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In the Great Mystery Story of a Dual Personality, **"The CURIOUS CONDUCT of JUDGE LEGARDE"**

TOMORROW and TUESDAY—The Love Comedy of an Irish-American Bowery Boy and His "Dutchess," The French Maid of an Impulsive Heiress—A Sure-Fire Comedian in a Paramount Triumph—Victor Moore in **"CHIMMIE FADDIN"**

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7:00 to 10:30 p. m.
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HENRY B. WALTHALL and RUTH STONEHOUSE in
"TEMPER"—3 acts
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LAKE BOATS RAN INTO HEAVY FOG

Steamer Keokuk Had to Take West Channel Yesterday Morning and Keep Siren Sounding for Safety.

BLANKET WAS THICK

Was One of the Worst Along River, Steamboat Men Said—Two Excursions in Last Two Days From Here.

Fog horns are going to be a necessary part of the equipment of the steamers on Lake Cooper if any more gray blankets cover the lake such as covered it yesterday morning. It was practically impossible to see a hundred feet ahead on the lake, and the boats which make the early trips were taking all precautions.

The steamer Keokuk which leaves here early in the morning, proceeded up the Iowa side of the river, instead of crossing over as is usual to the Illinois side. The steamer was sounding its siren all the way up the lake. It was practically impossible to see any distance beyond the nose of the boat, and the captain and crew were taking no chances on striking anything or getting into the path of any of the bigger boats.

Fogs as heavy as this one of yesterday are rather unusual along the lake, although frequently in the early fall and spring the few boats on the lake find themselves in a fog blanket, hardly as thick as this one of yesterday, however.

Two Excursions on River.
The Unitarian excursion which went to Burlington Friday was an enjoyable affair, although not as large a crowd was on board as has patronized the excursions in the past. Considerable time was given in Burlington before returning.
Yesterday afternoon and evening the excursion given under auspices of the operators of the Iowa Telephone company was given on the steamer G. W. Hill. A good crowd was taken on this trip.

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Mystery Photo-drama at the Grand Tonight.

With an excellent cast headed by Lionel Barrymore and including Edna Pendleton and Wm. H. Tooker, the Grand offers "The Curious Conduct of Judge Legarde" tonight at 7, 8 and 9:15 o'clock. The story of this play is an intensely absorbing one of mystery and thrills, dealing with the dual personality of a powerful character. This subject is by Victor Mapes from the Life Photo Film studios and is certain to please the patrons of the Grand.

"Chimmie Fadden" is one of the most famous Irish-American characters ever created. He first appeared before the public in a series of newspaper stories by E. W. Townsend. These stories became the foundation of a book which sold in vast quantities and of a play which was popular for years, making "Chimmie" literally a national figure. He will be at the Grand tomorrow night.—Advertisement.

Orpheum's Announcement.
The management of the Orpheum theatre takes great pleasure in announcing to the patrons of high class moving pictures that it has, with considerable expense, been able to secure the greatest serial photoplay ever produced, "The Divine Mischance." This picture is a romantic novel cost the producers the enormous sum of \$300,000 to get before the public. It captured the \$10,000 prize in the recent photoplay contest. Produced at enormous expense with such film stars as Lottie Pickford, Irving Cummings, William Russell, Charlotte Burton. The most beautiful, realistic, exciting, artistic film play of them all, showing big, terrific scenes that hold you aghast one moment and enchanted the next. It is a ceaseless cataract of action that will hold your interest during the entire showing of the picture. Don't fail to see the first of this wonderful play, and you won't want to miss a single chapter. The story has been running in 500 of the leading newspapers of the country. Read the story and don't fail to see the entire chapter at the Orpheum theatre Thursday, September 2.—Advertisement.

At the Hippodrome.
Henry B. Walthall, known "the world over as a master of subtle emotion, is featured in Essany's latest three act feature entitled "Temper," which is to be shown at the Hippodrome theatre tonight.
Henry B. Walthall who gained such a wonderful success by his masterful acting in "The Birth of a Nation" and "The Avening Conscience," is assisted in "Temper" by that well liked actress Ruth Stonehouse.

The management takes special pride in announcing such a splendid feature for this evening's program and patrons should not miss the opportunity of seeing these two favorite celebrities in this great drama, as it is one of the most remarkable photoplays filmed this year.

