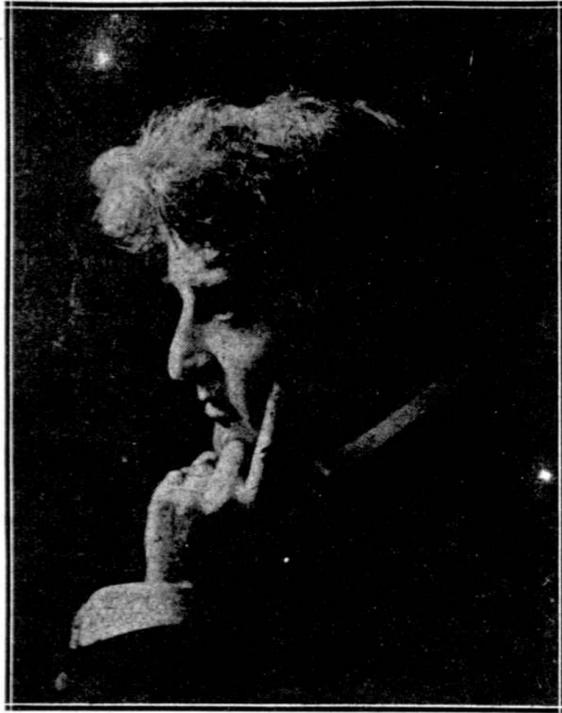


DAVID BELASCO, America's foremost stage director, who, following a policy established some years ago, will present Frances Starr in the premiere performance of "Little Lady in Blue," at the Belasco Theater tonight.



His Success Not Measured In Money, Declares Belasco

"You must pardon my appearing weary, as I am a very bad traveler," said David Belasco to me last night in his suite at the Shoreham, when I sought an interview.

It is very easy to pardon Mr. Belasco for most anything after seeing some of his productions and listening to him for a half hour. The master of stagecraft and preserver of ideals diffuses such a glow of embracing friendliness and beautiful thoughts in this material age that a few minutes spent in his company is like reading some masterpiece of poetry.

Running his fingers through the famous Belasco hair, he continued: "I was thinking today as I was riding down from New York of the time when I approached New York entirely unknown. I flattered myself, after a more or less successful period on the Pacific Coast, that I really amounted to something theatrically, but somehow all the offices seemed closed to me and in a few months I was compelled to go back to the West. Incidentally I believe that during the trip back I sustained life on 16 cents worth of doughnuts and four apples."

"But success is a funny thing. The ladder is not so hard to climb as it is to find. It is like groping about in the dark, reaching out in all directions and encountering nothing but space until, through accident or maybe tenacity, you catch the bottom rung. Then, don't you see, it is the most natural thing in the world to climb upward, hand over hand. And there is no top to the ladder of success. You can always add another rung. I like to play the type of the 'Little Lady in Blue,' 'The Cinderella Man' (how I wish I had gotten that one) and 'Marie Odile.' They are pure gems and I would rather break even on producing them like than to make a million on something lurid and sordid."

"I have made and lost several fortunes by maintaining the standards of holding the confidence of the public, but I do not regret one cent of my losses, for the public as a whole is reasonable and has been good to me."

"But money, after all, is not the only measure of success—in fact, I care very little for it except for my studio. By the way, you must come to see the studio when you are in New York. If there is one subject on which I am intemperate it is that studio. Why, it keeps me broke all the time. Every spare cent goes into it, but it is the greatest retreat in the world and I often look myself in the mirror for hours at a time and feel that I am in 'the best company in the world.'"

L. M. B.

POLICE FIND MISSING BOY.

Spends Day at "Grandma's" While Parents Hunt.

Ellsworth Curren, 6 years old, living at 129 Indiana avenue northwest, was located by the police of the Seventh precinct yesterday afternoon after being missing from his home since 9 o'clock Saturday morning. He was found at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. T. E. Libscomb, Volta place, Georgetown, where he had gone without a coat or hat. The matter was reported to the police Saturday.

Columbus Day—When Columbus wins the American Association championship.

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FANNIE WARD APPEARS IN "WITCHCRAFT" FILM

In Stellar Role of R. Ralston Reed's Story.

After reading the many articles that have been published of late about the scarcity of good material for motion picture stories it is quite refreshing to see "Witchcraft" which is the offering on the screen of Loew's Columbia Theater the first of this week, with Fannie Ward in the stellar role. The story is from the pen of Dr. R. Ralston Reed, and took the first prize in the class of photodramatics at Columbia University in New York City, and predicts that a new field has been discovered from which to gather exceptional material for photoplay offerings.

Directed by Frank Reicher, who for a number of years was associated with David Belasco, as a stage director, the production is complete in every detail, and gives to Fannie Ward exceptional opportunities for displaying her versatility as a dramatic star, all of which she makes the most of.

The scenes are laid in the New England colonies during 1825-1830 when so many innocent people suffered persecution from the horrible delusion of witchcraft. In the role of Suzette, a Huguenot refugee, who is accused of being a witch by the town miser, Fannie Ward is seen in one of the most forceful screen portrayals of her brilliant career.

The production is mounted in the usual manner that has won for the Lasky organization the high place they now enjoy among American producers and is bound to please.

TOWN'S EXPENSES \$31.13

Dupont, Wash., Has Money in Bank and No Expenses.

Olympia, Wash., Oct. 15.—Dupont, in Pierce County, has a remarkable record, according to the State bureau of inspection, which has just filed its report. The income of the town last year amounted to \$31.13, and its expenses were \$31.13, the community running 2 cents behind. It made no material difference, however, as it only meant the reduction of the town's bank account by 2 cents or to \$29.09. The town has no paid officers, no debt, no traveling expenses, without pay and there is money in the bank.

