

AT THE STRAND

TONIGHT—7 AND 8.45.—TONIGHT

Hide You From the Police? "Well I'll Take a Sporting Chance!"

ETHEL CLAYTON

—IN—



ETHEL CLAYTON in "A Sporting Chance"

"A SPORTING CHANCE"

She knew that she took a chance of going to jail herself if she heeded his request, but something in his eyes reached her ears and—She yielded! There and then began the strangest romance the screen has ever seen. Sober and common thief. And with the blink of an eye comes a burst of fate that is startling—and not to be missed!

GLASGOW TO
EDINBURGH

CARTOONS

—by—
Capt. Bairnsfather.

"Pa, what is meant by the word 'cute'?"
"Let me see, son," replied Mr. Grumpson, "to think up a definition for you, you how little I think of you!"
"Yes, pa."
"Ah! I see. 'Cute' is the way brainless folks describe the performance of an individual who has been taught to do the 'shifty' by its equally brainless parents."

Internally and externally it is good—The crowning property of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is that it can be used internally for many complaints as well as externally. For sore throat, croup, whooping cough, pains in the chest, colic and many kindred ailments it has curative qualities that are unsurpassed. A bottle of it costs little and there is no loss in always having it at hand.

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

XMAS CIGARS in boxes of 10 and 25. Lambros Bros. 3057-12-16M31.

MRS. DR. G. T. ALLEY, 62 Prince St. will be at home, Friday Dec. 19th, from 3 till 6. 3693.

IT IS NOT TOO LATE to have your photo taken for Christmas at the Cook Studio.

LET US SHOW YOU our Christmas chocolates in packages. They're wonderful. Foster's Drugstore. 3045-12-16M31.

MISSIONARY SERVICES.—Owing to the wet weather on Sunday the missionary services at Marie were postponed till 28th Dec. at 11 a. m.

FOR THAT CHRISTMAS PRESENT get a water color painting. Always appreciated and in good taste. Large selection at The Lennox. 3018-12-15-M31.

POST OFFICE WICKETS.—Commencing Wednesday, 17th inst, the Post Office wickets will be open till 9 o'clock in the evening until after Christmas.

BACK FROM RUSSIA.—Sergeant Major Paul, who left Charlottetown several months ago for Russia has returned from that country, and is registered at the Revere.

HON. MACKENZIE KING COMING.—Mr. A. B. Warburton, K.C., has received word that Hon. W. L. Mackenzie-King, Liberal Leader, is planning to visit Charlottetown and address a meeting here about the second week in January.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.—Advertisers are respectfully reminded that copy and instructions must be in the Guardian Office not later than twelve noon each day except Saturday, when the latest hour for changes or new copy is 10 a. m. dtt.

THE LOCAL MARKET.—There was a very good market yesterday, with poultry as the predominating feature. Geese were selling from \$3.50 to \$5.00 each, ducks from \$1.50 to \$2.50, fowl from \$1.00 to \$1.75, butter 60 cents and eggs 65 to 70 cents. The dealers are buying up great quantities of poultry and are paying the following prices: Geese 42 cents lb, ducks 45 cents, fowl 25 and chickens 35 cents. The price of pork remained firm at 18 cents for best weights; oats bring 85 to 90 cents bushel, and hay \$20 to \$22 per ton. A few cars of potatoes are moving. The price is \$1.00 per bushel. There is no demand for turkeys or straw.

VISIT OUR GENT'S Furnishing Department everything a man wants except boots, will be found in this most up-to-date Department in the city. Prowse Bros., Ltd. 303212-16M51

WILL BE TAKING in live hogs at York on the 18th inst. Come early. J. H. Gill. 3050-12-16M21.

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WE CARRY all the leading Safety Razors—Gillette's and Auto Stropps just received. Foster's Drugstore. 3045-12-16M31.

A XMAS CONCERT will be held at West Royalty school Thursday evening, December 18th commencing at 7 o'clock. 3061-12-16M21.

