

Good Things Coming
—TO—
Theatres of St. John

AT THE GAIETY
Maurice Costello in "The Crimson
Stain Mystery," episode 5 in two acts,
Harry Carey in "The Golden Bullet,"
in three reels and Gale Henry and Wm.
Francy in "One Damp Day," a Joker
comedy, make up the all star pro-
gramme to be shown at the Gaiety to-
night and Tuesday.
"The Reed Case" is the special fea-
ture for Wednesday and Thursday.

MOVING THE OLD I. C. R.
GRAIN CONVEYOR

The C. G. R. have started in to take
down their grain conveyer which crosses
Mill street. This conveyer was used
until the time when the elevator was
burned to the ground. The conveyer is
not being torn to pieces but is being
taken down in such a way that it can
be put together again. The C. G. R.
intend running the same conveyer
from the new elevator across Water
street to the wharf.

Notices of Births, Marriages and
Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

FREEMAN—At Buctouche, July 30,
to the wife of E. D. Freeman a daughter,
Margaret Merritt.
FAIT—On August 11th, to Mr. and
Mrs. Hugh Ritchey Tall, 270 Douglas
avenue, a son.

CABELDU—On August 10, 1917, to
Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Cabeldu, No. 3
First street, a son.

MARRIAGES

PATTMAN-NAISMITH—On July 18,
at Glasgow, Scotland, Pte. Ernest A.
Pattman, 14th Battalion, R.M.R., son
of Mrs. W. J. Hawkins, 297 Carmarthen
street, to Miss Margaret Naismith, at
the home of the bride's parents, 82
Gurley street, Springburn, Glasgow.

DEATHS

RODGERS—Drowned at Epworth
Park on 18th inst., Albert, aged 8 years,
son of Bart and Lillian Rodgers of this
city.
Funeral notice later.
STOREY—In this city on Sunday,
August 12, John K. Storey at his resi-
dence, 19 Garden street, at the age of
seventy-two, leaving his wife, one sister
and one brother.
Funeral on Tuesday from his late
residence. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM

CHAMBERLAIN—In loving memory
of Private Harold Chamberlain who was
killed in France August 12, 1916.
MOTHER.
SIMPSON—In loving remembrance
of our mother, Mrs. Emily Simpson,
died August 10th, 1916.
"Gone but not forgotten."
HER DAUGHTERS

LOCAL NEWS

Basket picnic Tuesday, Wednesday,
Thursday and Friday. See programme
on page 7.

Steamer Hampton will not make trip
from Ferry's Point to St. John and re-
turn on Tuesday, 14th inst. 8-14

Wanted—Telephone operator, Royal
Hotel.

Everybody come to the Basket Picnic!
You don't have to fill any baskets. We
do that. All you have to do is empty
them. Further particulars on Page 7—
Wiese's Cash Stores, 241-248 Union St.

LOCAL 810 I. L. A.

A full meeting on Tuesday, August
14, important business, all are requested
to attend.

Little baskets! Big baskets! A sur-
prise in each one. Further particulars
on page 7.—Wiese's Cash Stores, 241-
248 Union street.

Ladies' suits, special line of blue
cheviot, made to measure, \$25.—A.
Morrin, tailor, 22 Germain street. 8-20

PERSONALS

Mrs. R. B. Noddin and little daughter,
Mildred, of Moncton, are visiting her
sister, Mrs. W. A. McManus, Waterloo
street.

Mrs. W. D. Allen and daughter, Etta,
of Norton, spent the week end with
Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. W. A. Mc-
Manus, Waterloo street.

John Wade, the former C.P.R. con-
ductor, arrived in the city on the Mon-
day train today.

R. J. Phillips has arrived home after
an extended trip.

F. W. Daniel returned to the city on
Saturday.

G. Fred Pearson, of the Halifax Chroni-
cle, who spent Sunday here on his way
east from Montreal, left for Halifax via
Digby this morning.

Mrs. John Speight, of Brookville
station, left this morning to visit friends
and relatives in Toronto, Halifax and
Amherst.

