

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

NEW RICH BILL AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

The new vaudeville programme at the Opera House opening tonight offers good features, including Phyllis Gilmore, Victor Browne & Co. in a comedy one-act play, "Extraneous," which has been quite a sensation in the leading vaudeville theatres in the large cities; Lawrence Bros. and Thelma, fifty edgy jugglers; Allman and Wood, comedy songs, chat and eccentric dancing; Eddie Henley, the Irish minstrel boy; The Newmans, comedy cyclists; and the fifth chapter of The Lion's Claw, serial drama, a story of adventure and intrigue in the African wilds.

Usual two performances tonight, at 7.30 and 9; tomorrow afternoon at 2.30, same little popular prices.

JOLLY GOOD SHOW AT GEM TONIGHT

You'll make no mistake by calling at the Gem at 7.15 or 8.45 tonight and sitting out the vaudeville and picture programme offered. There are three corking good specialty acts by two double teams and a trio. There is Pathe News and also the bill includes "Lonesome Lake" in "We Never Sleep," highly amusing fun maker of two reels, much of it in a Pullman car and at the beach. Whole show fine.

GEORGE BEBAN STORY AND COWBOY ADVENTURE AT IMPERIAL

The week-end programme at the Imperial will be in close keeping with the excellent programmes provided the earlier part of the week. George Beban, famous delineator of Italian and French Canadian characters, will be seen in another of his sweet and emotional child and family stories entitled "One More American." This is an ideal subject for the week-end when so many little ones attend. Then there will be a two-reel, red-blooded western adventure entitled "Quick Triggers"—a story of a cowboy, that is the farcical fun, "Riders and Razors," featuring Larry Seman.

MISS PEARL DUNPHY, NURSE, PASSES AWAY IN NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, N. B., July 12.—Miss Pearl Dunphy died in the Miramichi Hospital this morning after an illness of about ten days. She was a daughter of Mrs. Ober Dunphy of South Devon, was a graduate nurse and practised around Fredericton for some years. About two weeks ago she came to a position on the nursing staff of the Miramichi Hospital. She was twenty-five years of age. Besides her mother she leaves five sisters—Mrs. Mabel D. Richards, superintendent of the Miramichi Hospital here; Mrs. H. P. Lint of Devon; Mrs. Harry F. Smith, of London; Mrs. Gordon Goodspeed, of Pictou; and Mrs. Frank McManis, of Pictou, and two brothers, Harold Dunphy, of Pictou, and Arthur Dunphy, of Pictou. The body will be taken to South Devon tonight.

THEY WANT GENERAL HUGHES APPOINTED

Ottawa, July 12.—Commandant J. C. Evans and Vice-Commandant Barrett of the Kingston branch of the Army and Navy Veterans Association, representing some 2,000 veterans, are in the city to ask the civil service commission to consider favourably the appointment of Brigadier-General W. S. Hughes, late O. C. the 21st battalion, to the post of superintendent of penitentiaries.

MEN ARE PRODUCED IN MONTREAL UNDER HABESAS CORPUS ACT

Montreal, July 12.—The military authorities this morning produced in court four foreigners on whose behalf writs of habeas corpus had been secured by Percy Ryan, K. C. The case was adjourned until July 22, to give the minister of justice an opportunity of preparing his case on the constitutionality of the Military Service Act. It had been announced that if the men were not produced an order for contempt of court against the officers under whose charge they have been placed would have been applied for.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

HILCHEY—On July 9, to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hilchey, 70 Queen street—a son.

MARRIAGES

YEOMANS-LANGSTROTH—In the Chapel of Messiah, Hampton Station, on Thursday morning at ten o'clock, by Rev. Gordon Lawrence, Tilley C. Yeomans to Gladys O. M. Langstroth.

DEATHS

MORRISON—At her parents' residence, Lancaster Heights, on July 12, Dorothy Jean, infant daughter of George A. and Bertha Morrison.

Funeral Saturday afternoon at 2.30 p. m.

