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Walter Hampden Coming.
Walter Hampden, the famous Shakespearean actor will play an engagement one night only at the Grand Opera House on the night of Dec. 2nd. Mr. Hampden is the talented young actor who surprised the entire theatrical world two seasons ago with such a remarkable performance of "Hamlet" that he was immediately stamped as the foremost actor of classic roles in America. Mr. Hampden, when here, will play "The Merchant of Venice," in which he will be seen as Shylock. This play is one of several that he has added to his repertoire since his original success as Hamlet, and in it he achieves fame that is second only to his portrayal of the ill-fated Danish Prince. Mr. Hampden will be supported by the original New York Company, which includes among its members who played with Sir Frank Benson and one or the other of the famous English stars, such as Irving, Waller, Tree and Forbes-Robertson. Mr. Hampden himself played with Sir Frank Benson for many years.—Advt.

"Stop Thief."
Queen's Dramatic Club production of "Stop Thief" will be presented at the Grand Opera House, Friday, December 3rd. This production has been selected as the one offering the most opportunities to the actors to be seen at their best. The cast is specially selected from the best talent in the club, and is being produced under the capable direction of Chas. A. Gates, who has been for the past few years connected with the best amateur productions in the city. The story of the play revolves around the Carr family, and takes place on the day their daughter is to be married. When a pair of clever crooks decide to get the wedding presents, and old Mr. Carr discovers that he is a kleptomaniac, the action starts thick and fast. With crooks, detectives, absent minded old men, and wedding guests, all mixed up in a delightful tangle, this play has a series of situations which will provoke gales of laughter. The play promises to be one of the best ever put on by Queen's club.—Advt.

Mademoiselle of Armentieres.
Canada is rapidly coming to the front as a theatrical producing country and no entertainment coming from the States or abroad is more worthy of patronage than "Mademoiselle of Armentieres." This is a musical comedy written by Canadians, organized, equipped and financed by Canadians and contains a complete cast of Canadians. All the male members have seen service in the Canadian army in France—the length of service averaging 27 months. Besides the male cast there are several female characters and a chorus of English and Canadian beauties who will introduce musical numbers entirely new and especially written for "Mademoiselle of Armentieres." The above attraction will appear at the Grand Opera House on Saturday, Dec. 4th, with a bargain matinee.—Advt.

At the Strand.
When news flashed around the world that gold was discovered in Alaska, a mad race started for the frozen north. Old men, young men, gamblers, outlaws, adventurers, prospectors and women hangers-on left civilization in search of glittering gold. Tent cities sprang up everywhere in this land where nature ruled with an iron hand. The weak dropped by the wayside and the strong, suffering dire privations, fought for life and riches. Robert W. Service, poet laureate of the Northwest, and Charles Miller, eminent director of screen plays, have immortalized the epoch-making struggle between man and nature in "The Law of the Yukon," a Mayflower photoplay production. Mr. Miller's intimate knowledge of the early history of the Yukon country is his pre-eminence for the task of putting into pictures the spirit of the inspired lines by Mr. Service. At the Strand theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, "The Law of the Yukon" will be the principal feature of the programme.—Advt.

At Griffin's.
To-night will be the last opportunity to see the splendid programme which has been pleasing patrons of Griffin's during the past two days, and is headed by talented Patience Frederick in "The Loves of Letty." "The Loves of Letty" is an ideal role for Miss Frederick, and presents the problem of the poor girl faced with the dilemma of choosing pretty clothes with a loss in self respect, or a poor man's affection given sincerely. The temptation is strong, but her character rises to the test, and her decision is unmistakable. You will be sure to enjoy this interesting drama, and the beautiful gowns worn by Miss Frederick enhance the attractiveness of the production. Be sure and see this picture, also the balance of our interesting programme which includes the first episode of our new serial "The Branded Four," and an exceptionally funny comedy "Go West, Young Woman," featuring Fay Tincher.—Advt.

Mayor Nickle is Asked To Stand for Second Term

Mayor Nickle was asked by the Whig on Wednesday morning if he intended standing for a second term. His Worship replied that he had been requested to do so by many citizens, but he had not yet made a decision. The mayor said he had given seven years to patriotic and civic work, and would be glad of a rest. However, there is a chance that Mayor Nickle will be prevailed upon to offer his services to the city for another year.

The appeal of the Eddy Co., Ottawa, against a judgment of \$2,361 for breach of contract in favor of the British Whig Publishing Co., Kingston, has been argued at Toronto and judgment reserved. The total amount collected under the headings of import duties, excise and sales taxes at Kingston during the month of November, 1920, was \$33,329.23.

CHRISTMAS RELIEF FUND.

