

AMUSEMENTS

What the Press Agents Say About Coming Attractions

"The House of Lies." There seems to be a peculiar fascination about the underworld to the average person. Possibly it is because it is a side of life that one comes into contact with very seldom, yet whatever it is that attracts everyone wants to see and hear all they can of this side of life.

NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT IS ASSURED IN NEILAN FILM Marshall Neilan's latest film creation, "Bits of Life," is announced as the screen attraction for the Alien Theatre, beginning to-morrow, for three days, and something novel in the way of entertainment is promised.

ARRANGE FOR JOINT SERVICES IN SUMMER

Sydenham Street Methodist and Chalmers Conclude Arrangements.

The joint committee appointed by the session of Chalmers Protestant church and Sydenham street Methodist trustee and quarterly boards to arrange for union services during July and August met on Tuesday evening. It was decided that John Duxberry, Toronto, would be in charge of the services on the first Sunday in July.

Letters to the Editor

Bolshevism, by Dimitri Merejkowsky, Elginburg, May 9.—(To the Editor): Evil in the relative sense we can understand, but not evil absolute, and if there be on earth an incarnation of evil absolute, of the Devil himself, it is Bolshevism, for the Devil was a murderer from the beginning.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY

Interesting Items Picked Up By Our Busy Reporters.

Summer showing at the Gedy Millinery, Thursday, May 11th. New potatoes at Carnovsky's. Rev. Robert Laird, of Toronto, is in the city for the proceedings of Convocation at Queen's University.

The James Texts, Belleville, Ont., print in book form various departmental and matriculation examination papers of the lower and the middle schools, 1912 to 1921 inclusive. Write for price list of sets ready for distribution.

THE COUNCIL OF QUEEN'S

Reports on Various Courses—Members Elected to the Trustee Board.

A meeting of Queen's University council was held on Tuesday afternoon, with Principal Taylor presiding. Donald M. McIntyre, K.C., and Alexander Longwell, Toronto, were elected to the board of trustees by the council.

The council received a report from Dr. J. C. Connell, dean of the medical faculty, and Dr. Sparks on chiropractics. Dean Skelton reported on the banking and commerce course, showing the great development; Dean Clark reported on the unemployment bureau for students in science. The bureau has been most successful, and it is hoped in the near future, to include other faculties.

A CENTENARIAN PREACHES

An Oakville Methodist Possesses Wonderful Record. Thomas Marmont Jeffers, of Oakville, Ont., is the oldest Methodist "saddle-bags man" in America. Born February 15, 1822, he is more than a year ahead of Rev. Seth Reed, of Flint, Michigan, hailed as the grand patriarch of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States, who was born June 2, 1823.

Rev. Mr. Jeffers is a centenarian in the Methodist Church of Canada. Probably other denominations have older clergymen, but the Methodists have a pension roll which enables a close check to be kept on the life and service of their preachers. Since 1874, Mr. Jeffers has been receiving from the church a sum which is based on years of service. There is wide variation between salaries received from the Metropolitan Church, Toronto, to-day and the four pounds sterling which the circuit-rider Jeffers received from his county-wide parish two generations ago, but when the preachers "go on the fund," as the saying is, they are equals again and only receive cents in calculating their pension. To-day it is \$18 per annum for each year passed in the so-called "active-work." Perhaps it is this pension which has given the old evangelist a quiet and fairly long evening of life after the persecutions and hardships of his earlier career.

In 1839, when eight years old, young Jeffers went to work in a factory at Bath, England, his birthplace. In his youth he was stoned and egged, for being a local preacher and a teetotalist. Coming to Canada, in 1844, he was shipwrecked off Cape Breton, the vessel foundering and the young preacher coming ashore in a small boat to conduct an evangelistic service on the beach. Riding the bush in Western Ontario, he was unbridled rivers, rode through burning forests, became lost and imperilled by wild animals. Fired on salaries which did not allow of a respectable appearance, conducted "protracted meetings" in log hithens and open clearings and, finally, was forced out of the ministry when the union of Methodist bodies left no place for the older men. From 1874, he led a quiet life as a fruit farmer in Trafalgar township. Of mixed Huguenot and West Country blood, he was a fervent preacher, and to witness that evangelistic fervor has not died out in the family, one daughter is the wife of Dr. Warren, one of the missionary bishops of India under the Methodist Episcopal Church.

SPORTING NEWS

Baseball P. S. League.

The first game of junior baseball between Robert Meek Juniors and Frontenac Juniors was played at Frontenac School on Tuesday, May 9th, the latter winning by a score of 17 to 11. The game was interesting and both teams deserve credit. The line-up was: Robert Meek—M. Speisman, c.; Gordon Almarck, p.; T. Mercer, 1b.; Earl Clark, 2b.; C. Billings, s.; H. Clark, 3b.; T. Frizell, r.f.; T. Bridgen, c.f.; B. Blake, l.f.

Queen's Bowling Club Rinks. At the meeting of the skips of Queen's bowling club rinks were chosen for the ensuing season. The first named is skip, and the second vice skip. The rinks are: L. Sleeth, E. Walsh, W. Chapman, W. White.

Dr. R. C. Cartwright, W. H. Montgomery, J. Chatterton, W. Paterson, N. Munroe, W. Frizell, C. Wood, J. F. Hawkey. M. Manahan, E. Johnston, J. Bleakley, W. McMartney. J. F. McMillan, J. Singleton, J. Boyd, Dr. E. Mundell.

