

Gossip About Plays, Players and Playhouses

MISS CONSTANCE ADAMS has announced her intention of leaving the Woodward stock company at the Burwood as soon as her place can be supplied. She does this because she has found the work too much for her physical strength.

When E. M. S. McCalland gave us "Leah Kleeschna," he was full of an idea. The moral rejuvenation of a woman through the awakening of her lethargic sense of right and wrong, or rather through the correction of her distorted sense of the proprieties.

It is familiar to the one play before he undertook to make the other. This may account in a way for the striking similarity in episode and incident of the two, the catastrophe and denouement being almost identical.

of the unusual novelties offered by the Charles H. Yale Amusement company in the production of the new musical burlesque, "Painting the Town," is not only one of the funniest, conceits ever presented, but it is also a triumph of stage mechanism.

was written by Pauline Phelps and Marion Short. Edna B. Thayer, as Jerome Holcomb, the old New England farmer, heart-broken over the loss of his wife, and further distressed by the unfortunate love of his daughter for the adopted son of her mother's betrayer, gives a strong exhibition of character acting.

"I very much regret leaving so soon," said Miss Adams one day during the week after her intention had been announced.

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Here is one thing that you may feel certain concerning: Such marriages as that of Leah and her husband, which are made on the stage, do not exist in real life.

Miss Maude Fealy, starring in "The Illusion of Beatrice" will appear at the Boyd on Tuesday evening.

Better a peaceful bachelor than a fighting bachelor. Kiptonians will take almost anything except a joke.

"Anyhow, she reformed, and that's more than Raffles did," said the big husky man who goes over to the theater occasionally.

Miss Mitchell's story followed so closely the lines of the McCalland drama that one might be led to think that she had seen Mrs. A. Fiske act in the role of Leah Kleeschna.

Woman's club. The performers were all Omaha professionals and gave much satisfaction to their audience.

During the engagement of the twin-stars, William H. Crane and Ellis Jeffreys, who are to be seen here at the Boyd on Friday and Saturday evenings and a Saturday matinee in a magnificent revival of "She Stoops to Conquer," Mr. Crane will be seen in a part in which he has appeared for nearly a quarter of a century.

There is today no more capable actor than that which has been secured for the support of the two luminaries of the stage, and not least among them is Mr. George Giddens, one of England's most prominent actors.

Music and Musical Notes

HERE is a tragic little under-note sounding in musical circles just now which, if it weren't annoying and irritating, would be funny.

The Omaha Musical Art society will give its first concert of the season on Tuesday evening, January 22, at the First Congregational church.

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From Spike Hennessy to A. J. Raffles is not such a long jump. Spike was merely the journeyman workman, who did a good job and knew it while he was at work.

The worst of it is we out here are crude. The people of the greatest charm, and education in Omaha, look at the lack of culture in a conservative cultured city.

The semi-annual entrance examinations of the National Conservatory of Music of America, 47-49 West Twenty-fifth street, New York city, will be held as follows:

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