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"THE WALK-OFFS" A SCREEN TRIUMPH AT IMPERIAL

May Allison in the Part of
Young Society Women She
Does Best Work of Her
Career.

The Walk-Offs, a picture by
Screen Classics, Inc., of the successful
stage play by Frederic and Fanny Hat-
ton, is the most suitable vehicle for May
Allison's beauty and dramatic talents
which this rising star has had. Despite
brilliance of the background of ex-
quisite life, alluring women in ex-
quisite



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they developed the story of the play in
its occasionally satirical vein. John Hol-
den designed the art interiors. The pro-
duction was directed by Herbert Blanche,
who has previously won distinction for
his direction of Petrova and Nazimova
productions.
The same fine picture is on today and
tonight. Tomorrow Will Rogers, the
quaint comedian, will be seen in Almost
a Husband.

WINNIPEG FARES HIGHER.

Winnipeg, Aug. 23.—Seven-cent cash
fares on the city lines of the Winnipeg
Electric Railway today were authorized
by the public utilities commissioner of
Manitoba, P. A. MacDonald. Four tick-
ets will be sold for twenty-five cents.
Workmen's tickets which have been good
during limited hours and sold for five
for twenty-five cents, are abolished.

CHILD KEPT NAKED.

London, Eng., Aug. 24.—George White
and his wife, Mary, were sent to prison
for a week because of cruelty to their
children. They kept one child, a cripple,
aged ten years, in a small room absolute-
ly naked for months. He was found in
a small back attic hidden head to feet by
vermin.

INSTANT HIT BY MUSICAL REVUE

Hoyt's Company in "Hello
Broadway" Warmly Wel-
comed by Crowded House
—Pretty Girls and Good
Comedians.

Pretty girls, gorgeous costumes, tun-
eful songs and some of the cleanest and
most spontaneous mirth that any road
show has offered St. John for the last
few years served to give a capacity au-
dience at the Queen Square Theatre last
night more than two hours of really de-
lightful entertainment. It was the open-
ing performance of Hoyt's Musical
Revue in "Hello Broadway" and served
to give that aggregation a most satisfac-
tory introduction to the lovers of mus-
ical comedy in the city.

There was a slight delay in getting
under way, but from the rise of the cur-
tain until the finale the large audience
was kept in continuous roars of mirth.
The comedy was really good and some
of it was entirely new. Perhaps one of
the most interesting numbers on the bill
was a piano and vocal duet by Miss Inez
Hanley and Jack Sheehan. Miss Hanley's
playing being exceptionally effective.
Lew Brems made one of the most com-
ical Hebrew comedians who has appeared
before a St. John audience and displayed
an agility in dancing that would add
lustre to a Russian ballet dancer. Jack
Cahill, as Souze, and Felix Martin, as
Stew Bucks, were the other partners in
a happy trio of comedians. Instant re-
cognition was given Bonnie Rossley, the
clever soubrette, who made so many
friends in the city with the Lyric Mus-
ical Revue. She was heard in two solos
and did effective work in the chorus.
Miss Madeline Meredith and Wallace
Melvin contributed much to the pro-
gramme in their costume rendition of
the "Dardanells" waltz. Appreciative
vocal numbers were also offered by
Frank Wheeler, Miss Madeline Buckley
and Miss Rose Emmett and were vo-
luntarily applauded.

A good male quartette is prominent in
the bill and Sheehan, Cahill, Brems and
Wheeler offer some really good singing
in a comedy setting that leaves little to
be desired.
Excellent support is offered the show
by the "Vamp Chorus" which is com-
posed of Misses Bernice Ring, Gertha
White, Bonnie Rossley, Gertrude Mc-
Manis, Betty Somers, Agnes Berkley,
Rita Miles, Mae Allan and Bobs Ack-
erman. Their dancing is good and the
costumes are attractive.



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figures the wholesaler is receiving for the same goods today.

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as one department of their business. A visit to our Fur Parlors will convince you that our statements are ones of fact.
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and bell cuffs, beautifully lined with brown figured lin-
ing—\$675.00.

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cuffs—\$265.00.

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bell cuffs, poplin lining—\$210.00.

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cuffs, poplin lining—Special price, \$400.00.

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cuffs, silk lining—\$560.00.

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silk lining—\$495.00.

Brown Pony Coat—38" long, Taupe Lynx collar and
cuffs, brown striped lining—\$325.00.

Striped Muskrat Coat—34" long, green broadened lin-
ing—\$525.00.

Striped Muskrat Coat—42" long, 18" border, shawl
collar and deep cuffs, lined with fawn figured satin—
\$550.00.

