

Theater

ILLINOIS.
 Dec. 27—"Follies of Pleasure." Progressive Wheel burlesque, matinee and night.
 Dec. 28—"Beverly of Graustark."
 Dec. 29—James K. Hackett in "A Grain of Dust."
 Jan. 1—Janina Rutkiewicz, Russian dancer, and company of European artists.

EMPIRE.
 High class vaudeville—Two performances daily.

FAMILY, MOLINE.
 Pantages vaudeville—Two performances daily.

AT THE ILLINOIS.
 "The Follies of Pleasure" will be the attraction at the Illinois tomorrow matinee and night. The personnel of its cast, headed by the funmaker, Dan Coleman, includes many who have added to the success of more than one Broadway production. Mr. Coleman will be seen in the dual role of the janitor and the bogus lord. He has been surrounded by a strong cast, among which are such well known names as Clyde J. Bates, Tom McKenna, Fred Bulla, Lavigne and Jaffie, Alma Bauer, Violet Wilson and Gustie Irwin, and a chorus of Broadway beauties.

Miss Lella White, who plays one of the leading parts in "Beverly," which comes to the Illinois Sunday, is a Toledo, Ohio, girl who spent the past summer in England, and judging from her remarks, she is not particularly enamored with Britain or the Britishers.

"I saw the sun three times in nine weeks," says Miss White, "and then it was a very poor imitation of the one we have over here. I think the rain must soak into their skulls, for they are certainly the stupidest people I ever came in contact with. They imagine this country is about the same size as their own two by four island, and nothing you can say will convince them to the contrary. I went down to Brighton one day—their leading watering place, and it was about as joyful as a morgue. The men and women bathe separately, and look like they want to bite nails, but I enjoyed the salt water, and it was my first experience in the briny. There was an angular British female with teeth like an ear of corn, who was wading dolefully around in the water near me, and I mentioned to her that I had never been in salt water before. 'Why, how is that?' asked the solemn Englishwoman.

THE ILLINOIS
 Saturday, December 27
 Matinee and Night
 Progressive Wheel High Class Burlesque

Follies of Pleasure
 With the Handicapped Chorus in the World.
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THE ILLINOIS
 Sunday, December 28
 Matinee and Night
 George Barr McCutcheon

BEVERLY OF GRAUSTARK
 Beautiful Scenery, Gorgeous Costumes, Superb Cast.
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 Special matinee 25c and 50c
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FAMOUS "SNOW BABY" TO MAKE BOW SOON



Miss Marie Peary.

Miss Marie Ahnlichto Peary, daughter of the discoverer of the North Pole, is one of the season's debutantes in Washington society. Much has been written of Miss Peary and she has been famous since her birth as the first white child to be born within the arctic circle. She makes her bow on January 2.

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"I live in Toledo, in the United States, when I'm home, and I've never been near the ocean until I came across this summer."

"That's strange," commented the woman, "I should have thought you'd have been in the Atlantic often."

"But I don't live anywhere near the Atlantic," said I.

"Well, if you don't live near the Atlantic, then you must live near the Pacific, if you don't live near one ocean, then you must live near the other."

"I tried to tell that woman that the United States was 3,500 miles wide, but she gave me a look that fairly shouted 'Liar, and gloomily stalked away.'"

James K. Hackett is enjoying one of the most eventful dramatic seasons in his experience in "The Grain of Dust." He will appear at the Illinois next Monday. Mr. Hackett will come here with a strictly all-American company which stands out noticeably at this time, when so much is being said and printed of the English invasion of our stage. Mr. Hackett is most admirably cast for the role of Frederick Norman, the young corporation lawyer, whose career forms the foundation of the story of the play. Those who remember Hackett's stage characterizations, viz: John Glade in "John Glade's Honor," "Rupert of Hentland," "Samson," "The Walls of Jericho," "The Prisoner of Zenda" which brought him such great fame, will know what to expect when it is said that the character of Frederick Norman is probably his greatest stage portrayal. "The Grain of Dust" is Louis Evan Shipman's dramatization of the book of the same name by David Graham Phillips, and was made for Mr. Hackett's special use. The play is in four acts, and is noteworthy, in respect to its interest-holding qualities, for not for a solitary moment in the telling of the story does the auditor lose interest in the working out of the plot. Mr. Hackett's supporting cast can truly be said to be a remarkable one. Among the best known players to be seen in "The Grain of Dust" is Beatrice Beckley.

JAMES K. HACKETT TO BE HERE MONDAY

SURGEON TO A TIGER.
 An Exciting Operation That Was Rescued by Gratitude.

