

### London Delights in Stage Antiques More Than Gotham

All-British Review Will Be Offered in Fall—Scheduled for New York Next Year.

By ALAN DALE. Dramatic Critic Universal Service. London, June 23.—A bright young person of journalistic trend seemed to think it was necessary to apologize for the age of Duse by remarking that Westminster Abbey was old and nobody would wish it to be young. Which I thought exceedingly apparent. If all the antiques on the London stage must be compared with landmarks, well, there are plenty of them. For instance, there is Mrs. Patrick Campbell, who is again to tour in the "Second Mrs. Tanqueray," who might appropriately be likened to St. Paul cathedral, whilst the ever-darting Ellen Terry, who is seen from time to time, would achieve a pleasant reputation as the Tower of London.

Scoffs at Youth. There is not the least doubt that London scoffs at the mere youth who so inconspicuously praise. To be old and seasoned, that's London's great attraction.

The town is full of revivals. They surpass in numbers New York's revivals and they seem to draw. There was Gladys Cooper in a stuporous revival of "Magda." And there's the perennial Hawtrey doing new justice to "Jack Straw."

It's baffling to us, these old-timers doing the same old stunts they did before the war, but there's a certain beauty about it. There's the ineffable gorgeousness of royalty, of which we have no little.

Carrying out our simile above quoted, a suppositive Hawtrey might be compared to the Bank of England. That, at least, is a sure thing.

Devoid of Novelty. This week in London, apart from "Robert E. Lee" and the new Milne play at the Haymarket entitled "Success," has been devoid of novelty with the exception of a series of matinees of "The Man Who Ate the Popcorn," a sort of dramatization of a smell. He ate a popcorn and instantly smelled so strong he was a nuisance to his fellows. His sweet heart, in a clubby mood and in order to make him feel not too ostracized, also ate of the pungent fruit.

The sandwich gentlemen are abroad bearing news of "Enemies of Women" at the Empire theater. I have watched the long, persistent queues of humanity waiting outside till the doors open. It is an astonishing sight in London. People love to form these queues. They won't have things altered. Managers have tried to reserve the cheaper seats and arrange matters comfortably, but in England, if you have once been uncomfortable, you are obsessed with the idea of always being uncomfortable.

"Enemies of Women." "Enemies of Women" is doing a land-office business. Tastes may be different in respect to humor and outlook but Ibanez is a wizard and understands his humanity from A to Z.

Andre Charlot is to produce a very big and pretentious revue in the fall. It is to be called "The London Revue of 1923," and is to be absolutely English. Every actor and actress will be of British persuasion. Charlot has already engaged Beatrice Lillie, Gertrude Lawrence, and Morris Harvey, according to the latest reports.

Small Black Dog Serves as Mother to Young Lion. Berlin, June 23.—Berlin's zoo is probably more successful than any other in the world as a breeding place for small animals. While it lost many inhabitants during the war, care was taken to keep pairs, and the cages are gradually being restocked with animals born in captivity.

Strange foster families are developed by the keepers, who have learned the difficulties of compelling certain mothers to look after their young under the unnatural conditions they face in captivity.

A few months ago a fine lion cub was entrusted to a small black female dog. The young lion is now five times as large as his foster mother and is developing a hoisty mane. Still he is as docile as a puppy and he and the little dog remain on the best of terms and play about together to the great joy of visiting children.

Work to Start This Year on Richardson Court House. Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Falls City, Neb., June 23.—Attorney General O. O. Spillman's ruling that Richardson county can include a forty-foot fall in the proposed new court house means that construction will begin this year, according to members of the county board of commissioners. As soon as the written opinion is received, Architect W. F. Gerandt of Omaha will be asked to re-draft his original plans to include a fall in the proposed edifice, the cost of which is not to exceed \$250,000. Work on the plans had been held up pending the attorney general's opinion.

Births and Deaths. Births: Albert and Irene Komey, hospital, girl; Percy and Winifred Watkins, hospital, boy; Harry and Agnes Michelsen, 2189 Laramie avenue, boy; H. and C. F. Baber, R. F. D. No. 1, boy; George and Dorothy Blackman, 469 South 24th avenue, hospital, boy; Mike and Anna Kossis, 2502 W street, boy; Sam and Sara Badalamenti, 2109 North Twenty-eighth avenue, girl; Stanley and Beaula Jackson, 918 South Thirtieth street, girl; Donald and Marie Ellis, hospital, girl; Leola and William Hartman, 814 South Fifth street, girl; Joe and Julia Villosa, 2101 South Street, one day street, boy.

