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EMPRESS

Vaudeville and Photoplays

Today, Mon., Tues., Wed.

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG

In a play that opens with a touch of human midnight, but ends with the sunrise of eternal love,

ENTITLED "DEEP PURPLE" IN FIVE ACTS

Depicting the most thrilling adventures ever experienced by a country girl.

Thurs., Friday, Saturday

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World's Handsomest Man, and Baroness Von Dewitz

"DIANA, THE HUNTRESS"

Most artistic photoplay of the age, picturing the fable of the faun in the moon and introducing some wonderful poses of Diana at the bath.

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Bills for the Current Week

Strand—With three headliners like Lillian Gish, William K. Hart and Edith Talfireff, holding forth at the Strand this week, good things are naturally in store for Strand fans. Miss Gish starts the ball rolling Sunday and Monday in "The Children Play," a story of the effects of divorce, followed Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday by William K. Hart in "The Devil's Double," wherein Hart plays the part of a bad man who attempts to pose for an invalid artist and is reformed. Booth Tarkington's "The Conquest of Canaan," with Edith Talfireff in the leading role, will be the Strand offering Friday and Saturday of this week.

Boulevard—The presentation today is a drama of the west called "The Parson of Panamint." Dustin Farnum carries the leading role. Monday Charlie Chaplin will hold forth in "The Pawnshop." Tuesday Frank Mills and Jane Grey will be co-stars in "The Flower of Path."

Hipp—A Bluebird photoplay leads off the week's bill at the Hipp this week. "The Honor of Mary Blake," featuring Violet Mersereau, being the offering for today and tomorrow. Tuesday and Wednesday Sense Hayakawa, the Japanese actor, appears in "The Soul of Kuro-San," an unusual Japanese-American drama. Thursday and Friday William Russell appears in "Lone Heart."

DIAMOND THEATER

WILLIAM FARNUM

—in—
"The End of the Trail"

Also a Good Comedy

BESSE

"The Girl From Frisco"
TOMORROW
GLADYS HULETTE, in
"PRUDENCE THE PIRATE"

PRINCESS THEATER

14th and Douglas Sts.
Franklin Farnum
—in—
"Little Partner"
Western and Society Drama
"It Sounded Like a Kiss"
Also Cartoon and Scenic.

Stars Who Will Shine on Screen for Omaha This Week



Myrtle Steadman At the Hipp
Bertha Kalich At the Magic
Dustin Farnum At the Boulevard
Pearl White At the Princess
J. Warren Kerrigan At the Clifton
Douglas Fairbanks At the Grand
Emily Stevens At the Sun
Paul Swan At the Empress
William J. Hart At the Strand
Clara Kimball Young At the Hipp

WOMAN'S CLUB GIVES "SNOW WHITE" BOOST

Crusade for Movies for Children in Omaha Bears Fruit from One Film.

COMMITTEE IS FRANK

The women of Omaha are showing considerable interest in trying to provide suitable programs of photoplays for children. Recently a special showing of "Snow White" was held at the Sun theater for the benefit of those interested. They found the film suitable, as the following statements indicate:

"Grimm's fairy tale, 'Snow White,' is full of life and spontaneity—there is not a dull moment in the entire play. It is replete with beauty and picturesqueness.

"Enacted entirely by children, it makes a strong appeal to parents and children alike.

"At a private exhibition of this motion picture the grown-up spectators were as delighted with its charm and humor as any child."

"I recommend 'Snow White' to all clubs in Nebraska and Iowa interested in better films for children.

"MRS. EDWARD SYFERT, 'President Omaha Woman's Club.'"

"The educational committee of the Omaha Woman's club, who are working for better films and special motion picture programs for children, heartily endorse the fairy story, 'Snow White,' as presented by Mr. Van Husan at a private exhibition at the Sun theater Thursday morning, December 7.

"MRS. W. S. KNIGHT, Chairman; 'MRS. J. H. DUMONT, MRS. GEORGE B. DARR.'"

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PIPES BORROWED BY SCOTCH

Invention of Bagpipes Smothered in the Dust of Ancient History.

