STAGE | What's Doing at London's Leading Theatres Next Week

What Press Agents Say **About Coming Events**

MORNING DEARIE

English Lasses Trained to Perfection.

AT THE GRAND

"No matter how good a musical comedy may be in itself, itswill never horus." These are the words of Edvard Royce, the great London mustcal comedy producer, who, since his arrival in this country has staged three of the biggest musical successes on the American stage, namely, "Sally," the Ziegfeld Follies and last, but not least, "Good Morning Dearie," which will be seen twice today at the Grand.

With a reputation that makes its coming a real event, this musical sensation, which played 400 nights at the Globe Theatre, New York, claims the distinction of having the greatest dancing chorus that has ever been seen here, and includes the sensational, thrilling steppers from London, The Sunbeam Girls, who at the suggestion of Mr. Royce, were brought to this country especially for "Good Morning Dearie."

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Sunbeam Girls Are Dainty Well-Known Comedian Pays Real Compliment to Daily Newspapers.

COMING TO GRAND

The source of popular stage humor is the newspaper. The surest way to unless there is a good create a laugh is to exploit matters of topical interest.

Harry Steppe, popular star of vaudeville, musical comedy and burlesque, is responsible for this statement. Steppe is the featured member of Cain and Davenport's "Dancing Around," which comes to the Grand on Monday for three days.

Those theories about newspapers and audiences are the result of a long and successful career before the American public, and have more than a passing interest. "I read newspapers constantly,"

seen here, and includes the sensational. thrilling steppers from London, The Sunbeam Girls, who at the suggestion of Mr. Royce, were brought to this country especially for "Good Morning Dearie."

These dainty English lassies have been trained to work with the precision of a Swiss watch. Degas, who came as near as anybody to capturing the thrill and beauty of the ballet, would have liked to try and get on canvas the rhythmic synchronized perfection of these dancers from England, and it would have been worth his time.

Their dancing comes as near perfection as anything is likely to in an imperfect world.

Besides the "Sunbeam Girls" the production boasts not only a bevy of show girls, but a double quartet of young men whose singing and stepping make them interesting factors in the performance.

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"A man comes home tired from his work, sits down and glances at the headlines. His imagination is caught with an article, "3,000 cases confiscated off Jersey coast." He forgets at labout the article and dresses, goes to the theater and seats himself comtented when a comedian refers to something with which it is familiar.

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china is larger in area than the United States, Mexico and Central America combined.

An adult sea lion has been known to eat 44 salmon in a day.

with the times and delighted with the comedian's sagacity.

"Throughout the vears of my experience I have made the newspapers my first aid in laughmaking."

As a proof of his theory, Steppe always has a copy of each of the daily newspapers in whatever city he may be in on his dressing table at the theater.

ZOWIE! ANOTHER GREAT PROGRAM!

Monday, Tuesday and Wed.

October 22, 23 and 24

Goldwyn presents The CLARENCE BADGER Production

Here is the great thrill-a-minute mystery melodrama. The mad plunge of a Pullman car down the side of a mountain is just one of a hundred gasps! You'll be thrilled

Thursday, Friday and Sat.

VAUDEVILLE

Zane Grevs

from start to finish.

AT MIDNIGHT!

-the girls were awakened by a

strange beam of crimson light.

And suddenly out of the silence

came a warning cry "Beware!"



LIONEL ATWELL **COMING TO GRAND** IN A NEW PLAY

The Heart of Cellini" Is New Starring Vehicle For English Actor.

HAS GREAT PART

B. C. Whitney will present "The Heart of Cellini" at the Grand Opera House for three days, beginning Thursday, October 25th, with Lionel Atwill, the eminent English actor in the stellar role of Benvenuto Cellini, the stellar role of Benvenuto Cellini, the famous Italian sculptor who lived in the sixteenth century. It is said to be a romantic comedy and is the work of Anthony Wharton, designed after the fashion of the Florentine arts of the late Italian Renaissance with the colorful Cellini in the foreground. The engagement has the appearance of being a promising one.

Arouses Interest.

Aside from what the play and production may hold in store for the public, the appearance of Mr. Atwill in a new vehicle should arouse marked interest, for he has been a prominent factor in the theater since Mr. Belasco raised him to stellar rank

nent factor in the theater since Mr. Belasco raised him to stellar rank some four years ago. Almost continuously since that time, he played before New York audiences in such dramas as "Deburau," "The Grand Duke," and "The Comedian." Just how much any of the characterizations of any of these may be embodied in his forthcoming portraiture of the Italian sculptor must be a mere matter of conjecture; certain it is he was given first honors for his creation of these. In the prospect, however, Cellini seems to offer him greater opportunities than any of these. The historical Florentine sculptor-goldsmith is typical of a these. The historical Fibrelline sculptor-goldsmith is typical of a period, whereas the others, always picturesque, were characters with fewer dramatic possibilities, it would seem, because they represented no

particular epoch.

