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AT YORK THEATRE TONIGHT.

The Triple Bill entertainment in aid

of the Y. M. C. A. building fund at

York Theatre opens with a farce

titled "I on Parle Français." Follow-

ing is a synopsis: The scene opens in

Mr. Spriggins' parlor, where Mr. and

Mrs. Spriggins, Angelina and Anna

Maria are preparing to accommodate

lodgers for the summer months. A

place had been placed in the window

announcing "French Spoken Here."

The first applicant for lodgers is a

young English woman, wife of Major

Rattan, who has been accidentally sepa-

rated from her husband, and who is

accompanied by Victor Dubois, a young

Frenchman, who is politely helping her

with her luggage. Mr. Spriggins mis-

takes them for a married couple, when

Major Rattan appears and demands

his wife, accusing Dubois of running

away with her. It turns out that Du-

bois is in love with Angelina. The

whole affair is amicably settled, but

when the smoke has cleared off, Mr.

Spriggins decides this will be their last

attempt at letting lodgers.

In Honor Bound, a play, and Echoes

from the Mikado fill up an excellent

programme.

A PRIVATE TELEPHONE.

Emerson & Fisher have just installed

in their establishment a new private

telephone system, which is said to be

the most modern of its kind. The tele-

phones are made with different capaci-

ties, the system used by this firm con-

sisting of five instruments, but the

switch boards attached to each being

capable of ten connections in all. The

instruments have been placed in the

different branches of Emerson & Fisher

's building, and are found to be a

great convenience. Similar instru-

ments are now being sold by this firm.

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and very strong.

THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 54; lowest tempera-
ture, 42. Precipitation at noon, 2.54 inches;
at night, 0.12 inches.
TORONTO, April 29.—Forecast—Moderate
to fresh westerly winds, clearing; rain
Thursday and very mild.
Forecast—Cool, but very mild conditions pre-
vail from the Rockies to Lake Superior and
the mild weather elsewhere. There is no
immediate likelihood of a change in the
Maritime Province weather. Winds from Bay
of Fundy to American ports, also to the
banks promise to be moderate to fresh west-
erly.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Log Cabin Fishing Club re-
ceived incorporation yesterday. Macrae
& Sinclair are the counsel.

The S. S. Pharsalia has finished dis-
charging her inward cargo and this
morning moved up to the new I. C. R.
terminal.

A ship passed up the bay this morn-
ing. She is supposed to be the Honolu-
lu, which is to load lumber for the west coast.

There will be a concert at St. Phil-
ip's church tomorrow evening, given
by the Coffin family, assisted by the
choir. They will put on their full line
of music.

The first shad of the season were
caught in the harbor yesterday. Only a
few dozen fish were taken and it is not
expected that there will be any on the
market for a few days.

The two noon trains made a frantic
effort to get in on time today and were
almost successful. The Boston express
pulled in promptly, but the Montreal
was between five and ten minutes late.

The steamer St. John City, which
sailed from Halifax yesterday for London,
took the first shipment of this
season's canned lobsters. She took
about 12,000 cases bound for Havre.

Secretary Allison of the Board of
Trade, who has been confined to his
house by illness for some days past is
now much better. He was able to
leave his bed today for a few hours.

A very pleasant surprise was given
last evening to Mr. and Mrs. Gallant
of Portland street, by about one hun-
dred of their friends. Mrs. Gallant was
made the recipient of a handsome
sideboard and the evening was pleas-
antly spent.

Sale of ladies' high-grade outing
hats or ready-to-wear hats at half
their price is announced by F. W. Dan-
iel & Company for tomorrow morning.
This is an event which does not often
occur so early in the season, and there
are some very stylish hats in the lot.

A CHICAGO MYSTERY.

CHICAGO, April 29.—The cause of
fatal injuries to E. W. Simonds of New
York, who died yesterday at the
County Hospital, is being investigated
by the police. Simonds was found un-
conscious on the stone steps of the Cen-
tral Trust Company Bank early in the
day. His skull had been fractured.
Mr. Simonds had been a guest at the
Grand Northern hotel since April 23rd,
where for some unknown reason he
registered as "E. W. Summers." Simonds,
it is said, formerly was connected with
the Chicago Board of Trade. When he
moved to New York he entered into
partnership with a brokerage firm in
Wall street.

RUSSIA DENIES.

Says She Has no Serious Designs
Upon Manchuria.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 29.—A
semi-official note on the subject of the
Russian policy towards Manchuria, just
issued, characterizes the demands as-
cribed to Russia in the despatches from
Peking as being simply inventions, as
already cabled to the Associated Press
on the authority of the Russian foreign
office.

