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JEFFERSON THEATRE

(Safest and Most Comfortable Place in Town.)

FRIDAY, FEB. 27, 1914.—The Old Vs. the New, Selig, drama; Quantrell's Son, Vita, drama; Stanton's Last Fling, Edison, drama; \$5.00 in gold will be given away at 8 p. m.

SATURDAY, FEB. 28, 1914.—Dawn and Twilight, Essanay, drama; The Mystery of the Talking Wire, Edison, drama; The Pale of Prejudice, Lubin, drama.

SUNDAY, FEB. 29, 1914.—The Fatal Clues, Kalem, C. D.; Flood of the Dae River, Kalem Topical; Tainted Money, Vita, drama, 2 reels; Andy Goes on the Stage, Edison, Comedy. First show begins at 5 p. m.

Testimonial to J. F. Pilcher From Rev. Teurlings.

February 18, 1914.

I take pleasure in assuring all that Mr. Jos. F. M. Pilcher has succeeded in restoring the old dilapidated organ in our church in Lafayette, St. John's. The organ has seen many a day and had been ill used from times immemorial. Mr. J. F. M. Pilcher had undertaken to RESTORE the value efficiency and importance and usefulness of this indispensable church appurtenance and did so with signal success. As I had personally studied the defects and remedies of the suffering instrument my testimony may direct and instruct, and this testimony I give of my own free will. One year from date after the work was done, I am pleased to state that when Mr. Pilcher gives his whole attention and ability and his skill he is an able and reliable organ builder.

Signed REV. W. J. TEURLINGS, Rector St. John's Church, Lafayette, La.

Antony & Cleopatra.

George Kleine's production of the Cines photo drama "Quo Vadis" was awe inspiring and a revelation; his Ambrosio spectacle of the "Last Days of Pompeii" a thing of exquisite beauty; but his latest production, the Cines version of "Antony and Cleopatra", is sublime. It is incomparable. Nothing like it has yet been revealed to the eager millions of picture lovers. It unites all the glorious spectacle of "Quo Vadis", all the beauty of "Pompeii", with a story of such tremendous human interest and power it is a marvel that it could ever have been recorded in modern photography. The whole world could be searched and it is doubtful if another Antony could be found such as Novelli presents, or such a voluptuous, overpowering Cleopatra as is seen in Giovanna Terbilli Gonzalez' conception. So magnificent and realistic is their acting it is hard to maintain the illusion of the camera. The spectators sit spellbound, almost convinced of the omni-present reality of the story. And not alone is this true of Novelli and Gonzalez, but also of all the other members of the remarkable cast. Whatever their school or their sources of development, this performance of "Antony and Cleopatra" must convince the world that the production of the Societa Italiana Cines are the true embodiment of art. Photo dramas may come and go, but "Antony and Cleopatra" will live forever.

Jefferson Theater, Thursday, Mar. 5, 1914. First show 4:30 p. m., second show 6:40, third show 8:40. Admission 15 and 25c.

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THE FORUM

Dr. W. O. Scroggs, head of the Department of Economics at the State University, will address the Forum Sunday on "Lawlessness." Dr. Scroggs spoke to the teachers' institute here about a week ago and made such a fine talk that he was requested to repeat it to the Forum, which he consented to do, and Sunday the attendants at the Forum will have the pleasure of listening to him on this subject which he makes both interesting and instructive.

The musical program will be: Vocal solo, Miss Aurora Labbe; piano solo, Miss Gertrude Mouton; vocal solo, Miss Lillian Aubry; Vocal solo, Miss Effie Mouton.

G. J. Young.

G. J. Young, brother to Mrs. F. R. Tolson of this city, died at his home in Morgan city Monday at 4 p. m. He had been ailing for some time, but his sickness became suddenly acute and he passed away Monday. Mr. Young was, most of his life, a teacher, and has done fine work in the education of the young during his long career as a teacher. He taught several years in Lafayette parish and made a great many friends who will learn of his death with sincere regret. His wife died some years ago. Only one son survives him.

Dances of Today.

Carlos Sebastian and Beatrice Allen famous dancers, pose for Special Dance feature. The Brazilian Maxixe Dancing with the hands and feet, not literally, but figuratively, Mr. Sebastian's idea. When you see it, pay particular attention to the perfect harmony between arms and legs.

Royal Theater, Sunday, March 1.

Father Mollo to Remain.

The appointment of Rev. Patrick Walsh as assistant to Rev. Father Teurlings, announced in our last issue, was for the purpose of giving another assistant here and not to replace Father Mollo.

