

Daughters of the Empire BENEFIT

Gaiety Theatre

Thursday Evening, August 16th.

Through the kindness of the Management of the Gaiety Theatre and the Canadian Universal Film Company, we will present ELLA HALL as

A JEWEL IN PAWN

The Latest Bluebird Photoplay.

Music by the Ladies' Orchestra. Home-made Candy for sale.

Entire proceeds for the work of the Central Committee, under the I. O. D. E., for our Soldiers in the Field and Hospital.

To Contractors

Re plumbing and heating of St. John County Hospital.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received at the office of the Works Branch, M. H. C. Discharge Depot, Bank of Montreal, St. John, until 5 p. m., 20th inst., for the Plumbing and Heating Works required for the additions to St. John County Hospital, St. John, N. B. Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the above address. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

CAPT. W. L. SYMONS, C. E. i. c. Works, M. H. C., Ottawa.

Knowledge may be power, but it's seldom powerful enough to move a stubborn man.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

The Assessment Roll of the City of Fredericton, for the year 1917, is now in the hands of the City Treasurer for collection, and all persons herein assessed are hereby required to pay the amount of their respective taxes forthwith to the City Treasurer, at his office in the City Hall, Fredericton.

A discount of 5 per cent. will be allowed on all taxes paid in on or before Tuesday, August 21st next after which execution may be issued and proceedings had thereon as by law provided.

Interest at the rate of one half of one per cent. per month, will be charged on all taxes unpaid after August 21st, 1917.

G. R. PERKINS,
City Treasurer.

HENDERSON EXPLAINED

New York, Aug. 14. — A special despatch to the New York World from London this morning says: "A crowded house keyed up to a high pitch of excitement listened to Arthur Henderson yesterday afternoon, speaking in defense of his position in regard to the Stockholm conference. At the close of the speech many members shared the opinion expressed by Prime Minister Lloyd George, that three-quarters of Mr. Henderson's peroration was irrelevant, as he failed to point out why he did not clearly inform the the labor conference of Kerensky's opposition to the Stockholm conference."

Mr. Henderson acknowledged that he stated to the conference that the modification of the Russian attitude did not give the clean-cut answer which even his adherents hoped could and would stop his interrogation on that score.

His postponing, because of the national interest, the full story of the cabinet misunderstanding aroused curiosity but did not strengthen his position.

HOOF PRINTS.

Koroni, 2,09½.
Ima Jay, 2,05½.
The Weed, 2,04½.
Butt Hale, 2,03½.
The Toddler, 2,09½.
Early Dreams, 2,04½.
Marjorie Kay, 2,07½.
Busy's Lassie, 2,04½.
Sweet Aubrey, 2,09½.
Peter Pointer, 2,04½.
Wilkes Brewer, 2,07½.
Robert Gatewood, 2,08½.
Koroni has won 30 races.
Wilkes Brewer finally landed.
Geers has marked 48 2.10 trotters.
They caught Binworth at Monroe.
Busy's Lassie got hers at Columbus.
The Harvester, 2,01, weighs 1,200 pounds.

Murphy has sent Harvest Lad, 2.20, home.

The Grand Circuit horses have hit their stride.

Every county of Michigan is soon to have a volunteer woman shop inspector or to look after the welfare and interests of the women workers.

MORE RIOTING AT SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 14. — The entire Ninth Regt., National Guard, is on duty this morning as the result of rioting which broke out shortly before midnight last night when sympathizers of the street railway employees who are on strike began to attack the cars. The troops were called out when it became apparent that the police and sheriff would not be able to maintain order, and after strike sympathizers had gathered in a park across from the car barns, with the avowed intention of attacking the barns and getting the strike breakers.

The mob captured a street car after firing shots at it, broke all the windows, turned on the current and sent the car down the track.

On a turn a block from the barns the car leaped the track and crashed into the curbing.

The learned man has a fortune that he can't be buncoed out of.

'Farm Laborers' Excursion

MONDAY, AUGUST 27th.

Canadian Pacific Ry.

—from—
FREDERICTON to WINNIPEG
For Twelve Dollars.

Train leaves 6 p. m.
Tickets for sale by F. B. EDGE-COMBE, Queen Street.

An Election.

An election will be held in Fredericton tomorrow to decide whether or not we shall have real prohibition under the Prohibition Act of 1916, or semi-prohibition continued under the Scott Act. In former days when the liquor people were endeavoring to repeal the Scott Act in order to bring the City under the license law, they were wont to declare that under the Scott Act more liquor was sold and drunk than there would be under a license law. No doubt a great deal of liquor was sold under the Scott Act and the liquor people know just how much was sold. It is because it was possible for law breakers to evade the penalty of their misdoing to such an extent under the Scott Act that the advocates of prohibition want the new law introduced.

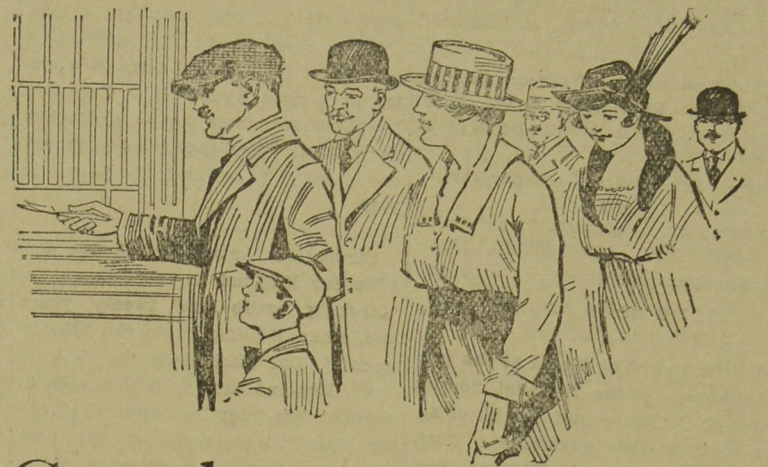
There now remains little to be done but to cast your ballot tomorrow. It will be for YOU, elector, to decide whether you will vote to prohibit the sale of the stuff in Fredericton, or whether you will vote to make it possible for men and boys easily to obtain the drink that intoxicates and debases them and blights their manhood.