CHRISTMAS DINNER.—The Victoria Hotel is booking for a special Christmas dinner, to be served at one p. m. Parties can secure reservations by phoning the manager. 3065-12-16-Mtf

K. P. DILLEN.—Members can secure their tickets for the K. P. Dillen at the offices of P. A. Farquharson, M. W. Lowther and Wilfred R. Wright and at the Togsery. 3668-12-17M21.

"MY PRAYER BOOK" by Father Lasance. Our stock of this beautiful prayerbook is now complete. Prices from \$1.25 to \$6.00. Mail orders promptly attended to. News & Variety Store, 70 Great George Street. 3040-12-16M21.

SOME GOOSE.—Mr. Clark Fall Crapaud sold recently to Wright Bros. Victoria a young goose this year raising that tipped the scales at 16 pounds for which he received the tidy sum of \$5.12 cents this is only one of the many large ones that Mr. Fall sold this season, beat that who can?

A SKILFUL TRAPPER.—Mr. James Mellish, of Union Road near Montague is winning quite a reputation by his skill at removing the pelts from foxes and other animals. Mr. Mellish recently skinned upwards of fifty foxes for ranches in the vicinity of Vernon River. Mr. Mellish is a trapper of note and has quite a record in the way of capturing foxes, muskrats, weasels, etc., and although about 70 years of age he is as active as many a man half his years.

MEETING OF NEWSPAPER MEN.—A meeting of the newspaper men of the city is to be held in the Board of Trade rooms today at 3 o'clock, to discuss steps to be taken to bring to the island next summer the members of the Empire Press Union, who are to visit Canada in July. The Empire Press Union includes in its membership all the leading editors and publishers of newspapers in the British Empire. One of the principal objects of the Union is to bring the newspapers of the Empire closer together and to form a bond of union extending around the world. A secondary object is to familiarize editors and publishers with the conditions and opportunities afforded by each part of the Empire, and for this purpose when a conference is held, the visiting members are taken all over the country and its possibilities and trading facilities demonstrated to them.

PERSONALS

Pte. Fred Skerry, of the Dalton Sanatorium was in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Lyman, merchant, of Truro, is in the city.

Miss Hilda McEwen, arrived in the city from Boston on Monday night and left yesterday afternoon on a visit to her former home in Souris.

James J. Johnston, K. C., of Charlottetown, attorney general for P. E. I., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. F.W. Nugent, Wright Street St. John, N. B.

Captain L. E. D. Stevens of Truro, and Lieut. J. M. Stevenson, arrived in the city on Monday night from Moncton where they have been promoting the project of a Maritime Aerial route.

Miss N. Foley, Cardigan, was a passenger on the western train yesterday returning from Indian River. After a most enjoyable visit, the guest of Miss L. Vatcher, (Parochial residence.)

The many friends of Mr. Charles Holmes of Hampshire, will be glad to hear he is recovering after a very serious operation for appendicitis at the P. E. I. Hospital. He has been removed to the Convalescent Hospital.

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS make a very acceptable gift. See our splendid assortment at popular prices. Prowse Bros., Ltd. 303212-16M51

I was cured of Rheumatic Gout by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Halifax. ANDREW KING.

I was cured of Acute Bronchitis by MINARD'S LINIMENT. LT.-COL. C. CREWE READ. Sussex.

I was cured of Acute Pneumatism by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Markham, Ont. C. S. BILLING. Lakefield, Que., Oct. 9, 1907.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.



FOR CHRISTMAS

We are showing beautiful wrist watches in solid gold, gold filled, and silver.

Pendants, brooches rings, lockets and earrings in new designs.

Handsome pearl and fancy bead necklets.

French Ivory Sets which can be engraved with initials inlaid in color.

For men we have watches, chains, etc.

Cufflinks and signet rings suitable for engraving.

Fountain pens from \$2.50 up, and "Ever-sharp" Pencils, from \$1.50 to \$5.25.

E. W. TAYLOR Jeweller Optician 142 Richmond St.



PRESENTING HER FATHER

with a box of our high grade cigars is pretty good play for the young fellow with hopes of the daughter. We know, for it has been tried with marked success. There's a reason of course. Try a few of these cigars and learn it.

LAMBROS BROS

PRINCE EDWARD

MATINEE 3.15 SHARP.

NIGHT 7 AND 8.45.

