

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

"EVERY WOMAN" IS MIGHTY STAGE SPECTACLE MASSIVE SCENIC PRODUCTION AND EXCELLENT CAST OF PRINCIPALS

"Everywoman," coming to Imperial Theatre on August 16th and 17th, with Saturday matinee, has a message for you. Everybody should see "Everywoman." It is easily the greatest dramatic offering of the decade. So much has been written regarding the play that anything one could say about it would be a repetition.

It teaches a lesson in such a manner that it will not be easily forgotten. It defies some of the most cherished traditions of the theatre and that, perhaps, is one of the reasons for its remarkable hold upon the affections of the public, because it relies upon originality and not upon custom. It is a clever admixture of grand opera, drama and musical comedy with many pretty girls and a wonderful symphonic orchestral accompaniment.

Paula Shay interprets the role of "Everywoman," and she is in excellent company, for the trio composed of Dorothy McCord, Percy Parsons and Natalia Lynn present the roles of Youth, Nobility and Truth magnificently. It has been many days since the public has heard such reading of lines, such intonations, or seen such acting as this trio presents. The many years of dramatic training shows to good advantage in the presentations of the roles of Youth and Truth.

Henry W. Savage, as with his former successes, has given "Everywoman" a regal setting, a superlative cast and a symphonic orchestra.

FANNY WARD IN "INNOCENT"

On Monday and Tuesday the Star Theatre will show A. H. Woods' successful stage play "Innocent," featuring Fanny Ward.



This special attraction will be shown at regular prices. Don't miss this greatest Pathe play of the year.

HIS WIFE TOO BOSSY.

There has been a humor shortage ever since the war began, and if the result has not been serious, it is undeniable that it has been serious, says the Rochester Post-Express. Of course there is less in life to make a jest of just at present and it may be that most of our bright young men who naturally see the lighter side of things have gone to France.

There is said to be no lack of rollicking humor over there, and the English papers find endless incidents with a smile in them to record. So much is happening that many amusing things occur, and it is human nature to look for laughter wherever it can be found as a relief to nervous strain. And there is unconditioned humor also, oftentimes the funniest of all, and men say unforgettable things when they have least thought to jest.

One such delicious remark appears to have been born of a decidedly peevish mood and deserves to be brought to general attention. It appears that the wife of an American soldier had been writing him in a didactic, not to say dictatorial, tone, which made him reluctant. She may have advised him merely to guard his health or have laid some other eminently proper injunction upon him. At any rate, he was resentful, as all but the best among us are when good advice is mandatory rather than suggestive, frangible and unreasonable, the censor found in his answering letter the crosspatch rebuff that he wished "she wouldn't be so bossy, but would let him enjoy the war."

Let us hope that he may get as much enjoyment out of it as most of us get from the unpremeditated humor of his characteristically manlike growl.

Land has been acquired in New Jersey by Norwegian shipping interests for the construction of one of the largest shipyards in the world.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

MARRIAGES

NICHOLS-MAHER—On July 20, in St. John's church, Silver Falls, by Rev. Father Carleton, Bertram Kenneth Nichols, of Headquarters Staff, and Miss Frances Maher of Silver Falls.

SHAW-TAIT—On May 3, 1918, by Rev. J. A. MacKellan, Pte. John Thomas Shaw of 1st Depot Battalion to Jennie Tait of St. John, formerly of Aberdeen, Scotland.

DEATHS

WADE—On August 1, at her sister's residence, 105 St. James street, West End, Augusta B. Wade of St. Andrews, leaving two sisters and three brothers to mourn.

The remains will be taken to St. Andrews today, Friday.

PATERSON—In this city on August 1, William H. Paterson, in his ninety-second year, leaving two daughters and two sons to mourn.

Funeral Monday at 2.30. Service at the house.

THE GEM'S NEW BILL

This afternoon and tonight at the Gem, June Caprice in "A Camouflage Kiss," a romance of thrills and laughter with "The Sunshine Maid" the centre of all. You'll enjoy it. Also episode No. 6 of "The Eagle's Eye." Tells of the arrival of Robert Fay, the Kaiser's death messenger, in America and how his first freedom plot was destroyed. Shows at 2.30, 7.15 and 8.45; only five and ten cents.

NEXT WEEK AT THE STAR

On Monday and Tuesday Fanny Ward will be seen in A. H. Woods' great stage success, "Innocent," and on Wednesday and Thursday Theda Bara in Alexandre Dumas' romantic love story, "Camille." Both attractions at regular prices.

BRADSTREET ON STATE OF TRADE

(Bradstreet's.)