Neither Scotland nor Ireland can claim to have invented the bagpipes. Greeks, Romans and Chinese all played bagpipes of sorts long before the time of Christ, and the instrument actually figures on one of the coins of Nero, who may have played it. The Breton bignon, the Calabrian zampogna, the German sackpfeife and the French cornemuse are all bagpipes under different names.

It was actually a Scotsman, and no less a man than the lord advocate of the time, who publicly declared fifty years ago that "the bagpipe is an English instrument, essentially English; the English were the original bagpipers." He pointed out that, while Shakespeare often speaks of bagpipes, he never does so in "Macbeth," and that it is in Lincolnshire and Yorkshire that he localizes the pipes. To Chaucer and Spenser also they are English. James IV and other Scottish kings paid for "Inglis pypparis" at their court, while Edward I, Edward III, and Henry VI and Henry VIII seem to have had native pipers. The Highlanders never used the pipes in war before the fifteenth century; the harp was Scotland's instrument.—London Chronicle.

SCHOOL POLICE IN COURTESY

New Members of New York's Finest Told How to Be Good.

"Courtesy" was the theme of Frank A. Lord, a New York city deputy police commissioner, who instructed a group of new policemen in their duties, the other day. Telling them how to act when they appeared in police court trials, he said:

"Make up your mind that you will under no circumstances get angry, no matter how great the temptation. If you are insulted by a shyster lawyer, you have to take it. That is your position. I have to receive insulting letters from ignorant citizens frequently, and I sit down and dictate courteous replies. I know that many of the things they write about are none of their business, and I would like to address them in another way entirely, but I don't."

"The good-natured habit is just as easy to form as any other. It is just as easy to sit or stand and smile when a shyster lawyer attempts to make a fool of you and so have him make a fool of himself. Don't show your teeth and snap back."—New York Times.

DIDN'T HAVE TO WALK BACK

Consolation Tendered Condemned Soldier About To Be Shot.

Here's a story just back from the Mexican border, only the returned guardsman who told it to me put in all the dialogue. A detail of infantrymen are marching through the Mexican desert with a prisoner, who is suspected of being a spy. The soldier who marches nearest the prisoner constantly and profanely observes upon the discomfort of the whole proceeding. After miles of "hiking," a village is reached, and here positive evidence against the prisoner is obtained. There is a drumhead court-martial and the prisoner is marched out to be shot. The profane soldier is ordered to bandage the prisoner's eyes. As he is doing so he continues his fault finding.

"What's the matter with you," says the prisoner. "Look at me. I'm not saying anything, and I've got to be shot."

"Yes," replies the soldier. "That's where you've got the blessed best of it. You don't have to walk back."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

THE MUSE

TODAY—MONDAY

ROBERT EDESON

—AND—
NAOMI CHILDERS

—IN—
"FATHERS OF MEN"

A DRAMA OF THE NORTHWEST

Mr. Edeson plays two characters and has many dramatic scenes with himself.

This offering is filled with beautiful scenes, made in the northern country, where the snows are everlasting.

SELIG NEWS COMEDY

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

MARIE DORO, in "OLIVER TWIST"

Screen Version of the Ever Popular Dickens' Novel.

BLUEBIRD

The Plays We Bring

Photo Plays

(INC.)

Here's the Latest and a Sure-to-Please Photoplay

"The Honor of Mary Blake"

A story of hypocrisy, exposing certain classes of churchmen who fail in their duty toward creatures in distress.

Returning VIOLET MERSEREAU to Her LEGION OF ADMIRERS

First Showing Today and Monday

HIPP THEATER

"An Appeal to Charity of the Heart and Mind" is "THE HONOR OF MARY BLAKE"

As an actress left stranded among the uncharitable residents of a small community, Miss Mersereau has a role fittingly adapted to her emotional talents.

BLUEBIRD

A Bluebird Can Be Seen Every Sunday and Monday at THE HIPP THEATER

Take a good look at the list of theaters below that run Bluebirds and you will know

"IF IT'S A BLUEBIRD IT'S GOOD"

Columbia	Burt	Omaha	Lytic
Roper, C. B.	Monroe	Apollo	Ideal
Magic	Gem	Benson	Star
Hipp	Diamond	Star	Park
Hippodrome	Gem, C. B.	Clifton	Dundee
			Loyal

BLUEBIRDS WERE NOT GOOD THEY WOULD NOT ALL BE RUNNING THEM. EVENTUALLY THEY ALL WILL.

