the Chicago Livestock Exchange. The plant was sold by order of the Federal Court for \$622,500. The plant cost about \$3,000,000, Mr. Brown said, and is a total loss to the thousands of Iowa, South Dakota, Minnesota and Nebraska farmers who were induced to subscribe to the \$5,000,000 worth of stock.

The Sioux City scheme was one of a number of co-operative packing house ventures, most of which have proved total losses to the victims. It demonstrates the impracticability of co-operative ventures of this nature.

The plant was purchased by H. C. Gardner, Chicago, who has been associated with the Swift interests.

### Standing Of Teams To Week Ending March 1st, 1924.

Team	Games Played	Points
Harvey's	14	34
Custom's	14	31
Winter's	14	27
Baird's	14	26
Royal Stores	14	26
Boat & Shoe	14	25
Roid's	14	25
Post Office	13	23

### TO-NIGHT'S HOCKEY.

The St. Bon's and Terra Novas are the contesting teams in to-night's game.

### DAL GIRLS BEAT ACADIA BASKETBALLERS—SCORE OF GAME PLAYED IN MEMORIAL GYMNASIUM WAS 19-17—GAME KEENLY CONTESTED—FORMER SPENCERMAN STARS FOR DAL.

WOLFVILLE, Feb. 23.—An excellent exhibition of ladies' basketball was given in the Acadia Memorial Gymnasium this evening when Dal-

house defeated Acadia by a score of 19-17. The whole game was close contested and from the first the Dal team was decidedly uncertain.

Miss Goldstone did most of the shooting for Dal, while both McLaughlin and Miss King shot well for the local girls. The first period was very evenly matched, both sides taking the lead at times and finishing 11 to 11. Again in the second period it was a hard fought battle between the smooth working combinations of both teams until Dalhouse got away for quite a lead in about the middle of the period. Towards the end the Acadia girls rallied and came up the lead except for one point when the whistle blew stood between them and a draw. The line-up—

Dalhousie—Miss Goldstone, Miss Campbell, forwards; Miss Harvey, Miss Kennedy, centres; Miss Roberts, Miss Barnstead, guards; Miss Borden, sub.

Acadia—Miss King, Miss McLaughlin, forwards; Miss Lawson, Miss Colbeth, centres; Miss Roberts, Miss McLean, guards; Miss Chapman, sub.

WHAT THEY DO IN CANADA. In the Rambler-Rogal game at Acadia, referee Jack "Biddle" game Dalhouse a five-minute rest for turning the nets.

### RILLY'S UNCLE



### An Unbiased Opinion.

### BY BEN BATSFORD