

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

IMPERIAL'S THRILLER

PACKING THEM IN

The following conversation takes place between Von Glimm and Ackland, art students in Paris, shortly before the war broke out, in connection with the great war picture "For France," at the Imperial tonight and Saturday:



Von Glimm: "Some day it may be necessary for Germany to teach the Americans the manners of Kultur!"

Ackland: "Indeed Herr Von Glimm, some day Germany may feel the weight of American fists."

This prophetic conversation—fiction though it be—is only one of the extremely timely and exciting scenes in the wonderful "Vierzig Jahre" which set yesterday's crowds wild with enthusiasm.

HERE'S A VERY CATCHY NEW OPERA HOUSE BILL

The new Opera House vaudeville programme opening tonight offers some high grade features, including the famous Kikuna Japa in a striking Japanese novelty act with surprising feats of juggling, foot balancing and spinning. Novelties, a splendid musical feature offered by a quartette of girls, all trained musicians. The De Omos in a whirlwind dramatic novelty; Chap. Bradley, a good-natured singing chap; Earle and Sunshine in a comedy singing and dancing skit, introducing old fashioned melodies and dances; and the usual chapter of the series, "The Lion's Claw," with Marie Walscamp. The serial is developing a very interesting story touching on the work of German agents in the effort to start a Holy War against British troops in Africa.

Evening at 7.30, and 9.30; tomorrow afternoon at 2.30. Usual little prices.

LAST TIMES FOR THE WHIP AT THE GEM

"The Whip" at the Gem will be given its final two presentations at 7.15 and 8.45 to-night. A big, thrilling, gripping picture story of horse racing and trick riding, with remarkable fox hunt, racing, auto crash and train wreck scenes. A big event. Prices only five and ten cents.

GERMANS SEEK TO HIDE THEIR U-BOAT LOSSES

Washington, July 19.—An official dispatch says that in an effort to hide from the German public and the crews of submarines the extent of the submarine losses, the high naval command has issued an order forbidding the statement in death notices that the deceased was a member of submarine crew unless the loss of the submarine has been officially announced.

Amsterdam, July 19.—Rear Admiral Kempf, of the British navy, has proclaimed the organization of the North-eastern section of the Murren railway, by British, American, French and Serbian forces, says Max Behrmann, Stockholm correspondent of the Berlin "Vossische Zeitung," under date of July 18. The admiral, he adds, also announced that the forces would advance southward in accordance with the local Soviet authorities and at the request of the local population for help.

There was news to impart, and William Tell was the person to impart it. Said he to a friend: "Under this new calling-up business, I know of a firm of electricians whose employees will have to go." "That so?" replied the friend. "But I should think they'd give men like that some special work to do." "You bet! They ought to be good at charging batteries!"

Mayor Hyman has dropped his libel suit against the New York World.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

RUBY.—On July 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ruby, 309 City Road, City—a son, Harold Ambrose.

DEATHS

BLACK.—At the residence of her brother, Somerville (Mass.), on the 17th inst., Edith G. daughter of the late William and Eliza Black, leaving two brothers and four sisters.

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

PETERSON.—Suddenly, in New York, on the 19th inst., Walter Peterson, son of Frank Peterson formerly of St. John, N. B., leaving three sisters and one brother to mourn.

ROBINSON.—At his residence, 130 Wright street, on the 19th inst., John B. Robinson, leaving one son and one sister to mourn.

Notice of funeral later.

LOCAL NEWS

SALE NOW ON

At Andur's, W. E., with many bargains in all lines.

WEST SIDE TONIGHT

In City Hall at 8. Formation of improvement league in connection with playgrounds. Come everybody and help.

MANY SPECIALS

At Andur's sale, 248-250-252 King street, W. E.

AMOUR'S SALE

Will save you money in the dry goods and grocery departments.

TODAY AND TOMORROW

Great bargains at Andur's sale in dry goods and grocery departments—248-250-252-250 King street, W. E.

MINTO COAL

E. L. Merrithew, who returned to Fredericton from Ottawa today, said assurances were given that a re-arrangement in the matter of Minto coal prices would be made.

