

WALKER STARS TO PRY OFF LID IN 'TWO KISSES'

Comedy Will Be First Offering of Popular Players at Murat Monday.

WELCOMES! That's the greeting Stuart Walker and his associated players will receive Monday night at the opening of the fourth summer season of stock at the Murat.

The opening bill will be "Two Kisses," a comedy by Harry James Smith, who was responsible for "The Tailor-Made Man" and "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh."

Another notable incident of the opening will be the initial appearance of Blanche Yurka in this city as a stock actress. Miss Yurka is recognized as one of the highest talented women on the stage today and her vast experience will do much in maintaining Mr. Walker's high standard in this city.

McKay Morris, who has been in the New York production of "The Iron Heart," will be in the opening bill.

Aldrich Bowker, who was with "Seventeen" last season and who has been with Stuart Walker for five years, also appears in "Two Kisses."

THE STORY OF "TWO KISSES."

The play has for its setting Old Chelsea, once a flourishing residential section of New York City, in the early seventies.

In this picturesque, old-fashioned atmosphere, Imogen Throgmore lives her pretty romance.

Imogen is the daughter of an indigent actor, whom she supports by giving lessons in elocution.

To the Throgmore home comes Luella Malby, a designing widow and erstwhile pupil of Imogen's.

She engages rooms at the Throgmore's in order that she may carry on her courtship more advantageously.

Imogen is astounded when she discovers that Luella's intended is none other than Alfred Tweed, the man with whom she was in love eight years before.

Imogen sets about to win back Alfred by persuading another young man, one Rupert Hawkins, to make love to Luella that she may prove to Alfred the widow's fickleness.

To assure the success of her scheme, Imogen gives Rupert lessons in the department of love making.

Whereupon Rupert complicates matters further by becoming enamoured of Imogen, herself.

Then, Imogen, torn between the old love and the new, demands that each one of her suitors kiss her that she may find out which is the true love.

Thus, when the two famous kisses are implanted upon her chaste lips, Imogen makes the important decision.

HOW THEY ARE CAST.

Mr. Walker has selected a superb cast to portray this merry little comedy.

Blanche Yurka naturally plays the naive role of Imogen.

McKay Morris will be seen in the part of Rupert, the suitor who delivers the triumphant kiss.

And John Wray, who left the cast of A. H. Woods' "The Outlaw Board" to appear in Mr. Walker's productions this summer, is cast to play the comical role of Alfred Tweed, the lover who lost.

Elizabeth Patterson, an old favorite in Indianapolis, will be seen in the character of Luella Malby.

Among others who will appear in the opening bill of "Two Kisses" are Laila Davis, Oscar Clark, Judith Lowry, Jessie Nathan and Robert McGroarty.

"GAYETY GIRLS."

The attraction at the Park during Dec.

STAGE & SCREEN



DOROTHY DALTON ALHAMBRA
EDNA COURTNEY R.F. KEITH'S
ELAINE HAMMETT COLONIAL

ation day week will be Pat White and his "Gaiety Girls."

Pat White and his pipe has long been considered an institution in this particular kind of entertainment.

This space has observed White for many seasons and he comes nearer ringing up a straight and clean comedy record than any other comedian on this branch of the stage.

White always has a production surrounding his antics and this year's edition, as many who have seen it know, is full of real comedy.

Pat does not let the seasons slip by without going a notch higher in the amusement ladder.

He opens at the Park Monday for a week's stand.

SUMMER VAUDEVILLE

There is every indication that vaudeville is going to be even a greater favorite, if such a thing is possible, this season than last.

Four houses are at present offering vaudeville of the summer variety.

The houses are the Lyric, R. F. Keith's, the Rialto and the Broadway.

B. F. KEITH'S.

Charles Mack, noted for his Irish character portrayals, will be seen at R. F. Keith's next week in an Irish comedy playlet, "A Friendly Call," which includes songs, melodies and typical comedy.

Next in importance is the return of

ing; Ward and King, in a sketch, "My Girl," and Izzette, who is known as the syncopation girl.

The movie portion of the bill will be represented by Madeline Travers in "The Iron Heart," a William Fox production.

THE CREIGHTONS.

A girl act, "Look Pleasant," will be the headline at the Lyric.

The act is devoted to songs, dances and the new styles and has the services of Eddie Karr, Ollie Carew, Virginia Rucker and a chorus.

Will J. Harris produced the act. Blanche and Jimmie Creighton, in "Mudtown Vaudeville," have a standard offering which has been considered a fun classic for many years.

The Creightons are real folk on and off the stage.

Brindamour and company are illusionists and escape artists, and their act is considered a novelty.

The remainder of the bill will include Marie Sweeney, aerialist; Mlle. Verobello and company, singers, and Dave Manley, a monologue comedian.

A Christy film farce, "Petticoats and Pants," makes up the movie portion of the bill.

Sister of Late Pope Pius Dead at Rome

ROME, May 26.—Teresa Sarto, sister of the late Pope Pius, died at her home here today.

ROTARY LUNCHEON NEXT TUESDAY.

The fraternal committee will have charge of the Rotary club luncheon next Tuesday. Among the new members who will be introduced at the luncheon will be Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the American Legion, Edward D. Evans of the Acme-Evans Company, and John H. Trimble, gasoline dealer.

VARIED PHOTO BILLS OFFERED FOR NEXT WEEK

Thrills and Laughs Ample Provided in Attractions at Movie Houses.

THRILLS and laughs.

That's the mixture in next week's movie menu.

Thrills will be dished out in large numbers in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," and the tense of Monte Carlo will be reflected in "Passion's Playground."

Dual personality will be found in "The Shadow of Rosalie Byrnes" and in "The Dark Mirror," which has been taken from the Monte Carlo story, "The Guest of Hercules."

Reared in a convent and with the blood of a gambler in her veins, Miss Macdonald portrays the role of Mary Grant, who, despite the warnings of the fate of her chum, Marie Grant, leaves the convent upon receipt of her inheritance to make her way to Monte Carlo, and then Fate plays a hand.

The comedy element in the week's program is supplied by the Mack sonnet production, "Let Er Go," featuring

DOUBLE BILL AT CIRCLE.

Katherine Macdonald, known as "the American beauty" of the screen, comes to the Circle next week in the society drama, "Passion's Playground," which has been taken from the Monte Carlo story, "The Guest of Hercules."

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Louise Fazenda, Billy Armstrong, John Henry, Jr., and Teddy, the great Dane, remembered for his excellent work in "Down on the Farm."

In this picture the dog stages another rescue scene, saving little John Henry, Jr., the baby actor, from death or serious injury in a runaway.

MUSIC FEATURED.

Some of the latest song hits and musical numbers will be given at Mr. Smith's week by Tad Dolan's popular entertainers, who have been engaged to appear at the theater for an indefinite period.

The photoplay program for the week consists of "Great Air Robbery," featuring Lieut. O. L. Locklear in a number of dare-devil airplane stunts, and Carter DeHaven's new comedy, "Beating Cheaters."

Lieut. Locklear, in the role of Larry Cassidy, accompanies the feat of changing from plane

to plane when in mid-air and performs many other hair-raising stunts while mingling among the clouds.

"THE DARK MIRROR."

Two romances strangely intermingled form the story of "The Dark Mirror," (Continued on Page Six.)

AMUSEMENTS.

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LAST TIMES TODAY

and TOMORROW

The Big Joy Show with

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A Holiday in Dixeland

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Continuous Vaudeville

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