

KLARK-URBAN CO. SCORES AGAIN

"So Much For So Much" Proves a Great Drama and is Enjoyed by a Large and Appreciative Audience.

Though this is the first week of the Klark-Urban Co. in St. John's they are doing excellently and are producing plays which are up to the high standard and are most entertaining and instructive.

The story is a most interesting one dealing as it does with the various phases of American life of which so much has been written.

All the characters were well sustained and some very clever work was noticeable especially on the part of Missie Cecil as the stenographer.

The piece will be repeated to-night and to-morrow and Thursday nights "Alias Jimmy Valentine" will be given.

Acadia Gas Engine Co., Ltd., Opens a Branch in St. John's

The Acadia Gas Engine Co., Ltd., of Bridgewater, N.S., have opened a branch at 250 Water St., it being their intention to transact their Newfoundland business there.

The growth of this Company has been remarkable since its beginning, and the "Acadia" is now the leading engine in Newfoundland and Canada.

W. T. Ritchey, Esq., is the General Manager of this concern for Newfoundland, and is to be congratulated on the unbounded success of his Company which can only come to those who give their patrons the best of satisfaction.

It was the increase of business that led this Company to open a branch here. The outlook is most promising, as the motor engine business will be greater in Newfoundland this year than it was, perhaps, ever before.

Mr. M. Power, wharfinger, with James Baird, Ltd. left here this morning by the S.S. Stephano on business of importance for his firm.

The Best American Mayo's... 15c Plug. At the Royal Cigar Store, Bank Square, Water Street.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mews of the Terra Novas while playing last night in the league match was knocked out for a while by collision with an opponent but was able later to play with his usual vigor.

Mr. T. J. Murphy until recently of the Queen Insurance office left by the Stephano for New York to enter the order of the Christian Brothers.

The Kyle's express which was delayed owing to the stormy weather on the railway line, and which left here Sunday, arrived at Port-aux-Basques at 2 a.m. to-day.

The Victorias and St. Bon's will play in the next league hockey match to-morrow night. A very good game is looked for.

Inspector General Sullivan left the General Hospital yesterday where he had undergone an operation and is now in his home.

There will be a challenge race on Quidi Vidi shortly between horses owned by Mr. Matthew Kelly and Mr. Joseph Judge.

Mr. John Gray, a native of Hr. Grace and who resided in this city for years, passed away yesterday.

Mr. A. K. Lumsden and Miss Stick left by the Stephano this morning to go to England and France by way of New York to purchase goods.

Up to date nearly 3500 tons of pulp and paper have been brought from Grand Falls by rail to be shipped to England by the Alconda.

Unconscious Man Found by Train Hands

When the freight train, which arrived here last evening, was coming along near Bowring Park the engineer and fireman saw what appeared to be a man lying near the track.

His injuries were evidently the result of a fall, were not serious and he was then brought to the Police Station.

S.S. Stephano, Capt. Smith, sailed this morning, taking a large cargo of fish, etc., and as passengers:—His Grace Archbishop Roche, Rev. J. J. McGrath, Rev. Dr. Whealan, T. Murphy, G. Kearney, Miss Gallishaw, Mrs. Smyth, Mrs. Tibbo, R. G. Pike, A. and Mrs. Moulton, A. Gosling, A. Adams, Mr. Dicks, Mr. and Mrs. Richards, C. Manuel, A. Lumsden, B. McGarry, S. Frelich, J. M. Devine, W. Milley, A. Wilson, E. Robinson, Burnett, J. C. Dennison, Jerrett, Hiscock, A. S. Rendell, Master Rendell, Mrs. A. Ellis, Misses Kingdon, Stick, White, Hayward, Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Macpherson, Mrs. Balfour and two children, Mrs. J. Adams and two children and 10 in steerage.