Star.—The story of a young Indian lad who decides he will go out and seek the white man's civilization and see if he can relieve his brothers from their superstitions. Friday and Saturday Louise Hoff and Jack Pickford are seen in a picturization of one of Booth Tarkington's masterpieces.

Empress—For the patron of the Empress an exceptional photoplay bill has been engaged for the whole week. Starting today the feature is Clara Kimball Young in "The Deep Purple." Mutual Weekly and "Lonesome Luke" comedy complete the program. Beginning Thursday the Fontenelle Feature Film company presents at the Empress for the first time its latest release, "Liana, the Huntress." In this picture Paul Swan, a Nebraska boy, who was voted the most handsome man in the world, plays the part of Apollo, the brother of Diana. Harrowson von Dewitz characterizes Diana and introduces poses at the bath that will appeal to those who appreciate strictly artistic, but not vulgar pictures.

Dundee—The sacrifices of a wife for a spineless husband furnish the theme for "The Test," showing at the Dundee theater today. Jane Grey carries the stellar role. One of the bill is a comedy, "Scrappily Married." Monday Warren Kerrigan and Louise Lovell appear in "A Social Buccaneer." With this is "Robin Hood Recalled," picturing unusual theories of finance by a Chinese pirate.

Magic—Bertha Kalich appears at the Magic theater today in "Love and Hate." She is supported by Stuart Holmes under the direction of James Vincent. The story tells how Helen Sterling lives happy with her husband and two children until George Howard brings an element of discord into their lives.

Orpheum (South Side)—A variety bill is showing at the South Side Orpheum theater today. The feature photoplay is one of a series of pictures in which Grace Darling carries the stellar role, called "Beatrice Fairfax." The accompanying pictures are:

HIPPODROME

"LIBERTY"
"LURED BUT CURED"
"BEHIND LIFE'S STAGE"

Clifton Theater

J. WARREN KERRIGAN
"THE SILENT BATTLE"
A Bluebird in Five Parts.
LKO COMEDY.

Boulevard Theater

DUSTIN FARNUM
IN
"THE PARSON OF PANAMINT"

ORPHEUM South Side

GRACE DARLING
—in—
"Beatrice Fairfax"
Keystone Comedy
Also
Comedy, Singing and Dancing
VAUDEVILLE

PALM THEATER

VARIETY SHOWS
HIGH CLASS PHOTOPLAYS
with
comedy vaudeville and dancing
5c—ALWAYS—5c

APOLLO THEATER

29th & Leavenworth. Har. 1806
TODAY—5 PERFORMANCES
2:00, 3:45, 5:30, 7:15, 9:00
Paramount Offers
Marguerite Clark
—in—
"Out of the Drifts"
TOMORROW
DUSTIN FARNUM
—in—
"The Parson of Panamint"

ROHLFF 2559 Leavenworth St.

TODAY AT 2, 3:45, 5:30, 7:15, 9:00
DOROTHY DALTON
HOWARD HICKMAN
—in—
"THE JUNGLE CHILD"
PADDY McGUIRE, in
"Buzing Bill's Bow Wow"

WEDNESDAY
Clara Kimball Young
In Her Own Production
"THE COMMON LAW"

Because of the high rental on this film a slight advance will be made in admission price to 15c.

MONDAY—"Grant, Police Reporter" and "The Shielding Shadow."
TUESDAY—Walter Law and "Valley-rin" in "The Unwelcome Mother."
THURSDAY—Lionel Barrymore in "The Quilter."
FRIDAY—Ruth Roland in "The Sultan." (A Natural Color Picture.)
SATURDAY—"Baldy" Belmont in "Haystacks and Steeples." Fay Tischer in "The Lady Drummer."

scenic and comedy, Keystone and International. An act of comedy vaudeville in an extra attraction, Monday the well known educational picture, "Where Are My Children" is presented. Tuesday, Dorothy Davenport is seen in "The Turn of the Wheel."

