

TODAY STAR THEATRE TOMORROW

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"RIVER SCENES IN NORMANDY"
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"SAWDUST LOVE"

SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING.
Ramblers Win Three.

The Ramblers took three out of four points from the Whips in the City League fixture on Black's bowling alley last evening. Allen Bentley was high man with a grand total of 330 pins. He is now one of the leading bowlers in the league, his average for the season to date being 97.22-51. The individual score of the game follows:—

Ramblers Win.

The Ramblers took three points in the match with the Whips last night in the city bowling league, the scoring of which follows:—

Ramblers.		Whips.	
Duffy	103 91 92 286	Williams	77 85 104 276
Jordan	87 77 84 248	Kerr	57 76 95 228
Beattie	118 102 110 330	Belyea	77 88 88 253
Covey	103 94 115 312	McCaw	88 90 96 274
Riley	90 91 97 278	Walsh	104 107 78 289
	501 455 498 1454		419 466 461 1340

Tonight: Beavers vs. Amateurs.

HOCKEY.
Another Shut-Out.

The members of St. John High School hockey team got another bad trimming in the interscholastic League fixture played in Fredericton last evening. The Fredericton High School boys outclassed them and won quite handsily by a score of 18 to 0.

Sussex High Wins.

The Sussex High School hockey team defeated a picked team from Moncton on home ice last evening, 12 to 4. The first period was evenly contested, but after that it was a runaway in favor of the home team.

Wake Up, High School!

The news from Fredericton say that the game between the St. John High School

EMPRESS
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

The SCARLET RUNNER SERIES

Robbed in Full Evening Light—Christopher Race, society clubman, rare good fellow, turns detective. On the eve of his leaving the Jacobean House, in the glare of the dining hall lamps, he is robbed—diamond studs, cuff links, wallet. He gets a clue. Inky night—a skin-creeping click, click, click. He investigates—a mysterious passage in the wall, a cask of jewels, and—

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Charlie Chaplin in **"SHANGHAIED"**

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The Story of a Misfit Marriage

ADYING FATHER bargains his pretty daughter, Kate, to marry the District Attorney, provided the groom should also give a home to his other daughter. In the meantime, however, the Fates have brought Kate Turner and James Weldon together through the medium of an automobile accident. The father's death-bed bargain is carried out, but dictates of the heart work out a strange combination, not, however, before the story reaches towering dramatic heights in which a Japanese servant, innocent and faithful, becomes a willing victim that his master and his sweetheart may be united.

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BASEBALL
Braves Getting Ready.

The Braves has obtained options on eight players who are members of clubs of the AA classification, and is seeking five more as a means of reuniting a team in the event of a strike by members of the Baseball Players' fraternity, President Percy R. Haughton, announced Wednesday night. The men upon whom options have been closed, and money paid, are among the best in minor league ranks, he said. In each instance, the club approached guaranteed delivery of the player.

The decision of the Boston Nationals to take this measure to oppose the strike was decided upon jointly by Manager George T. Stallings and President Haughton, it was said. The Braves' manager is now on his way north. It is understood he will make an effort to regain the services of Vincent Campbell, an outfielder, and Frank Schmidt, first baseman, both former members of the team, now engaged in business in Baltimore.

Tim Murnane Dies Suddenly

Timothy H. Murnane, baseball editor of the Boston Globe and a recognized authority on the national game, died suddenly on Wednesday evening while entering the Shubert Theatre in Tremont street. He was sixty-five years of age, and a man beloved by thousands of people throughout Boston. He was born in Naugatuck, New Haven county, Conn., on June 4, 1851. He played with the Stratford Club in 1880 and later with the Savannah, Ga. club.

Burns vs. Fleming

Frankie Fleming and Joe Burns are to meet in the ring soon. Just now Fleming's principal object in life is careful preparation for his ten-round bout with Ray Rivers at Schermer Park tonight, the first of the campaign which he expects to end with permanent retirement from the ring.

But a week from today Fleming will meet Burns at the Gaiety Theatre, Montreal, in one of the 20th Railway Construction Battalion's weekly series. Burns, a protégé of Fleming's, has acquired a big following, consequent upon many fine battles and when he was at his best there have been those who declared he was about ready to give Fleming a run. Just how good Burns is these keen followers will have a chance to see. Burns was seen in action in the Imperial Theatre, St. John, at New Year's and made a fine impression.

Welsh Suspended for One Year

Milwaukee, Feb. 5.—Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion boxer, was suspended today from participating in bouts in Wisconsin for one year, the maximum punishment under the state law. He was charged with "shamming and stalling" in his recent bout with Ritchie Mitchell.

Sharkey Gets Draw With Coulon.

Johnny Coulon of Chicago, former bantamweight champion, fought a fast and interesting ten-round draw with Jack Sharkey of New York at the Pioneer Sporting Club, New York, the other night. Sharkey was the aggressor throughout, but Coulon's cleverness and his ability to avoid punishment carried him an even break.

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