



REGARDING MARRIAGE WITHOUT LOVE.

What a terrible fate that must be—marriage without love. Now, friends, if I couldn't be perfectly frank in these dear chats with you they would not be of very much use, would they? Marriage is a life contract. Only by death or through the unnatural ordeal of the divorce court can the marriage vows be made void.

PROMINENT STATE ATTORNEY WRITES A STRONG LETTER

"Everybody in Montgomery County Has a Good Word for Tanlac," Claims C. C. Broughton Who Sleeps "Like a Dead Man Now." Feels Different Man.

"Everybody in Troy and Montgomery County has a good word for Tanlac," says C. C. Broughton, member of the North Carolina Bar, in a letter last week to E. H. Drum, "and I tried it for indigestion and sleeplessness, from which I suffered for some time.

"Now, since taking Tanlac, I find myself much improved. Indigestion has left me, sleep is sweet and good—I can sleep like a dead man—and my appetite is out of sight. I feel altogether a different man, and will continue to take Tanlac, for it is a great tonic, and I heartily recommend it to all my friends and to those who have been suffering as I was.

"To my mind there is not a single portion of the body that is not benefited by the helpful work of Tanlac, which begins its action by stimulating digestive and assimilative organs, thereby enriching the blood and invigorating the whole body. In other words, it relieves troubles by removing the cause. Tanlac, to my mind is a powerful reconstructive tonic and contains certain ingredients which purify the blood and renovate the whole system. And next it enables the stomach to thoroughly digest food, allowing the assimilable products to be converted into blood, bone and muscle. By increasing the power of endurance it enables those who use Tanlac to better encounter fatigue, exposure and overwork."

Tanlac is sold in Wilmington only at the Bellamy Drug Store, where the Tanlac Man meets increasing crowds daily; Acme, Acme Store Co.; Burgaw, C. L. Halstead; Southport, Watson's Pharmacy; Rocky Point, A. N. Rhodes & Co.; Supply, G. W. Kirby; New Bern, Bradham Drug Co.; Magnolia, W. L. Southall; Faison, Faison, Drug Co.; Pembroke, G. W. Locklear; Snow Hill, J. T. H. Harper. Each town has its Tanlac dealer.—Adv't.

SOUTHERN ELIMINATES MANY GRADE CROSSINGS

Washington, D. C., Oct. 18.—Ninety-three grade crossings of the Southern Railway's Washington-Atlanta lines have been eliminated in connection with double track work between Orange, Va., and Central, S. C.

Thirty-eight were supplanted by overhead bridges, 33 by underpasses, while 22 were removed by change in the route of public roads.

In all construction work the fixed policy of the Southern is to separate important highway crossings wherever practicable. This policy means large additional expense which is undertaken as a permanent investment for safety.

The Southern has also cooperated with local authorities in the elimination of many dangerous crossings on others of its lines, devoting to this work as much as its resources and other obligations would permit.

SPECIAL RATES GIVEN

Columbus county's agricultural and educational rally that is to be observed at Chadbourn, N. C., Friday, October 27 bids fair to attract large crowds and indications are that it will be of a very high order. The Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company is offering low round trip fares and the tickets are good until midnight of the 27th. Special efforts have been put forth on the part of the promoters of the rally and Chadbourn is expecting to entertain hundreds of visitors on that date.

VICTORIA

Everything New Today

"The Lynch Trio"

In Everything Different—Songs, Dances, Harmony Singing, and Taddy's Monologue.

MUSICAL AL. NUTTLE The Original Musical Nut, in a New Act.

SNYDER & VAUGHN In "The Rube and the Girl."

BESSIE KNOWLES The Popular and Classy Vocalist in Some New Hits.

HILL & EDMONDS Whirlwind Entertainers and Comedy Artists in a New Act.

THEATRE

Another brand new bill will go on at the Victoria today, every act presenting something entirely new and different from the first of the week.

Today the famous Lynch Trio, which have been making such a spectacular hit at the Victoria, will present a brand new bill, with every saying, every gag, every song and every dance new. It will, of course, include "Taddy" the youngest member of the trio and heralded as "America's youngest entertained," and will absolutely bring down the house every time with his brand new monologue act.

Al Nuttle, the original musickalking, will present all new songs and new students with his assortment of musical instruments, and among others, will present some of the latest popular hits of the season on his assortment of contraptions. This alone will be worth the admission price.

Snyder and Vaughn will present a brand new comedy sketch act entitled "The Rube and the Girl," with some of the biggest comedy situations yet seen, while Bessie Knowles and popular and class vocalists will present all new songs.

Hill and Edmonds, those whirlwind entertainers, will also present a brand new act, one that is sure to please.

Extra Big Show Tomorrow.

Tomorrow the Royal presents, in addition to the latest chapter of that great serial novel, "Gloria's Romance," a magnificent five part dramatic feature, "The Green Cloak," produced by George Kleine, one of the greatest dramatic talents of the year. Holding interest largely through superior construction, this drama illustrates as well as any story recently adapted from literature that motion picture structural methods when rightfully understood and handled are far superior to those of printed fiction in grasping and maintaining tense interest.

