

GOOD THINGS COMING
TO THEATRES OF
ST. JOHN

RATTLING GOOD IS
OPERA HOUSE BILL

There is a nip and a tuck to the vaudeville show at the Opera House this week that keep one on the qui vive from the time it starts until the very last feat shown by the closing act. Enthusiasm ran wild on Saturday while Earle and Sunshine held the boards—two clever girls and they do know how to land comedy points and make everybody happy.

Chas. Bradley is a good entertainer and a likeable chap.

Now-a-days, a musical comedy skit by four girls who are good comedienne and singers as well, is one of the brightest novelties seen here for some time right up to the second in plot and action and well worth seeing.

The Kimura Japs offer sensational feats of juggling and foot balancing, an act in which the Japanese excel.

The novelty act by the De Onos is about the best of its kind ever seen on a local stage.

Almost everybody who has seen the show says that it is the best for 9; afternoon at 2.30.

HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES
SHOWN AT THE UNIQUE TODAY

Selig's splendid five reel screen version of Meredith Nicholson's widely read novel, "The House of a Thousand Candles" will be the great feature shown at the Unique today.

This beautiful production and story ranks as one of the best Harry Mestayer as Jack Glenan gives a delightful rendition of the part. Playing opposite him is Grace Dammed who is particularly charming as the little neighbor girl whose pretty romance with the heir to "The House of a Thousand Candles" is so cleverly arranged.

In addition to this five reel programme the management of the Unique have secured ten series composed of one single reel showing the world's greatest champions in the sport of boxing.

The first series will show the well known Mike Gibbons, welterweight champion of the world in action. Dr. Heller and Delcus, champion wrestlers in a contest to a finish and other well known champions. Same old prices, 8 and 10 cents.

BEHIND THE SCENES, POPULAR
PLAY-ET AT THE LYRIC

The attraction at the Lyric for the first part of the week will reign supreme. Miss Ruth King of the King Musical Comedy Company is one of her own composition entitled "Behind the Scenes." This little playlet will be interspersed with song, melody and new novelties, and affords unusual opportunities for dramatic action and abundance of laughs.

Miss Ruth King, who is the star of the blue or any one troubled with mind trouble. Little Baby Lorna Ward, the local child wonder, will again appear in new dress.

A new winter garden novelty will be introduced, something new and novel. Anyone looking for a good evening's entertainment should go to the Lyric. It is safe to predict that a large crowd will be there. Popular prices: Matinee, 10-15c. Evenings, 15 and 25 cents.

HARRY MOREY AND GLADYS
LESLIE, IMPERIAL TONIGHT

No matter what the weather is like tonight visit the Imperial and see one of the sweetest stories of the summer season—Vilgragh's "His Own People" with big many Harry Morey and Gladys Leslie, the girl with the million dollar smile. This is a native Irish story with thatched cottages, village blacksmiths, the nobility and the castle, the bright and witty village folk and a love of spirited dramatics as well as pleasing love story. There will also be a continuation of the History of The Great War series, a Drew comedy, Mutt & Jeff and a Pathe comic. He of those bumper Monday-Tuesday bills for which the Imperial is famous. Pot-pourri of Irish airs.

STRIKING PICTURE
BILL AT THE GEM

You cannot always depend on circumstantial evidence. The Gem proves this. A five-reel feature, starring Gene Elvidge. There's something entirely new in the picture. Also two reels of "The Eagle's Eye," the German plot to disorganize labor in the United States. Seven-reel show. Only five and ten cents.

THE MATTER OF COAL
"Why is it that people of Prediction can procure coal for \$12.50 and people of St. John have to pay \$12.50 for it and even at that price cannot get any amount?" was asked by a prominent merchant this morning. He said that it seemed as if there was a boycott against St. John and the matter should be thoroughly investigated. He said that coal could be brought here in cars as well as it could to other provinces or parts of this province, and maintained that thousands of cars were coming from the States empty whereas they could bring coal. When asked if he knew whether or not coal was available, he said some people seemed to be able to procure it all right, and quoted one instance where a local firm had no difficulty procuring a cargo from the States.