FOR W.P.A. FUND Thursday night a fine programme has been arranged for the Prince's Rink. Two teams of ladies will give a hockey exhibition and at 8 p.m. the East and West enders will try conclusions.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS OF N.F.L.D. BRITISH SOCIETY

Enjoyable Evening Spent by Members—Interesting Toast List Gone Through.

The installation of the newly-elected officers of the Newfoundland British Society was held last night when in the absence of President Goodland Mr. H. Maunier conducted the installation.

The toast list was:—The King—Prop., the Chairman, "God Save the King"; Our Soldiers and Sailors—Prop., Mr. H. R. Cook; Resp., "The Soldiers of the King"; The British Empire—Prop., Mr. R. Dowden; Resp., Mr. J. M. Carberry.

Sister Societies—Prop., Mr. Jas. Rendell; Resp., Mr. H. Cowan. The Land We Live In—Prop., Mr. H. Maunier; Resp., Mr. J. Lawrence. Our Patrons and Lady Friends—Prop., Mr. W. J. Bugden; Resp., Mr. R. J. Ivamy.

OUR VOLUNTEERS

Yesterday the volunteers had exercises and drills in the armory and went for a route march to Mundy's Pond in the afternoon in charge of Lieut. Rendell.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Yesterday the annual meeting of the Standard Manufacturing was held and a dividend of 10 per cent. was declared.

WILL GIVE ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

To-morrow night at 8 o'clock Rev. N. W. Guy will lecture in the Sunday School room of George Street Church, taking as his subject "Through Newfoundland with a Camera."

"ALCONDA" REPORTED DISABLED

Yesterday and to-day there was a rumour about the city that the S.S. Alconda which is on her way here from England for pulp and paper and which will bring a cargo of coal from Sydney, have been disabled in the Atlantic and towed back to Queenstown by a steamer.

OUR THEATRES

All the performances at the Nickel theatre yesterday afternoon and last evening were attended by large and appreciative audiences, and the highest praise was paid the management.

BEOTHIC'S CREW HERE.

Capt. Faulke and the 30 men of the crew of the Beothic arrived here by the express to-day. Speaking to the Mail and Advocate, they said that from Sydney right across to Archangel, Russia the ship had terrible weather. She was 30 days on the run and had a succession of storms on the Atlantic. Seas time and again swept on board and a deal of damage about the decks, swept the galley and a lot of gear overboard.

SHIPPING

The S.S. Prospero left for Sydney to bunker, this forenoon.

The Portia left Hr. Breton at 8.30 a.m. to-day, bound west.

The S.S. Novada arrived here to-day from Louisburg, coal-laden to the Reid-Nfld. Co.

The S.S. Florizel left New York at 4 p.m. yesterday for here, via Halifax, and is due here Sunday next.

The S.S. Greciana should leave Glasgow next Tuesday for here and the Dramore should leave Liverpool to-day.

The bargin, Mary Duff cleared for Alicante at Carbonear to-day, taking 1020 qtls. shore and 4230 qtls. Labrador fish from W. Duff and Sons, Carbonear.

The S.S. Norvig, which has been chartered by the Newfoundland Fish Exporters left Barry to-day for here in ballast. It was impossible to get her for more than one trip and she will take to Europe 6,000 casks fish.

The S.S. Prospero will likely sail for Sydney to load coal for her bunkers, after she discharges her freight. When the Portia returns she will take up that ship's place on the Western route, while she is getting her annual overhaul and repairs.

GOALS.

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PENALTIES

Winter, (F.)—2 minutes.

NIGHT PROWLERS AGAIN ACTIVE

Two More Stores Broken Into—Thief In One Case Helps Himself to an Early Breakfast.

Sometime last night or early this morning a bold, bad burglar was at work in various parts of the city.

Martin Hardware Entered and Searched

Sunday night late Mr. Vere Holloway heard a noise from the Gazette building, of which he is janitor, and believed that there were thieves in the Martin Hardware building.

