THEATRE

The following criticism of De Rue Brothers' Minstrels which plays a matinee and night engagement tomorrow at the Academy of Music was clipped from The Gallipolis (Ohio) Banner of Sept. 19:

"The attraction at the Gallipolis theatre Saturday night, the DeRue Minstrels, was one of the most clever offerings Manager Kaufman has ever booked for the local play house, and was headed by Billy and Bobby De Rue. The DeRue show will receive a warm welcome on their return date to Gallipolis. They have one of the best minstrel shows on the road. The performance was par excellence. The band lead by Bobby DeRue was one of the best ever heard in this city."

The matinee prices will be 25 cents for balcony seats and 50 cents for the seats on the lower floor. Children, 10 cents to any seat. The night prices will be from 50 cents to \$1. Tickets are now on sale at Elvington's Pharmacy.

VICTOR HERBERT'S "SWEET-HEARTS."

Victor Herbert's master work, "Sweethearts," with the delightful prima donna Julia Gifford, in the title role, comes to the Academy matinee and night on next Wednesday, December 13.

Miss Gifford is to be remembered for her charming work in "The Balkan Princess," "The Merry Countess" and other light operas, but in "Sweethearts" she has found her favorite role and one that is exactly suited to her personal charm and grace. Miss Gifford will be assisted by a most capable cast which includes Leo Stark and many other members of the original = Theatre, New York.

can composer that the cast would be girlhood as her own daughter. composed of the best artists that he possibly could attain and one that would be able to give the proper interwiting of the lilling Herbertian with the daughter of the laundress. | Today and tornorrow they will preof the lilting Herbertian

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ACADEMY SAT. 9 Matinee and Night.

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IDEAL MINSTRELS

— PEOPLE ———30 Matinee 26 cents and 50 cents Children 10c, any seat. Night, 50c, 75c, and \$1. Tickets at Elvington's Pharmacy Thursday.



VICTOR HERBERT

The famous American composer, who wrote the fascinating and tuneful operetta, "Sweethearts," which will be at the Academy of Music on next Wednesday with charming Julia Gifford singing the title role.

company which presented Herbert's old Flemish legend which Henry B. Today another brand new bill goes masterpiece for a continuous run of Smith, Robert B. Smith and Fred De- on at the Victoria, the Brinkley Girls ten months at the New Amsterdam Gresac have woven into a modern company presenting what is termed fairy tale. The scene is laid in the their banner attraction, for the week-The attraction has never been pre- ancient city of Bruges, in Belgium, end crowds. Mr. Saladar states that sented in this section of the country and concerns the Princess Sylvia, who he has reversed the regular order of vous, run-down men and women can and it was only attained after Chris. is abducted in her infancy and hidden things, and instead of giving all his be told than the stories offered by O. Brown, under whose direction the in the tulip bed. Here the baby prin- best work to the first show, is pueting people right here in Wilmington. Herbert master work will be heard cess is found by a kind old laundress every effort into the last show of the here, had assured the famous Ameri- who brings the child up to graceful week, so that the crowds may have

happy ever afterwards.

the operetta and this with the soulful vided should prove a rare treat and the playing of "Sweethearts" here leka, Omar, Fatima, Lulu and Fifi, lashould prove the real theatrical event dies of the harem, disport themselves

The matinee prices will range from go on sale Monday morning at 9! o'clock at Elvington's.

NEW BILL AT VICTORIA.

pleasant anticipations of a return en- the best evidence of its merits."

her rightful birth must be established rem," a gorgeous production staged and that they should marry and live with an eye to injecting a flavor of the beautiful story that runs through table, will again win new honors, in some of the most gorgeous costumes seen during the whole week, welcome last Monday. There have 50 cents to \$1.50. Night prices will and there is a big bunch of new song been many requests for a repetition be from 75 cents to \$2. Tickets will numbers, including brand new spec- of this bill, therefore it wil lbe the ialties by the Dixie Trio.

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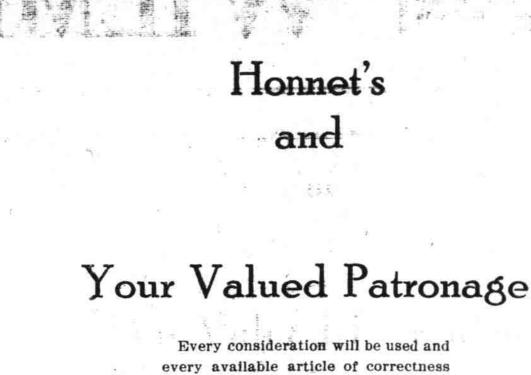
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Genuine Tanlac is sold in Wilmington only at the Bellamy Drug Store, Burgaw, C. L. Halstead; Southport, Watson's Pharmacy; Rocky Point, A. And it naturally must follow that aft- sent the gorgeous musical comedy N. Rhodes; Supply, G. W. Kirby; er the lovers have many trials that farce, "The Pride of the Sultan's Ha- New Bern, Bradham Drug Co.; Magnolia, W. L. Southall; Faison, Faison Drug Co.; Pembroke, G. W. Lockthe Far East. In the role of leading lear; Snow Hill, J. T. H. Harper; The above is just a slight idea of comedy artist, Hal Stack, the inimi- Vineland, B. B. McRoy & Co.; Whiteville, J. A. McNeill & Son; Verona, while Mae Ward as "The Bride" will G. W. Humphrey; Fair Bluff, J. P. melodies that Mr. Herbert has pro- be a picture of beauty. The other Waddell; Council, Squires-Hobbspretty girls of the company, as Zu- Grimsley Co. Each town has its Tanlac dealer .- adv.

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Conservative Progress

Chaplin comedy and thus keep up the regular Saturday bill of fare at the Grand, but at the last moment an opportunity was presented to book one of the latest revue creations, "Charlie's Nightmare," a rousing tworeeler, which als ohas on the end of it a great Charlie Chaplin cartoon

Charlie's Nightmare" is a brand new production and has been shown in no North Carolina town before and should prove one of the greatest attractions of the month at the Grand tomorrow. It is ful lof the typical laugh-provoking stunts which made the million dollar comedy king famous, and co-starring with him is the old Keystone bunch, including Mack Sennett, Mabel Normand, Walrush and all the other inimitable fun-mak-

ers of the cld-time Keystone days. There will be other features on the Grand bill tomorrow, to make it one of the biggest bills of varied interest ever presented.

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Chaplin

In His Latest Big Revue Produc-

"Charlie's

Nightmare'

Two Roaring Reels-Also Fatty,

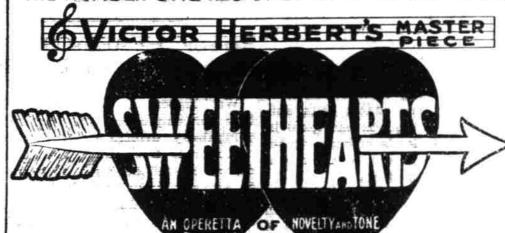
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