

GOMPERS WRITES IN LEGION PAPER

Labor Leader Points Out Opportunities.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, is the author of the leading article in the August number of the Hoosier Legionnaire, official organ of the Indiana Department of the American Legion, circulated today.

"Relations between the labor movement of our country and the American Legion have been cordial and helpful," says Gompers, "largely because both of these great movements have much the same concern for our future and the same high aims in dealing with the affairs of the present."

"We have in America the institutions and agencies through which to achieve every good thing. We need but to understand our surroundings, utilize our opportunities and go forward through mutual agreement."

"Let us have knowledge and little else will be denied us."

COUNTY METHODISTS WILL RALLY AUG. 7

Central Avenue M. E. Church to Be
Scene of Local Meeting

A Marion County Methodist rally will be held Aug. 7 at Central Avenue M. E. Church, Central Ave. and Twelfth St., with a special service at 3 p. m. for Sunday School officers and teachers.

Epworth League will have a service at 6 p. m. with special services for adults at 7:45 p. m.

The Rev. C. K. Mahoney of Terre Haute, and Fred Hoke of Indianapolis will be principal speakers.

THIEF IS CONSIDERATE

Man Returns Woman's Purse, After
Taking 50 Cents.

Police could not figure whether a robber who accosted Mrs. Susie Goen, Elwood, Ind., in W. Washington St., early today was more gentleman or villain.

Mrs. Goen said she got tired waiting for an early car to Anderson at the Terminal station and took a walk. Two men in an automobile stopped beside her and invited her to ride, police said. When she refused, one jumped out and grabbed her purse, telling her she could not have it back unless she got into the car. When she refused again, the man gave the purse back.

Then she discovered 50 cents had been taken.

BLOOMINGTON AFTER DAM

Mayor Opposes Plan Led by Uni-
versity Professors.

The Bloomington Water Company, which appeared Monday before the public service commission asking authority to issue approximately \$500,000 in securities for construction of a dam near the city, will be given until next Monday to file briefs, the commission has decided.

Opponents to the plan provide an "adequate" water supply will have five days in which to file a reply. President William L. Bryan of Indiana University, with faculty members, led the appeal for authorization. Mayor John Harris opposed the plan, which he said was headed by a "hypothetical" holding company.

Man and Wife Arrested

Charles Moore, 55, of 1432 Charles St., was under arrest today on charges of operating a blind tiger and drunkenness. His wife, Lena Moore, 51, also was charged with drunkenness. The police allege Mr. and Mrs. Moore Monday night attempted to halt every person they met in Illinois St.

Four Bicycles Reported Stolen

Four bicycles were reported missing today by Jacob Andrews, 4021 Park Ave.; Maurice Mooney, 518 N. Rural St.; Arthur Stockwell, 408 N. Pennsylvania St.; and Earl Hendron, 34 E. Scammon St.

Madame Arrives With Parrot and Dog; Something New in Dances at Lyric

By WALTER D. HICKMAN

MADAME carried her own scenery and effects with her. When Madame entered her home the stage was all set. Even the parrot, the pet dog, a screen, pictures of her friends were all present when Madame sailed in with her ten tons of temperance.

You will meet Madame, the dog, the parrot and all the other effects in Stuart Walker's production of "Enter Madame," at the Lyric this week.

This is the comedy of temperance, grand opera life which made Gilda Varesi a success. I always have had a desire to see Miss Varesi in the role of Madame Lisa Della Robbia.

In the Walker production, Spring Byington is Madame. And why is Madame she is. She not only looks the part but acts it with splendid knowledge of the opportunities offered. I believe that "Enter Madame" is Miss Byington's best contribution to the current Walker season.

"Enter Madame" is magnificent theater. It is full of atmosphere, and at times delicately pointed comedy. Two of the "delicate" situations are when the divorced husband of Madame decides to forget that he and Madame are divorced and when Madame's son in the last act asks, "Why was I born, now I ask you?" This is delicious comedy with a nifty kick. Nothing wrong because the comedy is done in ultra fine taste.

This comedy is a delicious adventure into the temperamental outbursts of a grand opera singer. It is in the first act that Spring Byington registers so splendidly. In her temperamental cyclones, Miss Byington is marvelous. In the second act Miss Byington, during the exquisite table scene, shows that Madame has a real heart. In the third act, Madame lets you know that she again has conquered her divorced husband, and that everything will be happy until Madame becomes "crazy" again.

Coates Gwynne is Madame's husband, who at first rebels against Madame's theatrical existence, and in the end husband is again happy to carry Madame's pet dog as she embarks upon another concert tour. Kay Strozz again proves her worth to the Walker organization by some really fine work in the third act. She is cast as Mrs. Flora Preston, a widow, who was so nice when she thought she had a chance to capture Madame's husband following the divorce.

Judith Lowry is playing the colorful part of Bice, Madame's maid. It is necessary to say that Mrs. Lowry is excellent. No, because it is Judith Lowry.

Others in the cast are William Evans, Beulah Bondy, L. E. Strang, Lucille Morris, Corbet Morris and Norvin Gable.

From a scenic standpoint, nothing more could be desired.

At the Lyric all week.

