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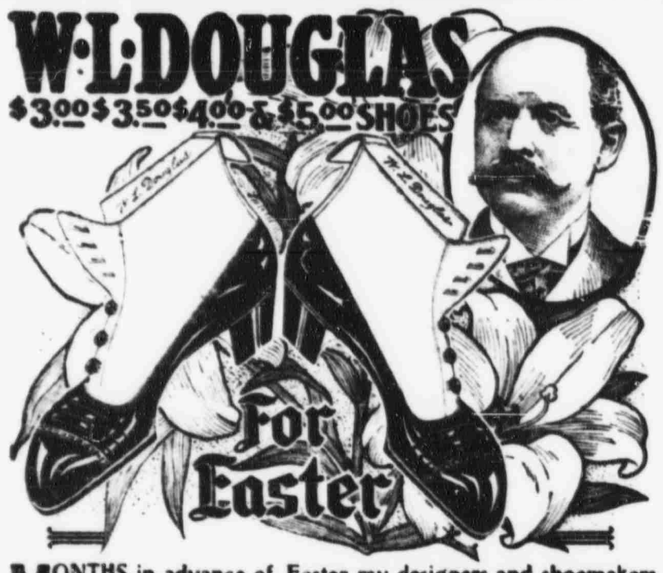

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Mrs. J. Raynor Wells, who was Irene Bishop, a Weber and Fields chorus girl, when she married the son of William Storrs Wells, has brought suit here for $500,000 damages against her husband's parents, which is ready for trial and will be heard in a few weeks. Mr Wells and his mother arrived from Paris last night on the steamship Kronprinzessin Cecilie.

Mr Wells protested on the North German Lloyd pier against a photographer who took a flashlight picture of him and a policeman was called to arrest the photographer. The cop merely took the camera man's name and he made another effort; but Mr. Wells was surrounded by his friends, a lawyer and his mother and shut out the photographer.

The younger Mrs. Wells is suing through Maurice Meyer. She declares that her husband's father, who is head of the Fairbanks company, and the mother compelled the son to enlist in the navy shortly after his marriage to her in order to deprive her of his company and to force him to abandon her. This has caused her distress of mind and body, she says, for which she wants the $500,000. The defendants put in a general denial.

Paris reports say that the husband and his mother met his wife in the railway station in Paris last Wednesday and that the husband pointedly avoided the wife.

Wells enlisted in the navy a few months after his marriage. Not long afterward was court-martialled because he left the receiving ship without leave and joined his wife on shore. Afterward he was sent to serve on the Chinese naval station. He served his four years term and was honorably discharged this year. His mother went abroad to meet him and so did his wife, who had returned to the stage after her marriage.

HOPE FOR SEARING DEPOSITORS.

Plans on Foot to Pay Something Down and the Rest Later.

The hearing in the examination in bankruptcy in the case of Searing & Co was postponed yesterday for a week. Counsel for the failed firm told Commissioner Alexander that friends of the bankers were hoping to effect a settlement with the creditors by next week by buying up the deposits. The details of the plan were not discussed, but it is understood that a cash payment of 10 or 12 per cent. will be offered, with the rest in deferred payments. Counsel for the receiver consented to the postponement of the hearing provided the proposed plan of settlement was submitted by next Tuesday.

Illinois Central.

W. L. Park, who recently resigned as general superintendent of the Union Pacific to become vice-president of the Illinois Central, to succeed Ira W. Rawn, has been put in charge of the Illinois Central's transportation, maintenance, motive power, construction, purchasing and pension departments. Mr Rawn was not at the head of any of these departments. This lightens the load formerly carried by President Harahan, who is now in charge of only one department, traffic.

Montevideo Welcomes American Tourists.

A despatch to the Hamburg-American Line's office in this city from Montevideo says that the several hundred Americans making a cruise aboard the steamship Bluecher were entertained yesterday by President Claudio Williman of Uruguay. The courtesies of the city were extended to the visitors and there was a special performance for them at the Solis Theatre, the largest in South America. The Bluecher will arrive at Rio Janeiro on Sunday and stop four days.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW YORK'S LEADING THEATRES AND SUCCESSES.

EMPIRE B'way & 40th St. Eve. 8.15. Mats. To-day & Sat. at 2.15. A PORTRAYAL OF WHICH ANY ACTRESS PROUD.—Sun. ETHEL BARRYMORE in Sir A. W. PINERO'S MID-CHANNEL.

GARRICK 35th St., n'r B'way. Ev. 8.30. Matinee Saturday 2.30. "GALES OF LAUGHTER."—Telegram. NATTIE WILLIAMS AND ALL STAR CAST in the act farce THE GIRL HE COULDN'T LEAVE BEHIND HIM.

LYCEUM 45th St., nr. B'way. Eve. 8.30. Mats. To-mor'w & Sat., 2.15. LAST 10 NIGHTS. BILLIE BURKE in W. S. Maugham's MRS. DOT.

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