# LADIES WILL AID SHOW'S SUCCESS

Rock Island Elks Get Promise of Assistance in Disposing of Tickets and Securing Caste.

MRS. HARRY KNOX IS CHAIRMAN

Is Selected Head of Executive Committee to Direct Work of Helping Antlered Tribe's Plans.

The Ladies of the Elks, an organization founded a year ago, will assist the local antlered tribe in making its minstrel show next month not only a financial success but a smashing [illegible] hit.

The ladies met with the executive committee of the lodge and organized into committees to help dispose of the tickets and to assist in securing the best home talent obtainable. The ladies selected an executive committee to direct their work composed of Mrs. Harry Knox, chairman, Mrs. George Stroehle, Mrs. William Barth, Mrs. C. N. Isaacson, Mrs. J. D. Huesing, Jr., Mrs. Charles Hirsch and Mrs. Ben Koch.

The cast committee, considered perhaps the most important one at the present in view of the fact that it will be only a short time before local thespians will be selected for the production, is composed of three members, with Mrs. J. D. Huesing, Jr., as chairman and Mrs. J. K. Scott and Miss [illegible].

The ticket committee is composed of all of the ladies with Mrs. George Stroehle as chairman. The program committee is also composed of the entire membership of the ladies' organization with Mrs. William Barth as chairman.

The Ladies of the Elks will entertain the lodge at a social event to be held in the club rooms on Thursday, Oct. 19. It will be in the form of a card party and a dance will be served. Mrs. J. [illegible] is chairman of the committee selected to make arrangements for the affair.

**Stag Well Attended.**

Saturday night the Elks held their opening stag. Three hundred "Bills" and their friends attended. [illegible] and the [illegible] ... A lunch was served in the lodge room on the third floor. Tuesday the lodge will hold its session at [illegible] ... their reports on progress made by the minstrel committee will be given.

## YOUNG HENRY COUNTY FARMER SUMMONED

(Special to The Argus.)

Orion, Ill., Oct. 16.—At his farm home, three miles [illegible] of here, at 7:30 last evening occurred the death of Rutherford Lindall, who had been ailing a year with lung trouble. Mr. Lindall was born in this county May 25, 1887, a son of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] J. Lindall, who reside in this city. Deceased was a young man who enjoyed an extensive acquaintanceship and popularity in this section and his death will be sincerely mourned by all who knew him. The survivors are his wife and two-year-old daughter Vera, and his parents.

## EDGINGTON

Mrs. Lucinda Richardson of Davenport has been making an extended visit with friends in Edgington.

Little Miss Hazel Wood arrived in Edgington last week where she will spend the winter with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Parmenter, and attend the North Edgington school.

Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Stewart visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Porter of Marston.

Miss Dorothy Nice of Milan is visiting with her cousin, Miss Marie Porter.

Rally day will be observed in the Edgington Presbyterian church Sunday morning, Oct. 15, and it is hoped that a large audience will be present.

William Schmidt has been suffering from a severe illness during the past week and is improving very slowly.

William Wilson of Bowling, Byron Watson of Drury, and A. G. Stewart of Edgington, judges in the church beautiful contest, visited eight of the competing churches including Edgington Saturday and expect to visit the remainder this week and the winning churches will then be announced.

Miss Anna Brubaker has been visiting friends in Milan this week.

Mrs. Humphrey Brubaker has returned from Springfield where she attended the grand chapter of the Eastern Star lodge.

**Delegates Gather at Cincinnati.**

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 16.—Mayor George Puchta and William B. Melish, president of the chamber of commerce, welcomed delegates from more than 20 states at the opening of the fourth annual meeting of the American Humane society here today. The convention will be in session four days. The president's annual address was delivered by Dr. William O. Stillman of Albany, N. Y.

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*Matinees, 2:15*
*Nights, 8:15*
*Except Sunday, 3 Shows, 2:15, 7:15 and 9:15*

# The Theatre

**ILLINOIS THEATER.**

Oct. 18. Neil O'Brien's Minstrels.
Oct. 21. Wooster's "Winsome Widow."
Oct. 28. "A Pair of Queens."

