

MINSTRELS AT IMPERIAL WIN BIG AUDIENCE

Van Arman's Entertainers Present Excellent Circle and Olio

Two large audiences yesterday were generously entertained by the performances of John R. Van Arman's Minstrels in the Imperial Theatre. The program presented was, on the whole, an excellent one, with many particularly good numbers.

The first part of the program, embodying the features of the old-time minstrel circle, included an opening overture and several solos, which were interspersed with bright, witty conversation between the men and the twin interlocutors. Musical numbers included selections by Al Pinar, Lee Condor, Walter Avery, James McGuire, Bob Driscoll, Roy Roberts, Joe LaFon, Frank Gilmore, Charles Wright and Harry Clifton.

Clifton's eccentric dancing and the clever team foot-work of Driscoll and Roberts drew instant applause, which culminated in a grand finale.

OLIO EXCELLENT

The olio, presented after the intermission, contained a good number of high-class vaudeville acts, all of which were well received. The opening number was a selection from "Orpheus," played by the minstrel orchestra, with Del Pacilli in command. The work of Allaire, European juggler and boomerang hat-thrower, was one of the high spots on the program. He handled one or several clubs with astonishing ease and without a single slip. His boomerang hat act was a whirlwind finish. His work received well-merited applause.

Messrs. Wright, LaFon, Condor and Avery favored the audience with a number of quartette selections, both grave and gay, but all of a high order. This was followed by a remarkable demonstration of concordance ability on the part of LeBaron, the Frogman, who was loudly applauded for his work.

Driscoll and Roberts again presented a song and dance combination, during which several new dance steps were demonstrated. Their encore was of the Harold Lloyd strain, both laughable and clever.

Gene Gerald's female impersonations were well received, and included two or three vocal solos, with Herschel McQueen at the piano. An interesting comedy duo, Bright Light from Darktown, presented by Messrs. Gilmore and Clifton, also was a big hit, and the program was brought to a close with a group of selections by the jazz-band, combined with solos by Messrs. McGuire, Clifton and Driscoll.

The whole show was pronounced an excellent one. It will be repeated again this afternoon and this evening.

PROXIES CONSIDERED

Although the question of the proxy of the National A. C. at the recent annual meeting of the M. P. B. A. A. U. of C. was thoroughly gone into at last night's meeting of the executive at the home of the president, C. W. Ellsworth, nothing definite was announced at the close of the meeting. The matter was discussed at some length.

RIGHT THIS WAY TO THE MENAGERIE



An assortment of odd living creatures from the Boston zoo! Left, nothing to be scared of, the cavern simply indicates how sleepy it feels to be a baby hippo; center, a South African gnu—cross word puzzle may recognize it as a particularly fine specimen—just received at the zoo; right, a thorny goat, and below, the trouble that throat got him into.

RAIN SLOWS TRACK AT INDIANAPOLIS

Guy Trojan Takes Feature Event on Grand Circuit Races—Other Results

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 9.—The Grand Circuit races here today were slowed up, so far as time performances were concerned, by a muddy track and slippery turns as a result of heavy rains last night. The feature event, the Pluto Water purse of \$2,000 for 210 trotters, brought out only two starters, Guy Trojan and Hollywood Leonard, the former winning in straight heats.

The 218 trot was won in straight heats by Sayde Worthy. Highland Scott won the three-year-old pace while Marg. Al B. and Simmie Asaff each won a heat in the 218 pace, which was unfinished.

U. S. BEATS FRANCE IN DAVIS CUP MATCH

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 9.—The United States triumphed over France today in the first match of the challenge round for the Davis Cup, world's championship tennis trophy, when William M. (Little Bill) Johnston vanquished Rene Lacoste, 6-0, 6-0, 6-0.

Westville Now Even With Springhill Team

SPRINGHILL, Sept. 9.—Westville evened up the provincial championship today when they defeated Springhill by a score of 7 to 5 in one of the most exciting games of ball ever witnessed here. It was anybody's game until the last ball was delivered in the ninth inning. The game was featured by heavy hitting by both teams.

Canadian Girl Makes World Record Jump

REGINA, Sask., Sept. 9.—Miss Ethel Catherwood, Saskatoon school girl, competing in a provincial championship field meet here, leaped over the bar at 5 feet 2 1/8 inches to better by more than a full inch the old world's record for women the running high jump. She eclipsed the Canadian mark by almost three inches.