Another feature of this evening's program will be one of those ever pleasing "Ham" comedies, ever entertaining and abounding with hearty laughs.

Beginning tomorrow, there will be three successive Vitagraph days. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, "movie" fans will have an opportunity of seeing every Vitagraph

KEOKUK HAS NO ELECTRICAL RIVAL

Horace A. Turner, electrical superintendent of the Keokuk Electric Company, who returned today with his wife, from a six week's visit on the Pacific coast, stated that no western city, not excepting San Francisco, Seattle, Tacoma, or any of the other big places, has anything on Keokuk so far as electricity is concerned. The lighting of Keokuk, he stated, was equal to any in the coastal cities; the up-to-date methods used here and the excellent equipment barely equalled, and the white way without a peer. Mr. Turner made a special study of the electrical equipment in western cities and finds that Keokuk can keep up with the best. Mr. Turner originally came from Seattle and has had a large part in the work of putting Keokuk on the electrical map.

player of renown. Such stars as Earle Williams, Anita Stewart, Clara Kimball Young, Harry Morey, Julia Gordon, Roger Lytton, Wally Van, Lillian Walker, Hughey Mack, Charles Wellesley, Leak Baird, Charles Kent and others too numerous to mention, will be featured in the new act, and every day. Watch our advertisements in this paper for more details in this respect.

We have undergone a heavy additional expenditure in order to obtain these sterling features and you should not miss the opportunity of seeing them, as they represent the best of the output from the greatest manufacturer in the world, Vitagraph.—Advertisement.

Water Circus Real Novelty.

Two good sized crowds witnessed a real novelty in summer entertainment in the Rice and Dore water circus which showed here yesterday afternoon and evening. The show was brought to Keokuk through the progressiveness of D. E. Reeves, and it was something to see a new act, and was well received. Combined aerial and aquatic skill made the show "something different" and it was the first of its kind to be staged in Keokuk. There was even a side-show and two concessions on two huge barges.

The performance proper is staged in a tank set into a third barge, which with a fourth huge boat, supports regular circus seats. A company of men and women swimming experts took part in a well arranged and exciting program. During the evening performance a brilliant varied colored lighting arrangement made the scene spectacular.

A big surprise was sprung at the outset when a galaxy of shapely mermaids descended calmly into the water to visit the realms of Neptune—and stayed there.
The log rolling and diving stunts from a trapeze by several male members of the troupe drew applause by its demonstrations of skill and grace. A game of real water polo, sport not often witnessed in the city, between three of the men and four girls, also won the attention of the crowd.

The closing number of the show provided real thrills. Victoria Wolfe and Hattie LaPelt ascended the ladder and balancing gracefully, plunged fifty and twenty-five feet respectively into the five foot tank of water. Then Captain John Foley ascended clear to the tip of the ladder, and plunged like a shot into the patch of water below while "Ohs" and "Ahs" testified to the ocular thrills.

TWO YOUNG LADIES HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Misses Huls of Carthage Vicinity Involved in Runaway in Hancock Capital City.

CARTHAGE, Ill., Aug. 14.—Two young ladies, the daughters of Jared Huls, a farmer living south of this city, had a narrow escape from a serious and perhaps fatal injury from death. They were in a buggy and had started for their home, and when on the south side of the public square, near the Hotel Cutler, one of the front wheels came off the buggy.

The axle, scraping along on the pavement, frightened the horse and it began to run. They came around the side of the square, and when at the northeast corner, the horse veered into the Baptist church yard. The axle catching on the curb, checked the speed, and caused the buggy to topple over.

This threw the young ladies to the pavement with considerable violence. Very fortunately they were not seriously injured.

How to Beautify a Summer Soiled Face.

It's really a simple matter to renovate a face soiled by sun, winds or dirt. Ordinary mercurized wax, used like cold cream, will transform the worst old complexion into one of snowy whiteness and velvety softness. It literally peels off the outer veil of surface skin, but so gently, gradually, there's no discomfort. The wornout skin comes off, not in patches, but evenly, in tiny particles, leaving no evidence of the treatment. The younger, healthier under-skin, forming the new complexion, is one of captivating loveliness. One ounce of mercurized wax, to be had at any drugstore, is enough to remove any tanned, reddened, pimpled, freckled or blotchy skin. Apply before retiring, washing it off mornings.