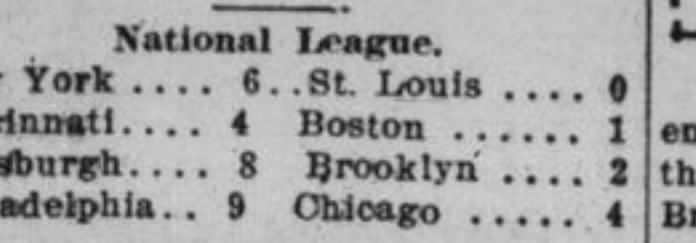
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BASEBALL SCORES

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Includes International League, Michigan-Ontario League, American League.

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SMILES



WOULD PROBABLY GET SOAKED "Look how it's raining, and some crowd'll have stolen my umbrella! Now I've no umbrella to raise!"



UNCONVENTIONAL ELBIE The Flapper: "That Elsie girl is awfully dandy, isn't she?" The Dumb But: "Why, I always thought her very dandy."



Carrots, Cucumbers, Celery. First of the season. New green peas at Carnovsky's.

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JACKSON-METIVIER LIMITED 114 PRINCESS STREET. Featuring Special Values Thursday Canton Crepe and Taffeta Dresses. REDUCED TO \$16.50. Regular \$25.00 to \$30.00. GLOVE SILK HOSIERY \$2.45. PURE SILK HOSIERY, 98c. PAIR. Tricotine Suits Regular values to \$50.00. THURSDAY FINAL CLEAN-UP PRICE \$29.75. TWEEED AND HOMESPUN SUITS Regular \$35.00 to \$50.00. \$29.75. Novelty Skirts. PRICES START AT \$5.00 to \$15.00.

GANANOQUE

May 10.—Leeds Lodge A.F.&A.M. entertained a large number of brethren from Kingston, Belleville, Brockville and Alexandria Bay.

The Winona Mission Circle met last evening in Grace church lecture room. A pleasant feature of the meeting was the presentation of two life memberships to Miss Eppie Meggs and Miss Mildred Jackson.

Miss Margaret Valier was taken to Kingston General hospital for treatment. Miss Lillian Martin, Kingston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grue, King street east.

Mrs. Roy Wheeler and daughter Vivian, have returned home after spending the past week with her mother, Mrs. William Britt, Collin's Bay.

Peter Boucher has returned to Carthage, N.Y., after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. N. Gauthier.

A. Jackson, Brockville, was a visitor in town yesterday. William Fair was in Lyndhurst yesterday attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Shefield.

Miss Anita Martin, who has been attending Queen's University for the past three years, has been successful in securing her B.A.

The swing bridge, which has been closed to traffic during repairs is now completed. The work on the good roads in this district opened today.

Stationing Committee Meets. The stationing committee of the Montreal Conference will convene at Sydenham Street Methodist church on Monday afternoon, May 29th.

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CONGRATULATES KINGSTON

On Its 250th Anniversary—Watertown, N.Y., Times' Most Friendly Greeting.

The Times of Watertown, N.Y., has the following editorial comment: "Kingston, Ont., Northern New York's next door neighbor, will celebrate its 250th birthday in July.

Kingston, commonly known as the Limestone City, owes its early start in life to its harbor. It was in 1673 that Count de Frontenac, the French explorer, came in sight of the place. He was accompanied by his Indian allies and the possibilities of the magnificent harbor at once struck the imagination of the Frenchman.

Kingston had an interesting history nearly a century. Beseiged by 10 Indians, it was the scene of a massacre and the settlement was almost swept out of existence.

But the fleur-de-lis of France was destined not to wave indefinitely over Kingston. In 1758 as the result of the struggle for the empire of North America, Kingston, then known as Frontenac, passed into the possession of the British. During two centuries and a half Kingston has enjoyed a steady and healthy growth. It has an excellent harbor, has good railroad facilities and occupies a position midway between Montreal and Toronto.

The city is particularly well known as an educational centre, being the home of the famous Queen's University and the Royal Military College of Canada. With a population of 25,000 it is one of the soundest and most substantial of the smaller Canadian cities.

Northern New York is particularly interested in Kingston's birthday celebration. Many substantial citizens of Watertown came from Kingston or its immediate neighborhood. They will go back home to help celebrate the birthday of their native community. The relations between Northern New York and Kingston

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ARTILLERY WORK AT R.M.G.

The Practical Outdoor Work Has Been Resumed. The examinations at the Royal Military College having been concluded last Saturday, the practical outdoor work has again been commenced, and the cadets are now in the middle of "artillery week," a period when attention is concentrated on that branch of the service and facilities provided for the training of all the classes as a four-gun battery, mounted, with the exception of the recruit class, to whom elementary artillery instruction is given.

On Saturday next, at 10 a.m., the cadets will be inspected as a battery of artillery, mounted, by Brig.-Gen. W. B. King, C.M.G., D.S.O., the general commanding the district. The inspection will take place on Barrieffield common, near the camp hospital and the power house, and all friends of the college are cordially invited to witness the work of the cadets in this branch of the service.

An artillery review is a very imposing and picturesque sight, calling at the same time for horsemanship of a high order, and those who have not had the privilege of seeing a battery of artillery galloping over rough ground to a position, passing slowly past the inspecting officer, or carrying out intricate artillery drill, should not fail to be present at Saturday's inspection.

Worth Hearing. Richard Irving, evangelist, of Toronto, will speak in Gospel Hall to-night and next Sunday evening.

Thirty-one thoroughbreds were burned to death at the race tracks at Lexington, Ky.

Sir James Craig arrived at London on Tuesday unexpectedly.