A Bit of Clever Travesty on Current Bill at Lyric

The Elliott-Johnson Revue at the Lyric this week is presenting a clever bit of dance-travesty. Two of the women offer their conception of a Spanish dance. One of the women dresses the character in a weird Spanish outfit, including some noisy overshoes. The other one uses a shawl for a dress and fans herself with what was once a fan. In place of decorating the dress with lace, she wears "fruit." This dance travesty is the high light of this team.

Hugo Lutgens announces that he is "The Swedish Billy Sunday." He uses a telephone book as the source of his text. The subject of his discourse is "The Sins of Ravenswood." Lutgens explains that the act is done in the spirit of fun.

Princeton and Vernon engage in some exquisite slang while falling in love during "Brown Derby Bill." The man of this team delivers his slang in a breezy and refreshing sort of way. The woman is cast as a broke actress of the stranded "Road to Ruin" company. This act has no trouble in getting over.

"Marriage vs. Divorce" is a noisy, silly and at times a foolish offering. It is not up to the Lyric's standard of headline attractions.

The Giuliani Trio, composed of two women and a man, are singers. They are billed as "Society Soloists." The Hori Trio, Japanese acrobats, open the bill. A good offering.

Paul Kleist closes the bill with his offering in pantomime, "In the Land

Chinese Singer Pleases on New Palace Bill



LADY TSEN MEI

One may not be able to pronounce the lady's name, but one can enjoy her singing and baryard imitations. She is pleasing patrons at the Palace the first half of the week with her songs.

of Dreams." This act will tickle and please the children.

At the Lyric all week.

"Boston Blackie" Story on View at Mister Smith's

"Boston Blackie," the picture which opened at Mister Smith's Monday, is made from Jack Boyle's story "The Water Cross." The story deals with Blackie's struggle for prison reform. The picture opens with Blackie, played by William Russell, "doing a stretch" in prison.

The warden of this particular prison has a favorite method of torture called the "water cross." In this a high pressure stream of water is thrown on the offender until he is almost crushed.

When Blackie's pal is killed by this, Blackie swears to get the warden, his just dues. When his term is served he acquires a newspaper and makes prison reform its issue. He arranges to be caught in the district attorney's home in order that he may be sent back to prison to get evidence against the warden. He breaks into the house and finds the attorney dead. The police find him there and he is sentenced to life imprisonment. There he narrowly escapes the water cross himself. After a thrilling escape and chase he is recaptured. But the real murderer, who is shot in the attempt to escape, makes a deathbed confession which exonerates Blackie and brings about the downfall of the warden.

William Russell is right at home in this type of picture, and so is Eva Novak, who plays opposite him. Both do some good work. Frank Brownlee also is well cast as the brutal warden.

Round Five of "Fighting Blood" and a news reel are also shown. At Mister Smith's the remainder of the week. (By Observer.)

Julius Caesar Was Cleopatra's Old, Dear Historical Sweetie
Do you know who Julius Caesar really was?

Well, he was Cleopatra's "sweetie." How do I know? My authority is Dan Stanley and Al Birnes at the Palace at the present time. They admit this historical "fact."

These two men are the ones who are registering a complete victory on the new bill at the Palace. These men are eccentric dancers and they tie up their hoofing with some of the smartest patter I have heard this summer.

In one of their dances they give

their conception of Ruth St. Denis in a classical dance. Here is a travesty gem. These two men have something new in the dance line and they deliver it in splendid style.

Lady Tsen Mei is on the bill. I pay my respects to her under picture. Jim McCool, Tommy Reilly and Katherine Murray register a hit with their Irish songs in "Those Were the Days." The ability of Reilly to sing Irish love songs makes this act good entertainment.

Stanley, Tripp and Mowatt are hat jugglers. The Seven Arabian Knights have an acrobatic offering along the whirlwind idea. The movie feature is Eva Novak in "Dollar Devils."

At the Palace today and Wednesday.

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The movies on view today include: "Boston Blackie," at Mister Smith's; "Trilby," at the Circle; "Backbone," at the Ohio; "Trifling With Honor," at the Apollo; "The Birth of a Nation," at the Rialto and "Shootin' for Love," at the Isis.

AMUSEMENTS

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"SLANDER THE
WOMAN"

CHIEF WARNS POLICEMEN

Collins Says Many Members of Chi-
cago Force Sell Booze.

By United Press
CHICAGO, July 31.—Many members of the Chicago police force are con-

Chief of Police Collins declared to-

The chief sent a letter to all captains warning them personally, telling them to investigate their commands, and declaring any policeman caught selling liquor will be dismissed and prosecuted.

Automobiles Collide

Two automobiles were in the repair shop today following an accident at East and St. Clair Sts., late Monday. James Coffey, 2078 Highland Pl., was driving north on East St., when his car collided with truck driven by Raymond McVay, 902 Eugene St.

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Things like this are constantly coming to our attention, either directly or through the Better Business Bureau, and we are working together in investigating and correcting these evils. The Better Business Bureau will confirm our statement that we are cooperating with them closely and wholeheartedly in a relentless war against false advertising and unscrupulous dealing of any kind. We are all battling together to

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