

"INTRODUCE ME" IMPERIAL TONIGHT

DOUGLAS MACLEAN LATEST PICTURE, IT'S A STREAK OF LAUGHING LIGHTNING—HARDLY TIME TO GET YOUR BREATH

Jimmy Hughes and friend, Herbert were off on a sight-seeing tour of France. But in the railway station at Paris, Jimmy saw Betty, the prettiest girl he had ever seen in his life. Herbert offered to get an introduction to her by hook or crook and then present Jimmy.

Herbert got the introduction all right—but Jimmy did not. The once-loyal Herbert double-crossed poor Jimmy and left him stranded there in the station while he accompanied his new friends to Switzerland—for all is fair in love.

In his frantic struggles to make the Swiss train, Jimmy was mistaken for Roberts, America's great mountain climber bound for Switzerland to enter the international mountain climbing contest.

When he reached the Alps Jimmy Hughes got the biggest ovation of his life and he had to live up to his part, too, because Betty just loved mountain climbers. But just then the real Roberts arrived.

"You wanted to be a real climber," said Roberts to Jimmy, "now go ahead and be one. You climb that mountain tomorrow or I'll make you tell them you stole my railway ticket and my name. You'll tell the little lady, too."

So poor Jimmy scaled the peak. He climbed for Betty—and for America. He never would have reached the top, only a man-eating bear chased him. It's the funniest climb ever put in a picture. Dangling over nothingness at the end of a rope, leaping bottomless chasms, poising on pinnacles of rock. And the coming down part of it tops the whole show. His foot slipped and he went whirling down a snowbank, rolled himself accidentally into a giant snowball and went crashing over the cliffs, splintering trees like matches in the maddest, funniest, most exhilarating finish ever screened.

And the grand climax of all—but we won't tell that—it's too good to spill. You must see the picture!

The above attraction will also be repeated Saturday matinee, starting at 3 o'clock, and two shows Saturday evening, starting at 7.30 and 9.

SCORES ON THE MINIATURE RIFLE RANGE

The following are the results for team shoots for the week on the miniature rifle range. The five highest on the winning team for the month each receive a silver spoon and totals below show the total of the highest five. The five highest scores on each team are counted.

J. T. Prescott, Capt., 97 96 193
S. B. Perkins, 97 95 192
H. Willes, 96 96 192
R. Proctor, 94 94 188
B. Matthews, 96 91 187—952
E. Lounsbury, 83 93 176

F. A. Ellison, Capt., 98 95 193
Jas. Robinson, 99 93 192
H. N. Jonah, 96 93 189
J. Ferguson, 95 87 182
J. J. Jackson, 86 89 175—931

G. W. Jones, Capt., 92 98 190
Glas White, 97 96 193
A. Bolton, 93 89 182
A. J. D. Perkins, 93 88 181
J. D. Perkins, 88 84 172—918

I. C. Bunnell, Capt., 99 95 194
John Morrell, 99 95 194
Jack Prescott, 97 96 193
Wm. Keith, 95 84 179
Louis McKenna, 83 79 162—922

Col. Kinnear, Capt., 99 97 196
K. Prescott, 99 97 196
L. A. Miller, 93 90 183
M. A. McKenna, 83 89 172
A. Kelso, 80 83 163—910
L. J. Gay, 77 73 150

F. Lewis, Capt., 97 94 191
H. G. Kirk, 96 98 194
J. H. Kirk, 94 90 184
Bev Proctor, 93 89 182
J. M. Barton, 87 77 164—915
E. M. MacRae, 80 81 161
Heber Cripps, 82 78 160

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING OF SUSSEX UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual business meeting of the Sussex United Baptist church was held in the church vestry Wednesday, Jan. 20, at 8 p.m. Reports from the various committees and branches of church activities showed that the church under the faithful leadership of the pastor, Rev. D. J. McPherson, had enjoyed a very successful and prosperous year, both financial and spiritually. A large number were received into membership of the church by baptism, in addition to those received by letter.

The financial year showed a large increase over 1924. The church entered upon the year 1925 with a considerable overdraft, but with the faithful efforts of the finance committee, coupled with the untiring work of the pastor, all of the financial obligations for the year have been met, and the overdraft taken care of.

Judging from the optimistic spirit that prevailed in the meeting and the enthusiasm of the large number present, everything points to the year 1926 being one of the best year in the history of the church.

IMPERIAL'S FUN FROM THE PRESS

THE DOCTOR KNEW

A friend went to the undertaker to order a coffin for Pat Connell. "Dear me," said the undertaker, "is poor Pat dead?" "No, he's not dead yet," the friend answered; "but he'll die tonight, for the doctor says he can't live till morning, and he knows what he gave him."

