

WORLD'S FAMOUS ARTIST FOR CHAUTAUQUA OPENING PROGRAM

Secretary Alex. Karr Announces Appearance of Mme. Harriett Labodie

BREWSTER'S MILLIONS, TOO

"Doll's House" by Greatest Norwegian Author Will Be Interpreted by Woman Whose Work Ranks Highest On Platform.

Valley City has welcomed and enjoyed many of the world's best platform lecturers and speakers in the three past assemblies of the Valley City Chautauqua association. It has remained for the Fourth Assembly opening Friday evening, June 26, to score the greatest triumph of all, however, when it will introduce to a North Dakota audience for the first time Madame Harriet Labodie, world famous dramatic interpreter.

While the appearance of Mme. Labodie alone would be a triumph overshadowing the biggest feature of any Chautauqua program in the northwest, this season the event will be the more notable because the famous artist will be the first heard from the platform of the new auditorium being erected for the Valley City Chautauqua association at the beautiful Chautauqua park.

This combination of events, the formal opening and dedication of the new auditorium and the appearance of Mme. Labodie, should call forth one of the largest crowds which has ever attended the assembly. In fact it is believed that all records for attendance will be broken. The interest in the event is not confined to Valley City but is spreading to all of Barnes

county and cities at a greater distance will send large delegations to hear Mme. Labodie, now recognized on two continents as the greatest interpreter of the drama on the Chautauqua platform.

For her first number here Mme. Labodie has, at special request, consented to interpret Ibsen's greatest drama, "The Doll's House" and the great lessons of the wonderful Norwegian writer's play lose nothing in the treatment accorded the play by this famous artist. In this county where countrymen of Henrik Ibsen have played an all important part in the rapid development, this play of universal interest will be keenly appreciated. It has never failed to win general approval wherever it has been presented by Mme. Labodie and has been one of her greatest successes.

In the absorbing story of Nora Helmer, the doll wife, and her gradual awakening to her spiritual needs and a desire for inner development to meet her responsibilities to life, Ibsen sounds the keynote of individualism and the struggle for freedom from the chains of social conventions. In this play, written over thirty years ago Ibsen stands as a practical thinker, far ahead of his time, proclaiming ideas that are only now beginning to take root in the public mind.

Yet so quickly did "A Doll's House" spring into popular favor that within a little more than two weeks after it was published it was produced at the Royal Theatre, Copenhagen, and despite the fact that the theme aroused such heated discussion that at last it had to be formally barred at social gatherings, the play was soon being acted as well as read all over Scandinavia.

It was not, however, until the production at the old Novelty Theatre, London, in which Miss Janet Achurch created the character of Nora that Ibsen became known to the English speaking people and made his great stride toward world-renown. The

London success of this play led to the first American production in New York whence it soon spread to other American cities. Since then it has been frequently revived and few heroines in modern drama have been played by so many actresses of the first rank as the character of Nora Helmer. In fact there is probably no country in the world, possessing a theatre on the European model, in which "A Doll's House" has not been more or less frequently acted.

For her remarkable power of dramatic presentation and her psychological treatment of this play Mme. Labodie has long been recognized as ranking among the foremost exponents of Ibsen and to those who have found his meaning obscure the author will be revealed as a writer of an intensely interesting and simple human document.

Mme. Labodie is now under contract to appear in all the more important countries of the world including Great Britain, Continental Europe, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, China, Japan, the Philippine Islands and Hawaiian Islands. Valley City is fortunate in being able to hear her before her departure on this long trip. Wherever she has appeared in this country, from Nome, Alaska, through all the Canadian provinces and in nearly every state in the United States the press and critics have had but one word for Mme. Labodie. All unite in declaring her the greatest interpreter of the drama.