"No change has occurred," says the
note, "in the intentions of Russia with
reference to Manchuria. The exchange
of views about to occur between the
Russian minister and Chinese govern-
ment as to relations only to the measure
to be adopted for ensuring the preser-
vation of order and tranquillity after
the Russian troops have marched out
of the province."
"Russia has absolutely no intention
to place impediments in the way of
foreign trade."

HATS OFF, PLEASE.

"Goah! that hat is a corker—the bed
of the old reaper at the farm isn't it
for a minute."

This was the comment made at the
Opera House last evening concerning
a lady's hat. From millinery store
point the head gear was probably a
diamond. It was about 11 feet in
diameter or at least looked that large
to those who occupied seats behind it.

AT NEWMARKET.

LONDON, April 29.—Rock Sand, rid-
den by J. H. ("Skels") Martin, won the
two thousand stakes, for three-year-
olds, one mile, at the Newmarket first
spring meeting today. Ptolemy, with
Denny Maher up, was second, Rabalais
came in third. Eleven horses started.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.
Coastwise—Sch. Ira Brooks, 27, Brooks,
Frederic, N. S.; sch. Mable B, 57, Pinigan,
Bellingham, sch. Haslewood, 29, Stevens,
Frederic, N. S.; sch. Oronokakha, 51,
Pinigan, Campbell, N. B.; sch. Venus, 45,
Thurber, Frederic, N. S.; sch. Swan, 55,
Thurber, Frederic, N. S.; sch. Alfred, 29,
Small, Tiverton, sch. Nina Blanche, 20,
Procter, Frederic, N. S.; sch. Chastity,
Comau, Meteghan, N. S.; sch. Silver Cloud,
45, Post, Digby, sch. Luma, 21, Hicks, West
port, N. S.; Acadia, 23, Campbell, Frederic,
N. S.; sch. Haines Bros, 45, Haines, Free-
port, N. S.

Cleared.

S. S. Mianca 1299, Fraser, Bow Head,
L. S. St. Croix, 1046, Pike, for Boston.
Coastwise—Sch. Acadia, Campbell, fishing
vessel, sch. Haslewood, 29, Stevens, fish-
ing vessel, sch. Swan, 55, Thurber, fishing
vessel, sch. Venus, 45, Thurber, fishing
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ing vessel, sch. Mianca, 1299, Fraser, fish-
ing vessel.

FOREIGN PORTS.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Ste. Oceanic, from
Liverpool and Queenstown, reported
sailed east Nantucket, 7.30 a.m.
Arrived April 29, ste. Kongs Albert, from
Samsø and Naples.

POLICE COURT.

Dan. O'Leary's Celebration—Mattie
Day Again—Several Drunks.

Dan O'Leary's sister got married last
night and Dan went on a toot. When
Dan gets going he's a corker, and he
got going last evening. It was the
combined efforts of two policemen to
quell him in the earlier part of the
performance and later on the bold boy
got out on North street, where he
raised everlasting Cain until he was
arrested. While the fun was in pro-
gress some of the enterprising youths
in the district started a bonfire near
the house and it looked so big that peo-
ple going to the Clary concert stopped
to watch it and were late at the the-
atre. And all this because of a wed-
ding. O'Leary was given two months
for drunkenness.

Another interesting character was
Mattie Day. She had lived all her life
on Sheffield street, but in the halcyon
days of her youth Mattie once went
down to see the American steamer and
on this account she hails from Boston.
Mattie does not wear a lather brush
in her hat, nor is she afflicted with the
breakfast food habit, but this is no
reason why she should not swear, and
late last night she held a pot row
with her deen-post. This was due to
the fact that a horrid man had been
spitting tobacco juice in Mattie's front
hall on Sheffield street. Marshall, the
cop, heard her and as the words used
were naughty, he arrested the woman.
She was fined sixteen dollars.

Joe Keicher, Peg-leg Nickerson,
John O'Hara, John Barry and John
McDonald were each fined eight dol-
lars for drunkenness. William Shaw and Fred Stannard,
who were arrested for stealing two cans
of white lead from the S. S. Orleans,
were brought into court. They were
told several times that they had ren-
dered themselves liable to two years in
Dorchester, and were allowed to go, as
the captain was willing to take them
back to the ship.

