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TODAYS PROGRAM

"MERELY A MOTHER"
2 Reel Drama—Biograph.

"A PRIZE IN EVERY PACKAGE"
Farce Comedy—Biograph.

"SUNNY GIM AT THE NORTH POLE"
Vitagraph.

JOHNSON SIGNS 2 YEAR CONTRACT

Will Twirl for Chicago Federals at a Salary of \$20,000 Per.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—That Walter Johnson, premier pitcher of the American League, has signed a contract with the Chicago Federal League club, was the announcement made by Charles Weeghman, president of the local club late today. Later it was declared that Johnson's contract was for two years. The amount of his salary was not announced. Weeghman said that he had received the news by long distance telephone from Joe Tinker, who saw

Johnson in Coffeyville Kas., today.

COFFEYVILLE, Kas., Dec. 3.—"Walter Johnson will be seen in a Federal League uniform for the next two years," said Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago Federals, as he boarded a train for Chicago late today. Tinker carried with him a contract which Johnson signed after a day of negotiations here.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Walter Johnson will not go to the Federal League without a fight in the courts by the Washington American team, of which he has been the mainstay for seven years. Manager Clark Griffith, learning tonight of the pitcher's deal with the Chicago Federals, declared he had an option on Johnson's services for another year and would "sue him to the end of the earth" before he would allow it to be broken. "There was a provision in the 1914 contract," said Griffith "whereby I obtained an option on Johnson's services for the 1915 season. Twenty-five hundred dollars of the \$12,000 he has received was given for the specific purpose of reserving an option in 1915. I am convinced he has violated the agreement and I will sue him to the end of the earth before I acknowledge his right to sign with the Federals."

Speculation as to what effect Johnson's action would have on other Washington players was rife here tonight. It has been rumored that Clyde Milan, centerfielder, and Johnson's closest friend, may go to the Federal camp.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.—Twenty thousand dollars a year is the salary called for in Walter Johnson's contract with the Chicago Federals, according to Philip Ball, vice president of the St. Louis Federals.

"The St. Louis Federals engineered the deal whereby Chicago got Johnson," declared Ball. "Our price for obtaining Johnson for Chicago was Eddie Plank."

BEST FOR KIDNEYS—SAYS DOCTOR

Dr. J. T. R. Neal, Greenville, So. Car., says that in his 30 years of experience he has found no preparation for the kidneys equal to Foley Kidney Pills. Pain in back and hips is an indication of kidney trouble—a warning to build up the weakened kidneys, make them vigorous, rid your blood of acids and poisons. Foley Kidney Pills will help any case of kidney and bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. In 50c and \$1.00 sizes. Sold in your town by Evans Pharmacy.

ALLIES DRAINING THE SOUTH OF MULE STOCK

Greater Part of Georgia is Losing Rapidly Its Farm Animals. MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Dec. 2.—A check for \$3,500,000 is a pretty interesting document any time, and more especially in a time like this. It is more interesting when it is a perfectly good check, virtually backed by the British government.

The check has been cleared within the past two weeks, either through Atlanta, New Orleans, or St. Louis, most probably the second named city, and the money is to be used to buy mules.

What it means to the cotton belt can only be surmised, for cotton fields require mules just as much so as does war, but it takes money to hold, or buy mules, and there are thousands of cotton farmers without it, while the British government has plenty of the coin.

Mules are tolerably cheap now, because there is no local demand, and many farmers figure they can sell their mules now and save feed until spring and then buy again. But they will hardly buy.

The territory contiguous to Atlanta, Augusta, Macon, Savannah, and throughout this section of the South is being drained of mules, especially the good mules. The big Western markets, St. Louis and Kansas City, have no mules for sale, only a few off-color and white animals being on the market. British buyers don't want the white mules.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF COUNTY TREASURER

The books of the County Treasurer will be opened for the collection of State, County and school taxes for the Fiscal Year 1914 and Commutation Road tax for the year 1915 at the County Treasurer's office from October 15th to December 31st, 1914. After December 31st, one per cent penalty will be added; and after February 28th, seven per cent penalty will be added, till the 15th day of March, 1915, when the books will be closed.