Industry on war account active beyond precedent, other less essential lines restricted by labor, fuel and material shortages, further heavy drafts of men for the army, a large midsummer trade at wholesale and with jobbers, fair retail trade, fair to prompt collections, improvement in crop reports, particularly corn and spring wheat; firm and even tight money rates, a very large movement of wheat to market, easier prices for farm products except live animals, which are all higher, and a more disturbed labor situation, are among the basic elements of the week's commercial news. The line of cleavage between war industries and what are termed non-essentials is more marked, the first named becoming more active, while the latter, feeling increased difficulty in getting adequate supplies of materials, labor and coal, faces a serious situation. The week has seen further large drafts made upon man power for the military service, a marked shifting of existing forces, and increased participation of women in industry being foreshadowed. Further heavy orders for and enlargements of munition plants, increased output in steel production and in shipbuilding, and heavily augmented outputs of clothing and other supplies for the rapidly growing armies, are other features of the week. General civilian trade at wholesale continues good, very heavy in fact, considering that it is midsummer, and that pending regulation of prices, production of textiles, hides and leather and a variety of other lines holds down buying, although much of the necessary side selling is sold subject to government price regulations. Textiles easily lead in activity at wholesale, and shipments on early placed orders are of good volume, showing that retailers had correctly sized up the situation earlier and bought liberally. Best reports as to wing trade come from trade centers of the leading southern markets and the big centers of the surplus food-producing regions. Aiding this movement is persistent crop improvement in crop conditions, due to much needed rainfalls. Yet the crop situation is a spotted one, owing to lack of moisture in Texas and the southwest generally. Compared with the more than full volume of trade doing by wholesalers and jobbers in July, there is relative quiet reported in retail and mail-order business, due partly to pre-occupation of producers in crop work, and partly to the disposition of consumers to buy cautiously, pending clearer views of price regulation and crop production. The great basic element of unprecedented earning power, due to the war, is, of course, still the governing feature which seems bound to carry trade along until the war situation becomes capable of measurement and of discounting. Collections run fair to prompt. Money is closer, independently of government borrowing, partly because of liberal crop movements, partly because prices are high and therefore more capital is needed to swing the same or a larger volume of business, and partly because credit restrictions call for a more nearly cash basis of operations than has been hitherto the case. The stock market is dull and professional, but on the whole steady.

LOCAL NEWS

MODERN SHOE REPAIRING. If you want those old shoes of yours to look brand new and receive a sole and heel far better than the original ones just phone Waterbury & Rising, Main 925, and they will call for, repair and deliver them to you in first class condition.

TO ORANGEMEN: Orangemen of St. John county east and St. John county west are requested to meet at Orange Hall, German street, on Monday evening, Aug. 5, at 8 o'clock. Hon. H. P. Morphy, M. P., and others will address the meeting. By order of the W. C. M.

W. H. McDONALD, County Secretary.

The U. S. Food Board has reduced the price of flour from \$16.75 to \$9.80 a barrel in the last year.

SUNK BY SUBMARINE OFF GRAND MANAN

New York, Aug. 3.—An Associated Press despatch from Eastport, Maine, this morning says:

The crew of nine men from a lumber-laden four masted schooner were landed at Grand Manan, N. B., today. The men reported that their vessel was sunk by a submarine last night while getting between Briar Island and Grand Manan.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Henderson of 84 1-2 Cliff street, left for Boston this morning to visit relatives.

The engagement has been announced in Halifax of Miss Minnie A. Patterson of Hortonville, N. S., to Andrew W. Robb of Bedford, N. S., formerly of St. John. The marriage will take place early in September.

Mrs. Mary Nichols, of 6 Wellington row, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Mary M. Nichols, (Mayme), to Myles H. Perry, of Revelstoke, B. C. The marriage will take place in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Flood, Ottawa, are guests at the Manor House, having reached St. John on Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Hatheway, her daughters, the Misses Miriam and Grace Hatheway of New York left on Thursday to spend the month of August at Sandy Cove (N. S.).

Miss Madeline de Bury, Chicago, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Daniel Mullin at The Chalet in the Park at Rousesay.

Mrs. Murchie, of St. Stephen, is the guest of Mrs. A. F. Barnhill, Douglas avenue.

A. B. Copp, M.P., of Sackville, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Q. Dowling have announced the engagement of their daughter, Vivian, to Dr. Percival L. Bonnell, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Bonnell, of this city. The marriage is to take place in September.

