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Prices.—First floor, 50c, 75c and \$1; balcony 50c and 75c.

BOYD'S Two Nights
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COMMENCING Mat. Dec 11. WEDNESDAY

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WEDNESDAY MATINEE **"Virginus"**
WEDNESDAY NIGHT **"Hamlet"**
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The attraction at the Creighton Theatre for three nights and Saturday matinee, opening Thursday, December 12, will be a fine-alecde comedy entitled "My Wife's Friend," presented by one of the most capable companies of comedians of the season. William C. Andrews is the star and the proprietor of the organization. Being a thorough artist himself, he has selected a company of high quality to support him. The play was written by Fred Marsden, and may be classed in the school of comedy which has been



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two performances at Boyd's Theatre—"Camille" in the afternoon, Shakespeare's beautiful pastoral comedy, "As You Like It," in the evening, and the engagement closing with "Doris" on Sunday night.

The great success remarked last season in the comical barnyard scene of "In Old Kentucky" has naturally given birth to a horde of imitators, and, no doubt, there have been other pickaninny bands and "buck" dancers submitted for public approval during the present theatrical campaign. The public, however, is not slow to distinguish the spurious from the genuine, and it is likely that "In Old Kentucky" and its clever little darkeys will occupy first place for many seasons to come. "In Old Kentucky" is the Christmas attraction at Boyd's.

Must Pay for the Wake.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Nov. 18.—Matt McSherry, a bachelor, was drowned recently and a wake was held at his boarding-house. The landlord's bill for the entertainment was disputed by the heirs to-day because McSherry had not authorized the wake. Judge Husted decided the wake was authorized by custom in the case of an Irish Catholic and allowed the claim.

Mr. Louis James, after three years of distinguished and profitable association as joint star with Mr. Frederick Warde, has this season resumed his individual starring course, presenting an attractive repertoire of classic and standard plays, surrounded by a strong company and adequate accessories. Being the foremost American repre-

sentative of the school of robust tragedians, Mr. James has had no superiors, in point of repute or prospects, among the actors of the native stage. His exalted position has been attained through splendid gifts of person, temperament and genius, and through one



of the most exacting courses of training that ever developed talents. His repertoire consists of "Virginus," "Hamlet," and "Marmion," the latter, a distinct novelty, being an adaptation from Sir Walter Scott's famous poem. Messrs. Wagenhals and Kemper, his managers, have secured a strong supporting company and have equipped him with special scenery of a very elaborate character, and all the details which go to make an artistically successful stage production. Mr. James will be seen at Boyd's Theatre, opening with Wednesday matinee in a magnificent production of "Virginus." Wednesday night, "Hamlet"; Thursday night, "Marmion."

C. T. Dazey, the author of "In Old Kentucky," is given the credit of having done his best work in his latest play, "The War of Wealth," which will be seen here at Boyd's Theatre on December 20th, 21st and 22d, and which has succeeded in stirring the San Francisco critics up to the point of enthusiasm. No play produced there in a long time has excited such favorable comment. The Examiner, in the course of a long notice, said: "It is a play well worth seeing. The plot has the merit of originality, and the situations are given a dramatic interest found in few melodramas. The company is generally admitted to be the strongest ever seen in this part of the country in the melodrama, and the piece is most elaborately staged."

Charles H. Yale's "Newest Devil's Auction" will be the attraction at Boyd's Theatre on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, December 13, 14 and 15. The Kansas City Times of Monday last said of Mr. Yale's show: "The old and dear fairy story itself is told without any offending change, but how different is the setting of the familiar tale. The play is one that admits of the greatest variety of possibilities known to scenic and mechanic art. The very latest of these have been utilized. The scenery and transformations are marvelous, inspiring admiration and wonder."

Saturday, December 7, Effie Ellaler and her splendid company will give

The Danger.

The ignorant vote of the United States is one of the greatest dangers. This is true in the northern states, where the number of illiterate voters in many states is sufficient to hold the balance of power between the great parties. Especially is this true throughout the south, where thirty-three and one-tenth per cent. of the voters cannot read their ballots. Here is a field calling for greatly enlarged effort for the education of the masses. The Methodist Episcopal Church is one of the tremendous factors of that field. Her schools are disabled for lack of money. Let our pastors present this phase of the case to their people, and urge the collections of our southern educational work.—Omaha Christian Advocate.

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George Morgan, charged with raping and murdering 11-year-old Ida Gaskill, is being tried before Judge Scott.

Fire was discovered in the Omaha National Bank building to-day (Friday), but was extinguished before the building was destroyed.

The Omaha branch of the Nonpareil has been discontinued.

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The Sequel

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The Roman Catholics have one redeeming trait that Protestants should pattern after, that is to contend for what they believe to be right, even if they have to fight for it. We hope the citizens of Paris will use all honorable means in their power to prevent those human baronages, those lecherous leeches in the priestly garb of the Roman church to fasten themselves on that community. A. P. Aism and the public school is a sure preventative.—Banner of Liberty.

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