Miss Nellie Minihan and her niece,
Miss Marie Timmons of Cambridge,
Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dennis
Minihan, Coldbrook.

Rev. J. H. Jenner and family, of St.
John West, are spending the summer at
Inch Arran House, Dalhousie.

Dr. J. H. Frink spent Saturday at St.
Andrews.

Rev. Canon James, of St. Stephen's
church, Calgary, is visiting his brother,
H. H. James, Mount Pleasant.

James Jack, of St. John, was at the
Queen hotel, Halifax, Saturday.

HE WON THE D. C. M.

Chatham World—Among the boys
who recently returned home from the
front was Pte. Samuel R. Mathers of
Fredericton. He is one of a family of
four in khaki; his father, John Mathers,
Sr., two brothers, John, Jr., and Wilmer,
at present at the front. Private Mathers
was the first New Brunswick boy to
win the D. C. M., having been awarded
that honor for conspicuous gallantry
displayed on the night of June 28-29, 1916.
While Pte. Mathers was out on patrol
duty in "No Man's Land," one of his
companions, Pte. Telesphore Petrie of
Bathurst, was shot and dangerously
wounded. Pte. Mathers, singlehanded,
carried him to the trencher from half
way across "No Man's Land," a distance
of seventy-five yards, under a heavy fire.
Pte. Petrie subsequently died of wounds,
while Pte. Mathers received the wounds
that necessitated his coming home in
July last.

CITY OF ATHENS
LOST AT SEA

All Passengers Saved—No Details
of Steamer's Destruction—Ottawa
Man on Board

New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 12.—The
lost American steamer, City of Athens,
of Athens and the rescue landing at an
African port of all the passengers was
announced in a cable message received
last night in this city from a South Afri-
can port. No details of the mishap
were given. The message simply stated
"All passengers saved. Everything lost."

The steamer was bound from an Ameri-
can port and had seven missionaries on
board representing a local religious
organization. Among the passengers
were Douglas Hume, Ottawa, and Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur R. Hornby and baby
of this city. The City of Athens regis-
tered 9,000 tons and was owned by the
American Navigation Company.



F. W. McCURDY, M. P.
whose refusal of salary as under-secretary
of the Militia Department occasioned
a Commons debate.

ELECTION RUMOR

Montreal, Aug. 12.—An Ottawa de-
spatch to the Star says: "There will be
a federal general election this fall, in
the early part of November, from pres-
ent indications, but the result will not
be known on election night, as usual,
and perhaps not for a week or so. This
is surmised from the fact that the new
bill relating to soldiers' votes changes
the arrangements for voting the men
overseas."

SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD SOLDIER
VICTIM OF GERMAN GAS

Mrs. Mary Mason, 26 Brook street,
was advised this morning from Ottawa
that her son, Private Manuel Mason, a
member of a local infantry battalion,
has been gassed and admitted to No. 12
Field Hospital in France. Private Mason
is only sixteen years old and, prior
to going overseas, was in the employ
of Murray & Gregory, Ltd.

BOY SHOT AND KILLED
BY A RELATIVE

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 12.—Preston
Banks aged sixteen years, was shot and
killed instantly at about noon Sunday
at Durham. Frank Banks, a relative,
discharged the weapon which killed the
boy. He did not know that the rifle
was loaded.

BIGAMIST SENTENCED

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 12.—At Bur-
ton on Saturday, Wesley Morgan of
Tracy pleaded guilty before Judge Wil-
son at speedy trials to the charge of
bigamy and got a sentence of two years
in the Dorchester penitentiary.

AUTOS AND TOURISTS

Addressing the Rotary Club today,
Dean Johnson of Atlanta, Ga., speaking
as a tourist on behalf of tourists, re-
marked that the charge for hire of au-
tomobiles in St. John was the highest
he had ever experienced, and he thought
the Rotary Club would be doing a good
thing for the city if it ensured tourists
a look over the city at something less
than five dollars an hour.

TRAIN DELAYED

The Boston train was reported fifty
minutes late today, owing to trouble
with the locomotive.

