

THEATRICAL.

At The Grand.
Large audiences greeted the programme at the Grand yesterday, which consisted of the Pathe News, an O. Henry story, excellent comedy reels and a five reel feature picture that was one of the most entertaining that has been shown here for a long time. It was "Dolly Does Her Bit" and starred that wonderfully charming and attractive child star, Baby Marie Osborne. As Dolly in this picture she helps along with her little bit, and the many amusing situations that ensue while she is doing it made the onlookers roar with laughter. Although it is supposed to be a serious picture, Baby Marie and her little negro playmate who worked so well in "A Daughter of the West" filled everything with comedy and their antics were a regular scream. "Dolly Does Her Bit" is a take off on some of the more serious war pictures and every foot of film was made for the amusement of the audience. There was also a splendid act of vaudeville, consisting of Flynn and Howard in their novelty singing and dancing specialties, that was well received by all. This bill will be repeated again to-night and also Christmas Day, both matinee and night.

"The Honeymoon Limited."
Musical comedy, one of the most popular forms of entertainment known to the present generation of theatregoers, will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House, matinee and night, Saturday, Dec. 28th, when Charles F. Yale offers "The Honeymoon Limited." Funny comedians, real singers and a chorus of beautiful and shapely girls are the characteristic features of musical comedy. It is for these reasons that musical shows hold such a firm grip and unwaning popularity with those who relish a light entertainment. A company of thirty-five comedians, singers, dancers and musicians form the 1919 version of "The Honeymoon Limited." A scenic production, embracing two acts and half a dozen scenes, are shown during the action of the play. "A Trip to Palm Beach" is the introductory scene of the first act and at the first of the second act spectators find the scene laid on the Metropolitan park garden in New York City.

At Griffin's.
Dainty, delicate and insouciant Mary Pickford, the nation's beloved, was seen at Griffin's last evening in her new Arcraft photoplay "Johanna Enlists," which abounds in the most delicious humor; it is a veritable protest against the old adage, "There is nothing new under the sun," for it is decidedly the richest, nearest, most delectable comedy dealing with modern days that has been seen in many days. And as for Mary in the titular role, one can go no further than to say she is perfection. In addition to this superb feature Dustin Farnum was also shown a stirring drama entitled "The Scarlet Pimpernel," which proved delightfully entertaining to the audience last night. This is a red-blooded story of the kind in which this brilliant actor excels, and he does some of the best work of his career in it. The programme will be repeated this evening and Christmas matinee and evening.

At The Strand.
"To Hell with the Kaiser!" This exclamation has been said, either silently or aloud, by patriotic Americans and lovers of decency everywhere! But in this multiple-reel Screen Classics, Inc. feature, the expression is taken literally. The Berliner is actually shown in "the hot place." How he gets there, and what becomes of him after his arrival, form an interesting part of this wonderful picture. It is only a part however. Mingled with events now historical are tender romance and vivid drama. A family of Americans living in Europe are among the leading characters, and are instrumental in bringing about the tremendous denouement. Alice Monroe demands dire penalty for the fate that overtakes her little sister at the hands of the dastardly Crown Prince. "To Hell with the Kaiser," is the greatest arrangement of Prussianism and the Hohenzollerns ever made. It is America's challenge to "frightfulness."

THE POSTIES ARE LOADED

WITH CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR THE KINGSTON PEOPLE.

The Big Rush at the Post Office began on Monday—Mail is Greater Than Ever Before.
Monday was a heavy day at the post office. It was a true saying that all roads led to the post office. A Whig representative had a peep behind the scenes during the biggest rush which occurred late in the afternoon, and, judging by the number of parcels he found on their way to Kingston people, and on their way out of Kingston, there will be much to gladden the hearts of the people this Christmas. Parcels have been coming and going for the past few days in a big rush, but it reached the climax on Monday.

Parcels have been sent all over the world. Boxes and packages of all sizes and descriptions have been put through the mails. The letter carriers are doing their hardest "bit" of the year, and they will be glad when the rush is over. As usual, this year, each postman is being helped out with a horse and dray.

