

Lobbying By "Al"

With the initiation of this column, which is to appear once a week, the programs of the theaters will be reviewed. The writer will not pose as a critic, but will attempt as far as possible to outline the various bills in such a manner as to assist the theater goers in making an intelligent choice of the kind of entertainment that befits their particular mood.

Orpheum
The Orpheum is offering entertainment extraordinary in King Vidor's film version of "The Big Parade". This noted film contains some of the grandest spectacles that have ever been flashed upon the screen.

The story has its setting in the front line trenches of the recent world war. A rich man's son (the handsome John Gilbert) goes through the hell of front line service with his two buddies (Karl Dane as "Slim" and Tom O'Brien as "Bull") under conditions as they really were. Gilbert does some of the best acting of his career and "Slim" and "Bull" are a comedy team that will please everybody. Renee Adoree lends her charm and talent to love scenes that are real and touching. A story that will make you chuckle one minute and bring a catch to your throat the next. A story that explains the reason ex-service men are reluctant to tell about their experiences and why Sherman upheld his immortal explanation of war. A story grim but beautiful in its realism, with a happy, dramatic ending.

Liberty
The Pierre Watkins players are offering one of the greatest of their many fine plays.

A crackerjack story of a boy who fights his way to recognition after a bad start in the penitentiary. There are big dramatic moments, a few scenes in which suspicious moisture comes to the eyes, and a love story that will be remembered by lovers of all ages.

"Turn To The Right" is a seasoned success of the stage, and its reason for being so, can probably be summed up in one sentence, "It's so human".

Dixie Loftin as "Ma" Bascom; Edwin Vail as "Muggs" McCarty and John Holden as Joe Bascom, are splendidly chosen in the role of characters that are absolutely real. With a strong supporting cast, they make you laugh and cry with them, you feel your heart tugging with theirs and you are mentally hooting for them every minute until they draw to its happy and humorous conclusion.

Lincoln
This week inaugurates the Lincoln Theater's new "DeLuxe" policy.

Regular Orpheum circuit vaudeville will be presented on the Lincoln stage hereafter and the management assures us that it will be the best that the circuit affords. Raymond S. Baird, a lad in his tender years, known as "Little Sousa", displays a musical talent that is truly amazing. The "Lucille Sisters" in a harmony song do some clever harmonizing.

Florence Brady sings some popular numbers in a pleasing manner that is "different".

Mason and Bailey offer some fast steps in a skit titled "Hot Stuff".

The feature, "Adam and Evil", with Lew Cody and Aileen Pringle, is the story of a married man who is led astray by a "Gold-digger" who mistakes him for his twin brother. Caught in a rather embarrassing position by his wife, he poses as his brother and makes love to his own wife. (No snickering in the back row, please. It does happen.) Just when the wife, with the aid of a kind friend, is about to disclose the fake, the real brother from Brazil appears on the scene, takes the gold digger off our hero's hands, leaving to make an intelligent explanation and satisfactory settlement, bringing the incident and the picture to the inevitable happy ending. The picture is full of light comedy and humorous "Wise Cracks".

This, with organ and orchestral accompaniment and a news-reel, round out a very delightful bill.

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STARTING TODAY—THE DIFFERENT SHOW

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in "HOT STUFF"

BEAVER AND HIS
MELODY MONARCHS
Wilbur Chenoweth at the
Wurlitzer

INCOIN

SHOWS AT—1, 3, 5, 7, 9
MATS. 35c, EVE. 50c



Power Plant



"Blue" Howell, driving halfback, will perform for Nebraska dads next week, in an effort to shred the Orange line.

MICKEY RETURNS FROM OHIO MEET

Civil Engineering Professor Back From A. S. C. E. Conference at Columbus

Professor Clark E. Mickey, chairman of the department of civil engineering, returned from the fall meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers held at Columbus, Ohio, October 15-18. The greater part of the meeting was devoted to discussions of papers relating to the flood discharges of the Mississippi river. Various means for the regulating and confining of the flow of the flood waters of the river were taken up.

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More than 900 prominent civil engineers from the United States and Canada attended the meeting. Secretary of War Weeks was one of the distinguished members of the meeting.

Spoke at Kansas City
Professor Mickey attended another meeting at Kansas City, where he gave a brief address to the Kansas City Engineers' club. Professor Mickey spoke on the subject of the control of the Missouri river discharge to improve navigation and provide water for irrigation and power to a part of the Great Plains area.

Tuesday a party of 150 business men and engineers took an excursion trip on board the United States Engineering Corp's steamship, Missouri. The trip was made seventy miles down the river to Lexington, Missouri.

The object of the trip was to make a survey of the actual conditions of the Missouri river between Kansas City and Lexington, and to show that with two more years work this part of the river will be open for navigation.

Colonel Gordon R. Young, of the

United States Engineers' Corp, accompanied the excursion and explained the navigation between St. Louis and Kansas City. In Colonel Gordon's opinion the river will be ready for 100 percent improvement for navigation within two years time and will be navigable at all seasons of the year excepting parts of the winter, when ice will prevent navigation.

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