

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT: TOMORROW'S NEW BILL. If you have not seen this week's good vaudeville programme at the Opera House, tonight would be a good time to go.

VERY SPECIAL EVENTS AT THE GEM THEATRE

A week of great attractions is opening at the newly ventilated, cosy Gem Theatre, Waterloo street. Tonight the popular comedy company will say 'Agony' at 7:15 and 8:45 shows and the last screening of the Allos Brady picture, 'The Hungry Heart,' will be made.

CHAPLIN AT UNIQUE AGAIN TONIGHT IN 'THE IMMIGRANT'

Charlie Chaplin dispensed laughter in great style at the Unique yesterday, when he was seen in 'The Immigrant,' a funny comedy today. Do not fail to see it. Other features as well.

AT THE GALEITY Last episode of 'The Shining Shadow' and second adventure in 'The Perils of the Frontier' at the Galety tonight and Saturday. Matinee Saturday at 8:30.

BIG BATTLE OF IDEAS IS GOING ON NOW IN RUSSIA

One Element Wants Victory Before Democracy, Another Wants Peace Before Democracy, and Another Wants Democracy Before Peace

The meaning of the conflict of competing ideas which has led to a collision between the bourgeoisie and proletariat in Russia (the two forces that made the revolution) is lucidly set out in the following way in the New Europe.

It had long been inevitable that such a conflict would arise as soon as the question of war came to be discussed. The question was, what form the conflict would take.

Mr. Mitjukov declares that the future of democracy depends upon decisive victory, while Mr. Lenin maintains that peace is the necessary condition of democracy. Between these two extremes stand the Radicals and the Moderate Socialists, who demand the formulation of democratic war aims, so as to prepare the way for peace.

For Mr. Lenin, peace first, then democracy. For Mr. Kerenski, democracy first, then peace.

In the present crisis it is the last idea that has prevailed. The Council of Labor Deputies, by the simple majority of thirty-five, has decided to support the provisional government on the basis of imperialism. This means the continuation of the war, accompanied by a clear statement as to what Russia and her allies are fighting for.

What Mr. Kerenski demands is, that Russia and her allies should fight, not for the sake of victory, but for the sake of democracy. If we can convince the Russian people that our objects do not differ from theirs, the battle of ideas in Russia will not have been fought in vain.

The difficulties raised by the new Russia are not mere juggling with words; they are fundamental. Since the Revolution Russian look at the problems of Europe with new eyes and we who are the allies of Russia must try to see Europe through Russian eyes.

The party in Russia that desired a separate peace were swept away in the first few days of the March revolution; the party that is now agitating for peace is demanding, not so much peace between Germany and Russia, as peace between all nations. We oppose them not for their motives but for their tactics, for we are convinced—and the vast majority of the Russian people are convinced—that there can be no peace as yet with autocratic Germany.

STEPHENSON—On Wednesday, July 18, 1917, at Upper Golden Grove, to the wife of John Stephenson, a daughter.

GOLDSWORTHY—On July 20, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Goldsworthy, 40 Brussels street, a daughter.

RYAN—James A. Ryan, died July 20, 1916.

One precious to our hearts has gone. The voice we love is stilled. The place made vacant in our home can never more be filled.

WIFE AND SON.

OBSERVANCE OF ANNIVERSARY OF START OF WAR

Plans for a fitting observance of the third anniversary of the declaration of war by Great Britain, were discussed this morning at a meeting held in the mayor's office. Mayor Hayes presided and there was a representative attendance of leaders in patriotic work.

The original suggestion of making the day one of special honor to the soldiers who have returned after seeing active service, was approved and committees were appointed to work out the details. The general plan for the day, which will be proclaimed as a city holiday, will include a parade of the returned soldiers, at noon time, if this meets the approval of the church authorities, and in the evening a banquet for the returned soldiers.

When the meeting was called to order this morning, Mayor Hayes asked for suggestions regarding plans. After the plans for church services and the banquet had been approved it was decided to present to each returned soldier or to the widow of those who have fallen, a certificate signed by the mayor and common clerk and bearing the corporation seal, setting forth the record of the soldier's services to his country.

After the general discussion of the plans, the mayor, C. B. Allan and E. Armstrong were appointed a nominating committee. They submitted a list of committees, which was approved by the meeting, as follows:

Committee to arrange hall for banquet, Commissioners McLellan and Russell, E. Armstrong.

Committee on Invitations: Charles Robinson, A. M. Bell, F. E. Puddy, Captain May and F. S. West.