Deaths: Julia E. Hurley, 62, 203 South Fifty-first avenue; Donahay, 62, 1210 South Thirtieth avenue; Carrie Cooper, 77, 2613 Patrick avenue; Mrs. Inez Anderson, 73, 2522 Seward street; Daniel L. Johnson, 25, hospital; Joseph R. Flala, 56, 1718 South Eighth street; David W. Alcott, 54, 191 South Twenty-first street; Mrs. Belle P. Williams, 73, hospital.

Marriage Licenses. The following couples were issued licenses to wed: Paul Ehlers, 26, Omaha, and Junia Julia Sprick, 24, Omaha; and Frances N. Harner, 22, Omaha.

### Boy Genius Fond of Toys



In examination of "superior" children of Philadelphia by University of Pennsylvania psychologists, it was found that among the achievements of 2-year-old Jack Schwabland is his ability to count up to 50. He also can read number combinations, all the letters of the alphabet, punctuation marks, print several words and discriminate between geometrical figures. He is very fond of toys.

### Pekin to Have Tram Cars Soon

Attempt to Be Made to Teach Ricksha Coolies How to Operate the Cars.

Pekin, June 23.—The transformation of ricksha coolies into tramway conductors may be one of the interesting changes in Pekin within the next few years. If the plans of the Pekin Electric Tramways company materialize, a recent argument between this organization and the Pekin Chamber of Commerce as to what disposition will be made of the unemployed coolies once the tramway is a reality has resulted in the decision that the coolies themselves must solve their problem by learning the art of operating an electric car. The tramway company has promised to employ just as many coolies as possible on the tram-lines of Pekin, provided the coolies undergo training in operating the street cars and prove sufficiently honest to be satisfactory conductors. It is estimated that a minimum of 5,000 coolies will be out of work in Pekin alone when the tramway becomes a reality.

### Manitoba Votes for Sale of Liquor by Government

Winnipeg, June 23.—Manitoba voted in favor of government sale of liquor at Friday elections by a majority of 39,656, returns from all but 180 rural districts showed today. The vote in the missing districts will not materially affect the result, as most of them are small.

There was a wet majority of 25,988 in Winnipeg and 4,578 elsewhere. In the city 66,739 votes were cast.

### Man Keeps Frogs From Croaking

Wisconsin Man Refrigerates Swamp Denizens So They Won't Worry Neighbors.

Oshkosh, Wis., June 23.—To reach maturity and the frying pan without having emitted a single croak is the fate of 1,000,000 frogs raised here each year. The frogs are hatched, foaled into thinking it's winter all the time, fattened and their legs marketed. Each year 2,000,000 legs leave here to be browned in butter and cracker crumbs the country over. Emil Neuenfeldt is the man who has made this city probably the greatest frog city in the country today. His "city of frogs" is located in his diminutive back yard.

The million frogs are kept in concrete trenches, each 50 feet long and six feet wide. Each is fitted with a refrigerating plant and running water. The frogs are brought in from nearby creeks and marshes. During the harvest season as many as 50 men are employed. By means of the refrigerating plant Neuenfeldt leads the frogs to believe that winter has come. Their croaking ceases at once. They are fattened and the legs marketed, without causing neighbors the slightest inconvenience.

### Ready for Balloon Race.

Indianapolis, June 23.—Two of the United States army balloons entered in the national balloon race, which will start from the Indianapolis Motor speedway here July 4, arrived today from McCook field, Dayton, O. These are the first of the big gasbags to be brought here. Fourteen balloons will start.

### Widow Testifies 'Slaying of Mate Was Accidental'

Trial of Hastings Doctor for Death of Son-in-Law Marked by Fiery Clashes.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Hastings, Neb., June 23.—Punctuated repeatedly by fiery clashes between the prosecuting and defense attorneys the trial of Dr. C. L. Egbert, for the murder of his son-in-law, Charles R. Gordon, is the most dramatic ever held here. A description of the moment in which her husband was shot on February 21 in the entrance to her father's home was given by Mrs. Mae Gordon on the stand this morning. She declared it was an accidental shot.

She said her father picked up the revolver from the dining room table as he advanced to the door to meet her and her husband after she had called him from the kitchen, when he went to her former home to get her clothing.

"I stepped back toward Roy and before I knew what had happened, he had stepped in front of me, rushed over to dad and grabbed hold of his hand and the gun. There was a slight struggle between them and the gun went off twice."

L. B. Stiner, for the defense, charged that a question to Mrs. Gordon implying that she had been coached was a false insinuation on the part of the prosecutor and the judge quelled the lawyers with difficulty and threatened to clear the applauding court room.

