

# FREDERICTON CHAUTAUQUA

## August 5 - 11

### Big Lecturers, Musical Companies, Plays and Opera.

#### PROGRAM

##### First Day

CONCERT..... McKINNIE OPERATIC CO.  
LECTURE—Peter MacQueen.....  
..... "THE GREAT WORLD WAR"

##### Second Day

CONCERT..... THE REVUE CO.  
LECTURE—Dr. P. Marion Simms.. "THE CALF PATH"

##### Third Day.

CONCERT.... THE "OLD HOMESTEAD" QUARTET  
DRAMA..... "THE OLD HOMESTEAD"  
By Denman Thompson, the Great American play.

##### Fourth Day

CONCERT..... THE HERSHEY-WISHMAN CO.  
LECTURE—Dr. A. D. Harmon.....  
..... "THE NECESSITY OF A NECESSITY"  
LECTURE—Dr. Frederick Coan.....  
..... "THE TRAGEDY OF ARMENIA AND SYRIA"

##### Fifth Day

Afternoon—CONCERT... BROOKS MUSICAL CLUB  
Evening—OPERA..... "ROBIN HOOD"  
Best American Opera with a cast of about 35 people.

##### Sixth Day

2.30—PAGEANT..... "LIBERTY'S TORCH"  
Presented by the Junior Chautauqua.  
CONCERT..... PIETRO MORDELIA CO.  
Evening—LECTURE—Frank Dixon.....  
..... "DEMOCRACY AT WAR"  
One of the foremost lecturers of America.

## HARDEN'S SLAM AT KAISERISM IS AMAZING

London, July 16—A despatch to the Chronical from Amsterdam says: "Seldom has Maximilian Harden laid about him with such cutting and widely distributed blows as he does in the Zukunft this week-end. From the talkative bellicose Kaiser to the dismissed Kuehlmann, all come under the stroke of his sword. It is a pogrom against Potsdam and all it stands for. It is a telling and daring onslaught on the German Government and its policy.

"He begins by quoting from the first French yellow book to show how in 1913 the war feeling was rising in Germany, and then he says: 'We have done everything to make it easy for the French and British to show that every impression of 1913 is a reality in 1918.

"Indeed until the days of middle June, only one thing was wanting to prove that the Kaiser regarded war as inevitable and desired something like world-rule. His speech delivered on the thirtieth anniversary of his ascension at length filled the gap.

"Five continents now see in the German Kaiser a man who is determined to carry out the Pan-German program. Important will be the effect on Austria-Hungary's Parliaments, which will not long be silent and on our other allies, who, in more cautious voices will protest against the idea that they are fighting for the triumph of the Prussian-German conception of the world."

"Having admitted that no President or Government of the United States could have acted otherwise than by declaring war when unrestricted U-boat war was introduced, he goes on to deal with the marvellous spectacle of England, the United States and France, once enemies, now standing shoulder to shoulder and celebrating July 4 together.

"Could Austria's ruling house, he asks, celebrate in closest harmony with Prussians, July 22, when in 1742 Silesia was taken from Austria? People who in freedom choose the way of their destiny can always reach friendship. Because the dynasty of Hanover at Windsor does not indulge in incendiarism and needs no fester in the blood of the body politic, the wound of 1776 is fully healed."

## FEED SCARCE IN THE WEST

Ottawa, July 20.—In view of the very serious situation developing in Alberta and Saskatchewan, so far as feed for live stock is concerned, particularly for next winter, an order-in-council has been passed prohibiting the burning of all straw stacks remaining over from last year in the three prairie provinces. This action is taken under the war measures act.

## QUAINT LITTLE CHARM EVOLVED BY THE FRENCH

### Nenette and Rintintin, Inseparable Companions, Bring Safety to the Possessor When Given by Loyal Friend

(New York Sun)

Have you heard of Nenette and Rintintin? In the hearts of the French these "twin amulets" so named are what the "broken hand of Fatima" was to Kismet, what the Blue Bird was to Mytil and Tytyl and what the "Good Fairy" is to many American homes.

Nenette and Rintintin are today the most popular little persons in Paris. They are known as the symbols of guidance and protection, the protecting guardians of the French against the dangers of war.

So great has been the favor of Nenette and Rintintin in France that their popularity has spread to other allied countries and already the "lucky twins" have made their appearance on this side. Those who are acquainted with Nenette and Rintintin and truly conscious of their mission have already begun sending the little amulet to their soldier sweethearts, sons or brothers "over there." Many khaki clad youths will soon start on that journey of conquest armed with the protecting genius of Nenette and Rintintin, which so well bears out the innermost sentiments of the sender's heart.

#### Must be Gift From Friend

But first of all the lucky charm of Nenette and Rintintin must be a gift for if one buys them for personal use their value and meaning are reversed and they become a "hoodoo" rather than a charm. In the second place they must be made by and be the gift of a girl or woman.

The residents of Paris wear Nenette and her double around their necks and in their pockets. Even the faithful horse in the streets is frequently adorned with the twin charms. For no one doubts the influence of Nenette and Rintintin any more than does any one question the amulets origin. They have come, no one asks whence, to extend a protecting guidance from the long range gun of the Hun and the merciless bomb of the Gotha.

One of the first to possess the amulet in America and probably the first

to introduce it before the public is Miss Corinna Griffith, the motion picture actress. Miss Griffith was sent the magic talisman by a French soldier. She accepted it with his wish that she should be spared all harm and suffering that the woman of France and Belgium have undergone.

