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### 'AFTER SIX DAYS" MET EXPECTATIONS

A Wonderful Picture Is Being Shown at the Grand Opera House.

It is certainly a wonderful picture which Manager D. P. Branigan of the Grand Opera House is offering to his patrons the last three days of this

"After Six Days" is not one of the usual pictures—as a matter of fact it halls." is about the most unusual ever produced-but it combines all the best of the usual line with many more new departures all its own and is both an entertainment and an educational medium.

An array of characters and scenes from the story of the Old Testament is presented to the spectator, carrying him from the Garden of Eden to the gorgeous splendor of the Court of Solomon. The story of our first parents, the dramatic project of the Ark, the cataclysmic flood of waters, the awe-inspiring destruction by fire of the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah, the vital story of Joseph and his many brothers, the children of Israel as they fly from the land of self. their oppressors, the plagues wreaking havoc among the pursuing Egyptians, the parting and rejoining of the water of the Red Sea, all these and many other scenes are incorporated in this film masterpiece.

People tell us that the moving picture art-or industry-is not advancing. They say that the first pictures of many years ago were better than those of the present day. To these we can only say that they should see "After Six Days." It is an answer in itself to that indictment. It is an exhibition of phenomenal progress, both artistically and mechanically, in the moving picture

Kingston theatre patrons who were fortunate enough to see the opening presentation cannot praise production enough and the Grand should have large attendances for the rest of the week.

"After Six Days" took five years of actual photographing; over 10.000 principals and supernumeries were employed; twelve directors worked together on it; in some of the scenes twenty cameras were "shooting" simultaneously; the whole of Europe was searched for menageries to secure the wild animals necessary; the interior settings are the largest ever filmed; the actual ground made sacred by these happenings was used and actors were transported to Jerusalem, Babylonia, Mesopotamia hold-up. Egypt, etc., their transportation alone costing a fortune; the costumes are correct in every detail and the result of painstaking research; near the music." over two million feet of film are exposed in the showing; it cost \$3,-

000,000. To the first glance "After Six Days" might seem only a very interesting panorama; on second thought it becomes a very interesting portrayal of the Old Testament; and on analysis it stands forth as the story of life itself and as one of the finest pieces of dramatic production ever

put forth to the world. Critics in all the large centres of the New World and the Old have paid enthusiastic tribute to this work from the Italian studios and it merits every good word that has been said about it.

#### **GANANOQUE**

May 23 .- A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Skinner Wednesday

W. O. Jones and Jack Hargraft are leaving today to spend the weekend at their respective homes Toronto and Cobourg.

Among those who motored Kingston last evening for the graduation exercises at the Hotel Dieu

Mayor Wilson, Misses Maynie Brennan, Rebecca Calow, Margaret Brennan, Rhea Haynes, K. Brennan, Mrs. W. F. LaQue, Mr. and Mrs. O'Hearn, Miss Dorene O'Hearn, Bernard O'Hearne, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Amo, Meehan Amo, Edward McMaster, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyle, Fred

Misses Ella Phillips, Loraine Pelow and Edith Haynes were in Mallorytown last night for the dance. Mrs. C. S. Lee, Oshawa, is expected in town today to spend a few days ith her parents.

Border Bootleggers," was sentenced trouble is finding someone to the Ontario Reformatory for three pluck. and a half years for robbing a box (Copyright, 1924. Reproduction For car at Windsor, Ont.

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LOST AND FOUND.

Department. B. V. Dwight-Do you happen to know the rest of the poem contain-"I dreamt that I dwelt in marble

Dear B. V. D .- The poem you refer to is an answer to the Housing Problem and goes as follows:

halls.

Ten airy rooms for thirty-five per; No wonder I wept when at last

Angelina Starr-I think it was Robert Louis Stevenson who wrote the quatrain beginning: "Wealth I ask not, hope,

one of the lady poets. See for your-Wealth I ask not, fame nor love; I'll e'en dispense with vim and viger If Fate will only let me keep My Girlish Figger.

Dear Angle-It sounds more like

Give And Take.

Kindly Old Soul: "My boy, don't you know it is wrong to fight? Don't you know the good took says we should love our enemies? Sandy (calmly blacking the other boy's eye): "Yep, but this guy's a friend o'mine!"

-Nate Collier the wrong girl. His second mistake is to apologize to her.

From the Oil Anthology. Oh, give us back the good old days, When cheer was mixed with toil. We want a congress wet with beer, An: not one soaked with oil!

A Sound Reason. Mr. Oldwed: "I haven't spoken to my wife for over three years." Newlywed: "Why?"