### Paris Police Break Up Meeting of Communists

Paris, June 23.—Several thousand communists and workers gathered in the Place de l'Opera tonight for an announced demonstration against the heavy forces of police and mounted republican guards sent to the scene, together with the great number of spectators, made the program impossible of fulfillment.

A few groups started singing the "International" at which the police charged and the crowd fled. The only person injured was a man among the spectators, wearing on his breast the insignia of the Legion of Honor.

### Good Progress Reported at Mexican Conference

Mexico City, June 23.—President Obregon is considering the first half of a gentlemen's agreement between Mexico and the United States looking to the settlement of the agrarian and petroleum question. The agreement has been drawn up by the recognition conference.

At today's session of the conference the second half of the agreement looking to the settlement of the agrarian problem, was discussed and at the conclusion of the deliberation, Charles B. Warren and John Barton Payne, the American delegates, declared good progress was made.

### Former Buyer Returns to Herzberg Store



Miss Sofia Fayman.

Miss Sofia Fayman, who for six years acted as buyer of the Herzberg Dress department, has returned to her former position after an absence of six months. Miss Fayman will have complete charge of the New Herzberg dress section, which will occupy the entire sixth floor of the building. When completed, this will be one of the largest dress sections in the country. Miss Fayman is now in New York making merchandise selections for her new department.

### Funds Are Raised for Tokio American School

Tokio, June 23.—An American drive, opened with a beefsteak dinner at the grillroom of the Imperial hotel in Tokio, showed the interest of Americans in the Japanese capital in the American school in Japan, which is being maintained from funds raised here every year; 25,000 yen (12,500) is the sum sought for the maintenance of the school during the coming school year. While students of twelve nationalities attend the American school, it is operated as the result of work of Americans in Tokio.

Are you reading the Brisbane column daily appearing in this paper?

### American 'Tut' Is Sought Here

Ohio Archaeologist Believes Early Civilizations Here Antedate Egyptian.

Columbus, O., June 23.—Prediction that "a king who will outlive Tutankh-Amen, of ancient Egypt, probably, will be found in Central or South America" has been made by Dr. William C. Mills, curator of the Ohio Archaeological and Historical museum. "Right here in Ohio the Indians established cultures that exceeded in artistic production anything ever found in Europe," declared Dr. Mills, who has made exhaustive studies of prehistoric man in America. He said that Egyptian culture, splendor and romance were more than eclipsed in early American civilization. "The Spaniards, who came over for gold shortly after Columbus' expedition, returned with great quantities," continued Dr. Mills. "Prehistoric man lived in Ohio as long as 10,000 years ago. Because the Ohio Indians had no form of writing it is difficult to determine just how long ago they held sway in this part of the country."

### Worst Part of Mt. Etna Eruption Virtually Over

Catania, June 23.—All indications are that the worst part of the Mount Etna eruption is virtually over. Naturally, this does not mean that the flow of lava stones, ashes and cinders will cease immediately, but the flow has lessened considerably from early in the week when the people of the surrounding country fled from the lava stream.

### Georgia Town Will Build Hydroelectric System

Rome, Ga., June 23.—Financiers are planning to harness the power of Two Run creek, near here, and generate electricity for operating a combination roller mill, grist mill and overall and shirt factory. In addition to this the power will be transmitted for lights in several parts of Rome.

### Alleged Crook Loses Extradition Fight



Fighting five years against extradition on charge of cheating in Bombay, Colonel Collins (above) left the United States recently for trial in England.

### Beet Farmers Urge Payment of Bonus

Scottsbluff, Neb., June 23.—The Co-operative Beet Growers' association this week asked the Great Western Sugar company to make an additional dollar per ton payment for the last year's crop of beets, about July 1. If done, this would bring more than \$600,000 in cash to the farmers of the North Platte valley. Officials of the company stated that they believed a partial payment at this time would be unwise on account of the present uncertain condition of the market, and that the company would prefer to wait until the final complete payment was determined and make it in one sum. Farmers have already received \$2 a ton in bonus payments over the \$5 guarantee under which the 1922 crop of sugar beets was raised.

### Membership of British Trade Unions Decreased

London, June 23.—Trade unionism in Great Britain is passing through anxious times. The membership during the last two years has decreased more than 1,500,000 and the accumulated funds which had reached nearly \$100,000,000 have been exhausted by the heavy drain of unemployed benefits. The general council of the Trade Union congress is planning a "back

to the union" campaign in an endeavor to make up the loss in membership. The statement of the council is that there are 15,500,000 wage earners in Great Britain, of whom only 6,500,000 are members of trade unions.