GOOD FURNITURE
TO TAKE INTO YOUR HOME

It is our purpose to serve you so well when you bring us your
business that you will become a life-long customer. We could not
hope to do this if we had on our floors a piece of furniture that was
not of the highest quality of materials and construction, and did not
represent to the fullest the value of the price asked.

When you buy a piece of MARCUS' FURNITURE, you make
an investment in comfort, beauty, utility and satisfaction.

J. Marcus, 46 Dock St.
TEMPORARY QUARTERS

ALBERT ROGERS
DROWNED TODAY
IN THE RIVER

That Albert Rogers, the nine-year-old
son of Pilot Bart Rogers, was drowned
in the waters of St. John river just off
Epworth Park was the sad news that
Pilot Rogers received this morning just
shortly after he had arrived in the city
after spending the week-end at his sum-
mer home.

Pilot Rogers and family have been
summering at Epworth Park. Mr. Rog-
ers has been in the habit of going up
and spending the week-ends with his
family. This morning when he left his
home his two little boys were well and
playing around. About twelve o'clock
today Mr. Rogers was called up on the
telephone and the sad news was con-
veyed to him. He was informed that the
body had been found. No further par-
ticulars were received. For some time
Pilot Rogers did not know which of
his boys had been drowned, and it was
not until the second call that he received
the information that it was his son Al-
bert. Mr. Rogers left about 12.30 o'clock
by automobile for the scene of the ac-
cident, in company with Mr. O'Neil, the
undertaker. The body will be brought
to town.



JOHN WEBSTER, M. P. (BROCKVILLE)
who under the federal redistribution may
take the Leeds-Brockville seat, leaving
Sir Thomas White, M. P. (Leeds) to
find a Federal home in his home city of
Toronto, probably in Parkdale.



When you buy groceries, you not only
buy things to eat, but also SERVICE.
We sell you good groceries and ren-
der you quick, reliable delivery service.
Lots of ADULTERATION, even in the
face of our pure food laws, remains
springing out. If the nose of the bomb,
which had sunk into the ground, un-
screwed the fuse, and threw it on the
ground, where it immediately exploded.
This very gallant and prompt action un-
doubtedly saved the lives of the whole
detachment.

Danboys-Hall.
On Monday morning in the Church of
the Sacred Heart, Bathurst, Miss Julia
M. Hall was united in marriage to Alex.
J. Danboys of Campbellton.

HOW THEY WON
THE VICTORIA CROSS

Five Victoria Crosses were announced
last Thursday. The following are de-
tails of the deeds for which the awards
were made:

Four Times Wounded

Lieutenant Rupert Vance Moon, in-
fantry battalion, Australian Imperial
Force—For most conspicuous bravery
during an attack on an enemy strong
point. His own immediate objective was
a position in advance of the hostile
trench itself, and thence against the hos-
tile trench, after the capture of which it
was intended that his men should co-op-
erate in a further assault on a strong
point further in the rear. Although
wounded in the initial advance, he re-
ached his first objective. Leading his men
against the trench itself, he was again
badly wounded and incapacitated for the
moment. He nevertheless inspired and
encouraged his men and captured the
trench. Lieutenant Moon continued to
lead his much diminished command in
the general attack with the utmost val-
or, being again wounded, and the attack
was successfully pressed home. During
the consolidation of the position this
officer was again badly wounded, and it
was only after the fourth and severe
wound through the face that he con-
sented to retire from the fight. His
bravery was magnificent, and was large-
ly instrumental in the successful issue
of the flank of the attack, and the
capture of many prisoners and machine
guns.

"A Magnificent Example"

Second Lieut. (Acting Captain) David
Philip Hirsch, late York Regiment.—For
conspicuous bravery and devotion to
duty in attack. Having arrived at the
first objective, Captain Hirsch, although
badly wounded, returned over
fire-swept slopes to satisfy himself that
the defensive flank was being estab-
lished. Machine gun fire was so intense
that it was necessary for him to be contin-
uously up and down the line encouraging
his men and holding the position. He
continued to encourage his men by
standing on the parapet and standing
in the face of machine gun fire and
counter-attack until he was killed. His
conduct throughout was a magnificent
example of the greatest devotion to duty.