-Ernest Muirhead.

Mr. Aldwed: "I didn't like to in--Ernest Boyd.

Throw Up Your Hands! Being a collection of remarks employed in the well-known game

"Yes, there is a very nice table

"Here are two choice ones in the

"This is just from Paris-inlaid with platinum. "Just try it on, and if you don"

like it, you needn't take it." "Everyone else has subscribed, I've put you down for the regular

"Won't you buy a ticket, please?" -Charles G. Shaw.

Jingle-Jangles.

funny. rhyme that will make Fun shop + readers laugh is a Jingle-♣ Jangle. It must be in two lines. ♣ + For example:

After winter comes the spring; + Tonsils hurt like everything.

+ Cows have horns and sheep + . Dentists have a lot of pull.

You will undoubtedly contri-♦ bute funnier Jingle-Jangles ♦ the public and separate schools. + than these. Address them sep- + ♦ ment, The Fun Shop, 110 West ♦ its Empire Day exercises in Grant 4 40th street, New York City.

Wouldn't Interfere. Sheriff: "Your daughter and her oung man eloped!'

Dad: "Are the police in pursuit?" Sheriff: "Yes." Dad: "Well, for the love o' Mike call 'em back!"

-Harry J. Williams. Pluck.

"Pluck, my boy, pluck; that's the one essential to success in business," reminded the old men who was speaking to his nephew.

"Yes, of course, I know that, an Cecil Smith, known as "King of swered the young fellow. "The

Readers are requested to contribute. All humor: epigrams (or humorous mottoes), jokes, anecdotes, poetry, burlesques, satires, and bright sayings of children, must be original and unpublished. Accepted material will be paid for at from \$1.00 to \$10.00 per contribution; from 25c, to \$1.00 per line for poetry according to the character and value of the contribution, as determined by the Editor of "The Fun Shop." All manuscripts must be witten on one side of the paper only, should bear name of this newspaper, and should be addressed to Fun Shop Headquarters, 110 West 40th Street, New York City. Unaccepted contributions cannot be returned.

The gross income tax collected in 31st last was \$54,204,027. Business Canadian M.L. Boats Entering Dovprofits tax was collected to the er; War in the Air; Canadian Forestamount of \$4,752,681, making a ers in Windsor Park; The Cloth Hall, total collection from the two taxes of Ypres; Over the Top; A Mobile Vet-

Was \$1,935,274.

### WANT FULL CONTROL OF THE PLAYGROUNDS

The Parks Committee Wil Seek Authority From the City Council.

The civic parks committee will ask the city council for authority to take full charge and control of the civic playgrounds to be established in Victoria and Frontenac parks.

ing of the parks committee held on Thursday afternoon and the recommendation will go before the council at its meeting next week. When I dreamt that I dwelt in marble the necessary authority is given the committee to take complete control, (No objection to children, canary or then the committee will appoint supervisors and carry out the programme for the summer. The question of playgrounds was discussed at some length and it was the feeling of the members of the committee that they should be given the power to hire their own help and manage the playgrounds if the enterprise is to be a success, and as the board is very anxious to make the playgrounds a success, the action taken was regarded as in the best interests of the undertaking.

As a result of the advertisement placed in the newspapers, a score or more applications were received for the position of male and female suervisors and the selection will be made by the committee just as soon as the necessary authority has been granted by the council.

Ald. Richardson was in favor of referring the question of the playgrounds back to the Board of Educaand moved to this effect, but motion was lost, his colleagues be ing of the opinion that as the coun A man's first mistake is to kiss cil had decided to take over the playgrounds, the committee seek the authority from the council to go ahead and make all the necessary arrangements and do the very best with the money on hand.

It will be recalled that the Board of Education handed over a grant of \$1,000 and the equipment which has been in use by the board for the playgrounds.

The committee received a letter from W. G. Bailey, secretary of the Separate school board, asking that a separate school supporter be appointed as one of the supervisors. It is understood that the separate school board will be asked to pay a share in the cost of the upkeep of the playgrounds.

Capt. H. E. Law, who has had considerable experience in conducting playgrounds, met the committee and a conference was held in regard

to the best methods for carrying on. Ald. Price and Ald. William Holder recently made an inspection the equipment the Board of Education handed over to the city council, for the operation of the playgrounds. Everything is in good condition, but the expense in having it carted to the parks and placed in position will

be quite an item. The chairman, Ald. Kent, presided at the meeting and the other members present were Alds. J. B. Hold er, Price, Driscoll, William Holder, Laturney and Richardson.

By the I.O.D.E. to the City Schools-Empire Day Ceremonies.

