



THE TIVOLI.

We are once again back to Bio-Vaudeville and whilst it is a big change from the excellent full vaudeville bills that have been presented recently at this theatre, the programme which is being submitted this week is one of great attraction. Old favourites in Pierce and Roslyn pay a welcome return visit. They are very versatile artists, Mr. Pierce being an adept at various musical instruments, whilst both he and his partner present some excellent character numbers. In her second week, Desi Desiderati presents a new programme and her fascinating voice completely charms the audience. In addition to arias from "La Boheme" and "Cavalleria Rusticana," Mdlle. Desiderati sings the old favourite "O Solo Mio," for which she is enthusiastically ovated. The Two Stuarts appear at the Tivoli for the first time and their comedy acrobatic act is well received. Skilled work runs on parallel lines with some clever comedy and clowning. The film feature is an adaptation from Joseph Conrad's famous novel "Lord Jim." Several favourite screen artists take leading parts in this thrilling land and sea story and Percy Marmont, Noah Beery, Raymond Hatton and Shirley Mason are supported by a strong company. There is much romance and adventure in the picture and the spectacular scene which includes a shipwreck and battling with savage hordes should not be missed. In addition there are the usual Gaumont Graphic and African Mirror features.

THE ALHAMBRA.

"Give us Lillian and Dorothy Gish in the same picture," has been the demand made by countless film patrons ever since the two girls appeared together in "Orphans of the Storm." And this request has been answered at last, with the ever-popular Lillian and Dorothy together in what has been called one of the great pictures of the year, "Romola." "Romola," which is a production of the famous novel by George Eliot, is coming to the Alhambra Theatre on Monday next. Besides the Gish sisters, the cast also includes Ronald Colman, William H. Powell, Charles Lane and Herbert Grimwood. The entire production was filmed in Florence, Italy.

THE GRAND THEATRE.

Thrills, laughs, romance, pathos and melodrama, that is what Robert T. Kane has provided in "The New Commandment," his initial production for First National, which starts an engagement at the Grand Theatre next Monday. "The New Commandment" is a modern society melodramatic triumph that is on the list of best pictures of the season. Blanche Sweet, Ben Lyon, Holbrook Blinn, George Cooper, Pedro De Cordova, Diana Kane, Effie Shannon, Dorothy Cummings and many others are in the cast of this sterling film for the approval of the patrons of the Grand Theatre. "The New Commandment" is a screen adaptation of Colonel Frederick Palmer's "Invisible Wounds." Howard Higgin wielded the megaphone for Mr. Kane

on this production and through the novel touches and careful attention to detail he has given the story he has made screen history.

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REMARKS.—The market was well supplied with cattle the past week, but mostly of medium quality. Prices for primes remain firm. Prime sheep and lambs were scarce and realised good prices all through the week, we expect the market will remain firm for primes.

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with a cluster of multi-coloured flowers. She also carried a bouquet of red carnations. Many members of the large families of the bride and bridegroom were present including Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hirschberg, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Perilly, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. R. Milner, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lazarus, Mr. and Miss Isaac, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Belcher, Messrs. S. and C. Belcher and Mr. and Mrs. Alec Goldstein. The honeymoon is to be spent on a motor tour through Natal and Zululand, and the bride's going away dress a three-piece costume of green kasha trimmed with fawn with which she wore a fawn waistcoat. She wore a large fawn hat trimmed with shaded ribbon and finished with a diamante ornament.

OBITUARY.

