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"DEMOCRACY" IS SET TO MUSIC BY FAMOUS COMPOSER

Author of "Perfect Day" Adjudged
First Place in Composition
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A dozen leading American composers view with each other to supply music for "Democracy," a poem which has been hailed as a new national anthem of world-wide significance, reflecting faithfully the spirit of the times. It has received the warm praise of a multitude of eminent men, among them President Poincaré, of France; Premier Lloyd George, of England; former President Taft; four members of President Wilson's cabinet; Speaker Champ Clark, Cardinal Gibbons, Dr. Lyman Abbott, Edwin Markham, Francis E. Clark, founder of the Christian Endeavor Society; Rabbi Krauskopf, Ella Wheeler Wilcox, W. Bourke Cockran, Amelio Rives Troubetzkoy, Geraldine Farrar, Booth Tarkington, Richmond P. Hobson, Robert B. Mantell, Clark Howell, Lilian Whiting, and hundreds of others.

Among the composers who set "Democracy" to music were some distinguished musicians, who had written operas and many songs. An impartial committee of which Sigmond Spaeth, a well-known New York musical editor and director of community singing, was chairman, judged the compositions without knowing the names of the composers, and announced that all the versions were of unusual merit but the one which later proved to be by Carrie Jacobs-Bond, author of "Perfect Day," and other celebrated songs, was entitled to first place. Mrs. Bond's setting has now been placed on sale throughout the United States and in Europe, and already a separate edition for quartette singing has been called for and also supplied.

It is pleasing to know that a prominent Boston publisher, who saw "Democracy" in one of the thousands of daily, weekly and monthly journals in which it was copied, wrote the author of the words about it and the result is that a volume of poems by William Mill Butler, including "Democracy" will be published early in the fall. Mr. Butler has written many poems, but few of them have ever appeared in print, as they were not written with a view to immediate publication. Poetry has been his passion from childhood up and he has written for the pleasure of writing and because he felt that he had a message to convey. The critics of the Boston publishing house found the sixty or more poems, which have now been gathered in a first edition, so "original and full of lofty sentiment, as well as pathos and humor," that an immediate offer of publication was made and accepted.

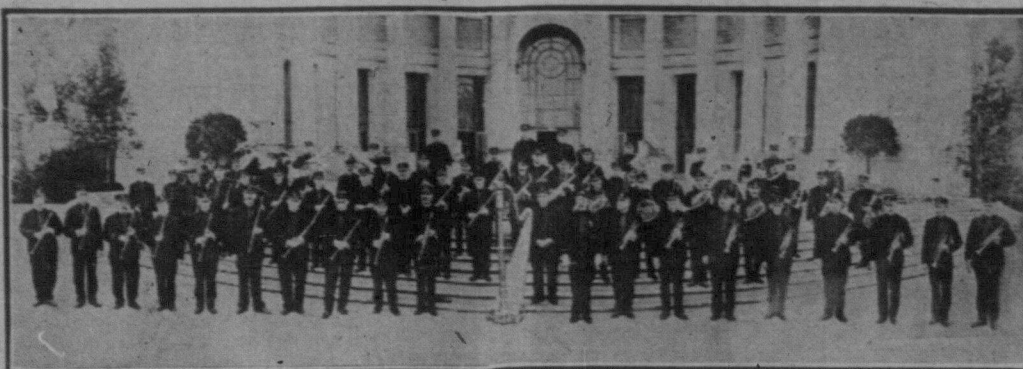
NON-CONTRIBUTORY PENSION FUND BY TORONTO FIRM

The management of the Massey-Harris Company, of Toronto, recently announced their intention to introduce a non-contributory system of pensions, and to provide an opportunity for all employees to acquire shares in the company on easy terms. These advantages will be open also to employees of all subsidiary companies in various parts of Canada. It is also proposed to establish a Works Council for the purpose of dealing with matters affecting both employer and employees. One-half of the members of the council will be elected by secret ballot by the employees, but foremen will not be eligible, and the other members will be appointed by the company.

TWO NEW UNIONS ORGANIZED AT WOODSTOCK, ONT.

The woodworkers, finishers, painters and carpenters of Woodstock have organized during the past week, and as a result the following two local unions have been formed: Carpenters and Woodworkers Local 2144, and the Painters and Finishers Local, No. 1133. Both unions have received their charters, and the following are the officers: Carpenters and Woodworkers—President, W. Stalker; vice-president, W. Anderson; financial secretary, Chester W. Losee; secretary, A. Robbina; treasurer, James McWilliams; warden, James Stevenson; conductor, John Black; trustees, W. Lanaway, R. Murdoch, and George Poole. The initial membership of this branch is 67. Painters and Finishers: President, W. E. Budd; vice-president, J. Parker; secretary, Roy Cunningham; treasurer, Roy McLeod. The union has already 35 members.

The comparative calm which will follow the wave of sympathetic strikes should be used by Trades' Unionists to get a firmer control of the labor movement. If employers are wise they will aid in suppressing the revolutionary elements by establishing closer relationships with the responsible labor organizations, admitting them to a larger share in their councils and in the rewards of industry. They will regard the profiteer in their own ranks as an enemy as menacing as the Bolshevik.—Toronto Globe.



John Philip Sousa Band, a Chief Attraction at the Exhibition.

TELEGRAPHERS' STRIKE IS OFF, WITHOUT RESULTS

International President Kosenkamp of the Commercial Telegraphers has declared off the strike of the keymen, after being out for three weeks. The worker gained no demands, and some of them have already been refused reinstatement.

"Abandoning the fight was decided on," says Kosenkamp, "because the telegraphers were obliged to fight both their employers and Postmaster General Burleson, who was clothed with the power of the government. The strike had reached the point where it was being carried on largely by the railway telegraphers, who were refusing to handle commercial messages. This was placing a burden on them with but slight chance of winning so long as Burleson remained in charge of the wires. The telegraphers feel more bitter toward Burleson than toward their employers."