When one of the tigers in the zoological gardens in Dublin was treated for gangrene in its paw, Rev. Samuel Haughton, M. D., undertook to perform the dangerous experiment of operating on the animal. The mate of the tiger was first secured in a side den. A net devised by Professor Haughton was thrown over the tiger, and he was drawn forward to the door of the cage. Four stout keepers then held the feet of the struggling animal, while Professor Haughton cut away the diseased claw. The suffering beast furiously but vainly tried to get at him during the operation, but the rage of the tigress looking on through the bars of the side den was much more terrible to behold. She roared and violently flung herself against the barriers in her mad desire to go to the rescue of her mate. When the tigress was admitted to the cage after the wound of her mate had been dressed she turned up the paw and examined it with touching solicitude and then licked her mate as a cat licks her kittens to soothe them, purring softly the while. But perhaps the most extraordinary part of the affair was the sequel. A week later Professor Haughton was again at the zoo to see how his patient was getting on. When the animal espied him he began to purr like a cat, allowed him to examine the paw and seemed pleased that he should do so. Indeed, for years afterward the tiger and tigress showed themselves most friendly and grateful to Professor Haughton.—Westminster Gazette.

GRAVE OF EDNA LYALL.
 Picturesque Spot Where the Noted Author Lies at Rest.
 Few people perhaps know anything about the picturesque English village of Bosbury, lying almost beneath the shadow of the lengthy rampart of hills which divides the valley of the Ser-

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Sweater Coats	20%	Flannel Shirts	10%
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25c Stockings	19c	\$1.00 Sweater Coats	69c

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2.00 Flannel, with separate collar	1.38
2.00 Negligee	1.38
1.50 Negligee	1.15
House Jackets 25%	Fur Caps 20%
75c & \$1 Neckw'r 59c	Sweaters 20%
Flannel Shirts 10%	Bathrobes 10%

ern from undulating orchard clad Herefordshire. It was to this garden of England, a veritable glory of apple blossom in the springtime, that Edna Lyall delighted to go for a few weeks in each year of her short life, and it was Bosbury churchyard that she chose for her last resting place. Her grave beneath the shadow of an old churchyard cross is a very simple one—merely a plot of grass bordered by her favorite rose trees. Upon it stands a small Iowa cross with the inscription:
 ADA ELLEN RAYLY
 (Edna Lyall)
 February 8th, 1862.
 "My trust is in the tender mercy of God for ever and ever."
 "Woe by Waiting" was Edna Lyall's first book. "The Autobiography of a Slander" reached its twenty-four thousandth edition soon after publication and was translated into several languages.—Great Thoughts.

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 "The Man of the Hour"
 \$1.50 Show for 10c, 20c, 30c
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Old Time Rowing Costumes. English rowing men a century ago wore costumes far different from what they wear now. In 1805 it was the correct thing for them to wear a green leather catskin cap with a jacket and trousers of nankeen. In the first university race at Henley in 1829 Oxford won wearing blue checks, while Cambridge was in white, with pink waistcoats. Broad brimmed heavy straw hats came in a little later.

It Was Up to Dobbin. A cultured daughter, home from boarding school, had just been driving the fat and antiquated family horse, from which all speed and spirit had departed some fifteen years before. "Mamma," she called dubiously, "though in sudden alarm—"I can't leave Dobbin standing, can I?" The matter of fact mother replied briskly: "You can. Unless he prefers to sit!"—New York Mail.

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Washington—Justice McKenna of the supreme court refused to grant an application for a review by the court of the conviction of Linda Burfield Hazard, a licensed osteopath and

"fastist" in Kipapa county, Washington, of manslaughter. The woman was charged with causing the death of Claire Williamson by withholding food from her.

YOU LIVE ACCORDING TO YOUR LIVER

Your Physician will tell you that a lazy Liver is the most common cause of that "run-down" feeling, lack of energy, constipation, etc. Do you want to know how to feel fine always—to be 100 per cent efficient—to get back into fighting trim in a few hours, and to stay that way? Ask your friend, the druggist, if salts—mineral waters—oil and most laxatives affect the Liver? Ask him if they stimulate a flow of Bile? He will answer—"No!" Ask him if Bile is nature's great antiseptic, if it is needed to cleanse the bowels and blood? Ask him if poisons accumulate in the system when the Liver is inactive? He will answer—"Yes!" Ask him if Podophyllin is a great Liver regulator. He will answer—"Yes!" Ask him why Podophyllin is not often prescribed, and he will tell you its taste is bitter and it causes griping and nausea. Ask him—"Suppose the bitterness, griping and nausea of Podophyllin were eliminated without diminishing its efficiency, would Podophyllin be the ideal laxative and Liver regulator?" He will answer enthusiastically—"Yes!"

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