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ST. JOHN'S GREATEST MERCANTILE EVENT

Oak Hall Annual Mid-Summer Sale Now in Full Swing.

From the minute Oak Hall's doors opened yesterday there was a continual throng. Hundreds of people taking advantage of the first day to procure their wearing apparel while assortments were complete, all going to prove Oak Hall's prediction that this is doubtless St. John's greatest mercantile event.

The people of St. John realize that this is not an ordinary sale but is a great event lasting ten days during which time Oak Hall give substantial reductions on every article of men's, women's, and children's wearing apparel in their store, and furthermore these opportunities are enhanced by many special bargains which were procured by Oak Hall, especially for this event and following the usual Oak Hall motto of large volume at minimum profit, these specials are marked at really unbelievable low prices.

LOCAL NEWS

WEEK-END SPECIALS. In Gilmore's mid-season sale of men's suits, raincoats and light overcoats. Wait line suits in two lots, \$18 and \$26—regular prices \$30 to \$45. Gilmore's, 88 King street.

THE ST. LAWRENCE DEVELOPMENT IS FAVORED

(Canadian Press Despatch). Detroit, July 22.—The United States congress should act within the coming year to provide a deep water route from the Atlantic to the Great Lakes as a means of developing the commerce and industry of the middle west, Senator Irvine L. Lenroot, Wisconsin, told the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence tide water congress here tonight.

Development of the St. Lawrence River is more important to the prosperity of the United States as a whole than was the building of the Panama Canal. The west demands a route to the sea and this demand is just and necessary to the future, he added.

Speaking before the congress late today, John W. Thomas, Chicago banker, said thousands of business men in the United States did not know they were suffering from a break down in the transportation system which adequate water routes would avert.

Hon. W. E. Foster said Mrs. Foster returned to their summer home in Robesay last night after a very successful fishing trip of ten days spent in Gloucester county. The premier and party succeeded in luring some splendid salmon from the depths of the Nepitiguit river, and were delighted and greatly benefited by the sojourn in the pretty north shore country.

It is a known fact that next to people dogs are "cracked" about motor car riding.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

"INTOLERANCE" SCORES AT LYRIC

Wonderful Picture Drew Capacity Summer Crowds Yesterday.

Without fear of contradiction we can safely say that never has such a picture been witnessed locally as magnificent in its grandeur, and startling in its revelation of the stand still of the world, morally regardless of many reforms, and physically appreciated. Mr. Griffith is pleased to advertise, this, his greatest masterpiece, as the love story of the ages, but it is much more than that. Aside from the magnificence of the settings, of the richness of the atmosphere and the evident tremendous cost of the production, one cannot but be impressed with the main theme of the picture. Vindictly it proves to the onlooker that humanity has progressed but little morally since the days before the coming of Christ. The veil of hypocrisy is abruptly torn aside from the would be modern reformer and the revelation is startling, but one can hardly deny its authenticity.

The wars between the ancient peoples are outstanding scenes of the play, thousands in combat, horses in terrific slaughters, massive walls crumbling to earth are scenes of real wonder. The spectacular side of the film is remarkable in more respects than one, it would take more space than available correctly to enumerate. In the cast are seen many of the old Griffith favorites including Mac Marsh, Signe Aasen, Robert Harron, and Dorothy Gish. Those who miss seeing "Intolerance" will deny themselves the opportunity of seeing one of the greatest if not the greatest picture ever produced.

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HOLDS POST THAT ONCE WAS HELD BY PONTIUS PILATE

Jerusalem, June 30.—(A. P. Correspondence)—The office of governor of Jerusalem, once occupied by Pontius Pilate, is now held by Colonel Ronald Storrs, a graduate of Cambridge University and son of the Dean of Rochester College, England.

His task is one to test the administrative ability of any man. Jerusalem is a city of dissensions, where, whatever may come of the future, for the moment Zionists and Arabs are passionately divided and to steer a just path between them and induce them to join him on that path is his chief work. It is to that task, however, that he chiefly devotes himself. Twice a week he has meetings of his favorite pro-Jerusalem society, where French, Italians, British, Americans, rabbis, Zionists, leaders, commercial men of standing and others who are in any way prominent in the life of the city are brought together and in the course of debate, led to see that they have in common a single citizenship. His motto as governor is "unity and he friends."

Colonel Storrs was one of the prime movers in the establishment of an independent Arab kingdom. He is thirty-eight years old. A motor vehicle tunnel 7,500 feet long, is under construction at Pittsburgh, Pa.

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GIRL SHACKLED AND THEN BEATEN

Cruelty to Orphan Child—Wm. H. Farr Committed for Trial in Toronto.

(Toronto Telegram) Not many full-blooded men or sympathetic women sat unmoved in Toronto Police court today when William H. Farr stood up in the dock and was committed for trial on a charge of having brutally assaulted and beaten his little niece, Alice Budd, at the home, 49 Ivy avenue. Behind the few words of evidence taken was the story of one of the most revolting cases of cruelty to childhood ever recorded in the city; the story of a little girl, an orphan, fed on bread and water for a week until near the verge of starvation, then shackled to a chair which was chained to the cellar stairs, and there lashed with a whip, as fed dumb beasts have ever been beaten, until her body was bruised, bleeding and lividly scorched all because, after her week of horrors, she had presumed to steal a bite of bread!

On the Crown-Attorney's table lay the shackles that had encircled her legs, and the whip which had lacerated her. Mr. Corley held them up before the court, told the story in a few quiet words, and consented to a committal for trial. "But they may grant him bail in the other court," objected Colonel Denison. "I don't think so," replied Mr. Corley. "Mr. Greer knows all about this."

Farr himself, with two black and swollen eyes—a mute reminder that it doesn't pay to argue with Toronto policemen—is a case like this—seemed unconcerned and unmoved at the evidence against him. If convicted, he stands liable to a maximum penalty of 2 years and the lash in Kingston penitentiary.

According to the story of Detectives Winters and Clark who arrested the accused, he narrowly escaped being noosed by the neighbors when the crime was discovered. When questioned by the police as to why he had done the thing, he replied that it was because the child had stolen food. He had managed her down cellar early on Saturday morning and had then gone away on a picnic. He was arrested on his return, about 11 p.m. In this interval the little prisoner had managed to get free of one manacle, and had got to the doorway, where she attracted the attention of Constable Waghorne. The other manacle had to be filed off at the police station. When food was brought the little girl ate ravenously. She is still in the Children's Shelter. Farr has children of his own. Some evidence of the treatment they have received at home will be submitted at the trial.

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Paris Vivaudou Montreal London New York Finding Harbour, Northumbria. Back to bare fields misty and green. And a little red town that lies Amid mastod ships, and a silent tower, Pointing to sombre skies. And back into the fishing town Out of the deep come we To the place where we played at our mother's gown, And paddled by the sea. And over all the Abbey stands With window and wall so clear; Christ is the Lord of all other lands. He is only our Lord Christ here. For there is in us northland blood, And though we yearn to roam, One thing still keeps most of good, Which is, returning home! —Wilfred Childie, in New Witness. Instead of logs and stones piled on the frame, hollow wheels which store sand or water ballast for additional weight, are installed on the newer farm tractors.

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