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AMUSEMENTS FOR OURSELVES AND OTHERS
FINE PICTURE FEATURES AT THE GEM.

The new programme at the Gem Theatre last evening was greatly enjoyed by the large crowd that attended. The Pathé art production, "The Two Portraits," was greatly admired and proved most interesting. "Faith Lost and Won," a Lubin subject, is a very entertaining drama of western life, and depicts the genuine people in all their picturesque costumes and surroundings. "Cupid and the Motor Boat," is a comedy film that cannot fail to make the most sedate look or laugh heartily. Taken as a whole the bill is one of the best produced in some time at this popular pleasure house. Miss Evelyn Ellis, the blind soprano, rendered a ballad, "Daddy," by Behrend, with fine feeling and she was accorded generous applause. The same bill will be repeated this afternoon and evening and tomorrow there will be a complete change of programme.

BIOGRAPHS AND GOOD MUSIC AT NICKEL.

The fog and the cool weather helped fill the theatres last evening, and the Nickel, as usual, got its big share. The programme seemed to please everybody, particularly the Biograph comedies, Never Again, and May and December, which were fully up to the standard of excellence for which this brand of film is noted. The western story, The Mexican's Fate, supplied plenty of melodrama, and The New Minister proved a pleasing serio-comic contribution. The Ladies' Quartette rendered a second new programme, as follows: (a) Old Black Joe; (b) Kiss of Spring Waltz; and (c) Lady Love, popular ditties. These were executed each show and double encore were demanded on several occasions. Tomorrow the picture and the song programme will change again.

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS AT THE LYRIC.

A wonderful film depicting the life of Christopher Columbus, and showing all the principal events in connection with his discovery of America will be shown at the Lyric on Friday and Saturday of this week. This wonderful film production is not only a very interesting historical study, but is without a doubt one of the best film photographs ever manufactured. Rube Dickinson continues to draw packed houses and is proving a bigger success at every performance. The New York critics pronounce him the greatest rube in vaudeville, and although the rube character is not a well-known character in this section, St. John audiences are always ready for a hearty laugh. Dickinson would be funny if his character had never been heard tell of.

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Ready to Strike, They Say
Philadelphia, July 13—Representatives of the conductors, trainmen and yardmen of the Pennsylvania railroad lines, east of Pittsburgh, Erie and Buffalo, notified General Manager W. Heyward Myers this afternoon, that a majority of the men had voted for a strike unless they reached an agreement with the company on the matter of wages and working conditions. Mr. Myers informed the delegation that the Pennsylvania railroad is willing to meet the conditions which prevail on other roads providing the company is put to no additional expense. At the request of the union leaders, another conference will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

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Billy Jordan Introducing Johnson

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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

The examination of Thomas Connolly, charged with the murder of James Power, was concluded at Hopewell Hill yesterday, the prisoner being committed for trial at the next session of the supreme court, which opens at the shiftdown on the first Tuesday in September. Mr. Fowler acting for the prisoner, asked for a copy of the depositions in order to make application to a supreme court judge for bail.

Mayor William F. White, of Lawrence, Mass., was sentenced to serve three years in the Essex County House of Correction and also to pay a fine of \$10,000 for embezzling to secure from the board of aldermen confirmation of the appointment of James A. Hamilton as chief of the Lawrence fire department, and later to secure his removal. Mayor White was elected on a reform ticket about two years ago and Matthew Burns to two years and George D. Smart to a year and a half. Ernest Dube was also convicted but not sentenced his case being placed on file, because he had given evidence for the defense.

Yesterday was frenzied day in the old home week celebration at Amherst, Moncton, Springhill, Sackville, Cornhill and the Sackville Citizens' Band competed. The first prize went to Amherst and the second to Moncton.

An attempt was made to wreck the train bearing the Orangemen, who were returning from Outry, Ont., after celebrating the 12th, at Kirk's Ferry Station on the Gattineau line. About five minutes before the train was due, a section hand-car passed along, and when about a mile outside Kirk's Ferry was derailed, his inspection showed that horse shoes had been fastened to the ties for a distance of thirty feet.