"An example of the autocratic attitude of Burleson is the arrest of 60 striking telegraphers in Oklahoma on a charge of conspiring to obstruct federal business. This was taken as only the beginning of wholesale prosecutions."

After a four-weeks' strike, cigar makers employed by the Beaman Cigar Company at Windsor, Ont., have secured a non-shop agreement which raises wages \$1 and \$2 a thousand.

"FOOTLIGHT REVUE" AT PANTAGES NEXT WEEK

A glimpse into the realm of make-believe is provided in the headline of next week's Pantages vaudeville bill when Willard Jarvis brings his "Footlight Revue" to amuse local vaudeville patrons. Who has not laughed over the predicaments of Theopians on the one-nighters, the "day-by-night" troupes; their petty jealousies, their trials and tribulations, sometimes real and at other times worse than imaginary? Most of them are exuberantly funny to audiences. Jarvis has taken some of the high lights from theatrical life in general, set them to music and transplanted them to the two-day. The result is said to be entertaining and amusing to a high degree.

The added attraction on this program will be Porter J. White, one of the most distinguished character actors in the varieties. Mr. White brings to the local Pantages "The Hide-A-Way," a sketch set in Canada and having to do with the experiences of a man who would escape the clutches of John Barleycorn. Anita Arliss, former star of "The Chocolate Soldier," and a vocalist of distinction will contribute to the program a series of popular and classical gems; Al Wohlman, always a popular entertainer, sings songs and delivers patter of a most amusing character. Canfield and Rose are chatter-fests, and the Four Morack Sisters offer an aerial act considerably out of the ordinary.

RURAL CARRIERS ADDRESSED BY PRESIDENT MOORE

President Tom Moore, of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, on Tuesday addressed a meeting of the rural mail carriers at Ottawa upon the subject of rural mail delivery by contract. After listening to President Moore's address the carriers decided to leave it to their executive to ask the government to abolish the system of letting rural mail delivery routes by contract, and ask for a straight payment of \$60 per year per mile. They will also ask that they be paid \$50 a mile a year for 1917 and 1918; the amount paid to them by contract being subtracted.

They will endeavor to secure an interview with the post master general in the course of a few days, to present the case of the carriers.

TALK OF UNIONISM BRINGS EDUCATION BOARD TO TERMS

Public school teachers at Denver, Col., have been attempting to secure a living wage, but made no progress with the board of education until talk of forming a trade union became general. Wages are now advanced.

When you find a willing helper, don't take advantage.

VIVIAN MARTIN AT ALLEN NEXT MONDAY

Vivian Martin, who has a following among photoplay fans that is large and constantly growing, will be seen in her newest Paramount picture, "The Home Town Girl," at the Allen next Monday and Tuesday. Miss Martin holds a place in the public esteem all her own, and this newest picture will doubtless increase her host of admirers.

As the title indicates, the story is laid in a typical eastern village, and Miss Martin plays the part of the belle of the town who is much admired by all the young fellows, but he rechoice for a "steady" lies between the banker's son and the clerk in the ice-cream soda fountain. Finally the latter wins out, but in order to win he does something that is not considered quite correct in ordinary society—he steals money in order to give his girl a good time. Loyally she sticks to him through his trouble, and all ends happily. A new release of the Big V comedies, which have been held up for some time because of the express strike, will be on the same program.

For the next three days, Dorothy Gish in "I'll Get Him Yet," is the attraction.



DOROTHY GISH
in "I'll Get Him Yet"

At the Allen Wednesday and Thursday

ABSOLUTE CONTROL OF FOOD IN HANDS OF THE "BIG FIVE"

Support the federal trade commission in its effort to secure remedial legislation in the meat packing industry, is the gist of a resolution passed by the A. F. of L. convention.

The attention of congress is called to the extension of the control of the meat packers over the preparation and sale of uncooked food products, which, it is declared, has proceeded so rapidly in recent years that the absolute control of the food of the nation is passing into the hands of five packers (Armour, Swift, Morris, Cudahy, and Wilson).

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the City of Edmonton hereby refers to the Burgees for their approval the following questions:

1. Shall the Council pass a by-law creating a debt in the sum of \$200,000.00 for the purpose of making further extensions and additions to the Municipal Telephone System, including the erection of a new exchange building and the installation of five hundred lines of modern apparatus, 20 year debentures, sinking fund plan, interest half-yearly at the rate of 6 per centum per annum.
2. Shall the Council pass a by-law for creating a debt in the sum of \$91,630.00 for the purpose of purchasing from E. D. Grierson all that part of the North-west Quarter of Section 15, Township 53, Range 24, West of the Fourth Meridian, containing about 110 acres, for the purpose of using the same as a public cemetery; 40 year debentures, sinking fund plan, interest half-yearly at the rate of 5 per centum per annum.

Voting on Monday, July 28th, 1919, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

AND I GIVE FURTHER NOTICE:
That a plebiscite of the electors will be taken on the 28th day of July, 1919, during the same hours and at the same place as the voting on money by-laws, upon the following question in the following form:

Are you in favor of retail stores and shops being closed on Saturday afternoon or Wednesday afternoon? Place a cross opposite the afternoon you prefer.

CHAS. ED. K. COX,
City Clerk.

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—IN—

"Vicky Van"

MONARCH

NEXT WEEK

MONDAY and TUESDAY

WM. S. HART

—IN—

"Blue Blazes Rawlin"

and
Mac Sennett Comedy

Wednesday and Thursday

DOUG. FAIRBANKS

—IN—

"He Comes Up Smiling"

and
FATTY ARBUCKLE

—IN—

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