**IN THE MOVIES.**
**TONIGHT.**

Spencer Square—Mae Murray in "The Big Sister," Beatrice Fairfax series.

Majestic—Mae Marsh in "The Little Liar." Mark Twain in "Tom Sawyer [illegible]."

Colonial—[illegible] the [illegible], [illegible] Tribune news.

Black Hawk—Last chapter of "The Iron Claw," first chapter of "Red Circle."

**TUESDAY.**

Spencer Square—Sheldon Lewis in "Pursuing Vengeance."

Majestic—"The Unwelcome Mother," second chapter of "The Scarlet Runner."

Colonial—Charles Chaplin in "The Count." Mary Pickford in "Hulda [illegible]."

Black Hawk—Mabel Normand in "Saved From Himself," Selig news.

**COLUMBIA.**

Vaudeville—Two shows daily at 7:45 and 9:15 p. m. Three Saturday and Sundays at 2:45, 7:30 and 9 p. m. Change of bill Sunday and Thursday.

**FAMILY (Moline).**

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**AT THE ILLINOIS.**

The most popular organization of its kind now in America, Neil O'Brien's Great American minstrels, will be the attraction at the Illinois Wednesday evening. This organization has rapidly grown from a small beginning into a large affair and the promise is given by Manager Oscar F. Hodge that the company is larger in point of numbers than ever before and that everything will be found new and up-to-date. There will, of course, be a large coterie of comedians to help Mr. O'Brien in the laugh-making, among them being, in addition to the star, Eddie Ross, 'Lasses White, Pete Wetzel, Major Nowak and George [illegible]. The list of vocalists includes J. Lester Haberkorn, James Barardi, Earl Holmes, Joseph Antre, Jonathan Haw, Carl Strauss, Paul Lalonde and W. R. Pardy. There will be a number of new features, among them being a one-act sketch for Mr. O'Brien, written and staged by himself, called "The Jitney Joy Bus," in which the comedian will endeavor to illustrate in humorous fashion some of the possibilities that may happen to the unsuspecting traveler who uses this popular and cheap mode of travel.

**AT THE MAJESTIC.**

Utilizing a downtown Los Angeles department store for a number of scenes in "The Little Liar," to be seen tonight at the Majestic, the members of the cast were obliged to work at night in order to avoid the customers visiting the store during the shopping hours. Mae Marsh, as a slum girl, is accused of the theft of a number of yards of lace from the big store, and because of the fact that she is noted as a "little liar" she is arrested and taken to jail. The department store scenes are among the lively bits of action in the picture, and Carl Stockdale, as a thieving floorwalker, does some excellent work in his role as the smooth and oily manager of the girls and the sleek and polite aid of a well-gowned shoplifter.

**AT SPENCER SQUARE.**

When Director John B. O'Brien was informed that his next script would call for several thugs and underworld characters—being "The Big Sister," in which Mae Murray is being starred on the Paramount program by the Famous Players Film company, the director immediately sent out a hurry call for several pugilistic gentlemen whom he knew to be desirous of earning an extra bit. These gentlemen very kindly consented to do a little acting before the camera—and a little slum atmosphere was very easily constructed around them. "The Big Sister" is on view at the Spencer Square today.

**AT THE COLUMBIA.**

[illegible] Boyle Woolfolk's production, "Vanity Fair," which is playing at the Columbia theatre, Davenport, [illegible] ... The musical numbers [illegible] ... "Just a pair of trousers makes a much better actress of me," confesses Miss [illegible] ... a girl who was, through [illegible] ... which is being shown here.