Michael Siro, aged 38, while in a temporary fit of insanity at Sydney, N. S., yesterday, drank a bottle of carbolic acid and died shortly after.

Incidents report the total liability of the Halifax Trust Co., \$34,421.73, and total assets \$30,146.30.

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NATIONAL CONVENTION IN QUEBEC

Knights of Columbus Will Hold Their First National Meeting in Canada—Programme for Entertainment of Visitors

With a series of hand concerts, illuminations, floral displays, river and harbor excursions, banquets and speech-making, and a visit to the shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre, the National Convention of the Knights of Columbus is to be held for the first time outside of the United States in the city of Quebec, in the first week of August. It is held fair to be the most interesting, entertaining and instructive in the annals of the organization.

The interest and importance of the convention and the fact that it is to be held at one of the most interesting cities on the continent, will bring a very large attendance from all over the country. Massachusetts will be well represented.

A delegation will probably attend from St. John but the personnel is not yet known.

Quebec is charmingly located on the left bank of the St. Lawrence river, and has been fifty styled "The Gibraltar of America." Its historical associations are numerous and most interesting and there are many points of interest in and about the city and suburbs, all of which will be of interest to the Knights of Columbus.

BIG PROGRAMME PLANNED.

The programme arranged by the Quebec members as an elaborate scale. Everything which would have a tendency to please the visiting members has been provided. Nothing has been left undone.

Here is the roster of events given out by the executive committee of the order: Monday, August 1, 8 p. m.—Open the concert on Dufferin terrace by the band of the Royal Canadian Garrison Artillery. Electric illumination in honor of the visitors.

Tuesday, 8 a. m.—Procession of Knights from Knights of Columbus Building, No. 73 Grande Allée, to the Basilica.

Friday, 8 a. m.—Procession of Knights from the Basilica, the celebrant being His Lordship, Monsignor Roy, Auxiliary Bishop of Quebec. Sermon in English will be preached by His Lordship the Right Reverend M. F. Fallon, Bishop of London, Ontario, and in French by the Reverend Canon Gasthier of Montreal.

11 a. m.—Formal opening of convention by the Hon. J. A. Dugas, Deputy Premier of the Province of Quebec, and by Dr. N. A. Dussal, State Deputy, Response by the Hon. J. A. Dugas.

1 p. m.—First business session of the convention in the council chamber of the City Hall.

4 p. m.—Reception tendered to visitors at Spencerwood by the Lieut. Governor of the Province, Sir C. A. P. Pelletier, K.C. M.G., and Lady Pelletier. Automobiles and carriages will be provided to convey guests to Spencerwood reception.

8 p. m.—Open air band concert and illuminations on Dufferin Terrace.

SEE SISTERS WEDNESDAY.

Wednesday, August 3, 8 a. m.—Requiem mass at the Basilica for the souls of deceased members of the order.

9:30 a. m.—Night-seeing trip around city, affording visitors an opportunity of seeing the museum and picture gallery of the Lavall University, the Seminary Chapel, the Church of Notre Dame des Victoires, Hotel Dieu, Ursuline Convent, Franciscan Church, Citadel, etc.

10 a. m.—Delegates assemble at City Hall for business session. Adjourn for lunch at noon and resume business again at 1 o'clock.

3 p. m.—Trip to the shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre on special train, leaving Quebec at 3 p. m., and 3:30 p. m. At the shrine a service consisting of the solemn benediction of the blessed sacrament will be held at 5 p. m. in the far-famed Basilica of St. Anne.

8 p. m.—Banquet to delegates at Clarendon Frontenac.

Thursday, 9 a. m.—Excursion for visitors around the harbor on steamers specially provided for the occasion.

1 p. m.—Delegates assemble at City Hall for closing session of the convention.

3 p. m.—Open air band concert on Dufferin Terrace.

4 p. m.—Visit to Kent House and Montgenery Falls for delegates and their ladies.

8 p. m.—Farewell open air concert on Dufferin Terrace and electrical display.