Studied Memoirs.

Realizing the magnitude of the character, it is Mr. Atwill's desire to present him as true to life as possi-ble. It is believed he has a pretty authentic characterization in the authentic characterization in the book which Mr. Wharton has supplied admitting some digression for the purpose of dramatic construction. Should the character at any time seem over colored, it will be due to the imagination of Cellini as much as anything, for the author of the play went to the Memoirs of Cellini himself to get impressions of that gentleman first hand. So it is likely Mr. Atwill will suggest a madcap

We Have With Us-

(1) The Dancing Chorus with "Dancing Around," at Grand three

(2) Miss Slick, with the Ladd & Morgan Revue at Loew's next Thursday, Friday and Saturday. (3) Elsie Mackey, who will be seen with Lionel Atwill in "The

Heart of Cellini," at the Grand, Oct. 25, 26, 27. (4) Marie Prevost, who will be seen in the Goldwin picture, "Red.

Lights." at Loew's, Monday, (5) Richard Dix and Lois Wilson, who will co-star in Zane Grey's "To the Last Man," at Loew's, Thursday next,

(6) Lionel Atwill, the distinguished English actor, who will be seen in "The Heart of Cellini," at the Grand, Thursday, Oct. 25, for

'RED LIGHTS," AT

mystery play since "The Bat."

The Goldwyn company made the

the very last scene. During the pro-duction of the stage play members of the audience shrieked and gasped at

ZANE GREY'S CLASSIC, TO THE LAST MAN,'

The Paramount picture, "To the Last Man," produced under the per- of the year was "The Rear Car," by three days' run next Thursday. in Los Angeles with Richard Bennett to be given in responses of 12 picked Lois Wilson and Richard Dix are in the role of "the crime deflector." "The chorus consists of 12 picked in the role of "the crime deflector." The strong sup- It was so successful that it was imprection of Professor Tom Morgan.



NEW YORK AT HER FEET.

himself to get impressions of that gentleman first hand. So it is likely Mr. Atwill will suggest a madcap sculptor, passionate, arrogant, superstitious, gallant, a Bohemian of the first water, a bravo, an egotist, an indefatigable worker, a great lover, in fact a "bundle of contradictions," colorful and dramatic. Mr. Atwill's support will include Elise Mackay, Manart Kippen, J. B. Brewer, Hazel Miller, St. Clair Bayfield, William Hindson, W. B. St. James, and a score of others.

Seats on sale Monday at 9 a.m.

BACON NOW AN AMERICAN STAPLE.

Bacon, which once went begging at ten cents a pound, is now an almost indispensable part of the American breakfast. At five times the former price the supply hardly equals the demand. This change is due to the improved quality of the bacon, the thin slicing by machine, and the fact that the public has learned that this meat is one of the most nourishing and appetizing foods.

The news of her phenomenal debut spread like wildfire throughout the country. New York burning with curlosity, was on tiptoe of expectation, but it was not until January 28, 1918, that New York had its first chance to hear her. It was in "Dinoral" at the Lexington Opera Huse, where she was accorded an ovation, such as had never before been witnessed. Memories of thousands surge back to that memorable night, for all who were able to obtain admission capitulated to the voice and charms of "their" new star. Since that day, now six seasons ago, stars have giashed across the firmament and gone out in darkness, but the refulsence of Galli-Curci's art remains undimmed, having grown mellower and deeper and richer with time until she has become the very idol of the music world.

Galli-Curci will appear November 6, in St. Thomas under Cortese management. The news of her phenomenal debut

GALLI-CURCI

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FAMOUS WELSH CHOIR IS COMING TO LONDON

Has Thrilled Large Audiences During Its Present Canadian Tour.

Londoners are assured a real nusical treat next Wednesday evenng when the Rhondda Welsh Male Choir comes to First Methodist Church under the auspices of the

Young People's League. The choir is direct from Wales and is touring Canada from coast to coast. Thus far they have thrilled large audiences in every large city east of London. The organization consists of sixteen picked soloists from all Wales and led by Wales premier conductor. Prof. Thomas

Morgan. Tuesday, October 16, 1923, they appeared in Massey Hall, Toronto, and following are extracts from leading

remier conductor, Prof. Thomas

Toronto papers:
"The first concert of the Rhondda
Welsh Male Chorus last night was a One of the greatest mystery plays decided success. There was a large audience in Massey Hall to greet it, and nearly every number of a diversonal supervision of the author, Zane | Edward Rose. The play ran for a | and nearly every number of a diversified program was so warmly application of the author, Zane | Edward Rose. The play ran for a | long period at the Majestic Theatre | plauded that an encore selection had

porting cast includes Noah Beery, mediately taken east. Many were of Each member is gifted with a voice Robert Edeson and Frank Campeau. the opinion that it was the best of individual distinction, and having been industriously rehearsed, the enscreen version of this mystifying appreciation."