Episcopal Services.

Sunday there will be services at 3 p. m. in the Episcopal church. Rev. Diggs, of New Iberia will preach. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

SPECIAL for one week—a six quart granite pan for 10 cents at Daigre's Branch.

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Fiscal Agency Bids Requested.

In accordance with Act 205 of 1915, and a resolution of the Parish School Board, adopted February 13, 1914, bids from banks in Lafayette Parish for the Fiscal Agency of the School Funds will be received up to noon of March 24, 1914.

Send bid in sealed envelope marked Fiscal Agency Bid.

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Good pair of mules for sale—W. M. Ellison.

SMOKER AND BLOWOUT

A smoker and blowout was given at the Century Club Saturday night by the members. The meeting was called to order by Aby Plonsky, and in a brief speech explained, that this occasion was for everyone to have a good time, and that no one ought to let this afternoon pass without giving themselves credit, that they did have a good time.

Mr. James P. Caffery was appointed Master of Ceremonies, and the following program was carried out: Opening chorus... Every One Present Speech, Why Did God Make Water.

Walter Mielly Selection, by the Orchestra.

F. P. Copp, E. Fields, B. Hopkins Poem... Henry Martin

Piano Duet... W. Lacoste, M. Landry

Jokes... F. P. Copp

Piano Selection, Alabama Bound

K. Hatch Poem... Aby Plonsky

Songs by Quartet... Club Quartet

Billiard Contest, B. F. Anderson and E. Fields.

Checker Contest, Dr. L. O. Clark and L. S. Melton.

Song, Henry Martin, accompanied by M. Landry.

Entire Crowd

Delicious cold drinks and good eats were served throughout the afternoon. Those present at this pleasant occasion, were:

Messrs. T. M. Blossat, Sr., C. M. Parkerson, B. F. Anderson, H. Demanade, Dr. L. O. Clark, L. S. Melton, Charles Debaillon, Dewitt Todd, L. H. Messonier, Ernest Fields, Warren Lacoste, Dr. H. P. Beller, F. P. Copp, Mabry Landry, J. M. Chasson, Henry Martin, Kramer Hatch, Ransom Horst, Arthur Mielly, Aby Plonsky, James Caffery, Frank Debaillon, Bryant Hopkins Grover Mouton, Pat Mouton Claude Blanchet, Henry Kelly, Chick Landry, Walter Mielly.

The Law Should Be Amended.

Lake Charles American Press.

State Fire Marshal Trousdale complains that his department has had little success in convicting people of the crime of arson, even where the proof seems to be conclusive, because of a certain prejudice against insurance companies and the severity of the penalty. It might serve his purposes to ask the legislature to reduce the penalty. It might serve his purposes equally well to establish grades for the crime of arson. While in very rare cases the extreme penalty might be adequately punished by a prison term.

Gaston Bagnaud, of Scott, was a welcome caller at our office Wednesday.

Jail Delivery.

Ed Raymond, negro, and two white men, Ben Terrell and Ed Hunter, escaped from the parish jail by sawing their way out of a steel cell. Raymond was held for stealing a horse and buggy, while Terrell was held for receiving stolen goods. No trace of the prisoners has been found. Deputy Broussard says as to their escape that they think perhaps the same gang who robbed a safe at Sunset must have given them the tools to break out with.

Rev. Gibbs.

(Contributed.) Rev. George Gibbs, beloved pastor of the Church of the Ascension, was called to his Heavenly home on Monday, February 23rd, 1914, after a year of suffering and failing health—"Blessed are they who die in the Lord."

Rev. Gibbs served as Rector at Crowley and Lafayette for four years and endeared himself to all who came under his divine influence.

Seldom, in life, do we have the privilege of coming under such holy and consecrated influence. He was universally beloved and venerated by every denomination, Jew and Gentile, in Crowley, where he resided.

He also did missionary work in Opelousas, Washington and Eunice. Rev. Gibbs was a native of Virginia, and had worked for thirty-six years in many States, coming to Louisiana last, where it is our privilege to claim his last resting place.

The ladies of the Episcopal church wish to thank all, who so kindly helped them, in conducting the funeral of their beloved pastor, Rev. George Gibbs.

It is Time to Plant. Complete line of garden seed at F. O. Broussard's.

SNOW VISITS LAFAYETTE FOLLOWING HEAVY HAIL.

Wednesday morning when the people of Lafayette woke up they found the ground covered with snow to a depth of four inches. It was a decided surprise as indications the night before at bed time were that the ground would be white with sleet, as sleet was falling rather heavily at that time.

