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Lafayette, La., Oct. 20, 1913.

The Diver.

Mlle. Vivian captivates John Hawley. He sees her in her diving act at the Hypodrome, when he attends the performance with Rupert Brachen. Both Mrs. Brachen and her friend Rita Melrose, a good-looking young widow, who is spending the summer with her are extremely jealous of "The Diver". When the two men invite her to perform at a lawn fete which M. Brachen gets up at their country place at Travis Sound, and she is enthusiastically applauded by Rupert and Hawley, the two young women are genuinely indignant. But Rita is a very ingenious person and does not give up the battle. Margaret is called away to see a sick friend and Rupert sends flowers to the house for her to take with her. But they arrive too late. Rita has a bright thought. She bribes a messenger boy to take the flowers to Mil. Vivian's house and while there secretly drops a monogrammed handkerchief belonging to Brachen. When John Hawley sees it and the flowers his suspicions are aroused. His worst thoughts are confirmed when he receives a letter telling him to watch Vivian's house at midnight, and when he does so, sees a man in evening dress coming from it and follows this supposed man, who in reality is Rita in disguise, to the Brachen home.

While the Brachens and Rita are spending a few days at Niagara Falls prior to returning to the city, Rita's little daughter, Agatha, strays to the river shore, gets into a row boat which some boys are playing with, and the boat escapes from the boy's grasp and is carried out into the stream and down towards the roaring falls. But Vivian happens to be opening her season in Niagara that week, and while standing on a cliff above the falls sees the boat and the child coming down the river. She dives into the whirling waters, and by splendid nerve and ability manages to save the child. Rita, remorseful, confesses her falseness to Hawley and he seeks forgiveness from the woman whom he thought had deceived him. Thus love and justice triumph. This splendid life-portfolio is set off with a background of wonderfully beautiful and inspiring scenery. The colossal magnificence of Niagara is shown in all its glory. The management of the Jefferson Theater feel that they have a great treat in store for their patrons Sunday, Nov. 16.

C. OF C. PROTESTS AGAINST STRIKE

Passes Resolutions and Asks the Commercial Bodies of Southwest Louisiana to Concur.

3 CITIES REPLY CONCURRING

Resolutions Wired to Officials of Railroad and Brotherhood, State and U. S. Officials.

Wednesday afternoon a meeting of the Lafayette Chamber of Commerce was held at their office room in the Gordon Hotel to consider the matter of the threatened strike on the Southern Pacific as a result of the strike vote by its employees.

After a full discussion the following resolutions were adopted and it was resolved to wire the resolutions to the commercial bodies of Southwest Louisiana, with the request that they would also concur:

Whereas a strike of the employees of the Southern Pacific Railway Company seems imminent, and,

Whereas, however much of merit there may be in the claims of either side, the loss consequent on interruption of traffic, must at this season of the year, prove disastrous to the agricultural and commercial interests of South Louisiana, already hard hit, therefore

Be it resolved by Lafayette Chamber of Commerce, that we protest against such strike at this time and urge the parties to issue further consideration and the submission of differences to mediation or arbitration; and

Be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the officials of the railways and of the unions and to state and national officers having supervision over the regulation of traffic.

Secretary Martin has heard from Thibodeaux, Opelousas and Baton Rouge and all heartily concur in the resolutions.

Wednesday night the resolutions were sent to the railroad officials and the brotherhood officers at Houston, and yesterday to Gov. Hall and other State officers and United States officials in Washington.

SAN ANTONIO C OF C PROTESTS AGAINST STRIKE.

San Antonio, Nov. 12—In an effort to prevent the impending strike of employees of the Sunset-Central lines business men representing six divisions of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce met in executive session this morning and voiced a vigorous protest against radical action on the part of either the employees or the railroad company, which may result in a strike and cause business to be tied up. Expression of the attitude of the commercial interests of this city regarding the situation was set forth in a resolution. The resolution was immediately telegraphed to Sunset-Central officials in Houston and to the committees representing the brotherhood which are directing negotiations for the employees.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Home Charity Association will be held Monday afternoon at four o'clock at Music Hall. All members are urged to attend.

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VOTE TO STRIKE ALMOST SOLID

Unless Southern Pacific Officials Concede Settlement—Action Left to Grand Lodge Officers.

WANT FEDERATION RECOGNIZED

Pres. Scott Would Not Say Whether Mediation or Arbitration Would Be Resorted To.