The preliminary examination of
George Thallus for entering John
O'Regan's house and stealing an over-
coat, was held today. Mr. O'Regan,
Samuel Webber and Detective Killen
gave evidence and the prisoner, who
admitted his guilt, was committed for
trial.

A RUTHLESS INVADER.

John Toomey, who lives on the cor-
ner of Mill and North streets, works up
about twelve o'clock last night with
the impression that he heard someone
walking about the house. Mr. Toomey
did not wait to dress, but seized a
poker and went on the war path. In
the hall he found a man, who turned
out to be one John McDonald, under
the influence of liquor, but quite ca-
pable of looking after himself. Mr.
Toomey ordered McDonald out, and
emphasized his remarks by putting a
dent in the stair rail with the poker.
McDonald refused to go out and Mr.
Toomey retired from the conflict, not
defeated, but only for the purpose of
putting on some clothes. He did this,
but upon his return McDonald had dis-
appeared. He was afterwards investi-
gated for being drunk and was this morn-
ing fined eight dollars or two months.

C. P. R. CHANGES.

Charles McKinney, who has held the
position of yardmaster for the C. P. R.
at West St. John, has been transferred
to the same position at Nelson, B. C.,
and leaves this evening for his new
home. Two other employees of the
West Side, William J. MacPherson and
William McCausland, will go west with
Mr. McKinney.

Robert G. Allan, of the accountants'
staff will leave on Thursday for Wood-
stock to assume his new position. Mr.
Allan will be much missed from this
city, especially in musical and amateur
sporting circles. To his work much of
the success of the Harrier festival was
due, and he has also been a leading
figure in the Trinity Athletic Associa-
tion.

John W. Wetmore will also be leav-
ing for Montreal in a few days, when-
ever he gets through with the work
now on hand here.

MISSIONARY WORK IN CHINA.

Mrs. Stott, who has been engaged in
mission work in China for thirty years,
lectured last evening in Trinity church,
recounting many thrilling personal
experiences, and also told of the hard-
ships the Chinese converts had to un-
dergo. Mrs. Stott also described many
experiences which occurred to the mis-
sionaries during the Boxer uprising.

Mrs. Stott will lecture in the C. of E.
Institute room this afternoon at four
o'clock and in St. Luke's church at
eight o'clock.

On Thursday she will lecture in St.
David's church at a union meeting of
the Presbyterians, at four o'clock, and
in the evening at eight o'clock before
a similar meeting of the Baptists in
Brussels street church. She will go to
Woodstock Saturday.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

His Worship Mayor White has select-
ed Aldermen Christie, Robinson, Max-
well, Milledge, Baxter and Macrae to
act with the Board of Trade committee
on the winter port improvements. The
Board of Trade committee consists of
five and there will be one delegate from
the Trades and Labor council. His
worship will act as chairman.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—Irving M.

Scott, who for many years was vice pre-
sident and general manager of the Union
Iron Works, died at his home in San Fran-
cisco today. He has been in poor health for
some time and a few days ago he was
stricken with alarming symptoms. Mr. Scott
has long been a sufferer from kidney trou-
ble.

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using it?

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Irishmen the World Over Are

Asked to Subscribe.

The Shamrock III—A Nine Hour

Day—Alaska's Timber—

General Notes.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., April 29.—

Flanoid Broun, aged four years, fell
into Ledge Pond today and was drown-
ed.

DETROIT, Mich., April 29.—Capt. J.
Stoner, a well-known seaman of the
Great Lakes, is dead at his home in
Monroe, aged 71 years.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 29.—Tom
Sharkey won his wrestling match with
F. C. Quinn at the Coliseum tonight.
M. J. Dwyer lost his match with Oscar
Johnson of this city. Over one thou-
sand were present.

THENTON, N. J., April 29.—As the
result of an argument Stephen Jones, a
saloon keeper of this city, was assailed
by a stranger early today and died two
hours later from a fractured skull.

LONDON, April 29.—An appeal has
been issued by the United Irish League
asking Irishmen throughout the world
to start immediate subscription to the
parliamentary fund of 1903. A gener-
ous response is necessary to enable
the regular attendance of the Irish
members.

GLASGOW, April 29.—The mast in-
tended for Shamrock III, has been com-
pleted and will be stepped on Friday.
It is hoped that the cup challenger will
be rigged and ready for a spin on May
8th.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 29.—An agree-
ment has been reached between the
Chicago Metal Trades Association and the
Blacksmiths' Union whereby two
thousand men will receive a nine hour
workday and an increase in wages
ranging from 1-2 to 10 per cent. Time
and a half will be paid for overtime and
double time for Sundays and holidays.

