

Phoney Telephone at Last of Real Use

At least a real use has been found for the phoney telephones which are seen in photoplays. The phoney are real

WORLD

Seven days, starting TODAY

PATTON and MARKS

Supported by a clever company of girls in the musical revue deluxe,

Bits and Pieces

Produced by Hazzard Short, producer of the sensational New York success, "The Music Box Revue."

Other Standard Vaudeville and a Superb Comedy Photoplay.

Gimme

Written and directed by Rupert Hughes. Big cast, including Helene Chadwick, Gaston Glass and Eleanor Boardman

Anniversary Week

EMPRESS

LAST TIMES TODAY "THE PET" Musical Comedy and Vaudeville Presented by HUTCHISON'S ZIZ-ZAZ REVUE

Shand's

LAST DAY "RACING HEARTS" with AGNES AYRES THEODORE ROBERTS RICHARD DIX

NEW SHOW TODAY MARSHALL NEILAN'S "The Strangers' Banquet"

NEIGHBORHOOD THEATERS VICTORIA - 24th and Fort PETE MORRISON In "Daring Danger"

BRANDELS TODAY Mat. and Evening Last Two Shows I-N-A-C-L-A-I-R-E

enough, but as a general rule, the wires run only as far as the edge of the set. Trust the ingenuity of William de Mille to find a use for them.

In "Grumpy," De Mille's production featuring Theodore Roberts, May McAvoy and Conrad Nagel, there are several scenes in a long shot where Roberts, in the title role, makes use of a telephone. The scene of most importance was very long and three or four rehearsals failed to produce the result Mr. De Mille desired.

Then it was that the idea of making use of the telephone came to him. He had the electricians connect the extension with a second phone and splice in a battery. Thus when Roberts lifted the receiver while half through the scene, De Mille gave him

further instructions over the telephone. The idea was so novel it attracted several other directors to watch its use. The result was so good as to promise that telephones used in motion pictures in the future may be as real as the telephones in any American home.

Hiers Finishes Second One.

Walter Hiers is rapidly finishing his second picture, a comedy-drama, "Sixty Cents an Hour," directed by Joseph Henabery, with Jacqueline Logan featured in support.

THE GAYETY WILL BE DARK TODAY BUT TOMORROW NOON--ZOWIE!

Orpheum Last Times MATINEE TODAY 2:15 Early Curtain TONIGHT at 7:50

Second Week Starting Tomorrow Trifling Women at the SUN

RIALTO NOW SHOWING Harold Lloyd Safety Last also WILL ROGERS IN "Fruits of Faith"

Madge Bellamy Holds Reception in Omaha



Mrs. E. L. Alperson of Omaha with Madge Bellamy (left). First National moving picture star, taken at Union station while Miss Bellamy's train stopped here.

Madge Bellamy, First National moving picture star, stopped off in Omaha Thursday night on her way from Los Angeles to New York.

Miss Bellamy says she isn't going to get married for a long time.

She is meeting the governors of 20 states and extending them an invitation to visit the motion picture exposition in July.

And after seeing her smile, well—it isn't hard to imagine that 20 states will have to get along for a time without governors.

On the Screen Today

- World—"Gimme." Rialto—"Safety Last." Moon—"Strangers' Banquet." Sun—"Trifling Women." Strand—"Racing Hearts." Empress—"The Midnight Guest." Muse—"Hearts of the World." Grand—"Rose of the Sea." Victoria—"Daring Danger."

Corinne Griffith at Studio.

Corinne Griffith, who will play the lead in Eleanor Glynn's "Six Days," to be directed by Charles Brabin, has arrived at the Goldwyn studio, after a holiday in New York.

And After That? "Rich Men's Wives" and "Poor Men's Wives," having been portrayed in films, it is announced now that shortly there will be released "Mothers-in-Law."

When in Omaha Stop at Hotel Rome

and "Ambush." In it Miss Claire is Lucy Warriner, a young, beautiful and fashionable divorcee whom financial necessity has brought to the brink of a desirable second matrimonial alliance. A rich, though rather crude, westerner turns out to be the most likely candidate for this honor.

You will have two more opportunities, matinee and evening, to see this week's immensely popular show at the Orpheum, the show which has Mrs. Sidney Drew for one of the headliners, and Thompson, the Egyptian, for the other. The curtain on this evening is to rise at 7:55. Next week, opening with tomorrow's matinee, comes Broadway's famous star comedian, Frank McIntyre.

Today the Gayety will be "dark" in preparation of the supplementary spring season scheduled to start at noon tomorrow and to run continuously until 11 p.m. each day. The stage performance will be furnished by Fred Webster and his company, who are a company of 20 people who will be permanently located at the Gayety, offering an entire change of musical comedy every Sunday and Thursday. The opening bill of musical comedy, which will be presented four times daily will include the Egyptian Shies. It calls for the

AT THE THEATERS

Two well known musical comedy stars, Jack Patton and Loretta Marks, featured in "Bits and Pieces," head the new bill at the World theater starting today.

Three o'clock in the Morning When you listen to Prince's Dance Orchestra playing this dream waltz, Columbia Records

full strength of the organization and is said to fairly bulge with laughter and comedy situations and gives Mr. Webster ample scope to score in his characterization, "Abie," which role he will portray throughout the twice weekly change of musical tabloid during the spring season. The management has arranged for first run photo plays to be shown in conjunction with the musical comedy.

Jack Hutchinson's Ziz-Zaz Revue will make its appearance for the last time today at the Empress. Starting tomorrow, Mary Brown's Tropical Maids will make their appearance for one week. This organization comes to Omaha very highly recommended, having toured 24 different states in the last six years and met with the highest praise wherever seen. The opening play entitled "Field Bill" is written for laughing purposes only and gives the principals ample opportunity to keep the audience in an uproar. Mary Brown (herself) will positively appear at every performance.

Film Flashes. Jane Murfin, playwright and joint head of the Trimble-Murfin production, which star Strongheart, arrived in Banff, Canada, this week to aid in making the new Strongheart pictures, "The Phantom Pack" and "White Fang."

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