Many skins wrinkle easily with every wind that blows, with heat, worry, etc. An excellent wrinkle remover, because it tightens the skin mover, strengthens relaxed muscles, is a wash lotion made as follows: Powdered saxolite, 1 oz., dissolved in 4-oz. water. This gives immediate results.

EXAMINATIONS FOR ELECTRIC CO. MEN

Car Men, Linemen and Laborers to be Tested for Physical Disabilities This Week.

ANNOUNCEMENT MADE

J. P. Ingle, General Superintendent of Electric Company, Talks at Meeting of Car Men's Club.

The monthly meeting of the Car Men's club of the Keokuk Electric company was held last evening at 11 o'clock in the car barns.

The speaker of the evening was J. P. Ingle, general superintendent of the electric company, who explained to the men the physical examinations which will be held this week.

These examinations will be conducted by Dr. F. B. Dorsey and will be thorough in their nature. The motor men, conductors, linemen, laborers and all other employees, with the exception of the office force, will be examined for vision, hearing and physical disabilities.

It will especially be required that motor men have clear vision and good hearing as a guard against accidents, and that linemen be not subjected to afflictions of the heart or fainting spells. Similar examinations will be conducted in all cities where the utilities are under management of the Stone & Webster company. A short time ago all employees of the local company were vaccinated for typhoid fever in line with the safety first principals that are being followed here.

About fifty members of the local company will be examined next week.

FINAL PLANS MADE FOR GENEVA TRIP

Young Women Who Will Attend Summer Conference, Have Final Rally at Y. W. C. A., Friday Evening.

A group of enthusiastic young women met at the Y. W. C. A. Friday evening to make final plans for going to the summer conference of the Y. W. C. A. held at Lake Geneva, Wis., from August 17 to 27. Association members from city associations in eleven states will gather at the Geneva conference at this time and Keokuk is especially well represented this year with a delegation of twenty. The mornings at Geneva are spent in Bible study, meetings of councils for board members, business women, members of the industrial department, and high school girls, and there are also splendid mission study classes.

Afternoons are spent in walks along the shore of the lake, in swimming, boating or tennis, and in addition there are many attractive social features and this year an out-of-door play or pageant called "The Piper." In which the work of the association is typified, is to be given. Rev. James Watt Raine of Berea college, Kentucky, is to be the conference speaker and many good things are promised in the meetings which he addresses.

Geneva is the place of friendship and good natured rivalry so the Keokuk delegation are going well prepared with songs and yells which will be heard among the many productions of other associations. The "Keokuk" song, the words of which were written by Miss Meta Kummer, is perhaps the most popular song with the delegation. Set to a lively, spirited tune these words will be heard, as they have been heard at the past two conferences:

"Keokuk, Keokuk, that's the place for me.
Keokuk, Keokuk, busy as a bee.
She's on the Mississippi grand
And now this glad and happy band
Will sing her praises o'er the waters wide.

Oh, Keokuk has a dam that's known afar and wide,
And lots of folks of whom she may be proud;

We're glad we stand for Keokuk—
Dear old, queer old Keokuk.
Three cheers for old Keokuk!"

The association members, fortunate enough to be able to attend the conference this year are:
Misses Carolyn Kuntz, Emma Cameron, Emma Wirtz, Meta Kummer, Mary Albertson, Henrietta Kuntz, Maude Devero, Eva Kunzman, Gertrude Off, Ruth Alling, Maude Immegart, Verna Larson, Nina Phillips, Minnie Kuntz, Hannah King, Adelaide Schmidt, Helen Wylie, Janet School.

Miss Harriet Solomon is to be the leader of the delegation. Miss Elizabeth Nutting, physical director of the Keokuk association, will also be at the conference and is to have a special duty as chairman of the self-government council.

DUMPING GROUNDS ARE IN BAD SHAPE

Recent High Water Has Left One Situated Between Old Lumber Mill and Bridge in Poor Shape.

That the dumping ground between the Taber mills and the Des Moines river bridge is especially offensive since the water has receded, is the report brought to Keokuk by persons who are in the habit of using this road, and who have occasion to be in this vicinity. There is a strong stench arising from the decayed matter which has been washed up by the water which cut into the dumping grounds during the recent high stage of water. Steps will be taken by the city to remedy this state of affairs.

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