TORONTO LETTERMEN
ON STRIKE; NO MAIL
OUT THIS MORNING

Toronto, July 22.—Up to ten o'clock this morning there had been no delivery of mail in Toronto. None of the carriers were on their routes and it was reported that the sorters had also quit work.

VIOLENT STORMS CAUSE
FRENCH CROPS DAMAGE

Paris, July 22.—(Havas Agency)—Violent storms in many districts in France have caused severe damage to crops. The thermometer in Paris yesterday registered ninety-two degrees.

LOCAL NEWS

Chautauque, Barrack Square, Aug. 3-9, 7-23

STATIONERY ENGINEERS.
All stationery engineers are requested to attend a meeting in Oddfellows' Building, corner Union street and Hasen avenue, Wednesday evening, July 23, at 8 o'clock.

LETTER CARRIERS STRIKE

Toronto, July 22.—The Toronto letter carriers have gone out on strike and will not return to work until the government accedes to their request for a wage increase. The men ask that they be given a minimum wage of \$1,000 a year and a maximum of \$1,400, or a board of conciliation to consider their demands. More than 400 letter carriers have left their work.

Winnipeg, July 22.—Winnipeg letter carriers went out on strike this morning. Three hundred postmen are idle.

Ottawa, July 22.—Strikes of mail carriers in Toronto and Winnipeg are expected to be of short duration. Hon. P. E. Blondin, postmaster-general, said this morning that the government had acceded to the main requests of the men in regard to bonus and that two questions only now remain for settlement, the appointment of a board of arbitration and a definite promise by the government of further increases next session.

The bonus granted amounts in all to \$600 per annum.

PERSONALS

Mrs. T. Harold McGuire, who will soon be leaving for her new home in Calgary, will be at home to her friends on Wednesday afternoon and evening, July 24, at 149 Paradise Row.

Bangor Commercial. Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand J. Clergue of Montreal, who are spending the summer at Castine, were in Bangor on Thursday, leaving in the afternoon for St. John, where they will make a short visit with friends.

Miss Gladys Cameron of New York, formerly of this city, is spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cameron, 478 Main street.

Harold R. Smith has returned to the city after spending the week-end in Halifax.

Mrs. Charles Buckley of Milltown, N. B., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buckley, Moore street.

Friends of Mrs. W. W. Walford gathered at the home of Mrs. W. H. Emery on Friday evening and tendered her a lovely shower in honor of her recent marriage.

Mrs. and Mrs. Samuel Myles Crawford of Lakeside announce the engagement of their daughter, Glendon Valentine, to Frederick William Simmons of St. John, the marriage to take place in September. Mrs. W. MacPherson of Ottawa has arrived to spend a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Green of East St. John.

Mrs. Thomas and Miss M. McElroy of Sussex are the guests of Mrs. J. Theo. Shaw, 336 Germania street, at her summer home.

Mrs. W. D. McSorley and little daughter left by train on Friday night, N. S., where he is now residing.

Rev. Walter Donohue, formerly of St. John, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Sweeney, Union street.

Mrs. C. A. Thompson of Springfield, Mass., with her child, arrived at noon to visit the home of her father, David Belyea, City Market street, Elliot row.

Friends of Dr. Roberts, celebrated her eighty-seventh birthday on Saturday, and received hearty congratulations from many personal friends. She bears the name of Mrs. Gertrude Gertrude McCafferty returned at noon after spending a pleasant week-end, the guests of Dr. Harold S. Clarke at River Glade.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

DAVIS.—On July 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. William Davis, 27 Clarence street, a daughter.

ROSS.—On July 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ross, Water street, a son.

RAYMOND.—On July 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Raymond, 84 Pitt street, a son.