### The Sales Tell the Story

Last Tuesday Partsch & Huttelmaier, 506 Keeline Bldg., placed a "Real Estate for Sale" ad in the "Want" ad section of The Omaha Bee. The next morning by 10 o'clock the house was sold and Partsch & Huttelmaier were more thoroughly than ever sold on The Omaha Bee "Want" ad advertising. In fact they were so well pleased that they wrote The Omaha Bee a letter of appreciation, which is here-with reproduced.

The Omaha Bee, Omaha, Neb., Gentlemen: We feel that it is only fair that your firm should know of the splendid results we have received through your paper.

This is one instance. We placed a Real Estate for Sale Ad in The Omaha Bee last Wednesday afternoon. At 10 o'clock Thursday morning the house was sold.

To sum it all up, we wish you to know that we are more than pleased with the results obtained through The Omaha Bee.

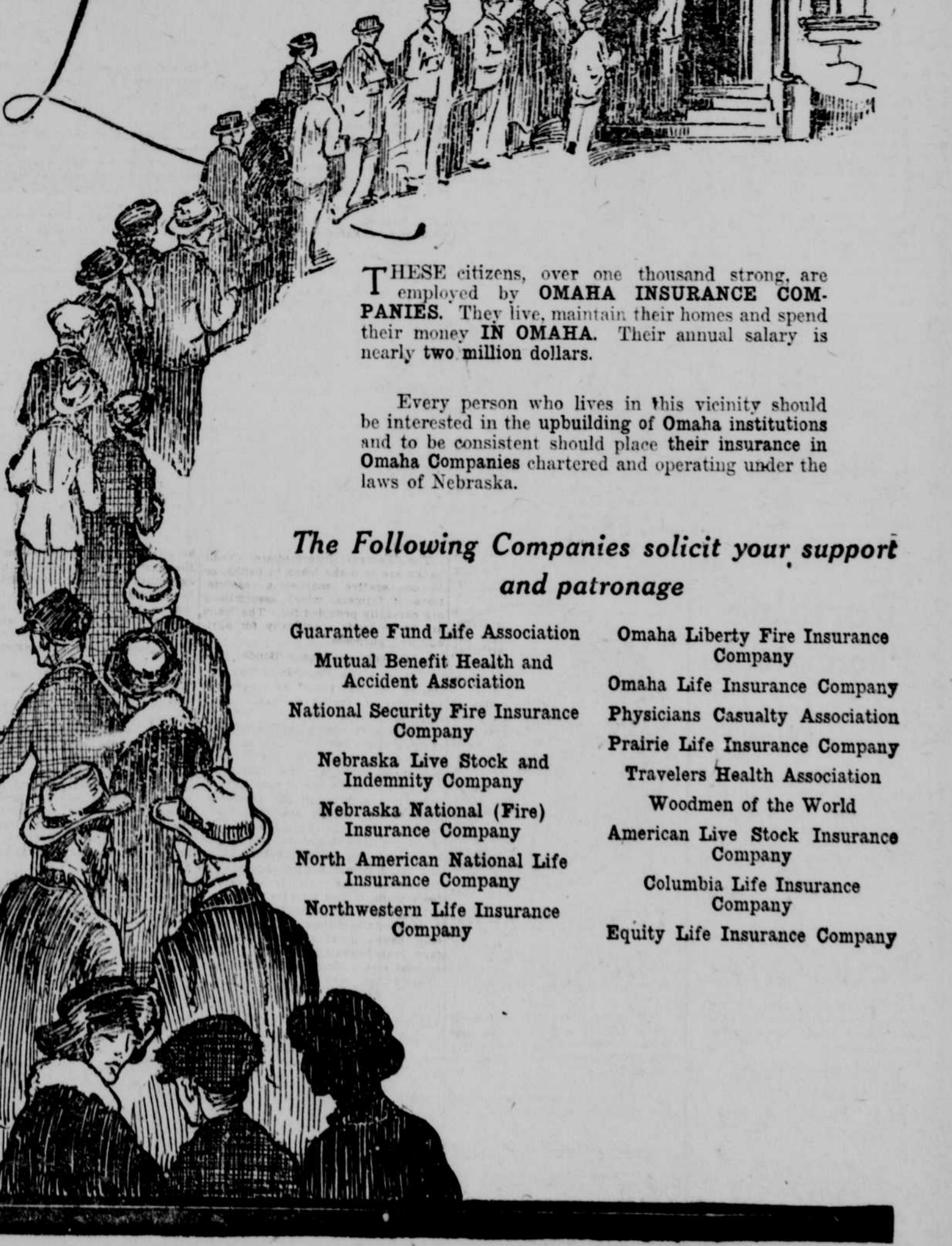
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- Omaha Life Insurance Company
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- Prairie Life Insurance Company
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