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Together with all book accounts now due, owing by any and all persons whomsoever, to the said parties of the First part.

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"THE MAXXMAN"

Exactly as for decades in the literary world every work of fiction that has risen to some extent of interest above its fellows has been hailed by some enthusiastic and impressionable reviewer as "the great American novel", so has each moving picture during the last two or three years that possessed slightly more than the normal powers of attraction been labelled with "The Birth of a Nation" at last surpassed Griffith takes a back seat" or something equally dignified and plausible.

Now a consideration of "The Maxxman", George Loane Tucker's film version of Hall Caine's novel released through Goldwyn to be shown at the Brant the last of next week, nothing need be said of relegating Mr. Griffith to a mythical back seat, where he will never need to go, but it may be declared with all sincerity and emphasis that Mr. Tucker and his associates have demonstrated their right to sit in the very exclusive front row beside him.

They have equalled the hitherto master of the screen and done it with the more credit because the story they have to deal with is not a film "spectacle", not a veritable extravaganza of scene after scene of "stunts", but a narrative that is sympathetic and appealing, simple and finely human. It wins through the call it makes upon the humanities not to the sense of wonder; to sympathy, not to the desire for the startling or the merely stupendous.

This is not to say that the screen version of Hall Caine's novel runs along on any level of the commonplace. Indeed, no, it is imbued with intensive interest from the first introduction of those so fate-surrounded and Destiny-moulded characters; its people live before us till they become not shadows on a screen, but veritable friends and acquaintances in our own lives.

MAY ROBSON.
 The melodramatic farce, "A Little Bit Old-Fashioned", in which May Robson will appear at the Grand Opera House on Friday, Jan. 11th, relates with delicious humor, tender pathos, many comic embellishments, the story of a wife who, in her devotion to her home, has neglected the trifles of life for its larger issues, thereby losing momentarily the interest of her husband. Though long having been considered a little bit old-fashioned, and for that reason kept in the background of his life, in his time of need her unerring instinct leads her straight to the way out of his dilemma. Her method of bringing him to her feet, achieving the successful culmination of the deal that crowns him with success, and unmasking the other woman, leaves nothing to be desired in the way of wit and sentiment.

Miss Robson, as the wife who is behind the times, makes the part human, so quaint, so lovable spontaneous and sensible that she raises comedy far above a mere means to secure a laugh and enthrones it among the world's most powerful forces for sympathy and universal good. Her splendid portrayal of this character especially during the high moments when she is being remembered.



Howard Langford with Arthur Hammerstein's big musical comedy success, "Katinka", at the Grand Tuesday, January 8th.

His origin in the history of the New York stage. For Otto Harbach's story, Rudolf Friml has provided a musical score and the joint production of the two is said to surpass in interest, gaiety and charm their former works, "The Firefly", "High Jinks", and "You're in Love".

The one number in Friml's score that has come to be regarded as "trade mark" of "Katinka", is "Rackety Cool" which worms its way into the brain of the audience and which is hummed and whistled all the way home after the performance. It was the most popular number of Broadway's season that closed late in the summer, after "Katinka" had spent a year in the metropolis. Other memorable features of the score, truly remarkable for its decided hits, are the love song, "Katinka", and the romantically refreshingly comic "I Want To Marry a Male Quartette".

Arthur Hammerstein, who staged "The Firefly", "High Jinks", and "You're in Love" is also responsible for the staging of this best musical creation of the versatile librettist and composer, and, like they, he is said to have surpassed former efforts. "Katinka" from the nature of its plot, very readily lends itself to the art of the scenic painter, the semi-royal palace in Russia, where the wedding festivities transpire, the picturesque Oriental street in Old Stamboul, and the gay musical resort in Vienna could not be improved upon as material allowing the imagination of the painter full scope. As Russian wedding guests, the Persian hour and the beauty of the chorus, also is offered unsurpassed opportunities.

