

FRIDAY, APRIL 15

Junior Class Play

Patty Makes Things Hum

—PHOTOPLAY—

"From Now On"

SATURDAY, APRIL 16th

Imperial Theatre

MATINEE AND NIGHT

The Screen Version of the World-Known Indian Classic—

"The Last of the Mohicans"

From the Book —BY—

James Fenimore Coopers

Fourth Episode—**"The Son of Tarzan"**
"The Shiek's Revenge"

SUNDAY, APRIL 17th

Wm. Faversham

—IN—

"The Man Who Lost Himself"

MONDAY, APRIL 8th
Continuous From
3:00 P. M. to 9:00 P. M.
SHOWS—3, 5, 7, 9

"The BIRTH OF A NATION"

Special From 4 to 6 p. m.
Any School Child under
12 years—9c and W. T.
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RANDOM SHOTS

For Bill Harper's information, we will explain that the trombone player doesn't really swallow his instrument. He only seems to do so.

The Smallest Newskid was conversing with the Lady Bookkeeper. "Say, did you know my daddy bought a restaurant yesterday?" he asked her. The Lady Bookkeeper professed interest. "Well, he did," the Smallest Newskid went on, "and I laid awake almost two hours last night wondering where he got the money to do it."

The Minnesota game protective league is urging a tax on cats. Dogs are the favorite masculine pet, but cats have been dear to feminine hearts since Eve was at home in the Garden. The Minneapolis News says that since women have the vote, they cannot consistently ask for special consideration in matters of taxation.

Butterplate Wit: A prominent minister says that to the lawless all laws are blue. Which is quite true, as far as it goes, but covers the question about as well as the proverb, "To the pure all things are pure," effectually sterilizes dubious drinking water.

At the last Lions club dinner, John Gathers dug up this communication to a railroad company from one who had not only suffered, but knew how to express it on the powers that be:

"It is absolutely necessary in the discharge of his duty day and night, that the engineer of your yard at the upper terminal bridge, should make the engine ding and dong and hiss and spit and clang and bang and buzz and hiss and yell and wail and pant and rant and yowl and grate and grind and puff and bump and click and clang and chug and moan and hoot and toot and crash and jar and jerk and rasp and jingle and twang and clack and rattle and jangle and ring and clatter and yelp and croak and howl and huff and snarl and puff and growl and thump and boom and crash and jolt and jostle and shake and screech and snort and slam and thrub and crink and quiver and rumble and roar and yell and smoke and smell and shriek like h—ll!"

With the possible exception of Rabelais, we do not now recall any writer with a greater gift for fluent expression.

The wife of an Alliance business man was asked: "What is your husband's average income?" Her reply was: "About midnight."

Tramp: "Any rags, paper, old iron to sell?"

Head of House (irately): "No, go away—my wife's away for the summer."

Tramp (smilingly): "Any bottles?"

Ain't It the Truth?

A certain newspaper editor published one successful issue of his newspaper. Everything that happened in the community was taken to the party concerned, who promptly had the news suppressed, and the final outcome was that each subscriber received a blank sheet on publication day. The editor is said to have spent an enjoyable night—dreaming happily that he had offended no one.—Empeco News.

What would the humorous paragraphers do if it weren't for prohibition? Another one: "In the old days it was the barkeeper's custom to throw in a cigar with each sale of a bottle of laughing water. Now the purchaser is lucky if the bartender doesn't throw in a piece of crepe."

Friend Husband: "The man was in a tantrum and the lady was in a reverie, and they collided."

Friend Wife: "I suppose both cars were badly damaged."

Picture Show Jays.

Of all the jays you'll ever find
In any sort of crowd,
Is he who at the picture show
Reads all the dope aloud.
—Hasting Tribune.

Who knows another sort of jay—
He fills our soul with heat—
Who parks his stick chewing gum
On the adjoining seat.
—Nebraska City Press.

Another jay's the thoughtless yap
As senseless as a bat
Who throws a lighted seegar butt
Upon our Stetson hat.

A Nebraska City man is such a "nice girl" that J. Hyde Sweet accuses him of playing left needle on the knitting team.

An exchange remarks that most of

the young men who are being ruined by the movies today are sons of men who are "ruined" by reading "Diamond Dick" novels twenty-five years ago.

Today's Best Story.

A woman from the woolly east was in Alliance last week, visiting a friend. She brought along with her a small son, and in the course of her stay here dropped in at Bert Laing's and got some stuff for the kid. She was in a tremendous hurry and as she headed for the door dropped a parcel. She was in such haste that she didn't notice it, and Bert sprang to the rescue. He retrieved the parcel and rushed after her. "Pardon me, madam, here is a package you dropped." The lady thanked him pleasantly, and Bert said, in parting, "Call again, please." "Thank you, I will," said the customer, with real feeling. "You bring your folks and come over to see us real soon."

AT THE CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The church is closed for repairs and interior decorating. There will be no services of any kind at the church next Sunday. All Sunday school papers will be held and distributed the following Sunday.

The annual congregational meeting was held Tuesday evening of this week. All reports revealed the church and organizations in good condition, having carried on very successfully during the year. The church and missionary organization both paid their full apportionments for benevolences which together with individual gifts to Hastings college brought the total of benevolent gifts over \$700.00; then, too, the ladies' auxiliary has been very successful, having receipts for the year of nearly \$500. Other organizations have acquitted themselves with credit.