COWELL.—On July 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cowell, of West St. John, a son, Harry Bruce.

YOUNG.—At Silver Falls, on Sunday, July 21, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Young, a daughter.

DEATHS

MILLIDGE.—In this city on the 20th inst., Dorothy Gertrude, in the sixteenth year of her age, daughter of George D. and Annie Millidge.

FUNERAL on Monday at 10 a.m. NARRAWAY.—At her residence 40 Orange street, on the 21st inst., Hannah M. Naraway, widow of Rev. J. R. Naraway, aged eighty-four years.

FUNERAL on Tuesday at St. John's (Stone) church, service at three o'clock.

WARD.—In this city on the 20th inst., at her residence, 48 Summer street, Mary Ann, widow of Henry Ward, in the 74th year of her age, leaving one son and one daughter to mourn.

FUNERAL on Tuesday at St. John's (Stone) church, service at three o'clock.

KERR.—At the 26th General Hospital, Etaples, France, on July 21, Gunner King Kerr, aged 30 years, leaving his father three brothers and three sisters to mourn.

SMITH.—Suddenly, in this city, on 20th inst., Lillie Smith, aged twenty-two years, leaving her father, two sisters, three brothers to mourn.

HANLON.—At Ready street, on the 19th inst., John Hanlon, leaving his wife, three sons, three daughters, one brother and one sister to mourn.

ROBINSON.—At his residence, 120 Wright street, on the 19th inst., John B. Robinson, leaving one son and one daughter to mourn.

FUNERAL Sunday afternoon at 8 o'clock from his late residence. Friends invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM

McMASTER.—In loving memory of Amelia J. McMaster, who departed this life on July 21st, 1913.

"Gone, but not forgotten."

HIS ONE REGRET.



Most Domestic Wools Handled at Home

Necessity Has Encouraged Canadian Manufacturers to Use All Wools in Their Machines—Some Unfounded Complaints—Commission's Position Regarding Australian Wools

(Toronto Globe.)

Everything possible is being done by the British and Canadian authorities to facilitate the shipment of foreign wools to Canada and the distribution of Canadian wools for the benefit of the Canadian wool manufacturer. In Canada plans have been completed for the equitable distribution of domestic wools from the growers direct to the manufacturers. Arrangements have been made by the War Trade Board whereby the Canadian wool is really nothing more than forwarding the wools for the British government. The latter makes the appropriation, and the Canadian Wool Commission makes the distribution for the Canadian government.

The demand for wool is so universal that the British authorities are hard put to it to meet it. By virtue of its position of wool controller for the Allies, Britain knows what wool is on hand, and what can be spared, and if long wools are sent to Canada in shipments which the manufacturers think should consist entirely of short wools, then the British authorities have shipped long wools because there is not a sufficient supply of other kinds. And the manufacturers are expected to do with what they can get. *Spinning agents* so far as wool is concerned, Canada is in the pool.

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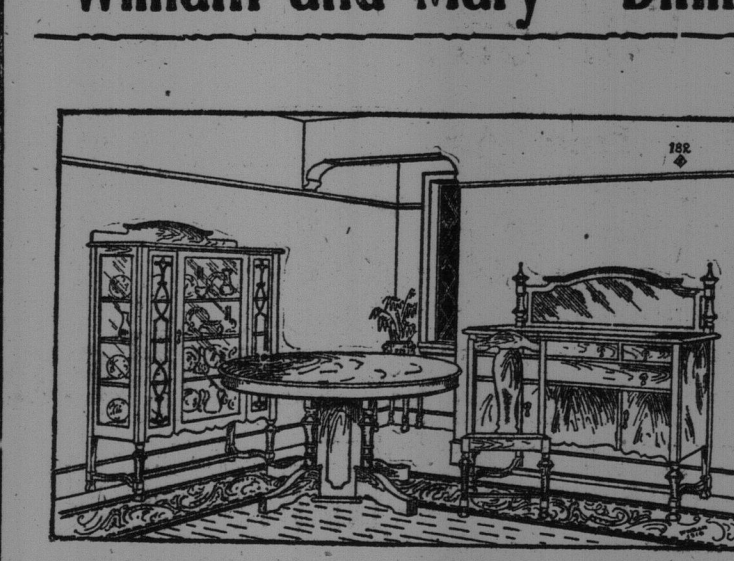
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COST STANDS IN WAY OF WRAPPED BREAD

(Continued from page 1.)

