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THE IMPERIAL'S SHOW - CAUGHT CROWD'S FANCY

Big Theatre Packed Both
Performances Last Evening
—Saw a Splendid Program-
me With Local Features
Galore.

Business at Imperial Theatre was capacity last evening and the large interior was literally dotted with the blue-jackets and navy blue officers' uniforms of the men from H. M. S. Calcutta now in port, who were guests of the theatre. It was a very fine programme throughout and whatever the weather may have been outside the atmosphere inside was electric with applause and satisfaction. It has been some time since the big house had such a real good show.

The principal picture of the splendid programme had for its leading players the popular juveniles Constance Talmadge, now looked upon as one of the chief comedienne in the profession and Harrison Ford. The title was "Happiness a La Mode" and if ever there was a satire on the prevalent "triangle" in love affairs this photoplay laid on the ridicule thick and plenty. The staging and costuming and the nature of the whole action was modern in the ultra-sense—lovely homes, maids and butlers, flowers and exquisite gowns. A darling young wife who made up her mind upon marrying not to be silly and jealous is thought by her hubby to be cold and indifferent. He has his ideas magnified and exaggerated into a coldness for his wife by a designing society rump who pretty nearly wrecks the connubial craft. The satire comes in when the process of securing a divorce is shown—unscrupulous lawyer, his conniving aides, the fake affinity and the frame-up situation that are supposed to compromise the hubby in his wife's eyes and the eyes of the law. But the little wife was wise and she took the helm and steered

CURED HIS RHEUMATISM

"I am eighty-three years old and I doctored for rheumatism ever since I came out of the army, over fifty years ago. Like many others, I spent money freely for so-called 'cures' and I have read about 'Eric Acid' until I could almost taste it. I could not sleep nights or walk without pain; my hands were so sore and stiff I could not hold a pen. But now I am again in active business and can walk with ease or write all day with comfort. Friends are surprised at the change. You might just as well attempt to put out a fire with oil as try to get rid of your rheumatism, neuritis and like complaints by taking treatment supposed to drive Eric Acid out of your blood and body. It took Mr. Ashelman fifty years to find out the truth. He learned how to get rid of the true cause of his rheumatism, other disorders and recover his strength from 'The Inner Mysteries' now being distributed free by an authority who devoted over twenty years to the scientific study of this trouble. If any reader of this paper wishes 'The Inner Mysteries of Rheumatism' overlooked by doctors and scientists for centuries past, simply send a post card or letter to H. P. Clearwater, No. 223 A Street, Hallowell, Maine. Send now, lest you forget! If not a sufferer yourself, cut out this notice and hand this good news and opportunity to some afflicted friend. All who send will receive it by return mail without any charge whatever.

the family ship back into safe placid waters. It was funny, pretty and a very wholesome lesson to flighty young couples.

Possibly the miscellaneous features in the Imperial's bill were quite as interesting as the big feature. For instance there were movies of the warship H. M. S. Calcutta, now in this port, as she laid in the Montreal docks. Applause greeted this film and many of the jacks off the ship had the pleasure of seeing themselves. There were also views of the wiped-out town of Londerry (N. S.), a victim of the forest fires of a few weeks ago and also splendid views of Sanrock IV in racing trim and ploughing ahead like a racehorse.

Barton Holmes, king of travelers and raconteurs, showed the people "Bustling Brussels" as it is today, quite recovered seemingly from its war experiences and a very interesting place to armchair through on a foggy night in St. John. The Topics of The Day handed out some of the merriest quips to date, keeping the people in roars of laughter.

One of the biggest laughs came when a teacher asked a pupil what a post office was—answer, "Where Scotchmen fill their fountain pens." On the whole the Imperial had a dandy show and the music was as usual of a high order. The same show is on today and this evening and tomorrow the Goldwyn Company presents another of their splendid Madge Kennedy comedies entitled "The Blooming Angel." There will be the Canadian Pictorial and Kinograms, too. The former having pictures of the Olympic trials in St. John a short while ago and the latter a budget of yacht racing pictures showing the big craft which start battling for the America's cup Thursday morning for the New Brooklyn, via Montreal.

The British mails here close today at 4 p. m. for the Express of France, via Quebec, and at 4 p. m. on Friday for the Canada, also via Quebec. The South African mails will close at 3 p. m. tomorrow for the New Brooklyn, via Montreal.

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PROBLEMS OF RETURNED MEN ARE DISCUSSED

S. Howe, of Toronto, prominent in the work of re-establishing returned soldiers and a past president of one of the large branches of the G. W. V. A. addressed a mass meeting of returned men in the G. W. V. A. hall last evening. He discussed the matter of gratuities, bonus, employment and other problems of the returned man explaining that the G. W. V. A. was not in any way connected with the request for the \$20,000 bonus and that they did not want such an extravagant demand. He said that the returned man did not want a cash bonus for services rendered but most of them felt the government should help to defray some of the expenses they were put to during the war when they were receiving a very low rate of pay and when all commodities were at such high prices. Other public officials had received bonuses to cover the increased expenses and he thought the returned man should also receive such a bonus.

He thought that a great many people still felt that the G. W. V. A. was after the \$20,000 gratuity but he wished to tell them that the association did not want this bonus and that the members had turned it down at their convention. They only wanted some of the wrongs which were the cause of grievances and dissatisfaction among returned men, righted. He cited several instances

where there had been discrimination, probably unintentional, but which caused returned men to "grouse" about the way they were treated. He spoke of the feeling of comradeship and unity which should bind together returned men and made a plea for strong cooperation in the different branches of the G. W. V. A. He concluded by saying that the returned men as a whole wanted the government to see them properly re-established and they intended to back up their demands. Mr. Howe opened the meeting to discussion after his address and cleared up a number of points, answering many questions with reference to subjects of interest to his audience.

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POPULAR THEATRE WITH
GOVERNMENT DIRECTION

Paris, June 24—A "popular theatre," where plays and operas will be given under government direction has been definitely agreed upon by the Chamber of Deputies and it is believed by its supporters that the senate will agree. The plan has long been contemplated.

A temporary appropriation of 100,000 francs was voted to start the new theatre in the Trocadero Palace and the Comedie Francaise subsidy.

250,000 francs was doubled to enable it to present plays there. Plays will be given nightly with two matinees at the Trocadero which seats 3,000.

A feature of the plan is the decision to make it a producing playhouse for the government conservatory for the training of actors and musicians.

MOTHER! "California Syrup of Figs" Child's Best Laxative

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By "BUD" FISHER

MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF MUST BE SMOKING SOFT COAL THESE DAYS

