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WEDDINGS.
Hardy-Aharan.
Newcastle, Dec. 26.—The marriage of Miss Anna Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Aharan, to Frank Harrison Hardy of Lancaster, Mass., took place at the bride's home last night. Rev. M. S. Richardson officiating in the presence of the immediate relatives of the parties. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Hardy who leave next week for their home in Lancaster.

Payne-McLean.
The marriage of Clifford S. Payne of Boom Road, Northwest Miramichi, but lately returned from an eighteen years residence abroad, to Mrs. Elizabeth McLean, of Boom Road, was solemnized in the manse, Redbank, Wednesday evening, Rev. J. F. McCurdy, B. A., officiating. The couple were unattended.

Cochrane-Holmes.
A pretty wedding was celebrated on Saturday at the home of Mrs. Holmes,

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Winter street, when her daughter, Miss Janet, was united in marriage to Henry Alton Cochrane, of Montreal. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ralph J. Haughton, pastor of the Congregational church. The bride was unattended. Following the ceremony a repast was served and Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane left for Montreal. Among the wedding presents was a purse of gold from the members of the Congregational church in which the bride was a faithful worker. The happy pair have the best wishes of many friends for future happiness.

OBITUARY.
Mrs. Lucy Allison.
Newcastle, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Ernest Mullin returned on Wednesday from Campbellton where she attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Lucy Allison, widow of David Allison, of Boom Road, Northwest Miramichi. Mrs. Allison broke a blood vessel in her head by a fall on the 9th instant. She never regained consciousness and died on the 18th. She leaves four children, Mrs. Ernest Mullin, Newcastle; Alex. Allison, in the West; Mrs. Charles Cassidy, "The Bridge," Newcastle; and David Allison, Campbellton. Deceased was 55 years old.

Belgian Relief Fund.
The following subscriptions to the Belgian Relief Fund were received by Mayor Frink yesterday morning: United Baptist Sabbath School, Mount Pleasant, Carleton county, per Edna L. Drake, \$18.00. Mrs. A. E. Brown, 5.00. New Salem School, Blissville, N. B., per Miss Pearl MacNeill, 31.00. Collected by George F. Burpee, Avondale, N. B. (second acknowledgment), 50.00. The total amount received so far for the fund is \$30,84.01, and the expenditures have amounted to \$23,708.40. This latter amount includes the sums sent to the Belgian Minister at London, those invested in supplies to be sent forward, and the expenditure on labor in handling the supplies.

McKENNA'S FLIRTATION AT THE OPERA HOUSE GETS GOOD RECEPTION

Thomson Musical Comedy Co. puts on another amusing production, and delights large audience.

Another amusing production was put on the boards at the Opera House last evening by the Thomson Musical Comedy Company and will be presented every evening during the week with a special matinee on New Year's Day. This week's offering is entitled "McKenna's Flirtation," and it is a very droll affair replete with sideshaking scenes. Jack Westerman brings to the role of Timothy McKenna, a contractor, the ability and sincerity which he has displayed in many different roles, and while he occupies the stage keeps the audience in a gale of laughter. Walter Bedell enacted the part of Michael Ryan, a retired milkman, now engaged in the ice business or handling watered stock, in a very clever manner; and Miss Elsie Wallace, who has voice, presence and charm, made a hit in the role of Miss Mary Ryan.

The comedy of the production arises from the fact that there is a Timothy McKenna Jr., and a Mrs. Ellen Ryan, and that McKenna Sr., receives by mistake a letter from Miss Mary Ellen intended for his son, and jumps to the conclusion that it was written by Mrs. Mary Ellen. Hence some very amusing developments.

The musical numbers were well rendered, and the work of the chorus was excellent. Some of the stage effects were very pretty, and the chorus danced and sang with great vivacity.

One of the features of the performance was a topical song by Jack Westerman, which made a great hit with the audience and earned him repeated encores. Among other songs which were well received was "Wily Waste Your Love," by Josephine West and chorus, "Wild Irish Rose," by Miss Wallace and Allan Carter, and "All the Girls Love Me," by Charles Hillman and chorus.

There was a good attendance at the performance, and judging from the applause which greeted the musical numbers as well as the amusement with which the comedy parts were received, everybody was well satisfied. There should be good houses during the rest of the week.

LETTERS COME BACK FROM BED OF OCEAN

Mrs. Charles Buller, of Queen street, receives grim reminder of Empress of Ireland disaster.

Three letters addressed to different places in England were posted from St. John on Nov. 27, and are included in the mail sent via the ill-fated steamship Empress of Ireland. The letters did not reach their destination, but were recovered quite recently by divers from the wreck. They were returned to the sender, Mrs. Buller of this city, on Christmas Eve, only a little disclosed by sea water. The return of these letters was the work of an office department of Canada, through the dead letter office at Ottawa, speaks well for the careful control of the mail, even after, as in this case, it has been raised from the deep.

