

New Year's Callers at Government House

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Allard were "at home" on New Year's Day at Government House.

In attendance were—Capt. Goodfellow, P.S., The Hon. R. Watson, Hon. P.S., Capt. Gerald Harvey, Hon. A.D.C., Capt. Alexander Baird, Hon. A.D.C.

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Large Audiences at the Popular Star

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AND
NIGHT.

Pedrick and Devere the whirlwind artists at this theatre were again greeted with full houses both afternoon and night, and that their numbers were more than pleasing was evidenced by the big applause that followed their rendition, so much so that at both shows they were obliged to respond to encores. For to-night they have a complete change, and as announced by Mr. Pedrick, Miss Devere will on this occasion wear her most elaborate costume, same being one of the most handsome yet worn by any artist in this city.

The big reduction for next week: "Rupert of Hentzau" is one that is going to make the biggest hit it has yet been our pleasure to see. It is taken from Sir Anthony Hope's novel of the same name, and as such as to mark an epoch in the moving picture industry.

The picture for to-night is a story of a wife more vamped against than vamping. It is a living story of the Eternal Triangle, entitled: "Exit the Vamp" with Ethel Clayton, and is one that is sure to please.

Tutankhamen's Golden Shrine Bizarre Sight

Royal Coffin at Last Revealed in Full Proportions to Modern Eye—Wall Decorations are Remarkable—Endless Lines of Hieroglyphics With Figures in Colors That Recall the Art of Old China.

Luxor, Dec. 18.—All preconceived ideas of Tutankhamen's golden shrine were upset by the sight of this impressive coffin for the first time disclosed in almost its full proportions by removal of the partition wall, when the correspondent visited the tomb recently.

The first impression of this gigantic receptacle for the dead, its sides resplendent with chaste decorations of blue and gold, set against a background of brightly colored paintings on yellow, was almost overwhelming. The feeling was of something incredibly bizarre—something that seemed utterly to banish the presence of death in this casket of wonderful workmanship.

One of the first details to catch the eye was the fact that the golden lid on the canopy does not, as one imagined from the view obtained from the opening in the wall, slope down from one end to the other. It rises again at the other end, giving a graceful curved effect which is displayed by competent authority to be unique in Egyptology. The lid is not solid, but hollowed out, roofing over a space of about four feet between the first and second shrine.

In this space the correspondent was able to see—for the doors of the first shrine had been removed—a remarkable species of wooden rack, or scaffolding, erected to carry the immense golden spangled linen pall resting over the second shrine. It is very like open wooden cage work and is painted a glistening black with heavy gilded carved feet.

In the front, where the removal of the doors of the first shrine renders it clearly visible, it is seen to be made of two parts, rather awkwardly bolted together with two large bolts, probably wooden. From the top, turned blackish brown by age, showing where the part which concealed the doors of the second shrine had broken away. This part of the pall, except for a small piece crumbling on the ground has already been removed to the nearby laboratory.

The golden rosettes, about the size of a half dollar, with which the pall is abundantly spangled, still sparkle in the rays of the powerful arc lights used by the excavators. These rosettes are certainly metal, but probably not gold—more likely gilded copper.

Behind the rack the golden doors of the second shrine glistened dully, the two bolts, one above and one below, yet sternly guarding the secret tomb.

In the middle, set in either of the doors, are two metal rings, let into the wooden side to which were attached seals, which Howard Carter, directing the excavating work, had previously removed. The doors are engraved with exquisitely chiselled figures of goddesses in the attitude of prayer, while above them is the projecting golden lintel of the second shrine, which is about seven feet high. What impresses one more than anything else are the interior decorations of the walls of the first shrine. These are chiefly golden, inscribed with endless lines of hieroglyphics with figures of birds, flowers, and animals, set in a triple frame of broad black lines. This contrast of deep black and old gold recalls the art of old China or the decorative ef-

The Wreck of the Hesperus

(Up to date.)
It was the rum-runner Hesperus, that sailed the wintry sea; And the skipper had taken his little daughter To bear him company.

Fair was her hair (a peroxide blonde) Her eyes a delphinium blue, Her cherries her lip stick had daintily made And her cheeks were the latest hue.

The skipper stood beside the helm, A cigar in his mouth; And he watched how the veering wind smote the sea now South.

Then up spake an old smuggler, Had sailed to Bermuda before; "Say boss it looks to me like a storm, You better put for the shore."

"Last night I could see two moons, To-night I can see three." The skipper inhaled a lungful of smoke And a scornful laugh laughed he.

"Hush! now girls! come over here; And don't you take on so; For I can weather the roughest gale That ever wind did blow."

He wrapped her warm in her seal-skin coat, To shield her from the blast; He cut a rope from a broken spar And lashed the cargo fast.

"Oh father! I hear the sound of guns, Oh say what may it be?" "Some rum-runners fighting off pirates, girl," And he swore right lustily.

"Oh father! I see a gleaming light, Oh say what may it be?" "Tis a revenue-cutter after us kid," And he steered for the open sea.

"Oh father! I hear the church bells ring, Oh say what may it be?" But the father answered never a word, For stewed to the eyes was he.

And fast through the midnight dark and drear, Through the whistling sleet and snow, Like a sheeted ghost the vessel swept Towards the reef of Rumsunners' Weir.

She struck where the white and floeey waves Looked soft as the froth on beer; And the cruel words the skipper used Were something awful to hear.

At daybreak on the bleak sea-beach A fisherman stood aghast; To see cases of whiskey, champagne and gin Adrift with a floating mast.

He waded in and pulled them out; A joyful bird was he. Please send us all some luck like this At the hands of an angry sea.

—A. M. Dickenson, "Cobalt," Ont., Dec., 1923.

Planting by Machinery

Machines have been devised to do many things, but one of the most remarkable is used by the United States Forest Service, which sets out seedling trees ten times as fast as the old hand-planting method.

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In appearance the tree planter is something like a moving machine. It has a ploughshare arrangement in front, and at the back of the feeder are two metal wheels, which push earth around the tree seedlings and pack it down. Two men seated beside the driver are kept busy placing the seedlings in the planting hopper.

Extra features of the tree planter include a marker that indicates where the next row is to go, and two hoppers containing water and fertilizer that drop the nutriment for the young trees around their roots just before the metal wheels fill in the furrow.

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