A significant event in the history of the city schools took place Friday afternoon when 36 pictures, which form a part of the War Memorial of the I.O.D.E., were presented to

With the exception of Victoria \* arately to Jingle-Jangle Depart- \* school, which received its quota at

+ Hall, the ceremonies took place at the same hour, 2.30 p.m., at the nine public schools and the three separate schools, St. Vincent's, St. Mary's and St. John's, the presentations being made by representatives of the seven I.O.D.E. chapters, Annandale (Mrs. J. B. Carruthers, regent), Municipal (Mrs. Duff, regent), Cataraqui (Mrs. Walter Macnee, regent) Prince Charlie (Mrs. T. Hora, regent), La Salle (Mrs. T. M. Asselstine, regent), George Richardson (Mrs. L. A. Guild, regent) and Victoria (Miss Edith Carruthers, re

In the public schools the pictures were received, with appropriate words of thanks, by the school chairmen and one other trustee, the school chairmen being: Victoria, Trustee Cooke, chairman of the Board of Education; Robert Meek, Trustee Moore; Central, Trustee Milo; Macdonald, Trustee Metcalfe; Frontenac, Trustee Hebert; Louise, Trustee Mrs. Godwin; Sydenham, Trustee Lingham; Rideau, Trustee Jones; Depot, Trustee Baldwin.

Most of the pictures are excellent reproductions of paintings included in the collection known as the Canadian War Memorials, which were executed under the direction of the Canadian War Records Office in London. They have been handsomely framed at the expense of the government. The following paintings are included: H.R.H. the Prince of Wales; Canada's Grand Armada leaving Gaspe Bay; Landing of the 1st Canadian Division at St. Nazaire, Canada for the year ending March February, 1915; The Night Patrol-\$58,956,708. The cost of collection erinary Unit in France; Canadian Artillery in Action; The Defence of A fair to good prospect for the the P.P.C.L.I. at Sanctuary Wood; apple orchards of Elgin county is Dressing Station in the Fields, Arpredicted by P. J. Carey of the Do- ras; The Surrender of the German DISAPPEARING PROPELLER BOAT minion Fruit Branch of the Depart- Fleet; Canadians in Paris after the Armistice; Canadians Arriving on

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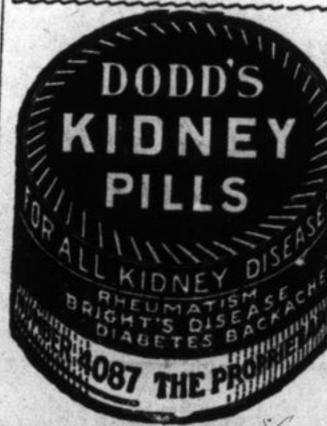
Phone 147 for Service. The Leading Undertaker

and Tanks; The Death of Montcalm. HOUSE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

The Neighbors Worked Hard to Save Adjacent Building. A fire, which threatened to destroy all the buildings on the farm of William J. McDougall, near Elphin, took place on Wednesday afternoon. While the flue was burning, fire started on the roof of the kitchen. D. J. Nisbet, a neighbor, noticed the

fire and at once telephoned a call All the contents with the exception of the cream separator, several trunks and a stove were saved, but the house and a small building, close

by, were completely destroyed. Owing to the high wind much difficulty was experienced in saving the barn. The roof caught fire many times but by the use of fire extin-



the Rhine; Joseph Brant; Cavalry, guishers and water, hauled up by means of a rope, it was put out before making any headway. The loss was practically covered by insurance.

A CENT FOR EACH YEAR-Some Twenty-five Dollars Was Raised This Way.

Sandhill, May 21 .- The Ladies' Aid held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Henry Johnston, on Tuesday afternoon to celebrate their fourteenth anniversary. After a short business meeting Mrs. R. E. Acton gave the ladies a short talk on the history of the Ladies' Aid. When first formed the membership was only six which has increased until now, we have forty-six members. Rev. Mr. Lancaster congratulated the ladies on their fourteenth anniversary and hoped them all sorts of good things for the years to come. Each member had a small bag in which to bring as many cents as they

were old; over twenty dollars was realized. A few minutes were spent in a flower contest given by Miss Florence Johnston, after which Mrs. Johnston served a very dainty

lunch. Everyone is glad to know that John Spence is slowly recovering after his operation. Elwood and Gordon McBrown are home for the

holidays. Rumor has it that wedding bells will be ringing soon. The children are looking forward to the S.S. picnic. A few from here attended the nurses' graduation on Friday last. The many friends of Preston Woods wish him a speedy recovery.

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