We regret to record to death which took place on Saturday evening last of Mr. Leon Schafner, father of Mrs. M. Kentridge, the wife of the well-known Labour M.L.A. for Troyeville. Mr. Schafner, who was seventy-four years of age, had suffered at different periods during the past eighteen months with heart trouble. On Saturday morning his condition gave no cause for immediate alarm, but he suddenly became worse during the afternoon and died a few hours later. Mr. M. Kentridge, who had left the previous night to attend the meeting of the National Council of the Labour Party, was communicated with by telephone at Durban during Saturday afternoon, and he left on his return to Johannesburg immediately. The delay on the Natal line prevented his arrival in time for the funeral which took place on Sunday. Mr. Schafner was an old pioneer of Johannesburg, where he settled on his arrival from America thirty years ago. By a tragic co-incidence he was buried on the forty-third anniversary of his wedding day. Mrs. Schafner and Mrs. Kentridge, who is their only child, survive him.

A SOUTH AFRICAN DOCTOR FOR PALESTINE.

It seems a far cry from "Eretz Yisroel" to South Africa, but there is considerable interest in the news that Dr. Hamilton W. Dyke, of Maseru, Basutoland, has accepted the offer of an appointment made by the Secretary of State for Colonies as surgeon specialist to the Government Hospital at Jerusalem, and to the Palestine Government.

Dr. Dyke is expected to leave Basutoland some time next month, having had nineteen years' service in that territory.

JEW'S AMAZING CAREER.

Few farmers on the high-veld can point to such an extraordinary career as that of Mr. F. Lazarus, who beginning with literally nothing but a reputation for hard work and business ability, now stands in the front rank of the maize and potato producers of the Union.

Born in a village near Kovno in pre-war Russia, Mr. Lazarus, whose life work is the subject of a brochure just issued, came to South Africa, and was glad, on arrival to accept the job of assistant to a storekeeper at £3 a month. Industry and resource soon advanced his earning to £20 a month. But the Anglo-Boer War swept away what capital he had accumulated up to that time. He managed, however, to emerge from that war with £400, and with this he

re-started operations at Middelburg, Transvaal. From these small beginnings, Mr. Lazarus has risen to become the holder of thousands of morgen of land.

Writing of Mr. Lazarus, the Administrator of the Transvaal (Mr. J. H. Hofmeyr) says: "When I was a student we sometimes published in our college magazine a list of people we took off our hats to. Mr. Lazarus is one of the people to whom I am very glad to take off my hat to-day. By virtue of enthusiasm, resourcefulness, wonderful organising capacity, and the application to agriculture of what one might almost describe as a sacrificed common-sense, he has given most convincing proof of what can be achieved on the high-veld of the Transvaal. By his example he has rendered a great public service, and that is why I count it a pleasure to be able to commend his work."

BREVITES.

The Tish B'ab services which were held in the Great "Shool" and the Berea Synagogue were largely attended, and it is interesting to note that this occasion was the first time in this country that this important date in the Jewish calendar has been celebrated.

We extremely regret to record the death of Mrs. Phoebe Hyams, who for the last twenty-one years has been actively connected with the Jewish Women's Benevolent Society. Although she had attained the age of three score years and ten Mrs. Hyams was wonderfully active in all good works up to the last.

At the Jewish Guild on Sunday night a lecture was delivered by Dr. Pauline Podlashuk entitled "Jewish Student Life Abroad." There was a fair attendance but nothing like what the interest of the lecture entitled it to.

The Students' Jewish Association held their annual dance at the Selborne Hall last Thursday evening when there was a large attendance of members and their friends. The music was good, the floor admirable, and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Chief Rabbi Dr. Landau's recent striking address at the Congress of the Jewish Board of Deputies is still drawing attention, and the columns of the daily press are still being resorted to by Jewish correspondents who are glad of this opportunity of airing their views.

On Sunday last Mr. and Mrs. M. Lichtenstein were "At Home" in connection with the Barmitzva of their son, Bernard at their residence "Doornhoek," Westcliffe, when a large number of friends and relatives felicitated them upon the happy occasion. The previous day the youth read his portion of the law at the Berea Synagogue in excellent fashion.

The Committee of the Witwatersrand Aged Home has issued a circular letter stating that a campaign for the enrolment of new members has been started. It is believed that many more members of the community would subscribe to the Home if they realised the necessity for its increased support.

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