Decorations Committee: A. O. Skinner, R. E. Armstrong, Col. E. T. Sturdee, H. L. Gaultier, E. A. Puddy, Judge Melneky, Charles Robinson, Captain Mulcahy, Captain May, Dr. J. H. Frink, L. F. D. Smith, A. D. Scholfield, Mrs. G. A. Kahring, Mrs. David McLellan, Mrs. Fred Harding, Mrs. W. D. Forster, Mrs. C. B. Allan, Mrs. Gordon Sauton, Miss Doris Sayre, Mrs. Fred E. Sayre, Mrs. G. S. Mayes, Mrs. H. A. Pow, Mrs. J. W. Mayes, Mr. John McAvity, Mrs. Peck, Miss Alice Fairweather, Mrs. J. B. Travers, Mrs. Lloyd Estey.

RECENT DEATHS

Mr. Robert Much, wife of Rev. Robert Much, died at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Corey V. Earle, Central Norton, on Wednesday evening. She was eighty-one years old.

The death of Archibald McLellan of Boston, editor of the Christian Science Monitor for many years, and one of the members of the Christian Science board of directors, occurred last evening. Mr. McLellan was born in Moncton, N. B., on November 10, 1857.

THE Y. W. C. A. IN HALIFAX

Miss Lillian Knowles as general secretary of the Halifax Y. W. C. A., has arrived in that city to take over her new duties. When interviewed by an Echo reporter, Miss Knowles was most enthusiastic over the work that could be accomplished by organization, in Halifax, and by what had already been done by the board.

"There is no reason why the Y. W. C. A. should not be foremost among the women's organizations, and now fallen, the time for it to come to the front if ever for it is the women's day the world over. The public are beginning to realize the importance of the Y. W. C. A. and its wonderful work, just as they have the Y. M. C. A."

"Do you not think the Y. W. C. A. will play an important part in helping solve the after war problems?" "Indeed it will, and as I have already said, should be the foremost organization. We are up against tremendous problems and all women's organizations must play their part."

Miss Glass said she felt the Association was for all classes of young women, not merely certain classes. The girl who had the comforts and luxuries of a beautiful home, ought to be able to bring something to the girl boarding in the association or city. It was part of their duty as a good citizen to do so, to be as helpful as possible, for that was the reason we were put in the world.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths. 50c.

IN MEMORIAM

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BRITISH PUT 78 ENEMY AIRSHIPS OUT OF COMMISSION

Spectacular Fighting in Last Few Days—One Britisher Attacks 15 Germans

British Headquarters in France, July 20.—(By the Associated Press)—Not since the war began has such severe air fighting been witnessed on the British front as recently. Great squadrons of opposing aircraft have clashed. From the outset the British airmen maintained the upper hand and today it may be said still hold the ascendancy.

Since July 12 the British have brought down at least forty-one German machines, have driven down thirty-seven others out of control and have carried out innumerable successful bombing raids. The British have had twenty-eight machines listed as missing.

Many thrilling stories are being related. One British machine, carrying the pilot and an observer, sighted five enemy machines together. The British pilot was ordered to swoop in and about their opponents they sent one Fokker crashing to earth and drove another out of control. The British pilot was killed at this stage of the fight but the observer brought the machine home, carrying the body of his comrade with him.

Another British aviator tackled, single handed, a squadron of fifteen Germans. He was soon followed by another pilot but he alone accounted for two German machines after repeatedly facing what seemed sure destruction.

At Bossen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte St. For a quality and service we least then all remember, Bossen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches.

AT DO THE WORK

An arrangement was entered into this morning between Commissioner Fisher and the New Brunswick Power Company, for the renewal of the asphalt pavement in King street which has been disturbed by the repairs to the street car rails. The company is replacing the granite paving, but the city department of public works will be sweeping in and about their opponents they sent one Fokker crashing to earth and drove another out of control. The British pilot was killed at this stage of the fight but the observer brought the machine home, carrying the body of his comrade with him.

For Cash Tomorrow

Men! You will regret it if you do not buy a pair of low shoes at Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street. We have only a few pairs left, but are still selling them for \$1.85.

Tons of Strawberries. Sackville Tribune, Thursday—Luscious strawberries for which Sackville is becoming more famous every year are now being shipped to various parts of the maritime provinces at the rate of several tons each day. A few crates of berries were shipped towards the close of last week, but the real work of shipping began on Monday and the quantity is increasing every day.

On Monday something more than two tons were shipped, yesterday more than five tons were sent out and probably today's shipment will exceed all its predecessors. The strawberries are particularly good for gathering the fruit and ideal for their growth and flavor. During the present week, too, the weather has been good for gathering the fruit and a large number of pickers have been engaged at the work.

TWO ST. JOHN MEN. F. Whalen of St. John and J. Ward of St. John are reported killed in action.

ESTABLISHED 1894 REPUTATION

In each field of human endeavor a certain name becomes the standard of excellence and superiority.

In the optical field of New Brunswick

D. BOYANER

is such a name. It means to the eyeglass wearer everything he could wish for in eye comfort, economy and service.