**AT THE BURTIS.**

"Just a pair of trousers makes a much better actress of me," confesses Miss [illegible], who is said to have come into her own in the new comic opera "Pom-Pom," in which she will appear at the Burtis, in Davenport, Oct. 25. "In trousers I can do all sorts of things I've never dared to do in skirts. It proves to me that the men always have much the best time. And the language—I find English so much easier because if one makes a mistake as a woman it is often fatal, while if something is not quite right and slips off the tongue while one is a boy it [illegible]

[illegible] ... consequences ... [illegible]

## M'CORMICK IS QUOTED AS SCORING LOWDEN

[illegible]

[illegible] ... looking over the files of that newspaper that Editor McCormick wrote in the editorial columns of the Tribune [illegible] ... Thereafter, [illegible] Mr. McCormick ... in what respect Mr. Lowden has changed ... [illegible] ... Will Mr. McCormick deny that the [illegible] ... Will he deny that Mr. Lowden is [illegible] ... politicians that has ever gathered in the city hall of Chicago?

**Order Tax Collector Suspended.**

Tampa, Fla., Oct. 16.—Governor Trammell has issued an order suspending John L. Branch, tax collector of the Hillsboro county, according to a dispatch received here from Tallahassee, which said [illegible] ... a shortage ... [illegible] ... on a [illegible] charge.

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[illegible]

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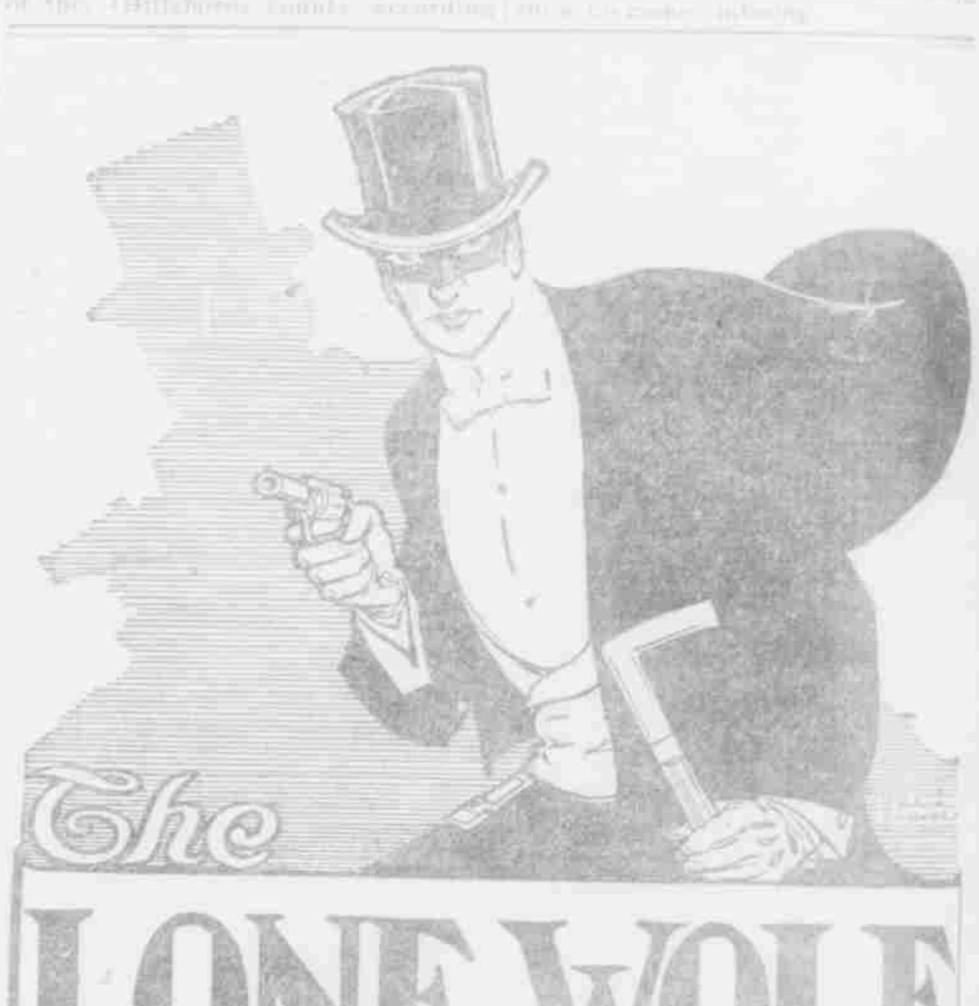

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