AUTO BUS

Spend a day at Dean's Hotel, Lorneville. Automobile bus will leave corner of Douglas Ave and Main street, Saturday and Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, evenings at 7 o'clock; Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. The end of car line, Fredericton, ten minutes later. Round fare \$1.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hunter of Upper Hammond, announce the engagement of their daughter, Agnes Marie, to Leslie Armstrong of Jeffrey's Corner, N.B. The marriage will take place at an early date.

COAL PRICES HIGHER

BUT HOW MUCH?

The agents of the Dominion Coal Co. in this city have sent a circular notification to their customers that, commencing on Monday last the prices on all coals of the corporation are advanced. Upon inquiry to-day the Times was informed that no word has yet reached St. John from Sydney as to what the increases are to be. So the general public is either buying its coal without question or waiting for information.

WILSON AND TUMULTU GIVE THEIR SECRETARIES TO ARMY

Washington, July 19.—President Wilson has agreed to the enlistment of his personal stenographer, Charles Swen, and the young man will join the army aviation service on August 1.

BOY GIVEN FRESH START

Ronald Campbell, youngest son of P. W. D. Campbell, formerly of this city, who makes his home with his grandparents, Mrs. and Mrs. James Buchanan, has returned from Lowell, Mass., where he was fitted with an artificial leg. The boy met with a driving accident when a very little fellow and this necessitated amputation to the thigh, but he has pluckily gone through the life and indulged in numerous little boyish activities such as all ambitious lads like to do.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Watson and Mrs. Watson's mother, Mrs. B. H. Morrell, of Cambridge, Mass., who have been the guests of Mrs. Morrell's sister, Mrs. J. F. Herby, at their home this morning. They were accompanied by Mrs. D. A. Morrison, Amherst.

Mr. Mackay, pianist at the Unique Theatre, returned last evening after spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. D. Poushey of Sydney.

The Hon. E. A. Smith of the local government returned to Shediac on the noon train today.

Thomas Connelley, president of the Nova Scotia Construction Company, arrived in the city today.

W. R. Reek, provincial secretary for agriculture, who arrived in the city yesterday, left on the east-bound train at noon.

Mrs. J. S. Kearns and family are visiting Mrs. Kearns' sister, Mrs. M. Lahey, 288 Germain street.

Rev. James A. Donnelly of St. Mary's church, Charlottetown, Mass., left on the Boston train this morning after spending two weeks with his sister, Mrs. Geo. McCuskey of Durham street. He was accompanied by his mother and brother, Arthur, of West Somerville.

The town hall auditorium in Charlottetown, P.E.I., a large and commodious theatre, has been leased by H. H. McArthur of this city, who will leave soon to assume direction of it as a moving picture theatre. The other theatre in Charlottetown, the Prince Edward, is under lease to F. G. Spencer of St. John.

Fat and fowl should be supplied to fish by sauces and relishes.

AMERICANS BATTER DOWN THE GERMAN DEFENCE; ADVANCE GOES ON

With the American Forces on the Aisne-Marne Front, July 19.—American troops continue to hold the plateau southwest of Soissons where on Thursday the Germans made their first organized counter-attack. This soon fell down, however, so soon as the American heavy artillery got into action.

This was one of the fiercest struggles. It resulted in the Germans falling back finally under the rain of heavy gunfire of the Americans.

With the American Forces on the Aisne-Marne Front, July 19.—American and French forces are continuing to advance their spearhead steadily between Soissons and Chateau Thierry. The Americans took several towns in the course of the night.

GERMANS SINK THE CARPATHIA

New York, July 19.—The Associated Press says the British transport Carpathia, 13,500 tons gross, has been sunk by a German submarine off the Irish coast while outward bound from a British port. So far as known here, no lives were lost.

A Canadian Atlantic Port, July 19.—The American steamer San Jacinto in collision in the Atlantic with the Holland-American liner Osterdijk, in which the latter was sunk, arrived here today with the Osterdijk's crew. The San Jacinto was badly damaged, and how twisted about thirty degrees to port. The ship docked here for temporary repairs.