"Absolute Disregard of Death"

Temporary Second Lieutenant John
Harrison, M. C., East Yorkshire Regi-
ment.—For most conspicuous bravery
and self-sacrifice in an attack. Owing to
darkness and to smoke from the enemy
barrage and from our own, and to the
fact that our objective was in a dark
wood, it was impossible to see when our
barrage had lifted off the enemy front
line. Nevertheless, Second Lieutenant
Harrison led his company against the
enemy trench under heavy rifle and
machine gun fire, but was repulsed. Re-
organizing his command as best he could
in "No Man's Land," he again attacked
in darkness, under terrific fire, but with no
success. Then, turning round this gal-
lant officer, single-handed, made a dash at
the machine gun, hoping to knock out
the gun and so save the lives of many of
his company. His sacrifice and absolute
disregard of danger was an inspiring ex-
ample to all. He is reported missing,
believed killed.

"A Very Gallant Soldier"

No. 88504, Sergeant Donald Forrester
Brown late infantry battalion, New Zea-
land forces.—For most conspicuous bravery
and determination in attack when
the company to which he belonged suf-
fered very heavy casualties in officers
and men from machine gun fire. At
great personal risk this N. C. O. ad-
vanced with a comrade and succeeded in
reaching a point within thirty yards of
the enemy guns. Four of the gun crew
were killed and the gun captured. The
advance of the company was continued
till it was again held up by machine gun
fire. Again Sergeant Brown and his
comrade with great gallantry rushed the
gun and killed the crew. After this se-
cond occasion in attack Sergeant
Brown showed most conspicuous gal-
lantry. He attacked single-handed a
machine gun which was holding up the
attack, killed the gun crew, and captured
the gun. Later, whilst sniping the re-
treating enemy, this very gallant soldier
was killed.

A Bombing Incident

No. 64512, Sergeant William Gosling,
R. F. A.—For most conspicuous bravery
when in charge of a heavy trench mortar
gun. Owing to a faulty cartridge the
bomb, after discharge, fell ten yards
from the mortar. Sergeant Gosling
springing out, lifted the nose of the bomb,
which had sunk into the ground, un-
screwed the fuse, and threw it on the
ground, where it immediately exploded.
This very gallant and prompt action un-
doubtedly saved the lives of the whole
detachment.

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ARRESTED AT THE ALTAR

Monton Transcript—"Arrested at the
Altar" was the experience of a young
American in this city this afternoon,
and strange to say the complaint against
him is similar to that laid against an
American here yesterday. The young
man hails from Fulton, Tenn. For the
past three months he has been working
with the Warren Bituminous Favin
Company. Since coming to Moncton he
has fallen in love with a Moncton young
woman residing on River street, and to-
day shortly after noon, they were mar-
ried. As he describes it himself, he had
been married about one minute when
an officer arrived and placed him under
arrest, and he was at once taken to the
police station.

The complaint was made by a resi-
dent of River street, who states that he
used language insulting to the king.
The prisoner is a young man wearing
a stamp of industry and generally of
good appearance. The bride and her
mother visited him at the station shortly
after his arrival. Both the young man
and the young woman seem to feel their
position very keenly, but state he is in-
nocent. They say the complaint against
him was prompted by jealousy, that
there is another woman in the case.

A ROSSING MILL

Campbellton Graphic—A complete
rossing mill consisting of engine and
boiler, saws, barkers, and conveyers with
car for men engaged, arrived at Cross
Joint, via Matapedia Saturday for the
Meigs Pulpwood Co. The entire equip-
ment came through a charge of Wil-
liam Connell, and will work along the
Quebec Oriental railway. The train
consists of four cars and takes the
wood cuts it into proper lengths, barks
it and then it is conveyed by a carrier
to waiting cars. The Meigs Pulpwood
Co., which is a large New York corpora-
tion, but with a number of Canadian
directors, is buying a very large quan-
tity of pulpwood from the farmers of
this district for shipment to the United
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"EYE STRAIN" MEANS?