The post office was filled to overflowing on Tuesday morning. The place was jammed with parcels, letters and cards and the inside staff complained that there was not sufficient help to handle the mail matter. Everyone was working like a Trojan but found it was impossible to keep up with the work. The clerks are tired out and the worst is yet to come.

Every Page A Laugh.
In Dore Noble, Treat "Em Rough, Biltmore Oswald, 2 1/2 Hours' Leave and Aunt Sarah and the War at The College Book Store.

Military Matters

The engineer depot at Brockville practically ceased to exist on Tuesday when all soldiers attached to the depot were ordered to proceed to their relative military districts. "Where they would be granted discharge immediately."

It has been announced that Brig-Gen. Victor A. S. Williams, who recently returned from overseas, and who was a prisoner of war in Germany for some time, will succeed Brig-Gen. T. D. R. Hemming, who is to retire on Jan. 5th. The coming retirement of General Hemming was indicated by the Whig some time ago.

General Williams, it will be remembered, served in Kingston on the staff as chief staff officer, under Col. W. D. Gordon. He was a cavalry officer and before assuming staff duties commanded the R.C.D.

Capt. C. C. Shaw and Gunner C. R. Holt, R.C.H.A. having proceeded to Quebec have been struck off the strength of the R.C.H.A. depot.

Staff-Sergeant Charles Wolfe, Royal School of Artillery has been discharged to pension, with an exemplary character.

The general officer commanding M.D. No. 3 will inspect all dinners of the garrison units on Wednesday, Christmas Day.

Major E. H. Lancaster, C.F.A. has been appointed waiting member of the standing general court-martial.

Lieut. Charles Askwith, having completed his duties as draft conducting officer, assumes command of No. 3 C.A.S.C. Service Company, and has been granted Christmas leave. During his absence, Lieut. S. Crosswait will act as officer commanding that unit.

On Wednesday the units of the Kingston Garrison and the patients in Hospital are to have a special Christmas dinner. An extra allowance of twenty-five cents a man has been made, and in addition extra dainties and rations are supplied. The general officer commanding is to make a tour of the units in order to extend the greetings of the day to all ranks. In the hospitals there are to be Christmas entertainments and concerts, so that the soldiers in the city will be well looked after during the festive season.

In orders issued at Millia headquarters Tuesday Brig-Gen. T. D. R. Hemming addressed his valedictory message to the staff on the eve of his retirement from the command. He expressed his keen appreciation for the loyalty and co-operation of all those associated with him during his tenure of office and extended the compliments of the season.

Brig-Gen. Maunsel, acting G.O.C., Col. Genet A.A.G., and Major Manus will visit the soldiers at their Christmas dinner in the various hospitals, also the R.C.H.A. and the District depot.

ANOTHER BODY FOUND.

Believed to Be Member of Crew of Minola.

A body has been found washed ashore at the head of Simcoe Island, and it is believed to be that of one of the crew of the ill-fated steamer Minola. It was brought to Kingston to-day and taken to Corbett's undertaking parlors. An effort will be made to establish the identity of the man.

January Magazines For Holiday Reading.

Red Book, Woman's Home Companion, American, Everybody's, Green Book, Popular Mechanics, Adventure, Saucy, Detective, Aling's, Blue Book, Cartoons, The College Book Store.

Women's Canadian Club.

Dr. Leslie Coleman, of Bangalore, India, who has been director of agriculture under the British Government for eleven years, will give an address on "India" in Convention Hall, on Friday evening, Dec. 27th, at 8 o'clock. Admission for non-members, 25c.

Special At 75c.

The original edition of Face to Face With Kaiserism, by James W. Gerard, author of My Four Years in Germany. Just the book for a man, at the College Book Store. Special 75c.

Christmas Services.

St. Paul's Church—Christmas Day. Holy communion, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. Preacher, Canon Fitzgerald.

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DAILY MEMORANDUM.

No Whig on Christmas Day. See top of page three, right hand corner, for probabilities.

BORN.

WOODSWORTH—On December 24th, 1918, at 124 University Ave. to Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Woodsworth, of Kobe, Japan, a son.

MARRIED.

