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HIGH SOCIETY DRAMA IMPERIAL ATTRACTION

Norma Talmadge in "The Moth"—A Great Lesson Taught—Fine Singing

Sweet and demure Norma Talmadge, who is one of the favorite daughters of filmdom at the present time, was seen in another splendid society play at Imperial Theatre yesterday, a play entitled The Moth, and dealing with that species of insect known to society as the worthless cad husband who marries for money alone and is continually standing his creditors off with his wife's purse. The story was not without its highly dramatic situations and enacted in the perfumed atmosphere of drawing rooms and the Havana-laden suites af fashionable clubs it proved a splendid type of that certain class of dramatic production. Perhaps the most effective character in the story was that of Lord Annersley, a gentleman from the Old Country, who, seeing the plight of the young wife, placed himself in great jeopardy to save her from her rakish friends. The Moth is one of those stories that call for powerful dramatics all the time with sweet little neglected children and occasional flashes of pathos to give it proper contrast. It will be shown again today both afternoon and evening.

The Imperial's concert material this week is up to the high standard set by previous programmes since the change of policy from vaudeville to musical attractions. Willis Flanagan is a tenor robusto of excellent training and remarkable natural gifts. His present numbers are March on to Berlin, a stirring war song that rouses hearers to the double-encore point of enthusiasm. Then he renders that tender little bit of sentiment entitled One Year Ago. Mr. Flanagan has some further treats in store, especially several Irish songs in which he is most capable. Edith Carey Page and Josephine Dorrell are also pleasing in their soprano and contralto duets. These ladies are from leading choirs in Boston and are well known to the people of that cultured city. They close their engagement tomorrow evening and are to be succeeded by the Cimbollek Trio, two ladies and gentleman who play violin, 'cello and piano.

The present programme at the Imperial contains another of those polite and inimitable Drew comedies, the diverting "drama" of a whining wife always beset with ills and going to die, who was suddenly cured upon the arrival of a good-looking nurse. The British government official Cinematograph Weekly close the bill. Tomorrow The Trouble Buster, a pretty Paramount comedy, will hold the screen, also the serial story.

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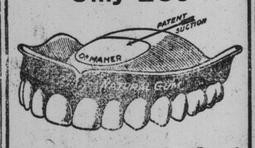

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A reply received from the correspondent says:

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½ lb. tin of Baker's Cocoa	21c.
½ lb. tin of Lipton's Cocoa	20c.
Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk	20c.
32c. tin Maple Butter	27c.
40c. tin Hunt's Peaches	33c.
40c. tin Libby's Pineapple	33c.
50c. tin Bendorp's Cocoa	40c.
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EXPECTS ENEMY TO TRY OFFENSIVE ON THE WEST

London, Jan. 2—The probability of the Germans now taking a vigorous offensive attitude on the western front was pointed out by Major General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military preparations, at the war office, in his weekly talk to the Associated Press today.

There were two factors that contributed to this probability, the general said, the first being the steady flow of German reinforcements from the eastern front, and the second the fact that the American forces were not yet ready to take any considerable part in the operations.

The public should be prepared, Gen. Maurice said, for some losses of both ground and men if the Germans attempt really determined offensive operations. They would not, however, be able to inflict any such losses on the Allies as the latter had inflicted on the Germans during the past year, he declared.

Lockhart-Pallen.

Last evening at the residence of Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, Miss Amelia M. Pallen, formerly of Roxbury, Mass., became the bride of Pte. James Lockhart of this city. The bride wore a becoming steel grey traveling suit with hat to match. She was attended by Mrs. James Hunt, who was attired in a blue serge with hat to correspond. Sergt. James Hunt acted as best man. Following the ceremony the party adjourned to the home of Sergt. Hunt at 99 Elliott row, where a wedding supper was served. Private and Mrs. Lockhart will reside in the city for the present and will later take up their residence in Boston. The groom's present to the bride was a substantial check, that to the bridesmaid a ruby ring, and to the groomsman a gold wrist watch. The bride received many presents.

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