(Continued From Page 1.)
At the annual meeting of the Kingston Poor Relief committee to be held on Thursday afternoon, this matter will be considered and it is likely that some suggestions will be offered as to the best ways of securing the contributions and the parties who will receive the contributions. The idea is not only to receive money contributions, but anything which would go to make the Christmas time more pleasant. Mrs. John Wright, president of the City Poor Relief committee, when spoken to by the Whig, asked that the following statement be published:

"Having been approached by the Whig as to the advisability of providing cheer for the purpose of giving all the poor of the city a happy Christmas, I heartily endorse the plan as outlined. Knowledge of present conditions forces upon us the fact that it has been necessary to dispense more relief this fall than usual, and unemployment will add to the problem of relief as the winter advances. As every great problem has been solved by individuals and worked out by groups, we commend the Whig for the splendid community spirit shown by opening its columns for this fund."
ELIZABETH WRIGHT,
Pres. City Poor Relief Association.

THE NATURALISTS CLUB

Hears Splendid Address on Lobster by Dr. Knight.
The Frontenac Naturalists Club met in the new medical building, Queen's University, Tuesday evening, December 1st. The election of officers resulted: President, A. B. Klugh being in the chair. The election of officers resulted: Honorary President, Dr. A. P. Knight; president, A. B. Klugh; vice-president, H. C. White; secretary, W. D. Hay; treasurer, L. R. Merkle; executive committee, W. J. Sanders, R. Gow, and V. R. Bullock, committee of the photographic section, Messrs. V. C. Jones, Harris, and W. D. Hay.

Dr. A. P. Knight gave a most interesting address on "The Conservation of the Lobster in Canada." The speaker said that the total value of the fisheries of Canada was fifty million dollars, and in this total the salmon leads and the lobster is next in value. He stated that there had been a lack of information on one phase of the life history of the lobster—that period covering the first and second years of its life—and that this information, which was important in regard to methods of conservation, had been obtained by two Queen's men, Messrs. Klugh and McKay. He reported that the educational campaign among the lobster fishermen and canners, which he, with the aid of Messrs. MacClement, MacGillivray and Vashon, had conducted, had yielded most satisfactory results in reducing the numbers of "berried lobsters" that is, females bearing eggs, which were taken by the fishermen, and that this was a very decided factor in the conservation of this species.

At the close of the address a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speaker.

Had a Scotch Night.
The A.Y.P.A. of St. George's Cathedral held a "Scotch Night" Tuesday to celebrate St. Andrew's Day. There was an attendance of about 100, all of whom enjoyed the very fine programme. Mr. Finlayson gave several selections on the bag pipes, which were much appreciated. Miss M. Wilson sang "Angus MacDonald," and "The Happy Hills," in her usual rich voice. Miss E. Stafford recited "Jamie Douglas" very cleverly. Miss Bertha Wilson sang very sweetly, "Wee House Among the Heather," and "We'd Better Bide a Wee." Mr. Weaver gave a delightful banjo solo. Rev. W. E. Kidd spoke on the story of St. Andrew, which was very interesting as well as instructive. Dean Starr also told a number of Scotch stories in his usual amusing way. Delicious refreshments were served.

Private sale of household furniture at the residence of Mrs. Thos. McAuley, King street west, every afternoon and evening.

Another lot of 50 baskets pears expected Thursday morning at Carnovsky's, on the corner.

DAILY MEMORANDUM.

Poor Relief, Thursday, 3.
See top of Page Three, right hand corner for probabilities.
Chalmers Church Tea and Sale, Friday, 3 p.m. Admission, 10c.
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DERRY—In Kingston on Dec. 1st 1920, Eliza Jane Derry, 70 years of age, widow of the late James Derry, and sister of William Derry, 249 Barrie Street.
Funeral (private) Friday afternoon, at 2.30, from her late residence, to Cataragui Cemetery.
SCHOLLES—In Kingston on Nov. 30th, 1920, Alice Eva Luckert, daughter of the late J. B. Luckert, of Three Rivers, Quebec, and beloved wife of Frank D. Scholles, aged 35 years.
Funeral from her late residence, 288 Queen street, Thursday afternoon, at 2.30, to Cataragui Cemetery. Montreal papers please copy.

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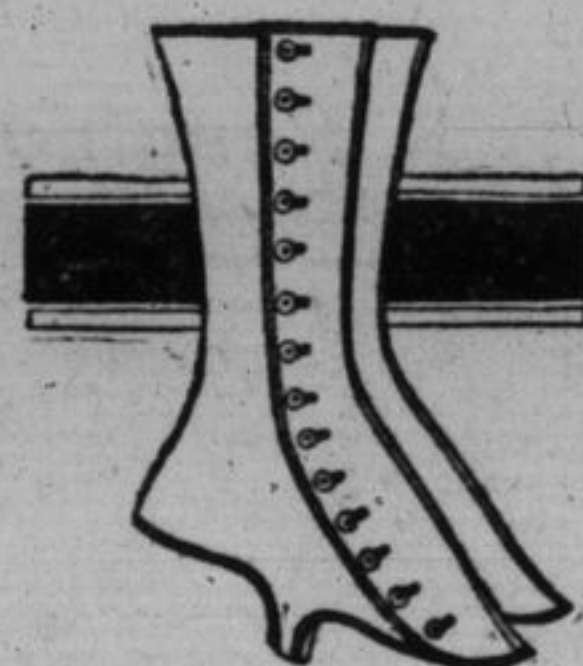
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