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AMUSEMENTS
What the Press Agents Say About Coming Attractions

A BIG ATTRACTION.
Julia Arthur at the Grand on Wednesday, Matinee and Night.
A more impressive play than Bernard Shaw's dramatic classic, "Saint Joan," which opens at the Grand Opera House Wednesday, April 22nd, matinee and night, will not be seen in this city during the present season.

Kingston theatregoers will have the distinction of witnessing this much-appreciated play of two continents, "Saint Joan," having been seen only in New York, where it ran all last year at the Empire and Garrick Theatres, and subsequent brief visits to Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and a few of the larger mid-western cities, from where it comes to Kingston.

"Saint Joan" was a sensation in New York, and it is still running in London, England, at the New Theatre, where it has been for the past six months, playing to capacity houses, the engagement having been twice extended. Shaw has to his credit many plays of the drama, but in his latest and greatest offering, he has achieved a dramatic triumph.

"Saint Joan" is thoroughly characteristic of its author, in its constant conflict of sense with nonsense. It is alternately serious and mirthful, historically accurate and lampoonishly inaccurate; always brilliant, if not always convincing in argument, and always entertaining in flights from exalted heights to tragedy to the depths of burlesque. It is fortunate that the story of the fine points of Shaw's exquisite conception of "Saint Joan." The lass of Domremy with her health, energy, genius, and consecration to her vision is a study in sincerity and truth.

A CAPACITY HOUSE.
Greets "The Wife of the Centaur" at Capitol.
A film production with many brilliant scenes and one which tells a most unusual love story is "Wife of the Centaur" which opened to a very enthusiastic audience at the Capitol theatre yesterday.

Taken from the novel by Cyril Hume which caused such a widespread sensation, when it was published, the story has as its theme the infidelity of man.

Three well-known leading men, three equally well-known leading women and a host of character players make up an impressive cast. John Gilbert heads the list of players as the "Centaur" and Eleanor Boardman is the wife. Aileen Pringle who became a popular screen figure in "Three Weeks" has a part equally as important as those of Mr. Gilbert and Miss Boardman. Kate Price, screen comedienne has a role in which she brings out many humorous situations. Philo McCullough and William Haines with Betty Franco and Jacqueline Gadsden all have strong roles.

"Wife of the Centaur" is really a character study of its central figure, a strange combination of poet and brute—a man in whom idealism and sensualism are always at war. The story opens with his entrance in college. A friend takes him to his home during vacation and here he meets the friend's sister, Joan, a shy innocent girl who immediately falls in love with Jeff. Some months later they meet again at a party and Joan's heart is broken when he ignores her for Inez Martin, a voluptuous sophisticated creature. His struggle between his finer self and the brute side of his nature makes one of the most interesting and powerful stories shown on a local screen. To tell more would spoil the proper enjoyment of the picture. One parting word of advice—See it!

"THE CHORUS LADY"
AT THE STRAND
One of the most entertaining and colorful photoplays seen in Kingston is "The Chorus Lady," which is being shown at the Strand Theatre to-day for the last time.
It is an adaptation of the stage play by James Forbes in which Rose Stahl scored such a decided hit on Broadway.
You will be charmed by the performance of Margaret Livingstone as Patricia O'Brien, the heroine. Her effervescence, youth, naturalness and rare beauty are indeed refreshing, and her acting is a credit to the profession.
Alan Roscoe, Lillian Elliott, Lloyd Ingraham, Philo McCullough, E. Southern and Mervyn Leroy are also in the cast.

ISSUANCE OF BEER SELLING PERMITS

To Be Decided in Ridings by Tory Members and Defeated Candidates.

Toronto, April 21.—The issuance of beer selling permits in various ridings of the province will be left, almost entirely, to Conservative members and defeated candidates. It was learned this morning. The decision of the government to adopt this measure of distribution is said to have followed lengthy consideration. It is felt that the members of the ridings know the constituencies better than anyone else and the feeling of the people as to the number of licenses that should be issued.

During the latter part of the past week and the beginning of this practically all Conservative members of the legislature have visited Premier Ferguson and laid their views before him. About twenty members were at the parliament buildings this morning in response to a letter sent to them by the premier asking them to come and state their views regarding the issuance of licenses and the framing of regulations.