This was the first snow in about fifteen years.

The snow was the occasion for the young folks to enjoy themselves, and at different places in town, especially the Moss Pharmacy corner, crowds gathered and indulged in snowballs, playing in the snow, and pelting passers-by with snow, not even excusing the ladies, a good many of whom were out and seemed to enjoy the snow. Several improvised sleighs were out.

The sun shone bright all day and by evening the snow was pretty well melted, although there was a good deal left on roofs and sheltered places yesterday. The last of the snow will melt today and Lafayette's white visitor be only a memory.

CITY TO APPEAL THE GAMBLING CASE.

At a special meeting of the City Council held Saturday it was decided to appeal from the judgment rendered by Judge R. W. Elliott in what is known as the gambling case.

The form of certificates to be used in case of deferred payments of the cement walks was adopted.

Monday another special meeting was held and an extension of ten days was granted the Aberdeen Cement Co. to furnish satisfactory bond for the performance of its contract to lay cement walks.

Mary Pickford in Caprice.

Tuesday, March 3, "little" Mary Pickford, the cutest girl in pictures, will appear at the Jefferson in "Caprice," a comedy-drama made famous by Mrs. Fiske, in four charming parts. Film by the Famous Players Film Co.

MARDI GRAS COLD BUT MASKERS COME OUT.

Notwithstanding it was cold and the wind blew out of the north and drizzling rain and sleet fell, quite a number of bold spirits defied old Bores and came out in mask and costume to celebrate Mardi Gras. Some fairly good costumes were seen and those masking seemed to get lots of fun out of it.

SCHOOL DISMISSED ON ACCOUNT OF THE SNOW

At the request of Mayor Martin Prof. Jordan dismissed the school on Wednesday to allow the girls and boys to enjoy the snow, a visitor which calls but seldom. Dr. Martin advised the children to all have a good time, not to fight, but to throw snow on everybody they saw. The boys took his advice and made him the first victim, literally swamping him with snow. The Doctor enjoyed the joke on himself highly and the boys enjoyed playing the joke, so it was pleasant all around.

P. W. COLLINS TO TALK ON MENACE OF SOCIALISM.

The Lafayette Council Knights of Columbus has arranged for a lecture on the Coming Conflict or the Menace of Socialism by Peter W. Collins, of Chelsea, Mass., on Monday, March 16, in the K. of C. home.

Mr. Collins, we are informed, in addition to his great ability as a lecturer, is equally well-known for his writings on Socialism and his efforts in behalf of labor. No man on the public platform has a wider knowledge of economic, sociological and industrial conditions. He was editor of the Electrical Worker and International Secretary of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers for seven years, resigning to devote his time to the broader field of constructive social service.

Baptist Revival Services.

The revival services which have been in progress at the Baptist church under Rev. Ray Palmer for nearly two weeks, have been well attended. Rev. Palmer is a very forceful speaker and all of his sermons have made a strong impression on his hearers. There have been fourteen accessions to the church as a result of the services. Tonight three young lady converts will be baptized at the church. The revival services will close Monday night.

GOTCH'S GRAPEVINE HOLD



Gotch Gets Grapevine and Head Lock.

Of the many weapons of attack in the mat repertory of the world's champion the grapevine hold deserves special mention. Gotch has pinned few dangerous opponents with this hold for deciding falls, but it is among the foremost of the subordinate holds used by him in leading up to the effective combinations with which he wins the majority of his hard matches. The lightning-like shifts with which the champion shifts from one hold to another bewilders his less alert opponents and enables him to trick them into dangerous positions.

The grapevine as used by Gotch is one of his famous shifts whereby he secures his half nelson and crotch and with such precision that it has caused the downfall of some of the greatest wrestlers in the world.

Gotch makes the grapevine shift when over his opponent on the mat. When the defensive wrestler is on his hands and knees, Gotch holds him down by working back and well to the side, grasping his victim's near leg near the crotch. The world's champion feels for a further leg or arm hold or some other grip to distract his opponent's attention. As the latter is looking away from the real point of attack, Gotch suddenly raises his opponent's near leg and, if working on the left side, jumps in with his right leg under the leg of his opponent, which has been raised. With his right leg he grapevines the victim's far leg. With this leverage the champion has turned his opponent easily. The imprisoned leg of the defensive wrestler is thus rendered powerless. As the

opponent turns Gotch suddenly reverses the hold into a half nelson with a crotch.

It was told Gotch in 1911 that an American wrestler who wished to see him defeated had been tutoring Hackenschmidt against the grapevine hold leading to the half nelson and crotch.

