

## BERESFORD MADE NAME IN WEST

### Daley Goes Into Final Rehearsal at Park

Harry Beresford probably is one of the few actors of the stage who actually became a Broadway star over night. The next day at his first appearance in New York in "Shavings," Henry W. Savage, the producer, ordered Beresford's name to be placed in the big lights. That made him a star and in all announcements of the coming of "Shavings" to English's on next Monday as a State Fair Week attraction, the name of the star is as prominent as the play.

An Englishman by birth, Beresford was one of the well known stars on the other side, having graduated at the Gaiety Theater in London, where for years he was a reigning comedian. Fate taking him to the Western parts of the United States, he gradually built up a sterling reputation as a character actor, first winning attention there in repertoire with Henry E. Dixey.

Striking out on his own, he stayed west of the Mississippi, drawing popularity principally in farce plays and comedies written for E. S. Willard. Vaudeville also claimed him for a time.

Tiring of the western country, and feeling that his light was hidden under a bushel, he struck out for New York, where his provincial reputation had long preceded him. He had no difficulty in finding a featured part, which came in Irving S. Cobb's ill-fated "Boys Will Be Boys." While this play faded out, Mr. Beresford's performance stood out like a diamond on a black background.

Theatrical managers besieged him, and to make a long story a happy one, Mr. Savage signed him for "Shavings." Broadway knows the rest.

### DALEY PUTS FINAL TOUCHES TO PLAY

Lena Daley and her company are now in final rehearsals in "Kandy Kids," which will open the 1921-1922 season at the Park on tomorrow night. The engagement is for seven consecutive days. For the past two weeks, Miss Daley and her company have been rehearsing at the Park. She will open her season there.

### ON VIEW TODAY

The following attractions are on view today: "The Beautiful Adventure" at the Murat, Dorothy Michaelis at the Lyric, "Peggy Putt It Over" at the Alhambra, "Passing Thru" at the Ohio, "Buckling the Tiger" at Mister Smith's, "The Woman Untamed" at the Isis, "The

### WITH 'PASSING SHOW'



SAMMY WHITE

Among the many players who will be at the Murat next week in "The Passing Show of 1921" in addition to Willie and Eugene Howard, will be Sammy White. The supporting cast includes: Will Philbrick, Cleveland Bronner, John Quinlan, Irving O'Hay, W. P. Pringle, Jack E. Rice, Anthony Jochim, Robert Gilbert, Victor Bozart, Jack, Emily Miles, Ina Hayward, May Boley, Elva May, Dolly Hackett, Aileen Rooney, Peggy Merrimont, Cortez and Peggy, O'Hanlon and Zambouni, Mellette Sisters, Scrode and Aronson and Grace and Berkes, not forgetting the Winter Garden chorus. Owing to the size of the production and length of the performance, the curtain rises each night at 8:10 sharp and matinees promptly at 2:10.

Sign on the Door" at the Circle, "The Man Without a Country" at English's, "Crazy to Marry" at Loew's State, "Western Pep" at the Regent and "Who Am I?" at the Colonial.

## Ask Water Analysis at City Bathing Beach

W. Walter Jarvis, director of recreation, has requested the city health department to make another analysis of the water in White River municipal bathing beach at Twenty-Sixth street. Dr. Herman G. Morgan, secretary of the board of public health, pronounced the water fit for bathing several weeks ago, the beach being opened immediately thereafter. At that time it was understood the health authorities would make frequent bacteriological tests.

Mr. Jarvis said the city life guards on duty at the beach have reported the water appears murky and it was thought best to have it examined. He said there has been no thought of closing the beach.

## Veteran Flier Falls 4,000 Feet to Death

MONMOUTH, Ill., Sept. 2.—A G. McMann, 27, a veteran of the World War, is dead today as a result of the collapse of the wings of his airplane. The accident occurred while McMann was flying at a height of 4,000 feet. His home was in Davenport, Iowa.

## Oyster Returns to Local Chop Houses

The luscious bivalve returned to the menus of the oyster and chop houses yesterday, the official date for the opening of the oyster season in this part of the country. Indianapolis dealers have made their usual preparations for rushing the sea food direct in cold storage from the Atlantic coast. The eastern supply is good and prices will remain about the same as last year, it was reported. William T. Feeney, proprietor of "Oyster Frank's," 408 East Washington street, one of the older oyster houses, has returned from a visit to the lower Chesapeake Bay oyster beds. He said that formerly eastern cities absorbed the best of the season's catch, but now Indianapolis receives the highest grades of New York counts, selects and standards. Modern shipping methods make it possible for the food to reach this city as fresh as when it is taken from the ocean, he said.

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