

What Theaters Offer This Week

For the second time in its history, the American stage has been enriched by a play having but two players to portray all the characters. The first time, Robert Bracco, Italian, wrote "Madame Coquette," which Nastimova played in English. Last night, Berte Thomas, English, showed us his "Under Orders," a British war play, Americanized to fit the needs of the occasion. A. H. Woods made the production, and Effie Shannon, young and beautiful as in days of old, and Shelly Hull constituted the entire cast.

Miss Shannon played the dual role of Mrs. Ford, American mother living in England, and Frau Harzmann, her twin sister, married to a German and living in a small town near Berlin. Mr. Hull played the son in both cases. Here he is said—and the comparison is justifiable—that Miss Shannon's conception of her dual role is not only the finest bit of acting she has done in her long career, but that it must rank very high. Mrs. Flack, in Henri Lavoyan's "Service," portrayed a similar role, but Miss Shannon's mother was the finer—less theatrical and more intensely human, less studied and more superbly emotional.

Mr. Hull was mainly as the American captain and his German cousin. In the third act, the American mother and her Hun nephew facing each other, Mr. Hull rose to the occasion so well that at the conclusion of the act he and Miss Shannon received eight curtain calls.

So far as the play itself is concerned, the production is as "dramatic novelty," and it is at all times it is gripping; at all times it holds the audience. And if the fourth act had contained more pathos and less bathos, then the author could be credited with a 100 per cent play. But even with this slight lapse, which will be straggled out, without doubt, "Under Orders" is the best war play Washington has seen to date and one of the best plays Washington has seen in a decade.

COLUMBIA. Douglas Fairbanks is at the Columbia for the entire week. "Bound in Morocco" is a rattling good picture. The chap is a wanderer through hairbreadth escapes and performing prodigious feats, no matter what country the studio director may send him to. Morocco, like any other place, is just the playhouse for the irrepressible American of the irresistible smile. The way he mows down the population of North Africa and throws the sultan into the bathing pool, suggests that turning Fairbanks loose on the Germans would speedily result in the Kaiser landing in the Potsdam fountain.

Pauline Currier is quite an adorable heroine. No wonder a husky young American like "Doug" should wax peevish when she is abducted and carried to the sultan's harem. The disguise of a harem is all that he needs to get him past the palace gates, and then things begin to happen. Fortunately for film fans, before the rough work begins, there are numerous fascinating glimpses of the beauties of the seraglio.

The customary short reels, including the Hearst-Pathé news, are also the Columbia bill to supplement the feature.

LYCEUM. "The Monte Carlo" girls, presenting the burlesque in the most interesting scene opened the second week of the Lyceum Theater under the new management yesterday afternoon.

Sarah, Elyette, and face voice, and figure entice her to a place in the front rank of burlesque prima donnas, scored a hit with her war songs. Frank "Bugs" Murphy, whose grotesque tramp comedy went over in great style, was the leader of the eccentric entertainers. Assisting him were Charlie Collins and Johnny Hudgins, who played the straight and character man, carrying his role with credit.

"All Aboard" and "The Revue De Luxe" are the names of the two acts offered Lyceum patrons this week. In the first act Murphy is given rare opportunity to display his fun-making talents.

Kittie Warren, a sprightly sourette, and Violet Buckley, a shapely ingenu, proved equal to their roles. The chorus of twenty was large and prettily costumed.

STRAND. Mrs. Aida Nastimova, in "Toys of Fate," the photoplay at Moore's Strand Theater, verifies the belief that she is the most versatile as well as the most magnetic star of silent drama now before the public.

The story is one of gypsy life, in which the star assumes the dual role of Hagar, wife of the chief of the tribe, who betrayed her husband in order that she might take advantage of the affluence promised her by Bruce Griswold, upon whose land her band was camped, and Asah, daughter of Hagar, through whom the chieftain wreaked his vengeance upon the same Griswold in later years.

The cast includes Irving Cummings, Dodson Mitchell, Charles Bryant, and others. The settings, both interior and exterior, reflect a highly developed artistic sense, and the photography is of high order.

"Toys of Fate," which will be the major booking for the entire week, is supplemented by the customary news and comedy films.

CRANDALL'S. In "The Dance," shown at Crandall's yesterday, and which is to be repeated today and tomorrow, Alice Brady has the role of cabaret dancer, who, notwithstanding the unhealthy influence of her surroundings, has decidedly different views of life than those held by her crowd. She is unfortunate enough to fall in love with Arnold Matland, who has a faithless wife. The succeeding incidents, which involve a series of intrigues brought about by Matland's wife, make up a story of absorbing interest. The story is of absorbing interest.

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