LEACH—In this city on the 12th inst., Andrew Leach, in the eighty-fifth year of his age.

Funeral from the residence of his grandson, Thomas Walsh, 177 Rockland road, Sunday at three o'clock; friends invited.

HODGSON—In this city on the 11th inst., Olive, eldest daughter of John and Rosanna Hodgson, leaving her parents, five brothers and one sister to mourn.

Funeral on Sunday from 216 Duke street, at 1.30 o'clock; service at 1 o'clock; friends invited.

MACAULEY—At his parents' residence, 80 Brussels street, on the 10th inst., Charles Edward, third son of Daniel and Margaret Macauley, leaving his parents, three brothers and two sisters to mourn.

Funeral this (Friday) morning at 9.45 to the Cathedral for requiem high mass. Friends invited to attend.

CALGARY BARRACKS IS IN WAR DRESS

Machine Guns Placed and Armed Force Strengthened Because of Trouble Over Draft

Calgary, July 12.—Victoria Park barracks, headquarters of Colonel Phil Moore, who has received notice as a soldier under a habeas corpus writ, has been turned into an armed camp. The Strathcona Horse has been brought in from Sarcee Camp to guard headquarters. Armed guards have been placed at every point and the arts building, in which Colonel Moore has his office, is patrolled with a strong guard. Partitions have been torn down and machine guns placed that will sweep the open space in front of the building.

This morning Colonel Moore must, by order of the court, appear before the appellate division. By orders of the military authorities he is not to appear and any attempt to arrest him will be resisted by force.

A statement from a military authority last night was to the effect that he would not appear in court unless he received a direct order from Ottawa to do so. Sheriff Graham may receive an order from the court forcibly to arrest the officer if he does not appear. The situation is regarded as serious.

IN THE DIVORCE COURT

Fredericton, July 12.—The divorce court was occupied this morning with the case of George Hetherington vs. Priscilla Hetherington, which was on all yesterday afternoon. The case is defended. It bids fair to go over until next week as there is a large number of witnesses to be heard. Henry Donovan and Dexter Everett are the counsel for the plaintiff and finished this morning. Margaret Munn, sister of the defendant, was on the stand this morning and placed in evidence three letters written to her by the defendant. Doris Munn, niece of the defendant, was the next witness. She aged ten years.

The case of Annie Southam vs. Walter Southam is set for trial at 2.30 Monday afternoon. The plaintiff, Annie Southam, is alleged to be a minor. Neglect and abusive treatment are alleged. M. L. Hayward files the record and J. C. P. Hartley appears for the defence.

DEATH OF ANDREW LEACH

Many citizens will regret to learn of the death of Andrew Leach, which took place this morning at the residence of his grandson, Thomas Walsh, 177 Rockland road. He was in his eighty-fifth year, and is survived by his grandson and one daughter, Mrs. Richard Sullivan. He was a rigger by trade, but after activities in this line fell off in St. John, he entered the employ of the I. C. R., where he remained for years. Ten years ago he was superannuated, and since that time had been unemployed.

Mr. Leach was truly a landmark in the industrial history of St. John. As a rigger of ships his activities date back to the brick days of wooden shipbuilding. His greatly advanced age made him one of the very few who could recall the growth of the wooden shipbuilding industry from development stages long ago, and his death removes one of the last of the old-time workers. With regard to the comparatively brief time ago and naturally the revival of wooden shipbuilding, the loss to the city is a chief topic of animated conversation.

OVERSEAS PREMIERS GUESTS AT MANSION HOUSE IN LONDON

London, July 12.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa Agency)—The Lord Mayor of London last night tendered a banquet at the Mansion House to the premiers of the dominions. The distinguished gathering included Hon. A. P. Balfour, foreign secretary; Vice-Admiral Lord Jellicoe; Viscount Milner and Lord Curzon, Secretary of State for India.

Sir Robert Borden said the dominions were determined that this war must be fought to a finish and he would return to Canada confident that Great Britain was still imbued with that unconquerable resolve and that the Allies would obtain victory without which no enduring peace was possible.