It will be for YOU to think carefully what you should do. Will you be indifferent and remain away from the voting station tomorrow and let the first opportunity you ever had to vote for prohibition go by without your having taken advantage of your golden opportunity to cast your ballot in favor of it, on the side of RIGHT? Or will you decide that you will do all you can to make this City a clean and safe place for the returned soldier boys; a safe and clean city for the boys and girls; for the families of the weak men who have not the strength of mind and will to withstand the appetite for strong drink, and for the sake of the men themselves.

The issue is now before you. Seldom if ever have you had such a momentous question to decide. Think well what will do in the matter.

The ballot is a secret one. Vote on the red line. Mark your cross with a black pencil opposite the words "Against the Act," which are printed in red ink on the ballot.

DOMINION TEMPERANCE
ALLIANCE.



Canada needs what You can Save!

"What we have got to do is not only to produce, but to save!"

Sir George Foster,
Minister of Trade and Commerce.

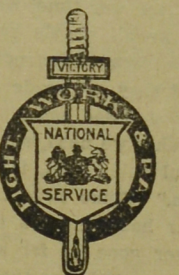
THE part which Canada is proud to play in the Empire's war is costing more than we ever dreamed we could raise. If we are to make good financially, all must help!

If every man, woman, and child in Canada would save 15c. a day, and invest it in War Savings Certificates, we could carry the cost of the War.

War Savings Certificates make it easy for everyone to become Canada's partner—bearing a share of the burden—earning, and receiving, a share of the reward.

For every \$21.50 you lend the nation now, you will receive \$25 at the end of three years—an interest return of over 5%. Certificates are issued in denominations of \$25, \$50 and \$100, selling at \$21.50, \$43 and \$86 respectively, at any Bank or Money Order Post Office.

THE NATIONAL SERVICE BOARD OF CANADA,
OTTAWA.



GOOD LEADERS AND GUTTER WORK

WILL SAVE THE HOUSE OWNER MUCH DISCOMFORT AND A LOT OF EXPENSE.

If your leaders and gutters are not in good condition, better have us look them over at once. We will either repair or replace them at a moderate cost.

D. J. SHEA & SON

Carleton Street.

'Phone 563

Imperial Beef, Iron and Wine

When you are tired, fatigued or over-nervous, IMPERIAL BEEF IRON AND WINE is the best tonic. It will quiet your nerves, strengthen you physically and give you the vivacity that is perfect health. IMPERIAL BEEF, IRON AND WINE is a nerve food and a body builder. There is nothing just as good.

C. Fred Chestnut -
572 QUEEN STREET.

The Quality
Drug Store

Cook's Cotton Root Compound.

A safe, reliable, rejuvenating medicine. Sold in three degrees of strength—No. 1, \$1; No. 2, \$3; No. 3, \$5 per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Free pamphlet. Address: THE COOK MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Windsor.)

Old False Teeth

Bought in any condition. \$1.00 per set or seven cents per tooth. Cash by return mail. R. A. Copeman, 2579a Esplanade Avenue, Montreal, P. Q.



THE ROAD TO THE RIGHT.

YOU'VE met at least one of those few good old souls, who are constantly getting the worst of it when shopping, who don't believe in advertising. A hundred disappointing and instructive experiences have failed to teach him their plain lesson.

When he bought his first watch he was beguiled into buying one without a known name or a trustworthy guarantee. That watch—a poor timekeeper—cost him dearly by reason of missed appointments and missed trains, and for frequent repairs. Yet he paid the price of a good watch.

It is the same story with regard to his underwear, his shoes, and his fountain pen.

This good old soul's case is not unique. Many of us, if the truth be confessed, resemble him; we allow ourselves to be sold merchandise with an unknown brand or trade mark instead of buying merchandise which is well known to us through the medium of advertising. In slang language, we get "stung" pretty often.

In most of these cases we have ourselves to blame, for "the road to the right" thing to buy has been made plain by advertising.

There is no good reason for passing by the known thing, soundly guaranteed, to buy a dubious article, which, quality for quality, cannot be cheaper than the known, branded article.

If you are doing a local business talk over your advertising problems with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

If you are doing a provincial or national business it would be well for you to have the counsel and assistance of a good advertising agency. A list of these will be furnished, without cost or obligation, by the Secretary of Canadian Press Association, Room 50 Lumsden Building, Toronto.

"It is better
to be sure
than sorry."

It Fits the Pocket The New 2c Kodak Jr. Pictures 2 7-8 by 4 7-8.

A thin, slim camera for pictures of the somewhat elongated post-card size—but just a trifle smaller—it fits the pocket.

Accurate and reliable, simple in operation, it meets every requirement in hand camera photography. Autographic, of course—all the folding Kodaks now are.

PRICE \$12.00.

The McMurray Book & Stat'y Co., Ltd.