In addition to the appearance of Mme. Labodie the opening of the Chautauqua auditorium will be marked by the exhibition of the motion pictures of that wonderful American play, "Brewster's Millions." Probably few books have been more widely read in the United States than McCucheon's wonderfully imaginative story of "Brewster's Millions." The motion pictures which have been based upon this play while closely following the text, yet give a very new light to all the action. It is the old story, told in a new and even more interesting way. It sparkles with humor, is tense with dramatic excitement and carries the audience spellbound from reel to reel. As a supplement for the wonderful work of Mme. Harriett Labodie nothing better could be found.

Remember both these great features will be on the program for the opening night of the Valley City Chautauqua, June 26. There will be no better program offered by any Chautauqua in the United States this year than the Valley City Chautauqua will offer on opening night. The proceeds of this entertainment will help to defray the cost of the fine new auditorium building in which it will be held and Valley City and Barnes county should give united support to this movement which means bigger things to this section year by year.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1914.

The friends of Mrs. Frank Schmidt will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her bed again, with a nervous breakdown.

Harry Davidson who has been studying music in the University of Washington during the past year, has returned home for his summer vacation. Mrs. A. J. Coddling and Della Coddling will be hostesses tonight to about a dozen friends at dinner, for Mr. and Mrs. Knute Froyasa, who leave next Wednesday for New York to sail July 1st for Norway. They will later go to Germany.

In the case of the State vs. Jacob Schuler, a verdict of not guilty was returned by the jury. Schuler was accused of "assault with a dangerous weapon," but it was moved by the court to instruct the jury to return such a verdict on the grounds that no evidence of assault could be found.

The Ladies' Guild will serve a supper to the members of the Congregational Brotherhood and their invited guests in the church parlors tomorrow, Friday, evening promptly at half past six. This is the regular monthly meeting of the brotherhood. The members are especially invited because of some important matters to come before the brotherhood at this time.

In the case of State vs. Lawrence Beach, which was tried in Jamestown district court this week, accused of "blind pigging," the defendant admitted his guilt, and was given ninety days with a \$200 fine and ten days extra if fine is not paid.

Yesterday afternoon at the Congregational parsonage Herbert Kenwood and Charlotte G. Cumming both of Svea Township, Barnes County, were united in marriage by the Rev. Willard Crosby Lyon. Mr. and Mrs. Kenwood left for their home south of Sanborn.

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VALLEY CITY Saturday, June 27th

The Times Record is in receipt of news from Ann Arbor, Michigan, to the effect that James Fitzgerald, a Valley City boy and well known here, will be given the degree of bachelor of arts at the commencement exercises there, on June 25th. The class of which Mr. Fitzgerald is a member is one of the largest ever graduated from Ann Arbor, numbering about 1,000 students, with almost every state in the Union and many foreign countries represented.

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MESSNER-ZAUN NUPTIALS WEDNESDAY

SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1914.

A beautiful wedding was solemnized at the German Lutheran church, Wednesday, June 17th, when Reverend J. F. L. Bohnhoff united Paul Messner and Anna Zaun in marriage.

The bride was beautifully gowned in crepe de metior and wore a veil. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses. Her attendant Miss Mary Messner, sister of the groom, wore a white crepe gown trimmed with shadow all over lace, and carried a bouquet of pink peonies.

The groom was attended by a brother of the bride, Mr. William Zaun and the two little flower girls who preceded the bridal couple to the altar, were Mable Buckman, a niece of the bride and little Nellie Wyttenbach.

The bridal party proceeded to the altar to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Clara Schroeder. The little flower girls came first, carrying baskets of sweet peas, followed by the bridal attendants and after them, the bride and groom.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride where an elaborate dinner was served to the guests which numbered almost two hundred. Mr. and Mrs. Messner received many handsome and useful gifts from their many friends and relatives.

Sheyenne will make preparations to celebrate the Fourth of July in a fitting manner, with a prominent speaker, baseball game and so forth.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their 16th district convention in Grand Forks, Thursday and Friday, June 25th and 26th.

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Dr. Walters of Fargo preached the sermon at the services attending the laying of the corner stone of the new Methodist church which will be built in Jamestown.

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