"The Green Cloak" has a novel was written by Owen Davis, and it holds the attention through a motifification that is purely psychological. From the outset, from the first significant symbol, there is gradually built up a sense of impending tragedy and suspense is skillfully carried out to the very end.

Honors for one of the greatest dramatic interpretations of the year go to Irene Fenwick, who has the leading role in this great screen drama.

The current chapter of "Gloria's Romance" is full of thrills and suspense. There is much to commend it and to make it the biggest chapter yet of this great serial starring the fascinating Billie Burke.

"The Big Sister."

When Mae Murray was tangoing and performing her other wellknown dances in the "Follies" not so very long ago she would have laughed at the suggestion that she would be playing a dramatic role in motion pictures, but that only proves that Miss Murray is very human and not gifted with the properties of a seeress. For she is being starred by the Famous Players Film Company in an extremely dramatic part in "The Big Sister," a Paramount Picture which is the feature at the Grand tomorrow.

Miss Murray made her motion picture debut in the Lasky production "To Have and to Hold" before that company merged with the Famous Players company. After the merger this dramatic story was found for Miss Murray, but the fact that it required bonafide New York settings for the larger portion of the play prompted the sending of Miss Murray from Hollywood, Cal., to the Famous Players studio in New York. Here she came under the direction of John B. O'Brien, who has been directing Mary Pickford and Louise Huff for the Famous Players.

With all New York on which to draw for his settings, O'Brien has been able to choose many interesting locations as a background for Miss Murray's clever acting. The story deals with the under-world element of society in its conflict with the other half which does not know—or care—how it lives. In the role of Betty, Miss Murray plays a girl of the submerged stratum who is perfectly honest and upright but whose poverty has entangled her with a set of gangsters. Over her they continually hold the terror of taking from her little Jimmy, her small brother, who has been left in her sole care by the death of their parents.

ROYAL

TOMORROW

George Kleine Presents Irene Fenwick In a Magnificent Five Part Drama of Mystery and Thrills.

"The Green Cloak"

Billie Burke In The Current Striking Chapter of

"Gloria's Romance"

7 REELS (1 3/4 Hours) 5 and 10c

Advertisement for 'CLOTHES THE FAMILY' featuring a large dollar sign and the text 'A WEEK'.

Advertisement for 'WHY HESITATE' with the text 'DONT BE PUTTING IT OFF OPEN'.

Advertisement for 'A CHARGE ACCOUNT HERE'.

Advertisement for 'PAY AS YOU WEAR EARN AS YOU PAY'.

Advertisement for 'YOU will be struck by the many good things displayed here. A notable showing of NEWEST FALL AND WINTER APPAREL FOR MEN, WOMEN, MISSES, YOUTHS AND CHILDREN'.

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Advertisement for 'Farley & Co. 116 Market St.'.

Round Trip Fares From Wilmington. Tickets will be sold as above by the ATLANTIC COAST LINE, the Standard Railroad of the South, for all passenger trains on October 31 and November 1, 2 and 3. Limited returning until midnight of Saturday, November 4, 1916. Proportionate excursion fares from Intermediate Point. Children Half Rate. For further particulars, schedule tickets, etc., call T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent, Wilmington, N. C. Phone 160.

The Royal Stores

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DAINTY FLOUR, the best 55c
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Advertisement for 'ED. PINAUD'S LILAC' perfume.

Advertisement for 'Military But Not Militant' by J. M. Solky & Co. featuring a hat illustration.

Advertisement for 'Fifty-Sixth North Carolina State Fair RALEIGH' with ticket information.

FREE ANYWAY TILL HIGH COURT DECIDES

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 17.—G. K. Vason, doorkeeper of the house of representatives, who stabbed Thomas B. Felder on the night of August 3 in an Atlanta hotel, and who was given the limit of the law for a misdemeanor, by Judge Ben H. Hill, of Fulton Superior Court, will not serve his sentence until the judgement of the trial court and the trial judge have been upheld by the highest court in the State.

much blind tiger liquor in a prohibition state" was responsible for the difficulty, and stoutly denied the charge that his attack on Felder was in any way premeditated.

Advertisement for 'GRAND TOMORROW Mae Murray The Fascinating Star of the Ziegfeld "Follies," in "The Big Sister" A Thrilling Slice From the Life of The Underworld. MISS MURRAY'S SECOND PARAMOUNT SCREEN TRIUMPH. Adults, 10c. Children, 5c.'

With a moderate amount of loose change in your pocket did you spend a little, here and there, just to please desires you didn't feel when you left home in the morning? Will practically every day be a repetition of yesterday? Habit is made of repetitions.

DID YOU DO THIS Yesterday ?

Advertisement for 'HOME SAVINGS BANK' in Wilmington, N. C.

Isn't there enough loose change in your pocket right now to start a Home Savings Bank savings account? Do so, and repeat the act of depositing often. It will create a habit that will pay you a golden reward.