UNIONS FOR STRIKE IF DEMANDS REFUSED

Montreal, July 12.—The representatives of the railroad shompen's union will enter conference this afternoon with the Canadian Railway Board, setting for the companies and the government, over the question of increased wages with a virtually unanimous assurance from the local unions throughout the dominion in favor of a stand of no compromise on the original demands made.

BIG SALE OF CROWN LANDS IN SEPTEMBER

Fredericton, July 12.—One of the big sales of crown lands in some time will take place about Sept. 5—some 400 square miles on which the timber license issued twenty-five years ago will expire on Aug. 21. The licenses did not take advantage of the new regulation which went into effect in 1913, whereby the licenses could be renewed on the payment of a bonus.

DEBT HAS PASSED THE BILLION MARK

Ottawa, July 12.—Canada's total net debt at the end of June was \$1,124,007,715 and not \$840,973,167 as stated in a Canadian Press dispatch. The debt stood at the last mentioned figure on June 30, 1917, but it has since passed the billion dollar mark. For the month of June the debt increased by \$9,722,087.

CONTRACT TO PAINT BRIDGE AT FALLS FOR ABOUT \$4,600

Fredericton, N. B., July 12.—The minister of public works has awarded the following bridge contracts:

Painting St. John reversing falls bridge—John Johnston & Son, St. John, in the vicinity of \$4,600.

Dows concrete arch culvert, parish of Canterbury, York county—to W. B. Steeves and C. D. Killam, Woodstock, in the vicinity of \$4,000.

Meadow Brook bridge, parish of St. David, Charlotte county—to Frank L. Davis, of Devon, in the vicinity of \$3,500.

WAR NOTES

Washington admits five American air machines missing on a bombing expedition on the west front.

The U. S. government has declared the rumor has spread all over Germany that Von Hindenburg is ill and unable to participate in the work at the army headquarters.

PERSONALS

Dr. George T. Leighton & Mrs. Leighton of Montreal are guests of Dr. Leighton's sister, Mrs. H. W. Robertson, 65 Elliott row.

Miss Lydia Israel, Boston, a trained nurse, who has volunteered for overseas duty with the Red Cross, was in the city yesterday visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Goodwin.

Mrs. A. G. Harvey and little daughter are visiting their uncle, John Henderson, Coburg street, who has been very seriously ill.

Mrs. Bart Worden and little son, Lawrence, arrived on Wednesday night on the Boston train after a visit to Mrs. Worden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daniels of War Harbor, Me.

Mrs. C. W. Hope Grant and daughter arrived home from the States at noon yesterday.

Harold Peters, son of F. A. Peters, came back today from Montreal, to which city he had accompanied his father who recently underwent a serious operation in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Mr. Peters reports his father still suffering much from the effects of his operation but possibly not unduly so.

Hon. Dr. J. B. Macdonald and Hon. Clifford W. Robinson of the provincial government passed through town on the noon train today after attending government sessions at Fredericton.

Miss Anna Walters and her aunt, Mrs. J. McDonald of River Hebert, N. S., are the guests of Mrs. James E. Hunter, 64 Murray street.

TURKEY ASKS FOR TIME

Washington, July 12.—Turkey has informed the United States through the Swedish foreign office that so far the true facts as to the reported seizure of the American consulate and sequestration of American consular property by Turkish soldiers have not been ascertained, but that it will be done at the earliest possible moment.

Blow at Industrial Germany

Washington, July 12.—Germany has lost its trade in paper and paper products on the east coast of South America to the United States, with the possibility that American mills will be able to retain the business after the war.