His many friends will be glad to learn that Hon. J. P. Byrne, the provincial attorney-general, who has been a patient in the St. John Infirmary, has recovered from his illness and has been able to return to his old home in Bathurst.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Marshall, of Middleton, N. S., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Codner, Cranston avenue, for the past week.

RECENT WEDDINGS

Power-O'Shea. The marriage of William Power, eldest son of Councillor and Mrs. James Power, of Redbank, to Miss Bella, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Shea, of Boom road, was solemnized Tuesday morning in the Catholic Church at Redbank. Rev. Father Duffy celebrating nuptial mass.

Fraser-Scott. The marriage took place at St. Thomas' Church, Stanley, on Wednesday evening, at 7.30, of Laura Emily, daughter of William Scott, to Harry J. Fraser, of Nashua Bridge.

McLaughlin-Parker. Winslow A. McLaughlin, of Blaney Ridge, and Miss Hazel Parker, of Magundy, were married at St. Paul's manse, Fredericton, by Rev. J. S. Sutherland.

Wednesday evening at the home of Capt. McElroy, Sackville, Bradford E. Brown of Mount View was united in marriage to Mayne Bell Thompson of the same place.

Burns vs. Moore. Jersey City, Aug. 2.—Frankie Burns, of this city outwitted Pat Moore, of Memphis, Tenn., in an eight round bout here tonight. Burns weighed 120 pounds and Moore 118.

Week-End Cash Specials

LUX Only 10c. pkge.

4 cakes Lenox Soap 25c.

4 cakes Sunlight Soap 30c.

4 cakes Gold Soap 30c.

Babbitt's Cleanser 5c.

Old Dutch Cleanser 5c.

15c. tin Orona Cleanser 10c.

20c. tin Snap Hand Cleanser 17c.

25c. tin John Bull Silver Polish 21c.

25c. Gilt Edge Brass Polish, 21c.

30c. Mennen's Tale Powder, 22c.

Toilet Soap, Venetian Bath, 12 1-2c.

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NOTICE

Citizens will please note that all electric lights will be turned off tonight and until further notice.

When lamps or candles are used blinds on the windows facing seaward must be drawn.

Motor cars will be stopped if request to darken headlights has not been complied with.

ROBERT T. HAYES, Mayor.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 3, 1918.

Profiteering May React On-Maine Town

(Bath, Maine, Times, July 16.)

The government is now considering the cases of alleged profiteering in houses in Bath, in connection with several cases which have been reported to the authorities, and unless this plan is stopped Bath is likely to become a loser.

If there is not sufficient legislation to stop it now, more effective laws will be passed and it is probable that very shortly one of the most stringent bills ever put through on such a matter as this will become effective.

The authorities at Washington suggest that if Bath people persist in this work that it may be a good plan to improve transportation facilities to nearby communities so that people can live in these towns and come here to their work. This the government representatives will look into and it may be here, as it has been in some other places, that the profiteering means will profit from it rather than Bath.

The growth of the city depends largely upon the number of men living here, not upon those who come in here and carry the money they earn off with them. It is the man who comes to Bath and brings his family, makes this his home and spends his earnings, who becomes the substantial citizen which makes for the healthy growth of the city. If the men who would come here and do this are driven elsewhere Bath is the loser.

There are cases where a man has a legal and moral right to order his house, or houses vacated, to make room for another, but there are many cases which are unjust and the ground taken by Sheriff Oliver is approved by many citizens.

In a letter to Mayor Drake, Otto M. Edlitz, director of industry, housing and transportation, says:

"Profiteering at a time like this is most reprehensible," and urges him to get in touch with Hon. E. W. Hyde, manager of U. S. homes registration service, who has already taken up the matter with the department.

The bureau of industrial housing and transportation of the United States department of labor has appointed a local committee consisting of Walter S. Giddens, Joseph MacCormack, business agent of Lodge No. 161 Boilermakers, Iron Shipbuilders and Helpers of America and Fred B. Reed. This committee will be known as the rent profiteering and adjustment board, and its duties will be to hear and adjust complaints of exorbitant rent and evictions of war workers for profiteering.

FIFTEEN DEATHS

Fifteen deaths were reported to the Board of Health this week, as follows: Uræmia, two; meningitis, two; tuberculosis, two; nephritis, pneumonia, convulsions, heart disease, premature birth, arterio sclerosis, cancer of colon, pulmonary embolism, malignant disease of spine, each one.

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HARVESTING IS NOW GENERAL IN ONTARIO



A mid-summer scene on a typical Ontario farm.