Lois Weber Productions Present ANITA STEWART

—IN—

"A Midnight Romance"

The Story of a Mysterious Beauty from Nowhere, and where a midnight bathing suit flirtation led her.



Anita Stewart in "A Midnight Romance," plays the part of a mysterious beauty, one of the survivors of a shipwreck, who, in spite of her charm, claims to be but a common servant. Slipping away from the hotel late one night she meets wealthy young Roger Sloan while enjoying a love dip in the surf. Then she disappears. He finds her again at his hotel, clad in shimmering silks. Then trouble starts! Crooks, blackmailers, police. A real thriller a beauty, too.

The cast includes Jack Holt, Edward Tilton, Juanita Hansen and over 200 people. Three women—Anita Stewart, the Star, Did It; Lois Weber, the Director; Marion Orth, the Author.

One of the most fascinating romances of the screen. Lavishly staged. Magnificent Gowns! Mysterious!

TOPICS OF THE DAY
PATHE NEWS

HAROLD LLOYD IN
"JUST NEIGHBORS"

IT IS NOT TOO LATE to have your photo taken for Christmas at the Cook Studio.

REGRETTABLE ACCIDENT.—A regrettable accident happened at Bloomfield Station on the morning of Dec. 9th, when Mr. Peter O'Halloran, Glengarry received a compound fracture of the left leg below the knee. How the accident occurred is not clear ly known. The horse which was rather a spirited animal in some unknown way upset the wagon, which terminated with the above result. The patient was taken to the Prince County Hospital and placed under the skillful medical treatment of Dr. Tanton.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

VICTORIA HOTEL

H. H. Cox, Morell; S. S. Hessian, Montague; Mrs. A. A. Murphy, Halifax; Mrs. J. A. MacDonald, Georgetown; Mr. J. A. MacDonald, and daughter; Philip Inchole, Maine; Philip McKenzie, Maine; Albert Fradsham, Maine; Fred Russell, Maine; Mr. and Mrs. Francy, Maine; C. M. Beer, Toronto; J. A. London, Montreal; R. Stewart, Ottawa; Capt. L. E. Stevens, Truro, N. S.; J. M. Stevenson, City; E. J. Savage, St. John, N. B.; A. P. Lewis, Summerside.

REVERE HOTEL
J. E. Gauthier, Montreal; F. J. Paul, Halifax; W. F. McFarlane, Lower Bedouque; Hilda McEwen, Boston; J. A. Lyman, Truro; R. C. Brown, Toronto; M. F. McMahon, Souris; T. E. Skerry, Alberton; S. McCuskey, Bear River; Mrs. P. McCloskey, Bear River; F. G. O'Brien, Boston; L. W. Murdoch, Murray River; R. H. Sully, Detroit; Walter Smith, Emerald.

Feed all that the cow will respond to in milk production.

Civilization marches forward on the feet of little children.

XMAS

Follow the crowd. Our selection of gifts will give you a choice for each and every one of your gift list. Our latest arrivals of Chocolates in Xmas Boxes are works of art by

MOIR, GANONG, WILLARD, NEILSON, PATTERSON, METCALF, LOWNEY, etc.

Xmas Candies—the old fashioned kind for the kiddies' stockings, at our confectionery counter.

Music Daily 4 to 6 P. M. at Night 9 to 11 P. M.

REDDIN BROS

VICTORIA ROW



A Treasureland Of Gifts

There was a time when the hardware store seldom found a place on the Christmas shopping list. But that time has long since gone by. Each year increasing numbers of discriminating buyers find this store a veritable treasureland of gifts.

FOR BOYS

Skates, Sleds, Hockey Sticks, Wireless Outfits, Nurses' Outfits, Erectors, Magicians' Outfits.

A FEW SUGGESTIONS

Silverware
Pocket Knives
Brassware
Vacuum Cleaners
Percolators
Electric Irons
Electric Toasters
Electric Grills

Carvers
Safety Razors
Weaver
Aluminum
Lunch Sets
Casseroles
Trays
Tobacco Jars
Scissors

During December we Close at 6 p.m.
Saturdays 10 p.m.

W. Rogers Hardware Co