

Bijou Stock Company At The Athens Today

In "Sergeant McRae" An excellent comedy drama, in 4 acts. This company is sustaining their reputation, and presenting some of the best acts ever seen at the Athens, to packed houses, with standing room only at a premium.

Picture program for today consists of five reels as follows: "The Dance of Death" by Kalem, featuring Alice Joyce and Tom Moore in a powerful 2 part drama

"Prof. Spuff's Romance" A Pathe comedy "Pathe Daily News" You get all the late war news in moving pictures "Jolts of Jealousy" Another excellent comedy

Matinee daily at 3. Night 7:30 and 9. Prices, Matinee 5 and 10c. Night 5, 10 and 15c.

Personal

B. B. Armstrong left yesterday for a few days visit to Bayboro.

George B. Waters left yesterday morning for a business visit to Havelock.

W. E. Patterson left yesterday morning for a business visit to New York.

R. S. Langley, of Mackselroy, La., passed through New Bern yesterday enroute home from Oriental where he has been spending the holidays.

Ned Delemar returned yesterday from Oriental where he spent the holidays.

C. E. Love left yesterday morning for a business visit to Cove City.

S. W. Ferebee returned home to Stonewall yesterday after a short visit to New Bern.

B. O. Jones left yesterday for a business visit to Morehead City.

R. H. Wilson left yesterday for a business visit to Trenton.

C. L. Ives returned yesterday morning from a business visit to Baltimore, Md.

J. S. Miller left yesterday morning for a business visit to Morehead City.

E. H. Meadows, Jr., has returned from a business visit to Baltimore, Md.

H. L. Taylor left yesterday morning for a business visit to Stonewall.

A. E. Sieloff left yesterday for a business visit to Bayboro and Oriental.

C. E. Harrison, of Charlotte, N. C., was a visitor to New Bern yesterday.

E. M. Kendrick, of Goldsboro, spent yesterday in New Bern.

United States Assistant District Attorney E. M. Green left yesterday morning for Wilmington to attend to business for the government.

W. W. Pierce, of Goldsboro, was a visitor to New Bern yesterday.

L. L. Leary, of Morehead City, was a visitor to New Bern yesterday.

W. J. Morton has returned home to Greenville, N. C., after a short visit to New Bern.

Mrs. F. W. Marina, of Jacksonville, N. C., returned home yesterday after a few days visit to New Bern.

Miss Pearl Waters returned home yesterday from Kinston where she spent several days visiting friends.

Miss Kain Pools, Piano and Vocal instructor at Meredith College at Raleigh, has returned home after spending a few days in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Blades.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Reepass, of Gerville, La., passed through New Bern yesterday enroute home from Oriental where they spent the holidays with friends and relatives.

Miss Blanche Hamilton, of Atlantic, passed through New Bern yesterday morning enroute to Southport to spend a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. T. D. Warren left yesterday morning for Kinston to spend a few days visiting friends.

W. H. E. Gibson left last night for a business visit to Raleigh.

Fred Nelson, of Maxville, arrived in the city last night from a business visit to Beaufort.

MR. M. SPEIGHT ACTS AS HOST

Entertains Friends At A Salamugundi Party

One of the most delightful social affairs engaged in by the "young set" during this very happy Yuletide was the Progressive Salamugundi Party given by Mr. Marshall Speight at the elegant home of his parents on Johnson street on Wednesday evening. The lovely hall and connecting rooms were beautifully decorated in bright hued holly, mistletoe and luxuriant potted ferns and palms making a most attractive scene as the fairy like young people with happy faces filled the entire lower floor.

After a series of Progressions of the game, delicious ice cream and cakes were served the merry party. Mr. Speight's guests were the following lads and lassies. Mr. Parkhill Jarvis with Miss Helen Temple of Ohio, Mr. Euclid McWhorter with Miss Catherine Leifferts, Mr. Charlie Moserley with Miss Rose Brooks Caraway, Mr. Robert Thornton with Miss Margaret Haley of Washington and Miss Lizette Perry, Mr. Fred Cohen with Miss May Baxter, Mr. Charles Hollister with Miss Martha Munger, Mr. Reginald Fulford of Washington with Miss Bertha Hawk, Mr. Charles Ives with Miss Dolly Hyman, Mr. John Bonner with Miss Charlotte Davis, Mr. Robert Nixon with Miss Snow Henderson, of Winston-Salem and Miss Beth Ferebee, Mr. Walker Guion with Miss Elizabeth Caton, Mr. Thomas Lee Taylor with Miss Lila Taylor, Mr. Robert Hawk with Miss Agnes Foy and Miss Margaret Hollister, and Mr. Primrose with Miss Catherine Leifferts. Little Misses Lydia Speight, Mary Bradham and Margaret Thornton, daintily attired in white, received the guests at the door and ushered them in.