Southern Muskrat Coat—36" long, deep shawl collar
and bell cuffs, poplin lining—\$300.00.

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son Seal collar and cuffs and belt, poplin lining—\$450.00.

Russian Black Pony Coat—Deep cape collar and bell
cuffs of Taupe Opposum, lined with beautiful figured
silk—\$340.00.

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AT THE UNIQUE

"The Island of Regeneration"
Is Different from Other
Films — Leaves Lasting
Impression.

In the opinion of many motion picture
lovers who watched the new Mildred
Harris feature production "Forbidden,"
at the Lyric Theatre last night, this re-
nowned screen star, who became one of
the most talked of women in America
when she married Charlie Chaplin last
October, has eclipsed in her latest pic-
ture anything she has done for the cam-
era.

"Forbidden," the latest Universal
jewel, is built around the story of "The
Forbidden Box" by E. V. Durling, of
the New York Morning Telegraph. It
is the romance of Madeline Irwin, a mod-
ern Pandora, who yearned for the high
life of a great city, but was cured of her
love of white lights and cabarets by a
rose of her husband. Fascinating scenes
of the "Great White Way" and Chin-
atown form the background for action of
the most entertaining and thrilling kind.
Henry Woodward is the leading man in
the new production. A capable cast of
supporting players has enhanced the
making of the picture.

The picture will be repeated at the
Lyric today and tomorrow only.

AT THE LYRIC

Mildred Harris Scores New
Triumph in "Forbidden"—
Declared Her Best.

There is an inexplicable something
about "The Island of Regeneration"
which was shown at the Unique Theatre
yesterday that holds the spectator to
the final close out and leaves a lasting
impression in the memory. It is similar
to hundreds of other stories dealing with
shipwrecks and the South Sea Islands.
Yet it is entirely different. It is pecu-
liar to itself and so be appreciated it
must be seen. The luxurious tropical
backgrounds, the simplicity of the play-
ers, the naturalness of the action and
the intense dramatic moments, offset by
bright spots of character development or
atmosphere make the film a screen clas-
sic.

"The Island of Regeneration" gives ex-
pression to the suppressed desires of
many mortals who would like to aban-
don the conventionalities of society, the
rush and hurry of modern business and
seek the solitudes of a lonely island
where they might commune with nature
and live as they pleased. This is the
secret of the popularity of "The Island
of Regeneration." It gratifies the per-
sonal desire. It is like living in the en-
vironment so often pictured. It appeals
to the simpler emotions and rests the
nerves. Thus one might say "The Island
of Regeneration" is refreshing and prac-
tically every one will say that it is one
of the best pictures produced in a long
while.

Larry Semons, "The Star Boarder,"
proved to be one of the popular com-
edian's very best. It was real frolic of fun.

G. W. V. A. OFFICIAL RESIGNS.

A. E. Frame, secretary-treasurer of the
provincial and local commands of the
Great War Veterans' Association, has
resigned his office owing to ill health.
Mr. Frame was operated on several
months ago and is at present a patient
in the D. S. C. R. hospital. He has been
secretary of the local command since
May, 1919, when E. J. Puddy resigned
from that office. William J. Brown is
at present acting as secretary of the as-
sociation.

KAFFIR COWPOX ON JAMAICA

Prince of Wales Sends Mes-
sage of Sympathy for Peo-
ple.

Kingston, Aug. 24.—The Prince of
Wales has sent a message to the Gov-
ernor of Jamaica, expressing his distress
over the outbreak of an epidemic on the
island. The epidemic is not smallpox
as was feared at first, but has been diag-
nosed as kaffir cowpox. Four hundred
cases have been reported.

Honolulu, Aug. 23.—The Prince of
Wales will arrive here for a brief stay
within a few days, according to a des-
patch from Samoa.

LAFAYETTE STATUE PRESENTED TO FRANCE.

Metz, Alsace-Lorraine, Aug. 23 (By
A. P.)—The statue of Lafayette presen-
ted to France by the Knights of Colum-
bus of America was unveiled today by
Supreme Knight James Flaherty, of
Philadelphia. He also presented a baton
to Marshall Foch.

DRAW LOTS FOR HOME.

Luton, Eng., Aug. 24.—Luton's mayor
conducted a lottery for homes in the
presence of the police, who raised no
objection. Couples, with families, liv-
ing at present in lodgings, balloted for
homes, some of which will not be ready
for Christmas.

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You
Think
the Above
Amount
is a
Small
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for a
Whole
Pair of
Brown
Calf
Boots,
Blucher and
Wide Toe,
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Welt?
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Them
and Lots of
Pairs in
Stock and
All Sizes
and They
Fit Well.

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