D. BOYANER 311 CHARLOTTE ST. One Store Only in St. John

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

You Must Expect to Wear Glasses

The vigor of youth does not stay with eyes any more than it does with legs, arms or stomach. Yet, as you grow older, the work of your eyes grows more important.

About 45 you notice the change in your eyes. The book is held farther away and it is more difficult to see at close range.

That's Nature's message for you to consult Sharpe's Optometrist and secure glasses to prevent eye-strain and serious failure of vision.

L. L. Sharpe & Son Jewellers and Opticians, 21 KING ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

Store Open Friday Evening Gilbert's Grocery

LOCAL NEWS

Exceptional bargains at Amdur's sale. Home made candy at Empress tonight. For the great sensational shoe sale see Waterbury & Rising's ad on page 8.

Always remember to call at Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street, before buying elsewhere.

Amdur's sale will continue for three days only. Rothsay Red Cross Fete, Wednesday afternoon and evening, 6-9. Rothsay Red Cross Fete, Wednesday, July 25, 6-9.

We still have some ladies' Oxfords at \$1 a pair, at Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street.

FREE VACCINATION at Board of Health rooms, 60 Princess street, from 9:30 a. m. to 12 noon each Monday and Tuesday. Arms should be well washed.

Read Amdur's ad. in today's Times.

You will never get a chance like this again. Better take advantage of this great bargain in low shoes at Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street.

"TRUE BLUE LODGE." Members of True Blue, A. O. L. No. 11, are requested to meet in the Apprentice Boys' Hall, West End, Sunday, 22, 2:45 o'clock, to attend Divine Service at Ludlow Street Baptist Church. Full regalia. Sister lodges and Apprentice Boys lodges cordially invited.

CAR TO HIRE. Brand new Studebaker 7 passenger car to hire. A. Nealy, phone Main 2928-41.

Don't miss Amdur's sale, 238 King street, W. E.

Have you a pair of low shoes yet? They are only \$1 at Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS. The ladies' executive of the Soldiers' Club wish to acknowledge the following subscriptions to the coal account: Ames Holden & Co. \$5.00, Geo. E. Barbour & Co. \$5.00, J. M. Humphrey & Co. \$5.00, W. B. Tennant \$5.00.

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HAVE A Marcus' Happy Home

Month after month scores of newly-weds come to us for the furnishings for their new home. They know they can choose just what they want from our large and beautiful assortment of fine furniture, and they can depend on MARCUS' merchandise to give perfect satisfaction. They have absolute confidence in us, and in return we give them the Best Values—Prompt Service—Real Economy!

We are now constantly receiving our new line of Fine Furniture in the very latest designs and finishes from the best Canadian and American furniture manufacturers. It is a pleasure to show you our goods whether you purchase or not.

TEMPORARY QUARTERS J. MARCUS 46 DOCK STREET Temporary Quarters

Specials for Friday and Saturday

All Trimmed and Pattern Hats at Special Prices. Untrimmed Hats From 25c Up

Special line of Sport and Panama Hats and Children's Hats at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Model Millinery

29 Canterbury Street Store Open Friday and Saturday Evenings Till 10 p.m.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows: Trustees of Gertrude V. DeBury to McCready & Sons, Ltd., property in Portland street.

LEASHEOLDS. Extra of Frederick O'Brien to Mary E. O'Brien, property in Clarendon street.

Adm. of Mary E. O'Brien to W. F. Danaher, property in Clarendon street. Fred Radcliffe to O. B. Duffey, property in Rodney street, West St. John, Kings County.

Edward Coggin, to F. E. Roberts, \$1,000, property in Springfield. Edward Coggin to F. E. Roberts, \$1,000, property in Springfield.

E. C. Davis to Della P. Dager, property in Greenwich. H. G. Folkins to Sarah Sherwood, property in Norton.

Margaret Parler to G. B. Jones, property in Studholm. Extr. of G. H. White, to G. B. Jones, property in Studholm.

SOME HOPE. "Does the doctor give you any hope?" "Yes, indeed. He told us yesterday not to worry about the size of his bill."

DECEASED. "Pa, what is thirft?" "Thirft, my boy, is what a man has to practice so that his wife may be extravagant."

How to Buy City Real Estate, or How to Find Purchasers

Somebody Wants to Locate in Every Part of This City. City realty is the bed-rock of financial worth. It is an investment that presents liberal returns and steady appreciation in value. Owing to business demands, removals, deaths, settlements of estates and many other causes, there are always rare bargains to be picked up for cash or on terms. Many owners who are considering offers now would listen to your proposition if you were on hand.

Why not reach all those who have offers on the same day? Our Little Want Ads will reach the people you wish to reach. Also these columns open the way for quick sales to owners. It makes no difference what class of property you wish to buy or sell. There is always somebody waiting to talk business to you. It will cost you but a few pennies and will enable you to deal direct with principals, if you—

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