A MISSIONARY DEBATE.

Is South America More in Need Than Africa.
That the Moffats, Livingstone, Dan Crawford, Stanley and Mackay have been outstanding men in carrying the gospel to Africa while those who have gone to South America are but little known was one of the many arguments the debaters of the negative side brought out when a debate on the subject, "Resolved that the need of missions in Africa is greater than in South America" took place in Bethel Christian Endeavor Society last night. The debaters, Lauretta Veale and James Lomax for the negative, claimed the very name "The Neglected Continent" was proof of its greater need of missions, and that while Columbus discovered South America in about 1500 yet America had not discovered it until the 20th century though it is a field of greatest opportunity. In the country of Colombia there are five million people with only five ordained ministers or an equal of ten ordained men to the whole of Canada.

The affirmative debaters, Mary Porter and Laura Wilson, depicted Africa as the darkest of continents with more than ninety-six millions of heathen never having come under the influence of the gospel, a continent with its inhabitants torn in superstition and paganism, and they gave many arguments to hold up the greater need of missions in Africa.

The judges, Messrs. S. A. Hitman, S. T. Lilley and J. A. Miller, after much deliberation gave the decision in favor of the negative. William Bruce, convener of the missionary committee, presided.

ROADS TOO HEAVY

For P.W.O.R. to Undertake a Street Parade.
The P.W.O.R. was to have held its first street parade of this season Monday night, but owing to the very poor condition of the roads, it was decided to postpone it till next Friday night, weather permitting.

The parade was held in the armories at the intermission Col. Sparks, C.O., presented the certificates won by the members of the battalion. The following certificates were presented: Royal School of Instruction (small arms), Ottawa, Lance-Sergt. N. Asselstine of "D" company; Lewis gun and revolver, Pte. C. W. Smith of "D" company; Royal School, St. John's, Que., Lance-Sergt. A. Chart; Provisional School, C.Q.M.S. Wainwright, "B" company; Sergt. Jackson, "B" company, and Corpl. Hallan of "C" company.

The pipe band, under the direction of Pipe Major Stuart, is doing splendidly, and the brass band is also winning great praise.

SPORT

KINGSTON IS ANGLING FOR RIGHT HAND PITCHER

Executive Feels That at Least Four Twirlers Will Be Needed—Question of Referees.
It was announced on Tuesday morning that the local executive of the Central Ontario Baseball team was prevailing upon a right-hand pitcher, who has been out of the game for about a year, to get back into the game this season. The executive feels that at least four pitchers are required.

"Teddy" Gallagher and Curran, the two left-hand pitchers, are coming along in fine style, but right-handers are needed. Young of Sydenham, who has turned out with the local squad, is looked upon as very good, considering the experience he has had, but the executive is anxious to get the fourth finger.

It will be some days before the team will be able to get out to practice, on account of the dampness of the field.

Question of Referees.

In a C.O.B.L. schedule published about a week ago, W. Benson and T. Gloster of Toronto, were on the staff of referees. It is rumored that Belleville is objecting to these two men, as they did not give satisfaction before. It has been suggested that Sullivan of Kingston, and Alex. Kay of Peterboro be put on the staff. In the C.O.B.L. before and have given complete satisfaction, and the expenses would not be so high if Sullivan and Kay were appointed, instead of Benson and Gloster.

Perth Ball Club Reorganized.

There was a fair turnout of the Perth baseball fans when the meeting of the Baseball Club was held for the election of officers. Owing to this being the year in which Old Home Week is to be held, it was emphasized that Perth should have a strong team so that they could make a good showing in the games expected will be run in connection with the celebration.

Rice Signs With Kitchener.

Knotty Lee has signed Lex Rice, the well known Kingston back-stop to play professional with Kitchener. It was thought that Rice would be with the Galt Terriers as he was there for a while this spring. Rice reported to Knotty Lee yesterday and "Mosey" Compeau and Lex Rice are two of the four Canadians signed with Kitchener.

First Rugby Game.

It was announced by Queen's Athletic Board on Tuesday morning that the first rugby game of the season would be played on Sept. 28th, when Queen's senior team will play M.A. A.A. in Montreal.

It has been arranged that all the members of the team will be back in Kingston in time to get down to hard practice in preparation for the game.

Golfers To Welcome Old Boys.