LYRIC FEATURES FOR THIS WEEK

Vaudeville and Pictures of high merit mark close of year.

The Lyric Theatre is ringing out the old year the first three days with a program that for interest and excellence has not been surpassed in this popular amusement resort many times during the year that is just drawing to a close.

Norton and Arita in novel exhibitions of the dancing art are top notchers in their line. Several different styles are presented in a manner that draws high praise. The fact that dances are particularly enjoyable, the dexterity of the different movements of the feet having a tendency to make one wonder just how they do it. The costumes worn add greatly to the attractiveness of a clever vaudeville ofering. Hugh Fritz in comedy acrobatics performs his mission well.

The Mutual Weekly affords one an opportunity of beholding some very interesting scenes from the theatre of war, and "False Gods," a two part American home drama is a particularly fine feature. For New Year's Day the Lyric will present Margaret Burke in songs and stories with the Musical Seely.

For Red Cross Work.
For some time several of the women of Main street church have been active in the interests of the Red Cross Society, and committees appointed to canvass have succeeded particularly well. A special committee composed of Mrs. Thos. Granville, Mrs. O. S. Perry, Mrs. Deamer, Mrs. Willard Wilson, Mrs. Foster Hoffman, Mrs. Knoeden, and Miss Audrey Mullin canvassed a wide section of the North End, ranging from Wall street to Bridge, and the results were encouraging indeed. Donations of knitting were received from ladies at Long Point and Greenwich. The distribution is being attended to by a committee of twelve, which Mrs. F. McIntyre is convener, Mrs. A. McIntyre, treasurer, and Mrs. Fred Flowering, secretary.

LEADING IN WORK TO AID WAR'S VICTIMS.



THE MISSES DESSIE AND GLADYS HOLLINGSWORTH

One hundred and nineteen cases of clothing for Belgian refugees sent by the American Girls' Aid led New York for Paris on December 13. This was the fourth consignment sent forward, and brought the number of cases up to 225. Miss Gladys Hollingsworth, one of the two sisters who organized the work, estimated that clothing for 13,500 refugees had been shipped since the work started five weeks ago. Miss Hollingsworth and her sister were in Houlgate, on the north coast of France, when Belgian refugees began to arrive there. When the family moved back to New York the two girls began a work which is beginning to assume proportions they never dreamed of. They are collecting clothing for refugees in France, and contributions have been received from all over the country.

MOTION PICTURES OF ST. JOHN EVENTS

Imperial Bill includes some fine views of the Sand Point celebration.

Actual motion picture scenes of the ceremonies attending the opening of the new trans-Atlantic docks on the West Side and some excellent views of our second contingent soldiers, marked another advance in the quality of programme being put on in the Imperial Theatre. It was rather a rare sensation for many present to see themselves as others see them, moving about unconscious of the fact that they were being caught by the keen eye of the camera. The notable celebration on that cold blowy day was safely reproduced in detail and the soldiers looked splendid also.

The Imperial's vaudeville for this week seemed to strike another responsive chord. It is a little talking sketch entitled "A Model Couple," and is done by Geo. Scott and Miss Marke. Still another special feature was the first of the "Hazards of Helen" series, the railway adventures. By the quality of this initial number, it is natural to assume the series will be extremely popular. The Lubin Company offered a two-part story, called "On Lonesome Mountain"; there was the Hearst-Selig Weekly and a short comedy by the Biograph Company.

For the mid-week a splendid Famous Players' play is to be put on. This is the Reverend C. T. Brady's story, "The Better Man," and the leading role played by William Courtleigh, who created the part in the original production as played in New York.

WHITE PHOSPHOROUS MATCHES WILL NOT BE MADE IN CANADA AFTER JAN 1

New Act Prohibiting Manufacture Becomes Effective—May be Sold, However.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—No phosphorous matches will be manufactured in Canada after the end of the present year. On the first of January the White Phosphorous Act, designed to prohibit the manufacturing or importation of matches made with white phosphorous will become operative, with exception of the clause dealing with the sale.

The clause prohibiting the sale is not effective till January 1, 1915. The act was passed at the last session of the Dominion parliament. Officers of the Labor Department will attend to its enforcement.

JOHNSON DID NOT GET BACK THE \$6,000 YET

Coffeyville, Kan., Dec. 28.—Walter Johnson, the baseball player, had not received the \$6,000 which despatches last Saturday said President Weeghman, of the Chicago Federals, was returning to him, up to late today. The money was returned to the Chicago club by Johnson to pay back a bonus advanced for signing a contract with the Federals. Johnson said that even if the money came, he would not accept it until he had the advice of Manager Griffith of the Washington club.