Special attractions at the Athens all this week

BOGUS MONEY PLANT FOUND IN PRISON.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 30.—The raiding of a dice game at the penitentiary today in which a number of bogus silver coins were taken from convicts, led to the discovery of a counterfeiting plant in the prison. The coins are all of the half dollar denomination and are made of rabbit metal, evidently stolen from the supply house.

AFTER BANDITS.

Texas Posse Looking For Train Robbers. San Antonio, Dec. 30.—A bandit hunt by a posse of Texas rangers is an exciting event near here today. The rangers are tracking two masked men who robbed the passengers in two sleepers of a Southern Pacific westbound train today.

HERE'S A BRAND NEW VARIETY C. JOB.

Fort Smith, Ark., Dec. 30.—An office to be known as the Municipal Economist has been created by the city Board of Commissioners of Fort Smith. The Municipal Economist's duties consist in devising ways and means to reduce municipal expenses and increase municipal revenue.

If you want to see the best pictures or vaudeville go to the Athens.

Z. V. Rawls, of Bayboro, was a visitor to New Bern yesterday.

T. O. Pepper has returned home to Winston-Salem after a few days visit to friends in New Bern.

E. S. Hughes left last night for his home in New York after spending several days in New Bern visiting his mother Dr. Frank Hughes.

AMERICAN BANK MEN TO MEET

Administration Officials Are Arranging for Gathering

Washington, Dec. 30.—Administration officials were proceeding today with plans for a conference here, probably early next spring, among treasury officials and American bankers and the finance ministers and leading bankers of Latin-American nations on commercial problems facing the Western Hemisphere, because of the European war. Several acceptances of the United States government's invitation to all Central and South American countries to participate in the gathering have already been received.

The plan for the conference originated with Secretary McAdoo and was inspired by the experiences he had with Sir George Paish of the English treasury, as a result of which problems which had puzzled English and American bankers were smoothed out in a short time. President Wilson and Secretary Bryan also have been actively interested in putting the plan for the conference into execution.

Trade between the United States and South America now is comparatively insignificant, which is attributed to the fact that American bankers do virtually no business direct with those countries, foreign exchange there being carried on through London. South and Central American buyers have obtained long term credits in Europe, but owing to the war, English capital is being utilized at home. It is pointed out that as a result the opportunity is presented for financing projects in the southern countries with the millions of American dollars now lying idle. It is believed that the outcome of the conference will be that many connections will be established between American banking houses and those in the leading South American nations, while more branches of American banks will be established there.

TWO OTHER SHIPS ARE DETAINED

The British Seize Cargoes Owned By American Concerns

Washington, D. C., Dec. 30.—The detention of two more copper ships by Great Britain was reported today to Senator Walsh of Montana by the American Smelting Company, consignors of the cargoes.

The Swedish ship sailing December 6th from New York was detained by the British off New Castle, England, on December 28th. The Norwegian steamer Forland which left New York on November 27th, was taken in charge by England's maritime patrol on December 28th off Leigh.

GOVERNOR OF KANSAS SPEAKS

Hodges Is "Dead Again" Prohibition of A National Order

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 30.—State's rights is one of the latest arguments that could be offered in opposition to national prohibition according to Governor Hodges of Kansas, who spoke before the national convention of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association here today.

"The proposition that national prohibition is contrary to the letter and spirit of our government sounds like the slavery argument years ago," he said. "Human rights and the welfare of humanity must be given preference in settling all moral questions."

Governor Hodges pointed out that the only objection offered to prohibition is that it does not prohibit and that this argument is advanced by the liquor interests.

"No intelligent person defends the saloon on moral grounds," he continued. "A saloon license is the most expensive revenue a state can collect. Whiskey is a political liability—a parasite on business."

FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Cent Bottle of Danderine Right Now

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp, of dandruff—that awful scuff. There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; and incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you will be after just a few week's use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Mrs. Jack Allen and children, of Havelock, passed through New Bern last night enroute home from Aurora where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Ida Oettinger, of Kinston, returned home last evening after attending a house party in New Bern.

Misses Florence and Julia Wetherington, of Tuscarora, returned home last evening after a short visit to friends in New Bern.

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