Week End Cash Specials

Store Open Friday Night

- 4 cakes Sunlight Soap..... 30c.
- 4 cakes Gold Soap..... 30c.
- 4 cakes Ivory Soap..... 27c.
- 2 pkgs. Lenox Soap..... 25c.
- 2 pkgs. Babbitt's Cleaner..... 21c.
- 10c. pkg. Panashine..... 7c.
- 10c. tin Snap Cleaner..... 9c.
- 25c. bottle Liquid Veneer..... 21c.
- 25c. bottle Babbitt's Boot Polish 15c.
- 12c. tin Babbitt's Lye..... 9c.
- 25c. tin Chloride of Lime..... 21c.

TOMATO SOUP

Zemeter's..... 15c. tin

FRANCO-AMERICAN

LIBBY'S..... 17c. tin

WHITE CORN FLOUR

To blend with wheat (for bread).

- 15c. pkg. P. G. Quick Puddings in Chocolate, Tapioca, Custard or Arrowroot..... 12 1-2c. pkg.
- 15c. pkg. Acme Starch..... 11c.
- 12c. pkg. Corn Starch..... 11c.
- 12c. pkg. Golden Dates..... 10c.
- 12c. pkg. Rice Flour..... 10c.
- 25c. pkg. Potato Flour..... 22c.
- 1 lb. pkg. Pure Lard..... 33c.
- 30c. jar Marmalade..... 25c.
- 12c. pkg. Shaker Salt..... 10c.
- 60c. lb. Chocolate Biscuits..... 35c.
- 50c. tin Royal Baking Powder..... 44c.
- 25c. tin Baker's Cocoa..... 22c.
- 55c. lb. Lipton's Tea..... 47c.
- 15c. tin Belmont Beans..... 12 1-2c.
- 25c. tin Belmont Beans..... 21c.
- 15c. bottle Heaton's Pickles..... 11c.
- 25c. Sealer Peerless Pickles..... 21c.
- 1-2 lb. Baker's Chocolate..... 19c.
- 1-2 lb. Dot Chocolate..... 19c.
- 10 lb. bag Sugar..... 99c.
- 9 lb. bag Sugar..... \$1.98
- 20c. tin Onion Salt..... 16c.

TOILET SOAP—(Special)

Venetian Bath..... 12 1-2c. cake

GLAM CHOWDER

Burnham & Morrill, 17c. and 37c. a tin

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LOCAL NEWS

The more you buy the more you save.

Children's white sneakers. Just a few left to clear, for 80c., at C. J. Bassett's, corner Union and Sydney.

Ladies' white canvas pumps at Steel's Shoe Store, 221 Main street, for \$1.55.

Do all your shopping at the big extension sale on corner Union and Sydney.

GOING ON NOW

Amur's sale at West End.

MILLINERY SALE

Entire stock of trimmed and untrimmed hats from \$1.00 to \$4.00. Open Friday and Saturday night, 1-3 store corner German and Princess streets.

Bargains in white footwear for men, women and children at C. J. Bassett's, corner Union and Sydney.

AMUR'S SALE

is going on now. Great values and great bargains.

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

No let up in sale prices. Store open Saturday afternoon and evening. King Square Sales Co.

Children's dresses to clear for 80c., 40c. and 50c. at C. J. Bassett's, corner Union and Sydney.

A party just married wishes to rent comfortably furnished small flat in central part of city. Apply Box L, care of Times.

In dry goods and groceries department at Amur's sale.

For Friday and Saturday, at Steel's Shoe Store, 221 Main street, the balance of our ladies' white buckskin boots will be sold for \$3.55.

Ladies' middie to clear for 90c. and 80c. at C. J. Bassett's, corner Union and Sydney.

DON'T MISS

Amur's sale, now going on in all departments. Dry goods and groceries.

OPEN SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The store of the King Square Sales Co. does not close on Saturday. The Big Sale is still in progress.

Bargains in ladies' oxfords in small sizes at Steel's Shoe Store, 221 Main street.

The more you buy the more you save at Amur's sale, 246-250-252-254 King street, west.

We have about 100 pairs of ladies' kid oxfords, small sizes, at Steel's Shoe Store, 221 Main street, for \$1.00 a pair.