What was claimed as a world's record for the women's high jump was established by Miss D. A. Green, jumping 5 feet 1 1/8 inches at London, August 2 last. Previously the best mark accepted was 4 feet, 10 1/2 inches, set by Miss Katherine Lee, of Chicago, in 1923.

Baldwin Headgear Causes Comment

LONDON, Sept. 9.—Straw hats are almost obsolete in England, but they have just received a last-minute revival through the appearance on the streets of Prime Minister Baldwin topped with a "boater," as the straw is called in England. The Premier's political audacity in sponsoring a form of headgear which has almost passed out of the book of styles has caused much comment.

A Bad Case

While straw hats are in disfavor, however, the "topper" is enjoying a boom. Not since the beginning of the war have so many shifty tall hats and collapsible opera-hats been seen in London. The manufacturers are busy, not only meeting the demand of the male dresser, but also satisfying a new fashion in women's millinery, which suggests that a crown of the same material of which "toppers" are made will supercede the interminable felts this winter.

WILL NAME REFEREE NIGHT OF CONTEST

Champion and Challenger Will Resume Training Today—Big Gate Expected

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 10.—While reports from the training camps of both Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney indicate their interests in the selection of the referee for the title battle here Sept. 28, this question will not be answered until the night of the fight.

The man who will referee the Dempsey-Tunney match will not be known to anyone but myself until the night of the fight," Frank Wiener, chairman of the State Athletic Commission, is quoted as saying. "In fact he will not be known until after the preliminary bouts have started."

LOUGHAN TO HELP

Tommy Loughran, the Philadelphia light heavyweight, reported in camp yesterday, but it is indefinite when he will put on the leather. He may start in today, but it is likely he may be held in reserve for the final week.

"Hindenburg Crop" Is Latest Style Shingle

GENEVA, Sept. 9.—The latest thing in women's hair-cuts is the "Hindenburg crop."

Several of the prettiest girls in Geneva, after a period of discreet seclusion, have now appeared with their hair cropped and stiffly pampadoured as in the German general. The effect is startling, but for some faces not so severe as it sounds.

On Rifle Range.

The Headquarters M. D. No. 7 Rifle Association held its usual weekly shoot on the ranges on Wednesday afternoon under fairly ideal weather conditions.

COWS BIG DRINKERS

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LARRY SEMON COMEDY

PALACE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY ZANE GREY'S

"The Light of Western Stars"

With Jack Holt, Noah Berry, Billy Dove

Zane Grey's smashing romance of the Arizona border in the days when a quick trigger and a fast horse were a man's best friends.

HARRY LANGDON in "WHITE WING'S BRIDE"

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ARCTIC SHIPS RETURN

ST. GEORGE, Maine, Sept. 10.—The schooners Bowdoin and Sachem of the MacMillan Exploration Expedition, which have just completed a voyage of 4,000 miles that took them to uncharted shores, 300 miles beyond the Arctic Circle, arrived here today.

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Sgt. J. Soutter, 30 33 32 35
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Sgt. E. W. Wiggins, 25 27 28 28
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



A Bad Case



Bon Voyage



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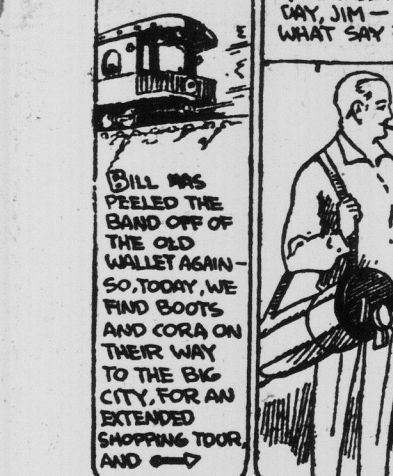
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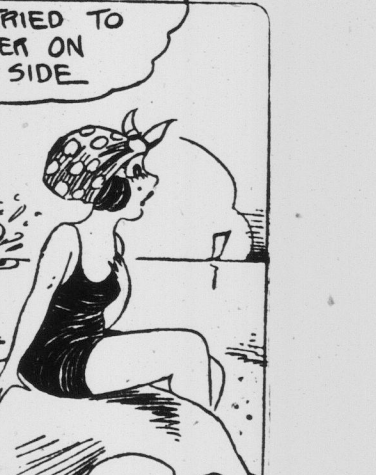
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