

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

SKATING BEAR LAST TIMES TONIGHT AT OPERA HOUSE; FINE NEW BILL TOMORROW

Have you seen the Skating Bear at the Opera House? Yes; it is a real one—a Russian, silver-tipped grizzly—over seven feet high when he stands on his hind legs, and he can glide around on the roller skates just a human—better than most humans at that. He is a good circus in himself. Go and see him tonight. There are four other good acts on the programme, and the serial drama of outdoor life in the Rockies, "The Man of Might." This evening at 7.30 and 9. Daylight time.

PHILIPPINES ASK FOR INDEPENDENCE

Memorial Presented to Joint Meeting of Committees of the United States Senate and House of Representatives

Washington, D. C., June 4.—Immediate independence for the Philippine Islands is asked in a memorial presented to a joint meeting of the Senate Committee on the Philippines and the House Committee on Insular Affairs by the Philippine Mission which is officially representing the Philippine Legislature and the Filipino people.

Believed Strike in Winnipeg is About to Break

Winnipeg, June 5.—It is rumored that the central strike committee is considering the advisability of calling off the sympathetic strike in view of the impending action by war veterans. It was stated at the board of trade that hundreds of union men were ready to return to work despite contrary orders from the strike committee, so soon as they were assured "adequate protection."

Flier Leaves for St. John with his Wife as Navigator

Halifax, N. S., June 5.—The hydroplane H. S. 2 L, left Halifax this afternoon at two o'clock for Three Rivers, Que., by way of St. John. The machine is piloted by Lieut. Stuart Graham. His wife accompanies him as navigator.

PERSONALS

The engagement is announced in Quebec, of Major Donald S. Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fisher, St. John (N. B.), to Mrs. J. W. Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Meredith, of Quebec. The wedding will take place shortly.—Montreal Star.

APARTMENT HOUSES TO MEET HOUSING PROBLEM

The apartment house has come to stay. In this city no one doubts that. The apartment came just at the time when it was needed most. The housing situation in practically every city and town in the country was critical during the years of war, and now that the men are returning from overseas there is a greater need than ever for housing accommodation.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths. 50c.

BIRTHS

DYKEMAN—On June 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dykeman, Harding street, Fairville, a son.

MARRIAGES

BLACK-BENDER—On Friday, May 30, 1919, at Archbishop's Palace, Montreal, by Canon A. Harbour, Marguerite Irene Bender, daughter of E. N. Bender, to Captain John Black, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. John Black, St. Stephen, N. B.

DEATHS

BAILEY—At his residence, 147 Orange street, on June 4, John Henderson Bailey, leaving one son, one daughter, a niece and a brother to mourn. (Boston, Portland and Montreal papers please copy).

IN MEMORIAM

ARTHURS—In sad but loving remembrance of Theodore H. Arthurs, who fell asleep June 4, 1919. A vacant place is in our home. The world could never fill. Forever more is still. A loving hand permits it so. But we shall meet again. Beyond the sorrow of this world. Where there's no pain or sin. FATHER AND MOTHER, SISTERS AND BROTHERS.

MR. BOND AT OLD POST

Commissioner Thornton said this morning that the matter of the investigation into the discharge of John Bond from the fire department had been completed and that the whole matter was one of misunderstanding. The statement that he had been dismissed from the department was denied by the chief. At all events, said the commissioner, the matter may now be considered as settled and Mr. Bond is now on duty in his old position.

Zaida Martin Dead in Rome

Rome, June 5.—Miss Zaida Martin, a widely known American singer, died here yesterday.

For Cash Tomorrow

Store Open Friday Evening BEANS FOR BAKING

- Soya Yellow Beans . . . 12c. qt.
Chilian Brown Beans . . . 14c. qt.
Small White Beans . . . 17c. qt.
Pink Eyed Beans . . . 20c. qt.
Clark's 2's Plain, Chili or to-mato Sauce . . . 17c. tin
10c. tin Dev. Ham . . . 8c.
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CONDENSED NEWS

Ottawa has been advised that Great Britain has recognized the government of Finland.

Eight members of the Nationalist party in South Africa called upon Premier Lloyd George today in advocacy of independence of the Union of South Africa.

Damage to property in the Java volcano eruption amounted to about \$16,000,000. Growing crops of rice and coffee on 20,000 acres of land were destroyed.

There is hope of settlement of the Paris strike. The hand of the Bolsheviks is seen in the trouble.

Colonel Rene Fonck, French aviator, attempted yesterday to break the altitude record of 31,000 feet. He climbed 30,000, but his motor froze, and he was forced to make a thrilling voyage with his engine stopped.

The Bolsheviks are reported to have started a successful counter-offensive against the British and other troops advancing on Petrograd.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JUNE 5

High Tide . . . 6.06 Low Tide . . . 2.52

Sun Rises . . . 5.48 Sun Sets . . . 9.02

Time used is daylight saving.

PORT OF ST. JOHN Arrived, June 5.

Coastwise—Schr. Claud B. Daley, 25, from St. Martin's, N. B. Capt. Wm. McAdam; stmr. Connors Bros. from Chace Harbor, Sept. E. H. Warnock; schr. Regina C. 36, from Meteghan, N. S. Capt. J. Girvan; schr. Shamrock, 58, from Port Granville, N. S. Capt. D. Haddell; schr. Augusta Evelyn, 81, from Clarke Harbor, Capt. Jas. J. Duncan.

FOREIGN PORTS

Liverpool, June 4—Arr. str. Scandinavia, Montreal.

Boston, June 4—Arr. schr. Noname, Cape Island (NS); Mand S, Apple River (NS).

City Island, June 4—Bound east, schr. Flora M. Guttenburg, for Wolfville (N.S.).

Sailed—Schr. Victoria, from Perth Amboy, N. B.; schr. L. A. Pimmer, from Perth Amboy, Liverpool (NS).

New York, June 4—Arr. str. St. Louis, Brest; Patricia, do; Mexico, Havana; Benedict, Para.

BRITISH SAILORS HERE A party of thirty-five British sailors passed through the city this morning bound for Halifax from New York. They came to the city on the Boston train. These sailors were mostly all members of submarine crews.

PRESENTATION TO SOLDIER

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed at the home of John Gallagher, 295 Brunswick street, on June 4, when a large number of friends of Charles T. Gallagher gathered to welcome him home. Games and dancing were enjoyed and a presentation was made to Pte. Gallagher, a wrist watch, Richard Wetmore officiated. Refreshments were served and the happy gathering broke up in the early hours of the morning.

FOR HOME ON SATURDAY

Joseph McNamara, physical instructor of the Y. M. C. I., will leave for his home in Boston on Saturday evening on the S. S. Calvin Austin. Mr. McNamara has become a well known figure in sporting circles about the city. It was due to his untiring efforts that two large skating meets were held under the Y. M. C. I. auspices during the winter months.

He has also assisted greatly in other lines of athletics. At the Y. M. C. I. he had charge of large classes of young men, women and children, and gave instructions daily. His many friends will wish him bon voyage to his home and are hoping that he will return to the city again in the fall to continue his good work.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Miss Mary Brown took place this morning from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown, 299 Main street, to St. Peter's church. Requiem high mass and interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. The funeral was attended by many and beautiful spiritual bouquets and floral tributes were received.

HALIFAX BANK CLEARINGS

Halifax, June 5.—Bank clearings for the week ending today were \$4,883,136; last year, \$6,628,469.

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Comes to you in Dust-tight, Moisture-proof Packages, that insure cleanliness and prevent loss by breakage and waste.

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