Commissioner McLellan asked how the by-law compelling wrappers and bringing an increased price would affect existing contracts. The mayor replied that this would be a question for the city solicitor.

Mr. Lawrenson said that they had looked into the matter twelve years ago but could not get wrappers at reasonable prices at that time. Present quotations for waxed paper are \$4.75 and \$5.04 per 1,000 sheets as compared with \$4.20 before the war. For the larger size the prices are \$5.65 and \$6.

To Commissioner Bullock, Mr. Lawrenson said that the increasing cost of wrappers had led them to consider an increase in the price of bread at the first of the year, but the food board had asked them to defer action at that time. When the new flour came in they found they could get ten leaves less from the barrel. They pay \$11.20 a barrel for flour in carload lots and the new law requires the use of substitutes which cost from \$13.60 to \$18 per barrel. He would like to have some of the people who think the bakers make big money to try it. The bakers would go back to the use of wrappers if the price were reasonable, or if the consumers would pay an increased price. They are selling all their bread without wrappers because of the trouble housewives are having in using the new flour and the substitutes.

Mr. Dwyer told of the bakers' conference with the food board in Ottawa. It was decided to eliminate wrappers to prevent an increase in price. Regarding deliveries, Mr. Dwyer said that practically all their bread was sold through the grocers; in upper Canada, only thirty per cent. of the bread is delivered to the grocers, but conditions with regard to that thirty per cent. were the same as in St. John. They were not seeking large profits; they only wanted to get by.

To Commissioner McLellan, Mr. Robinson said that the adoption of the new standard flour was to conserve that portion of the wheat formerly used for by-products. A certain quantity of wheat would give a greater proportion of bread.

Commissioner McLellan said that the millers were the only persons who benefited financially.

To Commissioner Hilyard, Mr. Robinson said that the new order forbade taking back or bread from the grocers. In aggregate, the returns amounted to a large quantity.

Mr. McLellan said that if the people are willing to pay the cost of bread, the bakers are only ready to resume wrapping. He questioned if the delegation of ladies who appeared before the council represented the real class of bread-eaters. Families with a large number of growing boys and girls who use four to six loaves of bread a day are the ones who would be most affected by the new law. They pay an extra cent a loaf for wrappers.

He did not think it cost the grocers one of a cent a loaf to wrap a loaf. They were ready to abide by the decision of the council.

Mr. Dwyer said that the bakers were kept clean and if the baskets were left on the top they would be clean, too. He did not see how they could use receptacles for deliveries to the grocers. If the city looked after the delivery men, they would be able to ensure careful handling.

Commissioner McLellan remarked that it all came down to a question of expense and asked if the people who use the most bread wanted to pay for the wrappers, which would cost an extra cent. Regarding the quality of the bread, the commissioner said that he preferred the war bread to the product of the new-war flour.

Mr. Lawrenson referred to loads carried on top of the wagons and said this occurred only on Saturdays, when two days supply had to be carried. The baskets were covered and he did not think the bread was unduly exposed. It was possible to deliver their orders with a small number of trips. The three concerns selling wrappers have a working agreement and there is no competition. Prices are higher and terms are not so easy.

Mr. Gibbons said they could not use the wrappers they have on hand because they are printed with trade-mark names which cannot be used with standard bread.