PARENT-DARRAGH—In St. James Chapel on Tuesday, Dec. 23rd, 1918, by Rev. Father Hanley, Anna Evelyn Darragh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Darragh, Earl street, to E. B. Parent, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Parent, Montreal.

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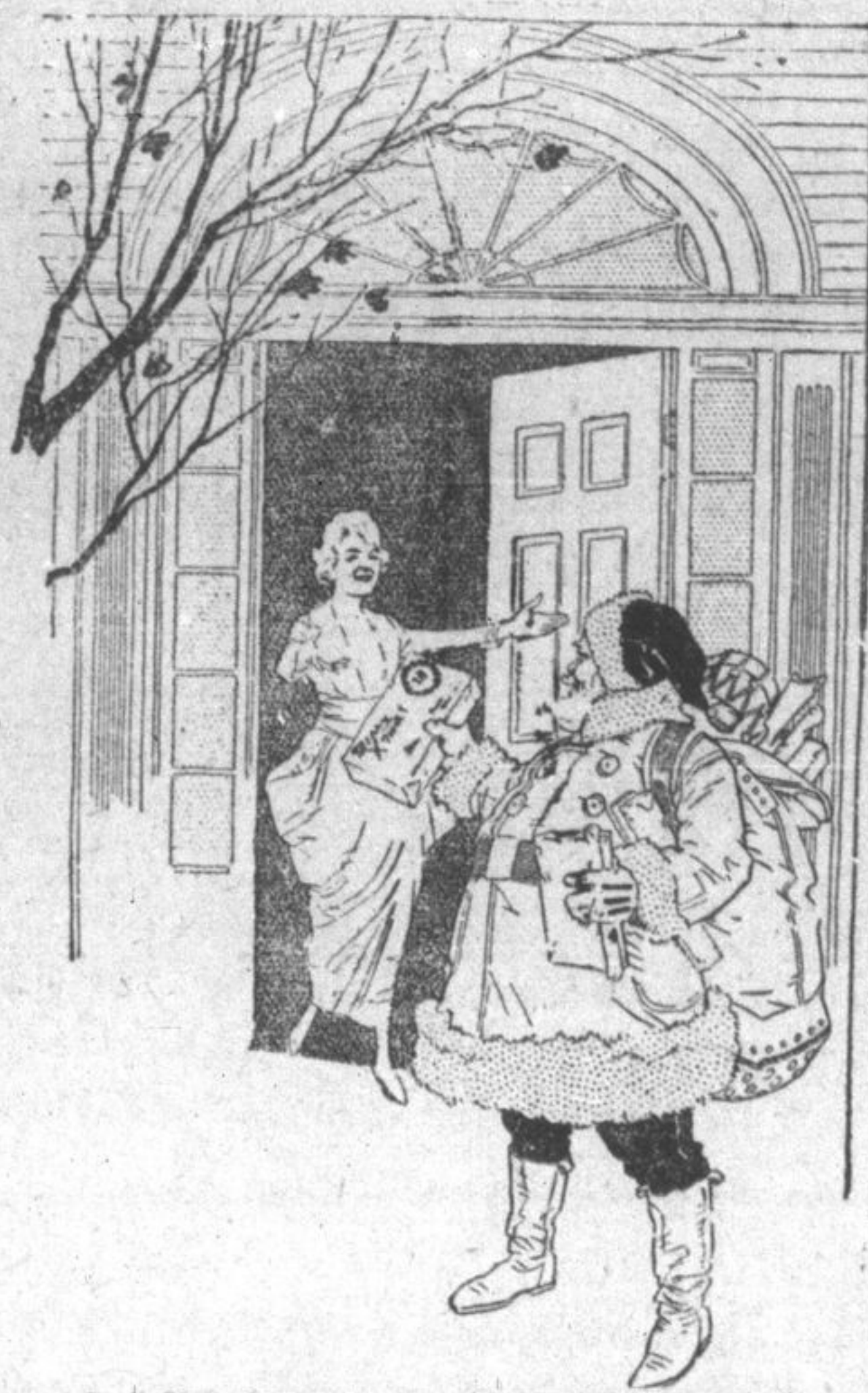
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