\$300 from Six Beehives.

Hawatha, Kan., Oct. 15.—J. W. Admire, of Hawatha, during the season just closing, got 1,540 pounds of honey from six hives of bees. His profit on the bees will be close to \$300.

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EARLE WILLIAMS STARS IN FEATURE AT CASINO

Appears in Second of "Scarlet Runner" Motion Picture Series.

Earle Williams was well received yesterday afternoon at the Casino in the "Nuremberg Watch," the second episode of the "Scarlet Runner" series. The big "Witchcraft" with which he is attempting to satisfy a wealthy relative that he is worth inheriting the uncle's estate, figures in several thrilling pursuits. In attempting to save his uncle's fiancée from death, he is nearly killed himself when the "watch" explodes. The picture while one of a series, is complete in itself.

The companion picture is "His Wife's Good Name," in which Lucille Lee Stewart takes the part of an innocent young wife who is made to appear false to her husband. Although she loses him through a deception, they are reconciled after she has become a social worker and by fighting down the temptation to follow the "primrose path."

These pictures will be followed on Thursday by Florence La Badie in "The Fugitive," and the second chapter of the "Shielding Shadow" series. A new bill will be offered next Sunday.

GERMAN CAPTIVES FIND GOLD.

Discover Deposits While Regulating the Flow of Siberian Rivers.

Petrograd, Oct. 15.—German prisoners of war in Siberia are responsible for the discovery of gold deposits along two rivers, according to the following report from Tashkent, Russia Turkestan, printed in the Novoe Vremya: "While engaged in regulating the flow of the Turan and Kunja rivers, in Southwestern Siberia, the German prisoners working there found gold deposits. The news of this discovery spread with great rapidity through Russia, China, Japan, and America, and the proximity of the Trans-Baikal Railway facilitated the inflow of gold seekers. Great camps on the American plan have already sprung up."

Millville Cops Ask for Raise.

Millville, N. J., Oct. 15.—Owing to the high cost of living, the Millville police officers asked the city commission for an increase of wages today. The police have been receiving \$13.85 per week. As they did not state the increase desired, the commission tabled the petition.

COLORED TROOPS AWAIT MUSTERING OUT ORDER

The camping ground of the Third Infantry of the District National Guard and also of the First Separate Battalion which returned yesterday from the Mexican border at Camp Ordway, Fort Myer, Va., is again worthy of the name "camp," for more than 400 men are awaiting orders mustering them out of the Federal service.

The returning First Separate Battalion reached Rosslyn, Va., early yesterday morning and after sleeping until about 6 o'clock detrained and marched to Ordway, where camp was established. This camp will be the home of the men until they are mustered out in a week or ten days.

FIRE AT NAVAL ACADEMY.

Gun Shed Burns—\$2,000 Damage Results.

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 15.—The most serious fire that has visited the Naval Academy in recent years broke out this afternoon in the gun shed and before the flames were brought under control, damage between \$1,500 and \$2,000 resulted.

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If you suffer with rheumatism, constipation or disordered stomach, for a box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets); have a beneficial action on the digestive and eliminative organs—the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Take one NR tonight; you'll feel better in the morning. Your money back if you want it. Get a 25c box. At all four People's Drug Stores; 7th & K Sts. N. W., 7th & E Sts. N. W., 14th & U Sts. N. W., 7th & M Sts. N. W.—Adv.

\$26,800 RAISED FOR NEW BIBLE SCHOOL

Services were held all day yesterday in connection with the dedication of the new Bible School, which has been added to the Ninth Street Christian Church, at Ninth and D streets northwest. The addition was made at a cost of \$27,000. The sum of \$26,800 was raised in cash and pledges yesterday to defray this expense. Rev. George A. Miller, pastor, said last night that final services of dedication would not be held until the whole amount had been raised and the building could be formally taken over without debt. Evangelistic services will be held all week by Rev. George L. Snively, of Lewiston, Ill., assisted by Frank Carpenter and a large chorus choir. The officers of the Sunday school are: T. A. Hostetter, superintendent; Dr. E. T. Stephenson, assistant superintendent; Joseph Scott, Jr., secretary, and Ernest Warfield, treasurer.

No New Plague Cases in Delaware.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 15.—No new cases of infantile paralysis have been reported outside of the city since October 6 and none in the city for the last four days. Dr. A. E. Frantz, secretary of the State board of health, believes that the situation is well in hand and that the plague is over.

DEMOCRATS PLAN MASS MEETING "WILSON DAY"

A mass meeting is to be held by Washington Democrats in Convention Hall October 23, which has been designated "Wilson Day." One of the features will be the reading of an appeal by the Democratic National Committee, calling on the voters to stand by the administration at the polls on November 7. A letter has been sent by Robert N. Harper, chairman of the Washington branch of the financial department of the Democratic National Committee, calling upon those who favor Wilson's reelection to contribute to the campaign fund.

Owns Oldest Spinning Wheel.

Colter, Ark., Oct. 15.—Mrs. Thomas Scott, who lives in Stone County, Missouri, near Black Jack, is the owner of probably the oldest spinning wheel in that State. She had it made to order in 1861, and used it for many years to spin yarn from which she wove the family clothes. Mrs. Scott also has an old flax wheel, which she used in spinning flax yarn which she wove into linen cloth.

Men to Study Cooking.

Corvallis, Ore., Oct. 15.—Eighteen men students of the Oregon Agricultural College have signed up for a course in domestic science.

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