POWER BOAT CLUB RACES

Fine races and close finishes marked the first of a series of evening contests held last evening by the Power Boat Club.

The entries in the semi-sprint class were: Flyway, owned by E. Harrington, and Victory, owned by Harry Baker. In the speed class Dixie I, owned by John Baker, and Thelma, owned by C. H. Belyea.

In the speed class, starting at 8.10, the boats finished as follows:—Malcolm, 8.34; Thelma, 8.38.4; and Dixie I, 8.35. In the semi-sprint class the boats got away at 8.09.4 and Flyway finished the winner, at 8.56.10, with the Victory following at 8.40.

The officials were Rear Commodore J. G. Sullivan, starter; A. J. Macdonald, timer; Harold Holder, judge at finish; Malcolm Logan, judge at turning buoy; John Thompson's boat carried the official flag.

Week-End Cash Specials

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20 lb. bag Sugar. \$1.88 1 lb. tin Evaporated Milk. 6c. 1 pkgs. Golden Dates. 10c. 25c. tin Belmont Baked Beans. 21c. 15c. pkg. Acme Starch. 11c. 15c. pkg. Corn Starch. 11c. 1 lb. tin Seal Coffee. 45c. (Chase & Sanborn's) 15c. tin Paris Paste. 12.1-2c. 20c. pkg. Knox Gelatine. 17c. 1-2 lb. cake Baker's Chocolate. 19c. 1 lb. tin Crisco. 35c. Peanut Butter, only. 32c. lb. 25c. tin Canned Corn. 21c. 25c. tin Shrimps. 21c. 18c. Grape Fruit Marmalade. 15c. 55c. lb. Lipton's Tea. 47c. 15c. Beaver Brand Jam. 13c. 22c. pkg. Star Codfish. 15c.

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CECIL NO LONGER BLOCKADE MINISTER

Becomes Assistant Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs

London, July 19.—Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade, has relinquished his post and will become assistant secretary of state for foreign affairs.

Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, parliamentary and financial secretary to the minister of munitions, has been appointed to succeed Lord Robert as minister of blockade.

POLES OF AUSTRIAN SILESIA JOIN CZECHS AGAINST HUN POWERS

Washington, July 19.—The decision of the Poles of Austrian Silesia to join the Czechs in common opposition to the governments of the Central Powers, has provoked great enthusiasm in Bohemia and Moravia, says an official dispatch from Zurich. Reports received from Vienna said that the Austrian government is having increasing difficulty in suppressing the activities of the Czechs and Slovaks in their manifestations of hostility.

AT LAST ACKNOWLEDGE THAT AMERICANS ARE OVER THERE IN FORCE

The Hague, July 19.—In outspoken comment on the growth of American strength in France, the Socialist Arbeiter Zeitung of Vienna, says there is no doubt that more than a million American troops already have arrived in Europe. It declares that this is a feat of organization as amazing as the creation of the British army.

TOKIO STIRRED OVER MATTER OF INTERVENTION IN RUSSIA

London, July 19.—Great efforts apparently are being made to break down political opposition to Japanese participation in intervention in Siberia, and there is a continuous coming and going of political and military personages, says a despatch to the Daily Express from Tokyo dated July 17.

The leaders of the Seiyun-Kai, the chief opponents of intervention, had long interviews with Marquis Saionji and Prince Yamagata. Some quarters, it is added, expect that a coalition ministry will be created.

SINKS FRENCH STEAMER AND RAMS LIFE-BOATS

London, July 19.—A French steamer has been attacked and sunk by a U-boat, according to Reuters. The crew succeeded in getting away from the ship in two boats, but both of them were rammed by the underwater craft. There was only one survivor of the disaster. He was in the water for fourteen hours.

WINNIPEG POSTMEN THREATEN TO STRIKE

Winnipeg, July 19.—The letter carriers and porters connected with the government post office have forwarded an ultimatum threatening to strike on Sunday night unless their demands for a board to consider their grievances are decided upon by that time.