WHAT'S AT THE IMPERIAL TONIGHT?

ANXIETY FELT FOR SUSSEX PASSENGERS

SERIOUS ACCIDENT ON THE C.N. R. AT CALHOUN'S MILLS, AND TWENTY EIGHT PERSONS MORE OR LESS INJURED

Twenty-eight persons were injured, three quite seriously, but not considered dangerous so, when the east bound Ocean Limited which left Moncton at 5.15 p.m. on Saturday evening, left the rails at Calhoun's Mills, four miles east of Moncton. Six cars comprising the postal car, baggage and mail car, the express car, and two first class cars, left the rails and slid down the embankment on their sides. The cars were not badly broken up.

Much anxiety was felt in Sussex when the news of the accident became circulated, and it was known that Mrs. C. H. Perry was a passenger on that train, enroute to Sackville to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McIntyre, as was also Mr. Harry Champ, of Galt, Ontario, who had been in Sussex visiting relatives, and left on the afternoon express for Truro, N. S., to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dryden. Mr. Champ will be remembered by many as being foreman of the machine shop of the Sussex Manufacturing Co. during the time of the Hon. Manning Doherty's term as manager of that concern. He married Miss Gertrude Dryden, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd Dryden.

Very little news of the wreck was obtainable and the fate of these passengers aroused considerable anxiety amongst their friends and relatives. C. T. Perry took the evening train for the scene of the disaster, but could not get any farther than Moncton. He had his mind eased, however, by learning that the car in which his mother was seated had not left the track and that she was uninjured. It is also thought that Mr. Champ was in the same car as Mrs. Perry.

Friends here were much relieved when the word came through by phone of the safety of the Sussex passengers. Automobiles owned in the city are valued at nearly \$1,500,000, according to figures furnished this morning by S. E. Forbes, city assessor. There were about 1500 of them.

Their value, when compared with other properties in the city is more striking when it is realized that real estate is valued at \$5,695,000, and buildings at \$9,857,000, part of which are exempted from taxation.

Personal property, in which classification automobiles are placed, totals \$2,416,000, showing that the machines make up considerably more than half of it. Other property in this classification, includes fixtures in stores, stocks in stores, and other items.

Mr. Forbes said that taxes on automobiles presented one of the greatest difficulties confronting the department. There were so many exchanges and sales that it was somewhat hard at times to keep track of them, but provided the taxes have not been paid previously, that man who owns the car when they become due and collectable must foot the bill.

Cases of evasion, while not numerous, reveal considerable ingenuity. One of the most common stunts is to have the car registered in one of the outlying districts and to have the license plates sent there to be called for. As a result, lists of car owners in other towns, supplied by the provincial government, are made out and compared.

SUSSEX HIGH TAKES LEAD IN LEAGUE

Sussex High took the lead in the Kings County School League, by defeating Rothesay Collegiate in Sussex on Tuesday, by the score of 6-2, while Norton was beating Rothesay Consolidated at Norton by the score 5-2.

The game at Sussex was fast from start to finish, Sussex generally having the edge. Sussex started off well and four minutes after the start Kennedy beat Mason with a nice shot.

Half a minute later he duplicated this. McDonald then went through and slipped an easy one past the visiting goalie. Guthrie scored the first goal for the losers, when he beat Wilson three minutes after McDonald's tally. Four minutes later Prescott put Sussex three up. This ended the scoring for the period.

The second period was the best of the three, both goal keepers making good stops. After several minutes Montgomery, the visiting centre, scored the only goal of the period, scored teams were working well but could not put one past the goalies.

McDonald took the puck from the face-off in the third period and scored. Ten minutes later McDonald scored the last goal of the game from a difficult angle. Rothesay was trying hard and gave Wilson a busy time, but he was unbeatable.

John Friars refereed. The lineups were:—

Rothesay Goal Wilson
Mason Defence
Golding Freeze
Hickman G. Bolton
Centre
Montgomery McDonald
Wings

Guthrie Odell
Currie Kennedy
Hibbard Substitutes
Rennie Prescott
Seaton D. Bolton
Kelso

At Norton the locals tied Rothesay Consolidated for second place, by winning from Rothesay Consolidated 5-2. Saturday Norton defeated Rothesay Consolidated 9-2 at Rothesay, while Hampton failed to show up for their game with Rothesay Consolidated.