The membership of the church and six were restored. Twelve letters were given and one member died during the year. About ninety church services were held and four communion services. Over \$1,000 worth of beautifully colored slides instructive of the work of the church as carried on by the home and foreign boards have been shown as well as the Red Cross lectures and the Boy Scout pictures. The year has witnessed a marked interest in all the work of the church. The Lord hath crowned the year with His goodness, for which we give our heartiest thanks. At the close of the congregational meeting, F. A. Bald was elected to the board of trustees.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Even in dollars and cents a person who regularly attends church is better off than he otherwise would be, for worship quickens those great business virtues—industry, honesty and thrift. Church attendance promotes good health and lengthens life, for it is not work but worry that kills, and the yielding of the mind and heart to the most High drives out worry and brings peace.

This is what you get and will do if you attend the following services at our church, if you are not connected with other churches. Come, you are welcome. Subjects as follows:

Morning, "A Plea for Exemption."
Evening, "The Man up a Tree." Were you ever up a tree? And the limb breaking and you were afraid to jump down? Come and hear this sermon as well as the other.

All evening services a half hour later from now on. Afternoon services at 2:30. The coming church meets at this hour, adults welcome also.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Next Sunday 400 years have elapsed since Luther appeared before the Diet at Worms, and so courageously defended the truth of the Bible which for centuries had been throttled. In memory of Luther's faithful stand, which gave us the open Bible, we shall have a special service. The service will be in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the German language.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

"Simple doctrines of the church of Christ," is the subject for the morning service. The evening subject is, "The Conversion of the Ethiopian." These will be sermons on first-principals and as always the evangelistic note will be emphasized. We are expecting another great audience and

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confessions as on every Lord's Day.

The Bible school service invites you to help by adding your talents to make for efficiency. The Endeavor prayer meetings afford a place for the young and others who wish to attend, to get into the spirit of worship.

The convention of the fifth district will be held at Sidney, April 27 and 28.

The mid-week meeting on Wednesday evening is always interesting and helpful. Get the habit and be present at all services.

Come to the church with a message and a welcome.

STEPHEN J. EPLER, Minister.

METHODIST CHURCH

Mrs. M. C. Smith will lead the Epworth League Sunday night at 6:30.

Subject: "How can We Improve Our Recreations?"

Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, an opportunity will be given for parents to have their small children dedicated to God in holy baptism. After the baptismal service, the pastor will preach on "The Religion of Childhood."

Sunday evening the junior choir will

again occupy their special platform and assist in the music. More definite announcements will be made at the Sunday morning service.

MEARL C. SMITH, Pastor.

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W. R. Pate has gone to Gordon, Neb., on a business trip. He expects to return Saturday.

It is evident that Grover Bergdoll doesn't take any stock in the view that Germany plans another war.—Marian Star.

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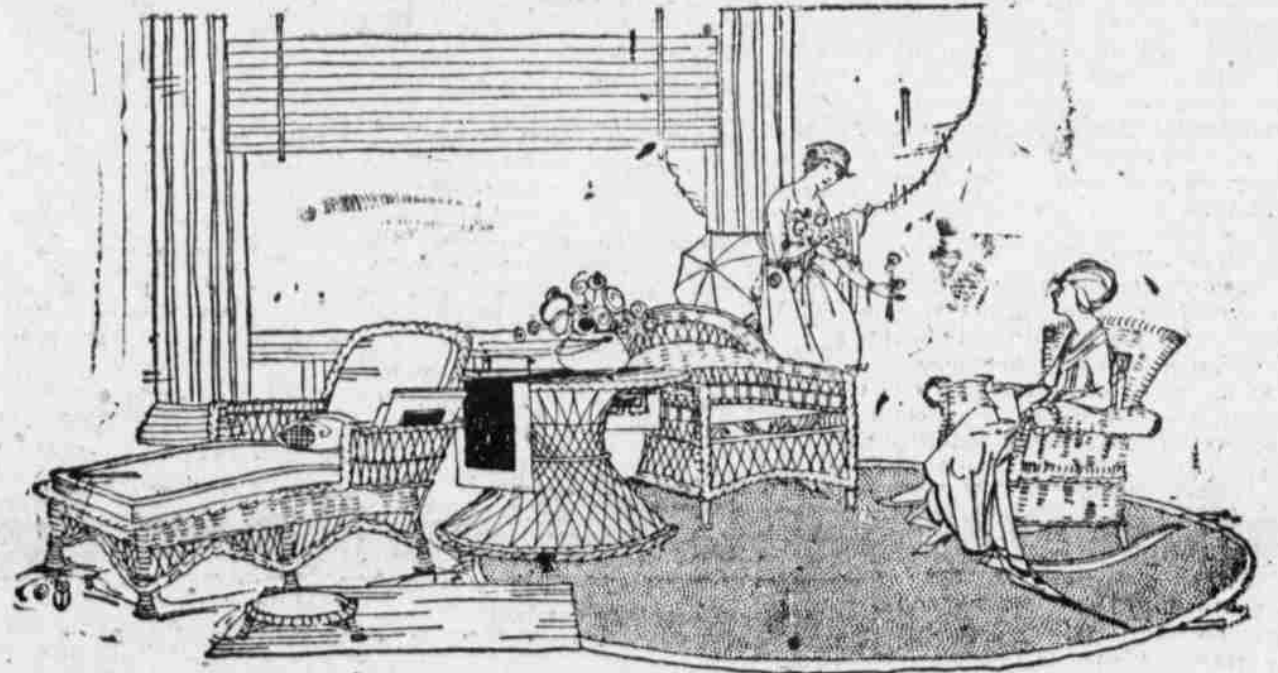
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