At Lancaster Heights, Tuesday evening, Rev. G. F. Scovell officiated at the marriage of Miss Victoria Whipple and Clarence Chester Colwell. Among the bridesmaids was a handsome dinner set from T. S. Simms & Co., where both bride and groom are employed.

In St. Peter's church yesterday morning, Rev. A. J. Deke united in marriage Miss Ida M. McIntyre to Joseph Henneberry, M. R. and Mrs. Henneberry left for a wedding trip to Boston and Rhode Island. They will reside in Princess street.

PREMIER LAURIER OPENS WINNIPEG EXPOSITION

Then Visits the Village of Ste. Anne De Chenes and Receives a Royal Welcome from the French Residents—His Inspiring Message

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier start on their two months' tour of the west, chatting to friends just before getting aboard the special car.

Winnipeg, July 13—"I feel younger than yesterday and considerably younger than last week," said Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in opening the great Winnipeg annual industrial exhibition this morning. "You cannot grow old breathing the western atmosphere. If I were twenty years younger, I believe I would give up the east and come west."

Sir Wilfrid attended the directors' luncheon at noon and an hour later he pressed buttons which started the exhibition to the west.

He was introduced by Lieutenant-Governor Lord Dufferin, and again addressed the vast concourse of people. He had visited the various buildings and viewed the exhibits with President A. A. Andrews and Manager A. T. Bell. He declared the exhibition to be a "wonderful evidence of the progress in the west."

"I shall take this message back to the five eastern cities of Toronto, where I have many friends, except at election time," he said. "The national exhibition there has in Toronto and Winnipeg two of the greatest industrial exhibitions on the continent."

The premier was the recipient of a beautiful bouquet of flowers at the hands of the little daughter of Mayor Evans.

St. Anne de Chenes, Man., July 13.—Into the heart of the new western prairie lands there has been dropped a village of the golden age, a parish of 1,000 inhabitants with the race mannerisms and customs, ancient architecture and revered sanctuary with its vespers bells and the grass grown country church yard. To this picturesque French-Canadian village the premier came this afternoon and his welcome was of the best.

From the thrill of sturdy Saxon cheer, from the inspiration of stately Celtic enthusiasm, he passed at once into the close embrace of Latin affection. Elsewhere he met organized welcome; here there was the spontaneous "bienvenue," an individuality. Elsewhere crowds clapped hands; here they must shake hands. Elsewhere they sang patriotic songs; here they chanted: "Vive Laurier!"

For a mile and a half from the station to the residence of Mayor Ritchie an elaborate cortege carried the premier, headed by a remarkable procession. On either side rode a horseman, one bearing the Union Jack, the other the tri-color of France. Then followed some 200 bugles, phantoms, wagons, carts, hayracks, all decorated with panmunt and small. The brightly colored was bounded by whistling fife. Attached to each telegraph pole route was a steamer with the legend "Vive Laurier!"

The modest garden plot was too small to accommodate gatherings. One proud pro-

PUGILISM

But what doth it avail is such the course that's meant,
I deem them off the trail, and should seek
the scent.
Bid adieu to ring and revel, it is little
on the wane,
Since from the ladder's top there gaskin
a heavy fall.
HENRY GASKIN,
St. John, N. B., July 12th, 1910.

Fight Pictures Declared Illegal

New York, July 13.—No moving pictures of the Jeffries-Johnson fight will be shown in Hudson county, New Jersey, Justice Swayne, of the state supreme court, told the Hudson county grand jury today that it would be their duty to take prompt action if any attempt to exhibit the pictures in Jersey City were made.

"Our legislature has passed a law making prize fighting in this state a misdemeanor," said the justice. "Any person attending a prize fight is also guilty of a misdemeanor and any pictures of a prize fight are illegal."

Damian Donohue, aged 17, employed of Smith's Mills, near Shelton, was drowned Tuesday evening, while in bathing. He could not swim and got beyond his depth. Rev. M. H. Mansel, the new pastor of the Florenceville Presbyterian church, and bride, were accorded a reception on Wednesday.

The ratifiers of school district No. 10, St. Martins, met in annual session on Monday evening. Business of the meeting included the voting of \$1,300 for school purposes, including manual training.

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