Commissioner McLellan remarked that bakers who had not wrapped their bread, would have to buy new pans to bake loaves which could be wrapped. He did not think the city should force a higher price without a stronger demand.

Mr. Lawrenson suggested the labor unions might be asked to vote on the matter.

Mr. Robinson said that the goods carried on top of the wagons are delivered

to the first customers and so are in little danger from exposure. The persons to whom the extra cent means something have been able to get their bread at a cent less from the bakeries.

Mr. McLellan said that some stores sell bread at a cent less if the customer takes it unwrapped or brings a cloth to wrap around it.

Commissioner Bullock thought it reasonable that persons who wanted wrapped bread should be able to secure it by paying the price, but he thought the Housewives League might pay some attention to the combine which had forced up the price of wrappers.

The mayor thanked the bakers for the information they had given the council. He felt that they would require further information or a stronger demand before they would be inclined to pass a by-law requiring wrappers.

The delegation withdrew.

Truck For Sale.
Commissioner Fisher announced that he had been trying to sell the five-ton truck owned by the public works department, but without success.

His recommendation that the No. 1 stone crusher should be sold by tender as junk or otherwise.

An offer from the Barrett Company for the 5/8 ton gasoline roller had been received by Commissioner Fisher. He recommended that it be sold at not less than \$1,000. If sold to the Barrett Company, he said, the roller would not be found suitable for that purpose, cost \$1,400 in England, five years ago.

Regarding the big truck, Commissioner Fisher said it was not suitable and was not being used.

A proposal to allow the railway spur on the water side of the D. A. R. wharf, so far as the drop, to remain, submitted by the C. P. R. by way of service, was presented to the council by Commissioner Bullock.

Commissioner Fisher objected that this would mean that the switch would have to remain and it should be removed. The city retain its right to order the removal of the spur at any time.

The committee adjourned.

Y. M. C. I. 10, C. G. R. 6 IN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

The baseball team of the Y. M. C. I. defeated a team representing No. 7 Canadian Garrison Regiment in the St. John Patriotic Baseball League fixture held on the Barrack square on Saturday afternoon by a score of 10 to 6. The game was keenly contested and was witnessed by a large number of fans. The box score and summary follow:

Y. M. C. I.	A. B. H. R. P. O. A. E.
A. Mahoney, 2b	4 1 0 0 0 1 0
Riley, c	4 1 0 0 0 1 0
Nixon, p	4 2 2 1 1 0 0
Miller, 1b	4 1 1 0 0 0 0
Graves, 3b	4 0 1 0 0 0 0
Brett, 1b	4 1 0 1 0 0 0
Perry, 2b	4 1 1 0 0 0 0
H. Mahoney, rf	4 1 1 0 0 0 0
Shorey, c	4 1 1 0 0 0 0
87 10 27 11 4	

C. G. R.

Nixon. Home run, Millan. Stolen
 bases, Dalton, Perry (2), Ramsay. Base
 balls, by Nixon 2, by Stafford 6.
 Struck out, by Nixon 7, by Stafford 6.
 Hit by pitcher, by Nixon, Mosher. Un-
 der, Garnett and Ritchie. Time of
 game, 2 hours 5 minutes.

SOUTH-END PLAYGROUND

There will be no work on the new south-end playground this evening because of the improvement league meeting. It will be resumed tomorrow evening. The grading of the diamond is proceeding well, but because volunteer help has been to excavate the \$300 voted by the council will be all used up before the whole field is in the condition desired. This will mean real work for the new improvement league.

THE LATE MISS MATTHEWS.
Of a former St. John resident, whose death was announced in the Times last week, Friday's New York Times says: "Mrs. Lucy Greene Matthews, mother of Joseph P. Matthews, Assistant Corporation Counsel in Queens Borough, died on Wednesday at the age of 80."

HURT IN SHIPYARD

John Spencer, an employee of Grant & Horne, sustained a bad laceration on one of his feet this morning. He had the injury attended to in the hospital.