The cast includes Howard Langford, Eve Lynn, Marquita Dwight, Clara Palmer, Dixie Blair, Eleanor Vincent, Peggy Bates, Nicholas Kovac, Bernard Gorcey, William Schuster, John Roberts, Daniel Sullivan and S. Paul Veron.

"KATINKA"
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Butter, lb	0 50	0 50
Cheese, per lb	0 28	0 30
Eggs	0 60	0 60
Honey, comb	0 30	0 35
Honey, pail, 5 lbs.	1 15	1 15
Honey, pail, 10 lbs.	2 25	2 25

Grain

Baled Hay	13 00	14 00
Hay	13 00	14 00
Oats	0 70	0 70
Rye	1 60	1 60
Straw, baled	7 00	9 00
Wheat	2 10	2 10
Barley	1 00	1 00

Vegetables

Beans, quart	0 25	0 30
Cabbages, dozen	0 50	1 00
Cabbage, head	0 05	0 10
Carrots, basket	0 40	0 50
Onions, basket	0 40	0 50
Celery	0 05	0 07
Onions, bushel	1 50	1 50
Onions, bag	1 50	2 00
Parsnips, basket	0 20	0 35
Potatoes, bus.	1 50	1 75
Potatoes, basket	0 65	0 70
Potatoes, bag	2 50	2 50
Turnips, bushel	0 40	0 50

Meats

Bacon, back trim	0 48	0 50
Bacon, back	0 45	0 45
Beef, boiling, lb.	0 15	0 20
Chicken, live	0 75	1 00
Beef, roast, lb.	0 16	0 25
Beef, hinds	0 17	0 19
Chickens, dressed	0 75	1 50
Ducks	1 25	1 75
Geese	3 00	3 00
Pork kidneys	0 18	0 18
Dry salt pork, lb.	0 30	0 35
Fresh Pork carcass	0 21	0 24
Fresh pork	0 25	0 30
Hogs, live	0 17	0 17
Beef kidneys, lb.	0 15	0 18
Pork kidneys	0 18	0 18
Lamb	0 30	0 35
Sausages, beef	0 20	0 20
Sausages, pork	0 28	0 28
Smoked shoulder, lb.	0 25	0 35
Veal, lb.	0 25	0 30
Veal, carcass	0 25	0 30

Fish

Halibut, steak, lb.	0 20	0 30
Kipper, herring, pr.	0 10	0 25
Salmon trout, lb.	0 20	0 25
Chickens, live	0 75	1 00
Mixed fish	0 10	0 12
Herring, fresh	0 10	0 15
Haddock	0 15	0 18
Filet	0 20	0 20
Pickered, blue	0 15	0 15
Pickered, yellow	0 20	0 20

TORONTO MARKETS
 By Courier Leased Wire
 Toronto, Jan. 8.—The cattle trade at the Union Stock Yards was medium this morning. Hogs, sheep and cattle steady. Receipts 47 cars; 585 cattle, 39 calves, 1,408 hogs, 353 sheep.

Export cattle, choice \$10.50 to \$11; bulls \$9 to \$10.25; butcher cattle, choice \$10.25 to \$11.50; medium \$7.50 to \$8.50; common \$6.25 to \$7.25; butcher cows, choice \$8.75 to \$10; medium \$7.50 to \$8.25; canners \$5.50 to \$5.75; bulls, \$7.50 to \$8; feeding steers \$8.50 to \$9.75; stockers, choice \$7.75 to \$8.75; light \$6.50 to \$7; milkers, choice, each \$9 to \$140; springers, \$90 to \$140; sheep, ewes \$12.00 to \$14; bucks and culls \$7.50 to \$9.50; lambs, \$18.50 to \$19; hogs, fed and watered, \$18.25; calves \$14 to \$16.

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 By Courier Leased Wire
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 In three months ended December 31 the departments good offices were invoked in 244 cases, including 11 strikes, 14 controversies and 28 lockouts. Mediations settled 133 amicably and failed to settle only six. Local agencies adjusted 15 cases before the department's mediators. There remain pending 82 cases of recent origin.

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