The world's champion laughed at these stories. He said the Russian lion was privileged to practice the maneuver all he pleased, but he would defeat him in one fall by this same ruse.

This remarkable prediction actually came to pass. When Hackenschmidt met Gotch for the second time in Chicago he was coached to the minute, to avoid this rapid-fire attack of Gotch. It was the means of his downfall in the first bout. Gotch put Hack off his guard, raised his near leg, grapevined his far one and then reversed it into a half nelson and crotch, with which the "lion" was pinned for the first fall in the bitterest defeat of his career.

The grapevine may be secured on the arm, and with the aid of a cross buttock, an opponent may be hurled heavily to the canvas. Gotch has seldom used this grip, however. He has avoided holds whereby an opponent might be killed in flying falls but has used his quick brain to advantage in crushing his opponents by rapid maneuvering in straight wrestling.

Gotch has seldom used the grapevine in pinning an opponent. His defeat of Policeman John J. Rooney in Chicago with a grapevine and hammerlock in 1906 was an exception. (Copyright, 1913, by Joseph B. Bowles.)

Rev. Geo. S. Gibbs.

Rev. George S. Gibbs, pastor of the local Episcopal church, died at his home in Crowley Monday, at 10:10 a. m. after a lingering illness. Rev. Gibbs was a native of Lexington, Va. He was ordained from the Theological Seminary at Alexandria, Va., in 1883 he married Miss Fannie Moss at Hot Springs, Ark. Rev. Gibbs was rector of the Episcopal Church at Hattiesburg, Miss., for six years, and from there moved to Crowley, where he has been rector of the Episcopal Church. He is survived by his wife and two children, Miss Laura Gibbs of Crowley, and Stanley Gibbs, of Dallas, Texas.

The remains were brought to Lafayette on No. 10 Tuesday. Members of the congregation and friends met the train and accompanied the remains to the Protestant cemetery, where interment took place.

Manager W. C. Chevish of the Development Bureau, S. P. Agricultural Agent Grier and C. M. Porter went to Lake Arthur yesterday to attend a potato meeting at 7:30 p. m. that night.

District Court.

The case of Adam Brasseur vs. Henry Breaux, asking for \$5000 damages for alleged slander, was postponed Tuesday until today on account of the snow and bad weather.

The case of J. D. Sims, Hudson & Sons vs. Fernand Derouen, Ernest Chasson intervenor, was argued and submitted yesterday morning.

What is a Week-End?

What, or rather when, is a "week-end"? An English court has had to determine the meaning of the phrase "a man brought a reduced rate "week-end" ticket on Friday and when he sought to return Saturday night was told that he would have to pay full fare, as the special ticket would be good only on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. The man sued the company for the excess fare charged him and won his case.

To Remove Mud Stains.

Carbonate of soda will remove the most obstinate of mud stains. Rub off with a cloth or flannel dipped in the soda, then press the wrong side of the fabric with a hot iron.

MEETING TO-NIGHT

As the headquarters of the Southwest Louisiana Development Bureau, the other parishes included in the district look to Lafayette to take the lead in pushing the activities of the Bureau to a successful consummation. As matters now stand both St. Mary and Iberia lead Lafayette in membership subscriptions and St. Martin is leading in proportion to the schedule assessed.

This is not as it should be. Lafayette should make good her claim to be the domicile of the Bureau by bringing up her assessment in full, "and then some". In order to accomplish this a meeting will be held tonight, Friday, at 7:30 o'clock, which every business man who is interested in the welfare of Lafayette in urgent-ly invited to attend. The meeting will be held in the hall above the Bank of Lafayette, and it is hoped that no one will find excuse to be absent.

Last Chance 13.

The words Jamaica Mirror contain 13 letters. The name of the publisher, Frank E. Hopkins, contains 13 letters. The words "Casey and Dugan" contain 13 letters. The heading of this item, "Here's Good Luck," contains 13 letters. This number of the Mirror is issued on the 13th of the month in the 13th year of the century, the last chance to make such a combination for a hundred years. When we get a few more subscriptions we shall have 13 thousand.—Jamaica Mirror.

Much of New Guinea Unexplored.

New Guinea is one of the few countries that still present untroubled fields for the explorer. The difficulties of traveling in the interior of this great island have prompted a German traveler, Lieutenant Graetz, to project the exploration of the island by means of an airship. This will enable the explorers to pass without difficulty over rivers, mountains and jungles which would be traversed only with great toil by ordinary travelers.

Daily Reminder.

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