Most people think of eye-strain
as a conscious effort to see. As
a matter of fact, few who have
eye-strain are aware of extra ef-
fort. It is made without one be-
ing aware of it, and might may
be keen, though severe strain
exists. That is the great dan-
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done before the trouble is
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If you have headaches, ner-
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fit you with glasses, which will
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FINAL WEEK!
of The Biggest Shoe Sale

There are always those who say: "If we had only known," and it is to such persons particularly we are an-
nouncing that we must positively limit our sale to this week only, and this is a last call to any who have not yet
made a point of visiting our store on Brussels Street, where sale is held.

Our success has been most gratifying, and we have made many new friends at this sale, having
proved to them our set policy, "Only the Best Footwear Strictly as Advertised."

MEN'S PARTIAL LIST OF ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS

Men's Tan Calf Blucher Oxfords—Regular \$4.00	To Clear, \$2.48
Men's Gun Metal Blucher Lace Boots—Regular \$4.00	To Clear, \$2.85
Men's Box Kip Lace Boots—All Solid. Regular \$4.00	To Clear, \$2.98
Men's Gun Metal Calf Lace Boots—Regular \$6.00	To Clear, \$4.65
Men's Heavy Tan Duck Lace Boots—With Solid Rubber Sole and Heel. Regular \$2.25	To Clear, \$1.45
Boys' Low Sneakers—Blue	To Clear, 68c.
Boys' Box Kip Lace Boots—All Solid. Sizes 1 to 5	To Clear, \$2.28

FOR THE CHILDREN

Misses' Patent Leather, Cloth Top Button Boots—Regular \$2.50	To Clear, \$1.98
Misses' White Canvas Pump—Regular \$1.35	To Clear, \$1.35
Children's Patent Pumps—Sizes 8 to 10	To Clear, 88c.
Infants' Patent Pumps—Sizes 3 to 7	To Clear, 78c.
Infants' Patent Leather, Cloth Top Button Boots—Sizes 5 to 7 1/2	To Clear, 98c.
Children's White Canvas Pump—Sizes 8 to 10 1/2	To Clear, 88c.
Infants' White Canvas Pumps—Sizes 6 to 7 1/2	To Clear, 78c.
Misses' Patent Pumps—Reg. \$2.25	To Clear, \$1.48

QUOTATIONS FROM OUR LIST OF LADIES' FOOTWEAR

Ladies' Patent Pumps—Sizes 2 1/2 to 5	To Clear, \$1.28
Ladies' Patent and Gun Metal Pumps—Grey Cloth Tops, Sizes 2 1/2 to 5	To Clear, \$1.39
Ladies' Patent and Gun Metal Pumps—Valves \$2.50, \$2.85 and \$3.00. Sizes 2 1/2 to 5	To Clear, \$1.98
Ladies' Bronze Kid Pumps—Regular \$3.50 value	To Clear, \$1.98
Ladies' White Canvas Pumps—Broder Sizes	To Clear, 95c.
Ladies' White Canvas Pumps—Rubber Sole and Heel	To Clear, 98c.
Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords—Rubber Sole and Heel	To Clear, \$1.15
Ladies' Gun Metal Calf Oxfords—Regular \$2.50	To Clear, \$1.48
Ladies' Tan Calf Oxfords—Rubber Sole and Heel, Goodyear Welt. Regular \$3.25	To Clear, \$2.68
Ladies' White Canvas Button Boots—Goodyear Welt. Regular \$2.50	To Clear, \$1.68
Ladies' High-Cut, 9-inch Kid Lace Boots—Regular \$4.50	To Clear, \$2.85
Ladies' High-Cut, 9-inch Kid Lace Boots—Regular \$6.50	To Clear, \$4.85
Ladies' Patent Button Boots—Cloth Top with White Trimmings. Regular \$3.25 and \$4.50	To Clear, \$2.85
Ladies' Gun Metal Button Boots	To Clear, \$1.98
Ladies' High-Cut White Canvas Lace Boots—White Heels, Regular \$3.50	To Clear, \$2.48

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