At a meeting of the Kingston Golf Club last night, it was decided by the members to allow the Kingston Old Boys, during the Old Boys' Week, to have the use of the golf course free of charge. It was also decided that a competition would be arranged for the Old Boys.

COUNCIL MAY PROVIDE "ZONE" FOR LAUNDRIES

Mayor Angrove Opposed to By-law Presented to the Council.

Mayor Thomas B. Angrove is pleased over the fact that the city council on Monday night turned down the proposed laundry by-law. He stated that he had sympathy for a person who had property next to a laundry, and who was opposed to its location, but he did not believe in driving the Chinamen out of the business under the conditions as proposed in the by-law. A laundryman might have a lease of a building for a term of five years, and then would be put out of business.

Mayor Angrove regarded the by-law as class legislation and did not regard it as workable. He also regarded it as unfair. The mayor is of the opinion that action will be taken by the council to take care of certain cases and that it is altogether likely that the council may make amendments to the present by-law to provide for a "zone" for the location of laundries.

STOCK MARKETS

(Reported by Johnston & Ward, 86 Princess street, members of the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.)

New York.
April 21st, 1.30 p.m.

Amer. Loco.	123 1/2
Amer. Can.	172 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	112
B. & O.	73 1/2
Chandler Motors	35 1/2
California Pete.	29
Cosden Oil	27
Cruible Steel	66 1/2
C.P.R.	144
General Asphalt	49 1/2
International Nickel	28 1/2
Mack Motors	145 1/2
Marland Oil	18 1/2
Kelly Springfield	17
N.Y.C.	115 1/2
Pacific Oil	55 1/2
Pan. Amer. Pete.	73 1/2
Pan. Amer. Pete. "B"	72 1/2
Pierce Petroleum	4 1/2
Royal Dutch	49 1/2
Southern Pacific	10
Southern Railway	89 1/2
Sinclair Oil	18 1/2
Shell Oil	23 1/2
Studebaker	45 1/2
Union Pacific	139 1/2
U.S. Rubber	39 1/2
U.S. Steel	115 1/2

Montreal.

April 21.—1.30 p.m.

Abitibi Power	63 1/2
Asbestos	63
Atlantic Sugar	30 1/2
Bell Telephone	135
Braslian	52 1/2
Brompton	23 1/2
British Empire Steel Com	2
British Empire Steel 1st pfd	27
Can. Converters	81
Can. Cement Com	103
Can. Cement pfd	114
Can. S. S. Com	12 1/2
Can. S. S. pfd	42 1/2
Detroit	3
Dom. Textile	71 1/2
Industrial Alcohol	17
Laurentide	80 1/2
Mackay	116
Montreal Power	178 1/2
B. C. Fishing	30 1/2
National Breweries Com	50 1/2
National Breweries pfd	101
Ogilvie	136
Ottawa Steel Products	53 1/2
Ottawa Power	103
Pennans	100
Price Bros	100
Quebec Power	38 1/2
Spanish River Com	105 1/2
Spanish River pfd	119
Shawinigan	137 1/2
Smelters	69 1/2
Steel of Canada	32
Twin City	63
Wabasso	56 1/2
Wayagamack	47

Winnipeg.

April 21.—1.30 p.m.

Winnipeg	115 1/2
Winnipeg 1st pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 2nd pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 3rd pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 4th pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 5th pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 6th pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 7th pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 8th pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 9th pfd	115 1/2
Winnipeg 10th pfd	115 1/2

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

Chicago.

Wheat	147
May	137
July	132 1/2
Sept.	132 1/2
Corn	109 1/2
May	112 1/2
July	111 1/2
Sept.	111 1/2

Oats—

May	41 1/2
July	43
Sept.	43 1/2

Winnipeg.

Wheat	154 1/2
May	151 1/2
July	150 1/2
Sept.	150 1/2
Oats	49 1/2
May	51
July	51

A COMPETITIVE LINE MIGHT AFFECT RATES

Admission Made by General Manager of the British Chamber of Shipping.

Ottawa, April 21.—That the placing of a competitive line of ships in the North Atlantic would be the "worst form of any attempt to control rates" was the declaration of M. M. Cleminson, general manager of the British Chamber of Shipping, before the special parliamentary committee on ocean rates this morning.