Toronto, July 19.—In spite of the threat that the organization would use its charter, the Toronto local of the Federated Carmen of the Railroads of Canada, on Wednesday night unanimously decided to strike if no favorable award was made upon the wages dispute now engaging the attention of the government and railroads.

This announcement was made last night by delegates of the shipmen to the district trade council.

Coal at Eastport. The Eastport correspondent of the Bangor Commercial writes:—"An unusual sight these days, five coal vessels in the harbor at one time with cargoes, was witnessed recently. Three of the vessels were bound for Calais and the other two had cargoes for the firms of S. B. Hume & Son, and F. S. Milliken & Co. of this city, which relieved the coal situation in this city very much."

Special Sale of Ladies' Suits Closes Saturday

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This sale of Ladies' Tweed or Serge Suits at \$15 is one of the best bargains ever offered. It would be almost impossible to buy these suits at this price at wholesale today. We'd strongly urge you to at least look them over. Why pay \$25 or more for a suit we are selling at \$15? Lot includes green broadcloth, blue and brown serge.

Also a few Sport Coats for Misses at \$5.00

Sale Ends Saturday Night J. GOLDMAN.

26 Wall St. Near Winter Haymarket Square Cars pass the Door.

MAJOR MITCHELL'S WILL

Widow of Former New York Mayor to Receive About \$50,000, Besides \$400 a Month for 20 Years

New York, July 19.—The will of Major John Purroy Mitchell, former mayor of New York, killed in an airplane accident, makes his wife, Mrs. Olive Child Mitchell of 258 Riverside Drive, chief legatee, but provides a cash bequest of \$10,000 to his mother, Mrs. James Mitchell of 447 West 162d street, which is to be paid as soon as possible.

Major Mitchell's estate, consisting chiefly of stocks and bonds, is not believed to be worth more than \$25,000 although no effort has been made as yet to appraise his holdings. It was stated authoritatively that his insurance consisted of a policy which paid an annuity for twenty years, of which \$400 a month goes to the widow and \$200 to the mother of Major Mitchell.

In the case of the mother of the decedent it goes to Major Mitchell's aunt, Mrs. Josephine Purroy, until her death and then to the widow. In addition to the annuity policy, the cash value of which is estimated at about \$100,000, by the insurance company, Major Mitchell had a policy of \$5,000 payable to his estate and the government insurance of \$10,000, payable to his wife.

The will directed that the testator's mother and aunt, Mrs. Josephine Purroy, have the right to determine his burial place. He bequeathed for the best of his mother, and finally for the residuary bequest to his wife.

Information obtainable here indicated that the widow will receive money and other property, including the insurance, aggregating about \$30,000, in addition to her income of \$400 a month, payable for twenty years.

RECENT WEDDINGS

Renner-Stultz. At the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stultz, Sackville, on July 11, their daughter, Kathleen Avoureen, was united in marriage to Herman R. Renner of Clinton, Mass.

Cameron-Manning. Elmer F. Cameron of Petticoat and Miss Laura Manning of Newell, were united in marriage at the Baptist Parsonage, Sussex, Wednesday afternoon.

MOSQUITO BITES CAUSED DEATH BY BLOOD POISONING (Amherst News.) A sad and most unexpected death occurred at Tatamagouche this morning when Rev. William Forbes, pastor of the Presbyterian church in that place, passed suddenly away. Rev. Mr. Forbes was a fine specimen of physical manhood and had only reached the prime of his activities. A long life seemed to be before him. His death was due to blood poisoning, resulting from mosquito bites. In the early days of his ministry, Mr. Forbes was engaged in mission work in Demerara where he was stricken with malaria fever; this obliged him to return to Nova Scotia and since his return to this climate he has not been troubled with this tropical fever. He went on a fishing expedition a few days ago and was severely bitten with mosquito. Blood poisoning set in but his condition was not at all considered serious until yesterday and this morning he passed away. Rev. Mr. Forbes is survived by a widow and small family.

RECENT DEATHS. The death of Mrs. Joseph Morrisey, of Beaver Brook, occurred a few days ago. Besides her husband she leaves two small children, the youngest only two weeks old.

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