Beware of the bachelor who acts as if he was proud of it. Saturday the fake soldier Sexton, who was up country lecturing on his "experiences" at the front, as exclusively told in the Mail and Advocate was before Court and sent down to the Penitentiary for three months.

CASINO THEATRE. FOURTH WEEK. KLARK-URBAN COMPANY. TO-NIGHT, "SO MUCH FOR SO MUCH." Wednesday Evening, "ALIAS JIMMY VALENTINE."

FELDIANS SHUT OUT IN A SPIRITED GAME

By Score of 4 to 0 The Terra Novas Win Last Night's Meet—Game, a Clean One.

Last night's hockey game between the Terra Novas and Feldians was the best to-date though the score was 4-0 in favor of the former.

The latter have a fast and well-balanced team and are already looked upon by some as likely winners of the championship.

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This attack in Greek territorial waters demonstrated to the Entente naval authorities the necessity for energetic policing of the coast to guarantee full security to the numerous warships, and still more numerous transports, dotting the gulf and roadstead of Salonika.

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YESTERDAY'S War Messages

FRENCH AIRMEN ATTACK HUN RAIDER

Paris, Jan. 31.—Five French aeroplanes engaged the Zeppelins which on Saturday night last dropped bombs on Paris, according to an authoritative statement.

The first to attack the German raider was a machine piloted by a Sergeant, who was occupied patrolling the upper air. He pursued with savage energy, the statement says, but soon expended all his stock of cartridges and was obliged to abandon pursuit.

One of two machines, which were armed with cannon, had, however, by this time managed to climb up high enough, and opened an intense fire on the Zeppelin, which probably was hit, but not badly damaged.

The Zeppelin was next picked up by a sub-Lieutenant, as it flew over the suburbs westward. He went up to within fifty to one hundred yards of his quarry, and stuck to his work with grim determination, sometimes flying above, sometimes below, to escape fire from the Zeppelin's machine guns.

For fifty-three minutes the chase continued, the machine guns being freely used on both sides, until finally the aeroplane-engine broke down, and the sub-Lieutenant was obliged to descend.

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A NARROW ESCAPE.

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Headed for Paris But Turned Back

PARIS, Feb. 1st.—A zeppelin started in the direction of Paris last night at six-thirty-five. Warning was sent out from Compiegne that a German airship had been sighted in movement.

The Military Governor of Paris gave orders that preparations be made to give alarm, if necessary. When the zeppelin, however, got into the field of the search-lights, on the French front, it turned back, and is supposed to have abandoned a projected raid.

THINKS A CLASH IS POSSIBLE AT ANY TIME

Christiania, Jan. 31.—Extraordinary British and German naval activities has been in evidence along the Norwegian Coast, the past few days, according to the Stavanger correspondent of the Morgen Sladet, who adds that a clash is possible at any time. A number of British warships and German submarines have been observed just outside territorial waters.

AT IT AGAIN

Paris, Jan. 30.—Zeppelins came to-night to the outskirts of Paris, but before reaching the city itself turned back. Soon after eleven o'clock lights were again turned on in the city.

HAS BEEN RELEASED

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The Danish steamer Vidar, which was seized by a German submarine off Elnorine on Saturday, while bound from Copenhagen for British ports, with provisions, has been released at Swinemunde, according to a despatch from Copenhagen to Reuter's Co.

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NOTICE

Patriotic Association of the Women of Nfld.

THE Semi-Annual Meeting of the St. John's Branch of the W.P.A. will be held in Grenfell Hall, Seamen's Institute, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON (Feb. 2nd) at 3.30 p.m., to receive reports from Committees of the work done since September.

WANTED—A Mechanic with some experience of Gun and Lock repairing, to take charge of our Repair Department. Apply by letter, stating wages desired. MARTIN HARDWARE CO. LTD. —Feb.1,tf

WANTED—Immediately, a Good General Servant; apply to UNION TRADING COY.'S office, Water Street.—Jan31,tf