Where to Get Lobsters.
Scott Capt. M. L. A., of Grand Manan, arrived in the city yesterday on the Grand Manan boat. Mr. Gupitill said the lobster fishermen of the Island had been doing fairly well considering the weather conditions. Grand Manan seldom ships any lobsters to St. John, finding its market for green lobsters in the United States. For some time past there have been practically no fresh lobsters on the market in St. John.

ROCKLAND ATHLETIC CLUB HELD DINNER AND HAD SWELL TIME

Toast Ladies and Make Presentations to Members Going to the Front.

The Rockland Athletic Club held a dinner last evening with president John Kinsella in the chair and presented a vial watch to M. McIntyre and a fountain pen to R. Gleeson, both of whom are going to the front with the 2nd Canadian contingent. The club members assembled in their rooms, 640 Main street, at eight o'clock and the following programme was carried out.

Combination of games, dancing, violin solo, "Come Back to Erin," R. Hanson; chorus, entire club; violin solo, "Heart Bowed Down," R. Sullivan; chorus, entire club; violin solo, "The Rosary," R. Hanson; song, "Auld Lang Syne," entire club; song, "O Canada," entire club; accompanist, J. A. Kinsella.

After this dinner was served. The post prandial proceedings were interesting, Dave Colgan acting as toastmaster. The King was proposed by Roy Kelly, R. Gleeson proposed Canada and W. Welch responded, F. Shannon proposed the guests and R. Hanson responded, Dave Colgan proposed the club and J. A. Kinsella responded, D. Sullivan proposed the city and R. Sullivan responded, R. Sullivan proposed the ladies and the speech of R. McIntyre in response was a classic. Wm. Donnelly gave an interesting talk on athletics.

The officers of the club are: President, Mr. John A. Kinsella; vice-president, Mr. Roy S. Kelly; secretary, Mr. Richard Sullivan; treasurer, Mr. Fred Shannon.

APPLICATIONS FOR LIQUOR LICENSES

Little change in applications since last year.

All applications for liquor licenses in both the city and county had to be in the hands of the commissioners yesterday. In the county up to nine o'clock last night only three requests were received. These were from the holders last year.

In the city several new applications were received.

Samuel Dunham applied for the license for the premises in Carmarthen street, now owned by his mother, Mrs. Margaret Dunham, who is not applying.

William G. Haggerty has applied for the license for the premises, 491 Main street, now held by H. B. Tippet, who is retiring.

Howard Phinney asked for the license of a saloon in Canterbury street, which has been conducted by W. O. Phinney.

M. E. Harley, the present holder, and George Thomas Kane, both applied for a license for the premises 573 Main street.

William O'Keefe and John E. Sullivan both applied for a license for 263 Union street, the premises now held by Mr. O'Keefe.

Apart from the two additional retail applications the numbers are the same as last year. The totals are: Retail, 55; wholesale, 12; hotels, 6; and breweries, 3.

MASONIC LODGES IN MONTREAL OBSERVE FEAST OF ST. JOHN

Attend Service at Christ Church Cathedral—Lord Bishop, the Preacher.

Montreal, Dec. 27.—Local Masonic lodges and chapters held a church service at Christ Church Cathedral this afternoon when the Lord Bishop of Montreal preached. Members from every lodge and chapter were present in honor of the feast of St. John.

Large sums of money have been given to the Canadian Patriotic, Belgian and Red Cross funds by members of the craft, these contributions taking the place of the usual banquet.

FAMOUS "ICE JOCKEYS" OF ST. MORITZ KILLED ON FIELD OF BATTLE

Geneva, Dec. 23.—The famous Cresta bobsleigh run at Saint Moritz will never again see many of its well known "ice jockeys," whose exploits excited interest among the visitors, including the Crown Prince of Germany and the heir to the Austrian throne. "The Grand National" bobsleigh crews composed in a great part of English officers, have been decimated by the war. During the retreat to the Marne and the advance of the Alsne, Captain Bentley, Capt. R. S. Dawson, Lt. E. Quick were killed and Captain J. Webb Bowen was seriously wounded. All four of them steered bobsleighs to victory in the Grand National several winters beating the Crown Prince with his German crew. Among the wounded officers are Captain Stutt, the well known Alpinist and skier, Captain Abercromby, a daring Cresta run rider and young Lord Capberly, who revolutionized bobsleighing at Saint Moritz, by introducing the prone position of the crew. Saint Moritz will be "dead" this winter and perhaps for many winters.

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A St. John Boy.
Fred Turner, a former St. John boy, and a brother of William H. Turner of the North End, has joined a gun detachment at Vancouver and will go to the front with the third contingent. Mr. Turner was formerly with the North West Mounted Police, where he had a fine record.