Houston, Tex., Nov. 11—Ninety-eight per cent of the membership of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Enginemen, Order of Railway Conductors and Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and Yardmen employed on the Sunset Central lines have voted to go on strike unless the company changes from its former position and concedes to a settlement of all grievances of the four orders jointly.

Canvas of the referendum vote was completed and the result announced tonight.

The vote empowers officials of the unions to order out 2500 enginemen, conductors and other employees on the New Orleans to El Paso division of the Southern Pacific if efforts to arrange a conference with officials of the road fail or if the conference is without result.

Previous conferences between Southern Pacific officials and representatives of the different employees' organizations failed to adjust the grievances, which include wages, alleged disregard of contract, and various personal complaints. Efforts were then made to arrange a joint conference of representatives of all the unions involved with the railroad officials, but without result, represen-

tatives of the company holding that a conference with the federation would be irregular and contrary to contracts existing between the railroad and the different organizations.

No announcement was made tonight as to when the committee will take action. Likewise Southern Pacific officials here had no statement to make.

President Scott and Assistant General Manager Wald claim that the company is living up to the contracts and is willing to meet the men in accordance with the rule for settling grievances heretofore in effect.

President Scott said with reference to the results of the strike vote that he was not prepared to discuss the matter until he had given it further consideration. He would not say whether mediation or arbitration would be resorted to or not.

The next move on the part of the organization will be to advise the grand lodge officers of their respective orders of the results of the strike vote and ask that a strike be ordered unless the company accedes to their demands to settle the grievances of the four orders. Until the order to strike is received or the company takes some action there remains nothing to be done but for both sides to the controversy to await the action of the grand lodge officers.

There are sixty-seven grievances specified by the members of the orders for adjustment in the demands made upon the company. These, in part, are with reference to clauses of the contracts which the men claim the company is not living up to and on which the officials of the roads place a different interpretation from the men and claim that the company is complying with the conditions of the contract in its entirety.

The lines affected by the the controversy include all of the Sunset

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Programs.

Friday, Nov. 14—As a Father Sparth His Son, drama, Selig; Self Convicted, drama, Lubin. \$5.00 in Gold given away at 8 p. m.

Saturday, Nov. 15—An of the Trails drama, Vitagraph; The President's Special, drama, Kalem; The Family's Honor, drama, Edison.

Sunday, Nov. 16—Oxygen, science, Pathe; Along the Padas River in Borneo, Trav; Our Neighbors, drama, Selig; The Diver, drama, Vitagraph.

Teachers' Examination.

On December the 1st, 2nd and 3rd, an examination of white applicants for certificates to teach will be held in the office of the Parish Superintendent, beginning at 9 a. m. There are still several vacancies to fill in the parish.

On December the 4th, 5th and 6th, at the same hour and place for colored applicants.

L. J. ALLEMAN,
Parish Supt.

"The Divorce Question."

Fort Worth Record, Oct. 28, 1913.

"The Divorce Question" by William Antony McGuire, was presented to a small audience last night. It is a problem play and is a terrific indictment against an evil which has provoked discussion for centuries, and is a live issue today in all civilized countries. This problem play is a powerful drama and sets forth the attitude of the Catholic church on the divorce question and the evils which are said to follow in its train. It presents the church's argument against the sundering of the marriage tie and was evidently written to more fully present the position of the church to the paygoers of the country. There is very little merriment in "The Divorce Question." There are pathetic figures and gloomy incidents. The bright side of life is not shown on the stage. The seamy side is. The children of a divorced couple are the pathetic figures and in this case the sins of the parents are visited on the unfortunate children. Rev. Father Jerome is the principal figure. George A. Lemming is cast for the part and his work throughout is admirable. Dora Hastings, an actress of considerable merit, is the

Mrs. Rogers Manners, the divorced wife of Herbert Lockwood who is a champion of divorce and his legal arguments in defense of the institution are ably presented by Devenport Lamond. There is clever work done by Miss Addie Lanore, the Katherine Spaulding of the story, who is the deserted daughter of the divorced couple and who becomes the victim of white slavery. The play is beautifully staged and the company is above the average. It is well received and at times the applause was more than generous. The patronage was scant, however, which is to be regretted, as both production and players deserved a liberal attendance of play-goers as well as box office receipts in keeping with the standard of the production and the people who presented it. Those who like problem plays appreciated "The Divorce Question." Those who do not like problem plays did not attend. Those who did attend appeared to be in hearty accord with the playwright and roundly applauded the singing criticisms against the free and easy severance of the marriage vows in a Christian nation. At the Jefferson Theater, Saturday, November 22, 1913.

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