A SCHOOL GAME ADOPTED BY THE CANADIAN SOLDIERS



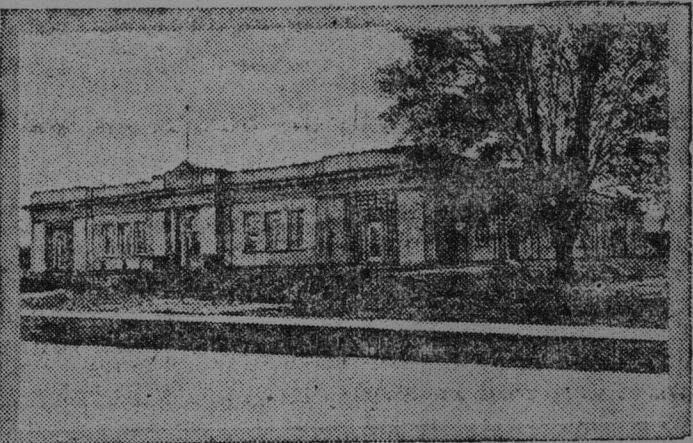
The man in the centre keeps his body still and his feet in the centre of the circle. The men seated throw him round and round. Canadian War Records Photograph—Copyright.

FROM ATTIC TO THE STREET



Extraordinary predicament of a householder behind the lines in France who was sleeping in this house during a German air raid, and after the bomb had dropped and demolished the house, was able to step into the room from the attic window.—British Official Photograph, Crown Copyright.

ONE-STORY SCHOOL



The Ryerson school at London, Ont., the first modern one-story school building in Canada. It is attracting much attention among educationalists and is said to have many advantages over the two and three-story buildings.

MASONIC GRAND MASTER



Dr. H. Darling, of Edmonton, the new grand master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, A. F. and A. M.

THE WEATHER

Maritime—Fresh southwest to northwest winds, showery today; Sunday, northwest winds, fair and comparatively cool.

Washington reports that the curtailment of the production of luxuries has greatly increased the demand for them.

RECENT DEATHS

Friends in Sussex learn with regret of the death of Mrs. G. Sidney Moore, which occurred at her home in Welland, Ontario, on July 18. Mr. Moore, who was a teacher in Mount Allison Ladies' College, died several years ago, was for a long time manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Sussex.

The death took place on Wednesday night of Mrs. William Ogden of Sackville. She was formerly Miss Alice Chase Barnes, who for some years was a teacher in Mount Allison Ladies' College. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. H. Parlee of Edmonton, Alberta, and Miss Grace Ogden at home. Her husband died about seven years ago. She was seventy-seven years old.

George Hicks, at one time a resident of Joliette, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Albert Oulton, Showegon, Me.

The death of Mrs. Malcolm McMillan of Chatham took place last Sunday. He was survived by her husband, four sons, Jack and Michael overseas, Joseph and James at home, and two daughters, Mrs. Thos. Lynch, Nelson, and Miss Annie at home.

The death of James Cripps took place at his home in Napan on Tuesday. He was fifty-one years of age and is survived by five brothers, George, Matthew, John, William and Thomas, and one sister, Mrs. Underhill of Blackville.

Marjorie McCoy died Thursday at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Harvey Cook, North Devon, aged sixty-three. Three sisters and one brother survive. They are Mrs. Henry F. Nash and Mrs. Maggie Denton, of Quaco Lake, and Mrs. Harvey Cook, of North Devon. The brother is Arch McCoy, of Douglas.

Word has just been received of the death of her sister, Mrs. Harvey Cook, North Devon, aged sixty-three. Three sisters and one brother survive. They are Mrs. Henry F. Nash and Mrs. Maggie Denton, of Quaco Lake, and Mrs. Harvey Cook, of North Devon. The brother is Arch McCoy, of Douglas.

Andrew Parker of Lower Pogoilock, passed away on Saturday, July 27. He was in his 74th year. He leaves a widow, one brother, Cook, of Magundy, and three sisters, Mrs. John Saunders, of Campbellton, N. B.; Mrs. William Wilson, and Mrs. James Little of York Mills.

The death of Mrs. John Stewart occurred at Boom Road, Miramichi, on Tuesday evening at the age of eighty-eight years. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Howland, Red Bank, five sons, John and Fred, Boom Road; William, Littleton, George and Thomas in the western states.

FREDERICTON SCHOOLS. The Fredericton school board has decided to defer re-opening the schools this year until the day after Labor day in order that the teachers may be able to attend the maritime education convention to be held in Moncton the last week of this month. The teachers who attend the convention will receive their government allowance the same as if at work in their class rooms.

Another ten billion dollars' income and excess profits tax becomes due across the border on Saturday.