PRODUCE MARKETS

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.
Toronto.
Toronto, April 22.—Manitoba wheat, car load lots—No. 1 northern, bay ports, \$1.66 1-2; No. 2 northern, \$1.60 1-2; No. 3 northern, \$1.56 1-2; No. 1 wheat, \$1.48 1-2; standard re-cleaned screenings, bay ports, per ton, \$24.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 57 1-2c; No. 3 C.W., 55c; extra No. 1 feed, 54c; No. 1 feed, 51c; No. 2 feed, 47 1-2.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, per lot, \$1.37 to \$1.40; No. 3, not quoted.

Oats—Ontario No. 3, white, 43c to 45c.
Millfeed—Bran, \$26 per ton; shorts, \$28 per ton; middlings, \$33 per ton; feed flour, \$2 per bag.
Barley—Maltng, 68c to 73c.
Rye—96c to \$1.00.
Manitoba flour—First patent, \$9.25, Toronto; second patent \$8.75.

Flour—Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, \$6.60, in jute bags.
Peas—No. 1, not quoted.
Straw—Car lots, \$3.
American corn—No. 2 yellow, \$1.21, track, Toronto.

Buckwheat—No. 2, nominal.
Hay—No. 2 timothy, per ton, \$13 to \$14, track, Toronto; No. 3, \$10 to \$12; mixed, \$9 to \$11; straw, \$3; loose hay, St. Lawrence market, No. 1, \$15 to \$17 per ton; No. 2, \$13 to \$14.

Montreal.
Montreal, April 22.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, \$1.56 3-8; No. 2 \$1.50 7-8; No. 3 \$1.46 3-8 per bushel, ex-store, Fort William. Oats, No. 2 Canadian western 63 1-2c; No. 3 C.W. 58c; No. 1 feed 55c; No. 2 feed 53c per bushel in car lots, ex-store.

Winnipeg.
Winnipeg, April 21.—Wheat: 1 northern, \$1.56 3-8; 2 northern, \$1.50 7-8; 3 northern, \$1.46 3-8; No. 4, \$1.36 3-8; No. 5, \$1.30 7-8; No. 6, \$1.06 7-8; feed, 86 7-8c; track, \$1.53 7-8.
Oats: 2 C.W., 51 3-8c; 3 C.W., 46 7-8c; ex. 1 feed, 46 5-8c; 1 feed, 43 3-8c; 2 feed, 40 7-8c; rejected, 37 3-8c; track, 49 7-8c.
Barley: 3 C.W., 79 1-8c; 4 C.W., 74 1-8c; rejected, 71 7-8c; feed, 70 3-8c; track, 79 1-8c.
Flax: 1 N.W.C., \$2.23 3-4; 2 C.W., \$2.29 1-4; 3 C.W., \$2.32 3-4; rejected, \$2.23 3-4; track, \$2.32 3-4.
Rye: 2 C.W., \$1.08 1-2.

TO HONOR GEN. MACDONELL.

On His Retirement as Commander of the R.M.C.
St. Andrew's Society is arranging a splendid farewell for its beloved and justly popular president, Major-General Sir A. C. Macdonell, who will be leaving at the end of June. One meeting has already been held to discuss the matter and another meeting on Thursday will outline the final arrangements. It is expected that the affair will take the form of a big dance at Grant Hall, joined in by the Kiwanis and other local societies. The event will be held towards the end of May or early in June. The Glangarry Highlanders will come up in force and feather to honor their general, and the one-step will be varied with the highland fling. The gentlemen cadets will also arrange a show for the enjoyment of the visitors. Everything will be done to make the affair well worthy of the gallant general, if that is possible.

14,400 Bottles of Beer Is Seized at Trenton

Belleville, April 21.—Twelve hundred dozen (14,400) bottles of Frontenac beer were seized early to-day at Trenton by Provincial Inspector Gunnert and License Inspector Nappert. The shipment was from Frontenac Breweries, Montreal, consigned to Trenton. It was sent forward to Toronto to-day to await disposition.
C. A. Devlin, sporting editor of the Whig, underwent a slight operation at the Hotel Dieu Hospital on Tuesday morning. He expects to be around again in a few days.
Mr. Swaine, piano tuner. Orders received at 100 Clergy street west, phone 566w.