SAVE DOLLARS

and go to Amur's sale, at 246-250-252-254 King street, West St. John.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

On Friday and Saturday, Waterbury & Rising Ltd. 40c. off a discount of 10 per cent. on all odd sizes and broken lines in shoes (footwear in men's, women's and children's departments).

Not all sizes in every line, but we have your size in something. These specials are at King Street store only.

LIBERAL WINS

Regina, Sask., July 12.—With thirty-nine of forty-one polls heard from, Dr. Schulmeyer, Liberal candidate in the Saskatchewan provincial by-election, has been elected over W. Burrell, Independent, with a majority of 421.

GOES TO HALIFAX

Major Knox, assistant director of supplies and transportation of Military District No. 7, has been transferred to Halifax and will leave for his new field of labor next Tuesday. He is to be succeeded by Major McCrimmon of London, Ont., who was a member of the Canadian expeditionary force, and who has been on duty at Petawawa.

THE POWER COMPANY

Mayor Hayes has so far received no reply from the chairman of the commission appointed to inquire into the power company's affairs with regard to the permission sought for an examination of the company's plant by the engineers who were refused admittance this week. The engineers have returned to the house but the question still is a live one as the city decided not to accept the reports of the previous appraisals and an opportunity to have them checked by experts selected on behalf of the city.

MILITARY BASEBALL

There will be no league game on the Barrack square tomorrow afternoon the contest between No. 9 Siege Battery and the Y. M. C. A. being postponed. An afternoon home game will be played between the Acadia and the Canadian Garrison Regiment teams of the Patriotic Baseball League at Red Head. The Military Headquarters baseball team will go to Sussex tomorrow at 12.30 o'clock to meet the Depot Battalion team in a league game. The following players have been selected to make the trip—Catcher, Treat; pitcher, Hansen; first base, Pugsley; second base, Myers; third base, Arsenault; short-stop, Stegmann; right field, Kelly; centre field, Macdonald; left field, McLean.

BURIED TODAY

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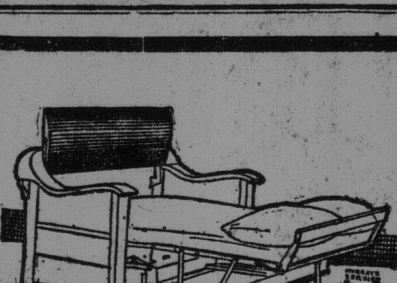
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LOCAL NEWS

DEATH OF CHILD

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Morrison of Lancaster Heights have the sympathy of friends in the death of their infant daughter, Dorothy Jean, which occurred Tuesday.

TWELFTH OF JULY TODAY

Quite a large party of picnickers went to Crystal Beach today on the Orange picnic. Several of the brethren and their wives went to the Petticoat celebration, but generally speaking the twelfth was not observed as in former years, due to transportation difficulties and absence of lodge men in khaki.

FINANCE COMMITTEE CRETS

The meeting of the municipal finance committee, in preparation for the quarterly meeting of the county council which will be held next week, is being held this afternoon in the office of the county secretary. Among the matters which, it is expected, will be before the committee, is the report of the arbitrators who deal with the settlement of the question of and values which arose over the site of the new hospital power plant building.

MISS OLIVE HODGSON

The death of Miss Olive Hodgson took place this morning at her residence, 216 St. John street. She was a daughter of Sgt. John Hodgson, formerly of the 26th Battalion, but latterly of the Depot Battalion. Besides her parents, she is survived by five brothers, John, Joseph, Philip, Clifford and Wilford, and one sister, Margaret. Her funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from her late residence.

PICNIC AT SEASIDE

The Portland Methodist church Sunday school picnic is being held today at Seaside Park. During the morning and the early hours of this afternoon hundreds of people journeyed to the picnic grounds to enjoy the many amusements and also to spend the day at the sea.

A large and elegant concert were on hand early making necessary preparations for the host of picnickers.

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Not necessary to say that a bargain of this nature at this particular time will be quickly taken advantage of, so we would suggest an early selection.

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