The tone of the Rhondda Welsh The tone of the Rhondda Welsh solos, duets and quartets always win

story is called, was directed by Clarence Badger, and has in the cast many of the screen's best artists, including Raymond Griffith, Marie Prevost Johnnie Walker and Alice Lake. Raymond Griffith assumes the role of "the crime deflector."

The tone of the Rhondda Welsh, Male Chorus is perhaps its most notable characteristic. It is soft and rich, with a peculiarly liquid quality. As soon as the choir commences to sing a person feels, in spite of the perfection of the blending, that it must contain unusually pleasing solo ole of "the crime deflector." must contain unusually pleasing sold voices. Several of the men contribute the film producers is that the Canadian audience prefers first of all good
clean comedy. Its second choice is
the mystery drama. In "Red Lights," which is coming to Loew's Theatre on Monday for three days, the mysterious complications keep a tense interest throughout, and hold the audience in a state of suspense until audience in a state of suspense until audience in a state of suspense until Methodist Church office and Heintz-

man's Music Store, and the public is advised to obtain their tickets at once to be insured of a seat. The advance sale has been very heavy.

the thrilling situations. The screen version, "Red Lights," promises to present much more of a thrill as the KORAN THE SCHOOL BOOK OF

ARABIA.

Little school boys of Arabia and
Northern Africa sit cross-legged on the
sand around a turbaned teacher, who
pounds the earth with a long stick to
reacher the number the property. different scenes can be made more realistic than they could possibly have been on the stage.

The greater part of the faction transpires in the rear car of the Continental Limited. tinental Limited.

Cocoa, which was formerly shunned, has become one of the most popular foods which the American Red Cross is using in its feeding of the refugees in Greece. The refugees thought that it was sand or brick dust, and refused to take it. After some days a few began to try it, and then the sweet tooth of the Asia Minor people asserted itself.

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At the Theatres

GRAND.

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Twice today — Charles Dillingham's biggest hit, with New York cast and production, "Good Morning Dearie," company of 75, including London's sensational dancers, "The Sunbeam Girls."

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, twice—Another Columbia burlesque show — Cain and Davenport present Harry Steppe in "Dancing Around," with Buck and Bubbles, America's foremost colored entertainers.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday—The distinguished English actor, Lionel Atwill, in "The Heart of Cellini."

LOEW'S.

Today — "The Eternal Struggle," Comic, Loew's News, Supreme Vaudeville.

Monday Next — The Goldwyn picture, "Red Lights," Comic, Loew's Pictorial and Loew's Supreme Vaudeville.

Thursday Next — Zane Grey's classic, "To the Last Man," Loew's Pictorial, Comic and Loew's Supreme Vaudeville.

MUSIC MEMORY CONTEST. A unique series of musical

nemory contests has been inaugurated by Nellie M. Sharp, supervisor of music of the State of Ohio. A list of names of certain classics is posted in the schools at regular intervals and the children are supposed to acquaint themselves with these selections. At the end of the term of each list, the contests are held. The stu-dents hear the selections and they write down the titles of the pieces singer to get their seats now. being played. At the expiration of a specified time the contests are concluded with finals, in which the

Famous Prima Donna and Her Excellent Company Will Be Heard Tuesday Evening.

One's memory does not have to go back very far to recall how Madame Melba arrived in New York to be the principal artist of, the newlyformed Manhattan Opera Company, which Oscar Hammerstein had just organized. It is recalled that until Melba arrived, the season had been disastrous and it looked as if this daring impressario would be compelled to give up his venture almost before it had begun. However, she enjoyed a success the like of which is unknown in the musical history of New York.

Next week on Thursday evening at the Patricia Theatre Londoners will have an opportunity of hearing this world-famous prima donna. Her London appearance is one of a few which she is making while in Canada. Scores have been turned away from the theatres at each of her previous appearances, and a huge advance sale makes it advisable for Londoners,

Instead of gas being replaced by electricity it is computed in the gas industry that 350,000 new customers to the gas mains are added yearly.

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LIONEL

Full of Color-Atmosphere-Romance

WHO IS LIONEL ATWILL?

One of the Foremost Actors of His Day! -London Playgoers First Saw Him in "The Walls of Jericho."
-Subsequently He Appeared Under the Belasco Management in "Deburau," "The Grand Duke," "The Comedian."

IS THIS ENGAGEMENT IMPORTANT?

.First-Because it is Mr. Atwill's first visit here.

Second—Because it is a brand new play by an English writer.

Third—Because there are but four stops before the N. Y. premiere.

Fourth—Because Mr. Atwill has in his support an incomparable ast of English players. THE CAST INCLUDES:

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