

RIGHT OFF THE REEL

Concerning Attractions the Local Playhouses Offer the Amusement Loving Public.

(THIS DEPARTMENT APPEARS EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.)

GRAND

The Famous Players company released on April 16, a four-part subject, an adaptation of the well-known story by Charles Frederick Goss, "The Redemption of David Corson."

When Paracelsus pursues, Corson meets him, and in a struggle the former is blinded. From this point Corson goes down, "Andy MacFarlane, a lumberman reformed in earlier days through the instrumentality of Corson, is now the one who brings back to the light the man who has turned his back on his early teachings."

ROYAL

"Me and Bill," a two-part drama, founded on a human interest story of love, is the Royal feature subject.

Young Sam, who represents "Me," and young Bill come on the scene, a pair of barefoot boys on their way to school. They stop at the old swinging gate, and there come young Jean and young Kitty, misses of tender years, who are met by the barefoot boys and permitted to carry their lumberjacks and books as they trudge away down the lane toward the little old red schoolhouse.

Time flies and the babies grow to manhood, to womanhood. Love buds in their hearts, and their parents look forward to a fresh alliance with fond hope. About this time the beautiful mother, Jean, dies, and her husband, Sam, now silvered about the ears, is left to walk alone in the shadow.

The scene changes to the spirited episodes of war. Sam, the intrepid soldier, while rushing ammunition forward in the face of the enemy, is slain by a bursting bomb. Overcome with grief, Kitty slips silently away to sob out her grief alone.

The fame of some of its musical numbers has preceded it and are hummed and whistled in all parts of the country; among the most popular are "Goodbye Everybody," "Is The Girl You Married Still The Girl You Love," "Lonesome Moon," "Rita, My Margarita" and "Every Day Is Christmas When You're Married."

"A Modern Eve" scored heavy in Chicago where it was first produced in the United States, and ran for twenty weeks at the Garrick theater to the largest houses ever known for a summer engagement. In fact, capacity houses were the rule.

Brief and repeated treatments with air superheated to 120 degrees, according to an English expert, will cure cancer in its early stages.

Helen Ware is to star this season in a modern drama by William Locke.

ILLINOIS CASTS BALLOT TODAY

Fifteen Hundred Candidates Seek Nomination at Primaries

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 1.—The voters of Illinois, including a liberal proportion of women, went to the polls today to make their selections among fifteen hundred candidates for State, congressional and legislative nominations.

Public interest centers chiefly in the contest for the Democratic nomination for United States senator to succeed Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman, whose term will expire next March. It is the first time in the history of the State that the people have had an opportunity to nominate and elect a senator by direct vote, under the new amendment to the Federal Constitution.

G. O. P. Situation Clear. On the Republican side, where Senator Sherman has little action opposition for the nomination, the situation is quite clearly defined. The names of several Republican aspirants appear on the ballots, but their strength is not considered formidable and it is generally believed that Senator Sherman will be re-nominated by a substantial majority.

On the Democratic side the situation is entirely different. More than a dozen Democrats entered the race for the senatorship. Later a number of them dropped out of the field, but there are still five from which the voters may make their choice.

Administration Opposes Sullivan. Mr. Sullivan has been a political foe of Secretary of State Bryan ever since the Baltimore convention and in consequence he has not received the support of the national administration in the present contest. Likewise he is opposed by the State administration of Governor Dunne and the Chicago organization headed by Mayor Harrison.

TO PREVENT MATCH FAMINE.

American Chemists Preparing Substitute for Imported Ingredients.

If the European war continues for a long time, there may be brought about a condition in which the United States, though not one of the combatants, will be unable to find its match, or, more precisely, its matches. The head of one of the largest match concerns in the country pointed out a few days ago the danger of an impending match famine in this country as a result of the war.

The supply of matches here, he said, depends entirely upon the importations from abroad, inasmuch as 10 per cent. of the total matches used here, of the safety variety, are imported directly, and the combination of chemicals used in the remaining 90 per cent, or "scratch where you please" variety, can also be obtained only from abroad.

"The fact that the present supply of matches on hand in the United States is low cannot be denied," said E. R. Stettinius, president of the Diamond Match company. Mr. Stettinius added that he had no fear of a famine as regards matches in this country.

"I want to emphasize the statement that there is absolutely no need for alarm. In an emergency such as this is just the time for us to keep our heads. With the amount of chemicals now on hand we can make enough matches to last just about five months. That is to say, our firm can keep its regular customers supplied just that long. I cannot speak for the other firms that help supply the trade, but I understand their condition is just about the same as ours."

Laurium Department

PLAYGROUND SEASON ENDS; EQUIPMENT IS IN STORAGE

LITTLE TOTS THOROUGHLY ENJOY SUPERVISED GAMES AND PASTIMES.

The Laurium playground season was formally closed Saturday, this being the last day of the school vacation. Part of the equipment already has been placed in storage in the neighborhood and the remainder will be stored away as soon as possible.

The season has been a very successful one at the Laurium playground and the supervised games and pastimes have been thoroughly enjoyed by the children, several hundred of whom have been thoroughly enjoyed by the children, several hundred of whom have an unusually large proportion of children, the playground has been easy of access and has to a marked degree overcome the natural inclination toward street play.

It is probable that the Playground Association will arrange with the Yott estate for the continuation of the playground next year. Its usefulness has been fully proved and until some better grounds are obtained, the association is very anxious to retain the grounds which have been used in the past.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS

Harry Lauder is to make another Austrian tour next winter.

"The Passing Show of 1914" has passed its 100th performance at the Winter Garden in New York.

Jane Cow's plans for the season include an appearance in the leading role of "Montmartre," a play adapted from the French.

Marie Cahill, who has not been seen on the stage for several years, is to reappear this season in a new musical comedy.

"The Princess Zim-Zim" is to be known as "The Lonely Heart" when it is revived this season for the uses of John Barrymore.

"The Bohemian," a new play by Jack Lait, the Chicago author, is to be tried out in Los Angeles soon by Oliver Morosco.

An interesting event of the early season in New York will be the presentation of Jean Webster's play, "Daddy Long-Legs."

Oliver Morosco has signed a contract with Fritz Scheff to be the star in the production of the new Viennese operetta, "Madcap Therese."

"The Bride of Sighs" is the title of the new play by Edward Sheldon in which Miss Ethel Barrymore will soon begin her season in New York.

Louis N. Parker has written a historical and costume play about Henry VIII. It is called "The Tiff King Hal" and will be produced by Arthur Boucher.

Mme. Olga Petrova will engage in a road tour in "Panthea" during the early part of the season. About holiday time she will appear in New York in a new play.

The cast of "The Tramp," a play by Richard Harding Davis and Jules Eckert Goodman, will include Janet Beecher, Tully Marshall, Charles Richman, Orrin Johnson, Harry Harwood and Elaine Hammerstein.

Eugene Walter has quarreled with Klaw and Erlanger because of their belief that Miss Charlotte Walker (Mrs. Walter) should not head the cast of his play "A Plain Woman," and is assuming the managerial function with regard to that drama.

A new musical comedy entitled "Lady of the House" is to be produced by F. C. Whitney for the first time in Toronto on September 14. The book was written by Mrs. Rida Johnson Young, and the music by William Schroeder.

In November Mr. Whitney plans to produce the new Strauss opera, "Mein Jonger Herr."

The European war means that the American stage is not likely to be overburdened for some time to come with English, German or French plays and actors. This should afford an unprecedented opportunity for American dramatists who can produce fresh, inspired creations to the taste of American playgoers.

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