RAINFALL-VALE.

A very interesting event will take
place this afternoon in the Mission
church of St. John the Baptist, at a
quarter past five o'clock, when Joseph
Cavlin Baine, of the firm of Lockhart
& Rainnie, will lead to the altar Miss
Margaret Constance Vail, of this city,
daughter of the late Hon. E. A. Vail,
of Sussex. The bride will wear a
brilliant costume of grey cloth and
violet hat, and will be attended by
Miss Margaret Arnold, of Sussex.

The bride's dress is of cream
cloth. Little Miss Muriel Ford will be
maid of honor, attired in white chiffon.
W. A. Lockhart will officiate as
groomsmen.

Fred Fraser and Cuthbert Lee will
act as ushers, and though there are
no guests invited a number of seats
have been reserved for friends of the
contracting parties. Mr. Ford will pre-
side at the organ and the ceremony
will be performed by Rev. P. Owen-
Jones.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs.
Rainnie will leave on the six o'clock
train for Montreal and other Canadian
cities. They will reside in Carville Hall
on their return.

The party were numerous and
costly, among them being a beautiful
reminiscence from the Mission church
choir of which the bride was a member.
CONFIDENTIAL.

LOADED FOR TRAMPS.

Ordinarily there is no more peaceable
citizen than the steward of the Pro-
vincial Lunatic Asylum, but the gen-
eral public are hereby warned that he
is now in possession of a well stocked
arsenal. Particular notice is given to
the tramps that for some time past
have been infesting the neighborhood
where the gentlemen referred to lives,
that elaborate preparations have been
made for their reception, if they should
trouble him.

A few nights ago the gentleman in
question was followed by a couple of
hard looking characters, but his free
and easy air and massive frame prob-
ably prevented them from making an
attack upon him. This was about the
spot where James Connolly was held
up and relieved of five dollars. Now
all is ready for the provokers and if
the city is alarmed any night by the
sound of "heavy firing" they may rest
assured that the popular asylum official
is but defending his home, and that the
invasion will be checked there.

The death occurred this morning in
the Mater Misericordiae home of
Henry A. McCullough, formerly one of
the members of the dry goods firm of
H. & R. A. McCullough. He was sixty-
five years of age, and had been ill for
quite a long time.

MARRIAGES.

PARRIS-CRAWFORD.—At the residence of
Mr. John Fisher, Spar Cove Road, on April
25th, by Rev. E. A. Long, W. R. Parris,
of Waterbury, Queens Co., to Catherine
Crawford, of St. John.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED.—Apprentices for millinery busi-
ness; also one with one or two years' ex-
perience. Apply to MISS H. MACFARLANE,
at Morrell and Sutherland's.

WANTED.—An experienced table girl. Al-
so a chambermaid. Apply at PARK HOTEL.

GIRLS WANTED.—To work at the Tailor-
ing; none but good sewers need apply. Pay
from start. JOHN RUBINS, 65 Germania St.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bent and
family, who have been residing at
Gondola Point, will shortly leave for
Boston, where they expect to live.

Miss Annie O'Neill, of St. George, is
visiting Miss O'Neill, of St. John, who
has been visiting in the city, pupils
at the convent of the Sacred Heart,
Halifax, took part in a recital at that
institution on Saturday evening. They
were Misses Josephine, Florence, Jose-
phine, Mary, Kathleen and Hogan.

L. W. Powers, of the C. P. R. Mon-
treal, formerly the energetic train
master here, was in the city yesterday
and returned last evening to Montreal.
Miss Mabel Thomson of this city,
the lady golf champion of Canada, has
been playing at Lakewood, N. J., for
the past few days.

J. M. Lyons of the I. C. R. was at
the Royal yesterday.
John L. Robinson of Sydney is at the
Dufferin.

Jas. A. Belyea left for Montreal last
night.

Judge Forbes, Ald. McDougall, A.
C. Fairweather and Peter Clinch re-
turned from Fredericton last night.

Hon. Mr. Justice Landry and Mrs.
Landry passed through the city last
night on their way to Montreal, where
they will attend the closing exercises
at McGill this week. Their son, Pierre
Landry, is among those who will take
degrees.

Miss Mabelle Tapley of McAdam,
who has been visiting her uncle, Hon.
Jas. Holly, on Douglas avenue during
the past three weeks, returned home
yesterday.

John G. Burke of the C. P. R. office
staff left yesterday for