Nenette and Rintintin are described as follows: Nenette is a droll little woman with a funny red face, green waist and scarlet skirt. Rintintin has the same penchant for colors, but wears trousers. Both are an inch or two high, and are made of a few scraps of wool and silk thread. They are inseparable, a bit of colored worsted binding them together. Women wear them around their necks. Most men carry them in their pockets.

#### ZEPPELIN DESTROYED

Amsterdam, July 19—A zeppelin fell in flames at the German frontier near Dalheim on Monday evening, the Rotterdamsche Courant announces today.

### DONATIONS TO THE S. P. C. FUND

Miss Peanette Beverly, secretary-treasurer of the Fredericton Society for the Prevention of Cruelty, beg to acknowledge receipt of the following subscriptions for the current year:

Mrs. Blanche Hartt \$1, Mrs. J. H. Brooks \$2, Mrs. L. C. Macnutt \$5, Mrs. C. F. Deacon \$1, Miss Isabel Covert \$1, Mrs. W. S. Carter \$1, Mrs. P. M. Macdonald \$1, J. F. McMurray \$1, L. C. Macnutt \$5, W. Millican \$1, Mrs. C. W. Hall \$1, J. H. Flemming \$1, Mrs. Frank I. Morrison \$1, Ivan McKnight \$1, Mrs. Thos. Harrison \$1, Mrs. G. W. Hodge \$1, Hamilton Kitchen \$5, Miss Greta Macnutt \$1, Dr. W. H. Steeves \$1, R. B. Vandine \$1, Ald. Jos. Walker \$1, J. W. Spurdin \$1, Mrs. F. W. Copp, Newcastle, \$1; Mrs. Percy Chestnut \$1, Miss Jeanette Beverly \$1; Rev. J. S. Sutherland \$1.

#### POETICALLY SPEAKING

"That boy of mine is named class poet."  
"Cheer up, old man, he may outgrow it."

#### JUST GIRLS

With eyes a-gleam she says she'll scream,  
But still I notice this:  
They never seem to really scream  
Until you have the kiss.

## FRENCH TROOPS STILL PUSHING ENEMY BACK

London, July 19—According to advices received here today the French are again advancing and it is probable that the Germans will have to make a big readjustment in their own line unless they can immediately throw back the French.

Paris, July 19—The Germans were without doubt taken by surprise on Thursday writes the military correspondent of the Temps by the attack of the soldiers of Generals Mangin and DeGoutt and the American troops who realized in their first blow an important advance and captured more than 10,000 prisoners and much material.

The Germans, however, have disposed of the quadrilateral of Soissons Chateau-Thierry Dormons and Rheims reserves estimated at some twenty divisions and it has been possible for them to bring rapid support to their first line troops which are beating a retreat. The writer adds: "We have not yet the right to shout victory but our first days offensive has distinctly received in our favor. The enemy has been obliged to engage the greater part of our reserves which he had immediately on hand. Consequently he has been compelled to relax his efforts in the region where he began his offensive on July 15.

## DEGREES IN COMMERCE

London, July 19.—With the endorsement of Arthur J. Balfour, the Foreign Secretary, a campaign is under way to have London University institute the study of and degrees in commerce. At a meeting last night at which Mr. Balfour was the chief speaker, the scheme was warmly endorsed and a committee was appointed to raise funds to further the campaign.

## BLONDIN BECOMES A SENATOR

Ottawa, July 21—Hon. P. E. Blondin former member for Champlain, has been appointed to the senate for the Laurentide division of Quebec in succession to the late Senator Shehyn. Thus will Mr. Blondin fulfill the condition that a member of the cabinet must have a seat in one or the other of the assemblies of parliament. The new senator is postmaster-general in the government and is now in charge of the department after more than a year's absence overseas.

Many of the departments of government have in past days been presided over by members of the red chamber.

A poet tried to join the marine corps, so the story goes. He entered the recruiting office, and said:

"My country calls,  
I wish to fight.  
Tell me, kind sirs,  
Am I in right?  
I want to fight  
And clear the sea,

And make it safe  
for democracy."

He went through the physical test room and when he came out they handed him a slip:

"If you want to fight, there's one solution.

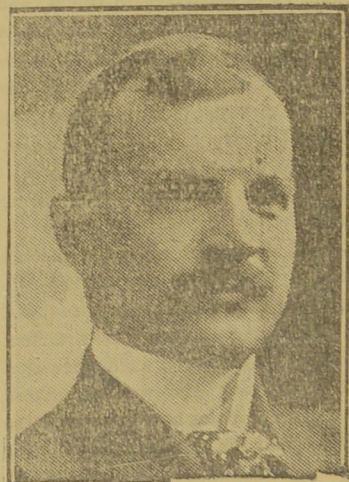
Please go and get a constitution.  
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HON. P. E. BLONDIN.

In fact the position of premier itself has been held twice by senators, once in the case of Sir John Abbott and again in the case of Sir Mackenzie Bowell.

Since 1911 the senate has had little representation in the cabinet. However, Sir James Loughheed, leader of the government in the senate, is now minister of civil re-establishment, and Senator Gideon Robertson is a minister without portfolio and may become minister of labor.

Senator Blondin is the only French-Canadian in the cabinet. He was defeated in the constituencies of Laurier-Outremont and Champlain on December 17 last, being nominated in his absence overseas.

#### GOOD OLD DAYS

"I should like a porterhouse steak with mushrooms," said the stranger, "some delicately browned toast with plenty of butter—"

"Scuse me, suh," interrupted the waiter, "Is you tryin' to give an order or is you reminiscin' 'bout old times?"