The league standing:—

Sussex 3 0 6
Norton 2 1 4
Rothesay Consolidated 2 1 4
Rothesay Collegiate 2 0 2
Hampton 0 3 0

SUSSEX AMATEURS SCORE A SUCCESS

SPARKLING COMEDY "MR. BOB" PRESENTED AT THE IMPERIAL UNDER DIRECTION OF DESIRE J. BOURQUE—PROCEEDS FOR WAR MEMORIAL FUND

Sussex amateurs scored a decided hit in the presentation of the sparkling comedy "Mr. Bob" at the Imperial Theatre on Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week and matinee on Monday afternoon, under the direction of Mr. Desire Bourque, of Moncton.

"Mr. Bob" is a clean comedy, full of action, catchy dialogues and comical situations of the most mirth-provoking nature.

The cast of characters was as follows: Rebecca Luke, a maiden lady—Miss Mildred Ross
Katherine Rogers, her niece—Mrs. Gordon Keirstead
Marion Bryant, Katherine's friend—Miss Kay Prescott
Patty, Miss Rebecca's maid—Miss Mary Savage

Robert Brown, clerk for Benson & Benson, Barristers—E. McInerney
Jenkins, Miss Rebecca's butler—William Keith
Philip Royson, Medical Student and Sportsman—Deside J. Bourque

Act I—Breakfast room at Miss Luke's Summer Home. Morning.
Act II—The Same. Afternoon.

The play was capital staged, and some attractive scenery was used. One bit of property work and scenery that was particularly effective was used in the second act, showing the boat race in the background of the setting, and miniature yachts with all sails set crossing the scene in an exciting race.

All the members of the cast acquitted themselves in a most creditable manner and are deserving of great praise on the success of their efforts.

Miss Mildred Ross, as Aunt Becky, who was very fond of cats, played her part admirably, as also did Mrs. Gordon Keirstead as her niece, Miss Kay Prescott, as Marion Bryant, Katherine's friend, who was nicknamed "Bob", interpreted her part in a manner that came in for much approval.

Miss Mary Savage, as the maid, and Billy Keith, the butler, were a scream, and acted their parts in a manner worthy of professionals.

Edward McInerney, in the part of Robert Brown, got in some terrible mixups. He played his role in excellent style and made a hit with the audience.

The part of Philip Royson, medical student and sportsman, was taken by Desire J. Bourque, who acted his part in his usual finished manner.

Mr. Bourque's rich baritone voice was heard to good effect in "Bells of the Sea," "Sunrise and You," "Song of Songs," and in the well deserved encore demanded after each song.

Between the acts Miss Marguerite Baird rendered a violin solo, which was much appreciated, and was obliged to respond to a hearty encore. She was accompanied on the piano by her sister, Miss Evelyn Baird.

There was a large and good sized audience on Monday evening and Tuesday evening. The matinee also was well attended.

The performance of "Mr. Bob" was a most creditable one from every viewpoint and the talented amateurs who made the presentation, with Mr. Bourque the director, are to be congratulated on the success of their efforts.

The proceeds will go to the War Memorial Fund.

NORTON

Jan. 27—Norton carnival was held on the Arctic Rink Monday night last. Many in costume, and others, attended the carnival.

The Norton C.G.I.T. girls are going to spend this week end in St. John at the homes of the St. John group.

The regular C.G.I.T. meeting was held at the home of Dora McCready Tuesday evening last.

The pupils of Mr. March's room, of the Norton Superior school, had a half holiday Thursday afternoon, as he attended the races.

Norton High School played hockey with the Rothesay team Tuesday afternoon. The score was 5-2 in favor of Norton.

Norton High School boys played hockey with the Rothesay College boys in Rothesay on Saturday. Norton won by the score 9-3.

On Wednesday afternoon women of the new English Church held a supper in the temperance hall, proceeds for the young ladies home in Moncton.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Helen McLaughlin, which occurred here on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McLaughlin, daughter Tressa, and Mary McLaughlin moved to Torryburn on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Given, daughters Beatrice and Agnes, have moved to St. John.

Miss Janie Campbell is spending some time with her friend, Miss M. Brown.

Dr. A. L. Treffory, Mrs. Treffory and daughter Phoebe spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Mable McCready.

Miss Dorothy Ryan spent the week end in Apohaqui guest of her friend, Miss Marjorie Little.

Miss Ruth Harmer, teacher at Mt. A. College, is home ill with a cold.

M. Morrison, accountant in the Provincial bank, has been transferred to St. John.

Rev. Father O'Brien is spending a few days in St. John.

Mrs. H. Pelletier, of Moncton, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Reid.

Many from Norton will attend the carnival in Sussex on Friday night.

We are all glad to hear that little Gordon Harmer is well again, after his illness.

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