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MY CREED. This is my creed: To do some good. To bear my ills without complaining.

To press on as a brave man should. For honors that are worth their gaining.

To seek no profits where I may. By winning them bring grief to others.

To do some service day by day. In helping on my toiling brothers.

This is my creed: To close my eyes. To little faults of those around me.

To strive to be when each day dies. Some better than the morning found me.

To ask for no unearned applause. To cross no river till I reach it.

To always have a worthy cause. To fearlessly and fairly preach it.

This is my creed: To wisely shun. The sloughs in which the foolish wallow.

To lead where I may be the one. Whom weaker men should choose to follow.

To keep my standards always high. To find my task and bravely do it.

This is my creed—I wish that I. Could even live half way up to it.

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AMUSEMENTS.

"The Garden of Allah." The Garden of Allah, the big spectacular play made from Robert Hichens' novel, by that author and Mary Anderson de Navarro, will be the attraction at the Grand for a limited engagement of one night only, Friday, March 31st.

The presentation of the dramatization of the Hichens' novel is backed up and fortified by the superb pictorial and realistic manner of the production.

The massive beauty of the settings and effects is utilized to drive across the spotlight the essentials of the romance between "Boris," the renegade monk, and "Domini," who becomes his bride.

The story of the play follows the novel, a fact that many thousand readers of the book will follow with enjoyment.

The glowing and beautiful descriptions of the various scenes described by Mr. Hichens in the book, are also closely followed. In fact, the authors, managers and producers spent many weeks in Morocco, where the scenes are laid, to get the desired atmosphere.

Many animals were also brought over to America—camels, goats, donkeys, pigeons and other live stock.

Perhaps the most interesting of all the animate beings brought over are the Bedouins—a fierce tribe from the desert to the number of thirty or more. These Bedouins, or Arabs, are the best fighters and riders in all Africa.

Their heroism has been proven in many clashes with the French troops before France conquered that country.

To this day the Arabs refuse to be conquered and a report of trouble in Morocco would depopulate the Arab contingent now with the Garden of Allah.

Prominent among the members of the cast presenting the dramatic portion of the play may be found Mr. Lawson Butt, Mr. Howard Gould, Miss Edyth Latimer, Miss Estelle Thebaud, Mr. Albert Andrus, Mr. William Jeffrey and Mr. Leo De Valery.

The company in its entirety consists of over one hundred and is exactly as seen for a year at the Century theatre, New York City.

Tickets may now be reserved. Careful attention paid to out of town orders.—Advertisement.

"The Call of the Cumberland"

Chas. Neville Buck's stirring book and play of the Kentucky mountains, has been made into one of the best of photo plays by Pallas Pictures, and will be shown at the Grand on the Paramount program tomorrow and Friday.

Dustin Farnum does the best work of his career and heads a specially selected cast including the stars, Myrtle Stedman and Winifred Kingston and Herbert Standing, Page Peters, Howard Davies and Dick La Strange.

"The Call of the Cumberlands" will be shown daily at 2:30 and 4 o'clock matinees and at 7, 8 and 9:15 for the night shows.

Tonight's attraction is a Famous Players-Paramount picture, "My Lady Inoc," in which Miss Hazel Dawn takes the leading part. It pleased good sized audiences last night, being the story of a girl detective and her work among the fashionables of a southern winter resort.

Thrills, romance and comedy are happily blended into one of the best subjects of this popular and captivating young star's career.

Regular prices of 5c for children and 10 cents for adults are still in effect on the regular service at the Grand. Special attention is given to music so that this part of the entertainment is the best that Keokuk has ever had.—Advertisement.

At the Hippodrome.

There are scores of interesting and intense situations in the big five part Metro melodrama, "The Turmoil," which will be seen here at the Hippodrome theatre tonight.

Valli Valli, the noted star of "The Queen of the Movies" and other stage successes, is seen in the stellar role in this elaborate photo-dramatization of Booth Tarkington's great novel of the same name. It is easily the best role she has ever had in her successful career on the speaking stage or in the silent drama.

George LeGuere, who has played the juvenile lead in half a score of stage successes, will be featured with Miss Valli in this production. There is a strong supporting cast, which includes Charles H. Prince, Ferd Tildmarsh, and Peggy Hopkins. Edgar Jones, who directed Miss Valli in "The Woman Pays," is also the director of this production.

"The Turmoil" was produced by the Columbia Pictures corporation for release on the Metro program.

Triangle plays tomorrow—D. W. Griffith, producer of "The Birth of a Nation," produced the five act startling detective drama, "The Sable Lochs," the newest Triangle release, which is to be shown at this theatre tomorrow.

"Following Father's Footsteps," the comedy attraction to be shown in conjunction with "The Sable Lochs," is Mack Sennett's latest comedy and is said to be even a great-comedy than "Tillie's Punctured Romance." So be sure to see it.—Advertisement.

ELEVEN JURORS SITTING IN CASE

O'Neill vs. Insurance Company is Being Heard With Vacant Chair in Jury Box.

Eleven jurors are hearing the case of O'Neill vs. the National Travelers' Benefit Association, in the district court. The panel was exhausted before twelve men could be secured and with the consent of both sides, the jury will be composed of eleven men.

The following were chosen as jurors: H. H. Brandt, G. H. Usher, A. H. Miles, Edward J. Schneider, J. D. Easley, Chas. Wurm, Chas. Taylor, T. M. Spuehler, Otto Roekenbach, W. H. Anderson, H. J. Inman.

Evidence for the plaintiff was being introduced today in the trial. Opening statements were made yesterday.

—A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Fern H. Miles, 21, and Inez L. Nelson, 18, both of Keokuk.

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CITY NEWS.

The second Lenten service at St. Paul's Evangelical church will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight, in German.

Subject: "Come, O Taste and See That the Lord is Good." Taking the second word from the cross for his text, Rev. Ernst will dwell on the Lord's Passion for souls.

Erman & Lovett, wall paper cleaners. Wanted—1,000 rooms to be cleaned. Phone 215.

—Masquerade and fancy dress party at rink Thursday, March 16. Ice cream free to skaters.

—The work on the "dona promptly. Ayres & Chapman, Jewelry Repairers.

—Philip T. Meyling of 1209 Blondeau street, presented the fire department with a box of cigars today in appreciation of the services rendered last night when a fire alarm from his home was responded to.

To the members of A. O. U. W. Brother Lovewick and Brother Southard will be with us at our meeting Thursday, March 16. All come.

The four U. S. navy men who have been doing detached service on the destroyer Somers, U. S. N., at Quincy, have completely overhauled the machinery of the boat during the last week of so, getting the craft into shape for service this summer. The Somers has been stationed at Quincy for the last year as a training ship for the Quincy naval reserves and it is expected that a number of cruises will be made during the summer.

—Prof. James P. Coyle of the Keokuk high school will be one of the judges at the Springfield-Quincy high school debate at Quincy on Friday night.

The young Keokuk carpenter who was killed in Buffalo on Monday, arrived in Keokuk last night and was taken to the home of the decedent in West Keokuk. Mr. Whiteside was working on a special wreath job just outside of Buffalo and fell off a scaffold thirty feet to the ground. He was seriously injured in the fall and was taken to a Buffalo hospital where he died shortly afterwards.

—Main street is receiving its annual spring clean-up. A force of men started out yesterday to clear away the winter's