Rohlf—Dorothy Dalton and Howard Hickman appear at the Rohlf theater today in "The Jungle Child," a very unusual, thrilling, well acted, finely staged and realistic photoplay. The situations which are disclosed are decidedly different and will hold your entire attention throughout. Clara Kimball Young in "The Common Law" will be the attraction on Wednesday.

Hippodrome—"Behind Life's Stage," a drama of Universal production is the feature at the Hippodrome theater today. With this is shown the fifteenth episode of "Liberty" and an L-Ko comedy, called "Lured, But Cured."

Diamond—William Farnum is presented at the Diamond theater today in a feature production entitled "The End of the Trail." Comedy is also shown. Monday's program offers "The Twisted Trails," featuring Tom Mix. On the same bill is "The Lone Point Mystery" from the "Hearst of Helen" and a comedy called "Marked No Funds."

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Alamo Theater
"THE MANTLE OF DECEIT"
"ANY OLD DUKE'LL DO"
"LIBERTY"
"THE FASCINATING MODEL"

New Star—Mary McLaren is presented today at the New Star theater in a Bluebird, "Saving the Family Name," a drama in five reels. The comedy is called "I'm Your Husband," a Nestor production. Monday the feature is "The Heritage of Hate," a Red Feather in five acts. With this is an L-Ko comedy, "Murdered by Mistake." Tuesday, "Should She Have Told?" "The Seeds of Jealousy" and two comedies, "Where is My Wife" and "When He Came Back."

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"It Sounded Like a Kiss" in which Eddy Lyons and Lee Moran are the stars. In addition a cartoon comedy and scenic is shown. Monday, "The Mystery of Mirza" a serial is presented together with a thriller called "The Taint of Fear." The comedy is "So This is Paris." Tuesday brings the first episode of the new Pathé serial, entitled "Pearl of the Army" with Pearl White in the stellar role. With this is "Liberty," the Animated Weekly and a comedy, "It's Great to Be Married."

Alamo—The program at the Alamo today offers a complete Universal program with "The Mantle of Deceit" as the feature. Two comedies are booked for today, "Any Old Duke'll Do" and "The Fascinating Model." Both are said to be good. In addition an episode of "Liberty" is shown.

Sum—Robert Edeson and Naomi Childers will be the offering at the Sum Sunday and Monday in a drama of the northwest, "Pathfinders of Men." This feature is filled with beautiful scenes made in the northern country, where the snows are everlasting and is a story of red-blooded men. Bell Tribune and a Frank Daniels comedy will also be shown. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Marie Doro will be seen in "Oliver Twist." The latest current events will be shown on the Hearst News Pictorial and a comic cartoon of the "Kaiserjammer Kids" and Jane Elvidge in "The World Against Him." Men who have real grit fight hardest when things are going against them, and that is what Mark West does in this photoplay.

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play. When about to be hanged he faces the problem of marrying the girl he loves to save a fortune for her, although he knows she does not love him. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday the offering is Emily Stevens in "The Wager." Friday and Saturday a Mexican border story is presented with Gretchen Hartman and Alan Hale playing the leading roles. The story is called "The Love Letter," and tells of the desperate and passionate love of a Mexican girl for an American army officer and of her tragic end.

Clifton—J. Warren Kerrigan is at the Clifton theater today in a Bluebird, "The Silent Battle." With this is an L-Ko comedy. Monday's program offers "The Tin Soldier," "Pape's Legacy" and "Grant, the Police Reporter." Tuesday Mary McLaren is starred in "Unto the Least of These." "The Romance of Elaine," "The Road to Fame" and "Dudes for a Day" are the accompanying pictures. Wednesday the feature is "Twin Souls." An episode from "The Girl from Frisco" is also shown with the comedy "Good and Proper."

Palm—At the Palm theater today, together with a clever comedy-farce in two acts, the feature photoplay offered is "The Border He Has Ever Shown." Monday, "The Girl from Frisco," a Triangle serial, entitled, "The Girl from Frisco." A chapter from the adventures of "Grant, the Police Reporter," Tuesday, "The Three Deuces," will also be shown, and the comedies are "The Influence of the Unknown," "The Extraordinary Mrs. Bly," and "The Jailbirds," starring Ham and Bud.

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