All persons owning property in more than one township or school district, are requested to call for receipts in EACH TOWNSHIP OR SCHOOL DISTRICT, in which the property is located. On account of having so many school districts this request is very important to the taxpayers and will to a large extent eliminate extra cost and penalties.

The rate of levy is as follows:
State Taxes 6 Mills
Constitutional School Tax 3 Mills
Ordinary County Purposes 3 1-2 Mills
Past Indebtedness 1 Mill
Roads and Bridges 1 Mill
Public Roads 1 Mill

Total 15 1-2 Mills
The following are the additional levies for Special School Districts:

Dist	No.	Special	Total
		Levy	Levy
		Mills	Mills
Anderson	17	6	21 1/2
Airy Springs	64	4	19 1/2
Barker Creek	67	4	19 1/2
Bevardam	56	4	19 1/2
Belton	12	3	18 1/2
Bethel	55	2	17 1/2
Bishop Branch	28	4	19 1/2
Broyles	67	4	19 1/2
Calhoun	29	2	17 1/2
Cedar Grove	30	4	19 1/2
Centerville	6	4	19 1/2
Central	58	4	19 1/2
Cleveland	26	4	19 1/2
Concrete	19	4	19 1/2
Corner	23	4	19 1/2
Double Springs	68	6	21 1/2
Ebenezer	45	2	17 1/2
Eureka	25	2	17 1/2
Fairview	63	4	19 1/2
Friendship	35	4	19 1/2
Gantt	34	5 1/2	21
Genorator	61	4	19 1/2
Good Hope	43	2	17 1/2
Green Pond	69	3	18 1/2
Grove	65	3	18 1/2
Hammond	7	4	19 1/2
Honea Path	16	4	19 1/2
Hopewell	7	4	19 1/2
Hunter	24	7	22 1/2
Iva	44	7	22 1/2
Lebanon	27	4	19 1/2
Long Branch	73	4	19 1/2
Martin	15	4	19 1/2
Melton	51	4	19 1/2
Mt. Creek	70	2	17 1/2
Mt. View	48	4	19 1/2
Mc Elmoyle	50	6	21 1/2
Mc Leese	52	4	19 1/2
Neals Crook	60	3	18 1/2
Oak Grove	32	2	17 1/2
Pendleton	2	4	19 1/2
Piercetown	64	3	18 1/2
Rock Mills	5	4	19 1/2
Rocky River	69	2	17 1/2
Saluda	26	2	17 1/2
Savannah	9	3	18 1/2
Simpsonville	41	3	18 1/2
Starr	57	7	23 1/2
St. Paul	4	4	19 1/2
Tarce & Twenty	42	4	19 1/2
Towaville	40	4	19 1/2
Union	21	4	19 1/2
West Pelzer	8	8	23 1/2
White Plains	48	4	19 1/2
Williamston	29	5	20 1/2
Williston	63	4	19 1/2
Zion	79	6	21 1/2
Straight			18 1/2

The State Constitution requires all male persons between the ages of 21 and 60 years, except those incapable of earning a support from being maimed or other causes, and those who served in the War between the States, to pay a poll tax of one dollar. All male persons between the ages of 21 and 60 years who are able to work public roads or cause them to be worked except preachers who have charge of a congregation and persons who served in the War between the States, school teachers and trustees, who are exempted from road duty, may in lieu of work pay a tax of one dollar to be collected at the same time other taxes are collected.

Prompt attention will be given all persons who wish to pay their taxes through the mail, by check, money order, etc.

W. A. TRIPP,
County Treasurer.

PROGRAM FOR ELKS MEMORIAL SERVICES

WHICH WILL BE HELD IN COURTHOUSE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

PUBLIC INVITED

Principal Address to Be Delivered by General M. L. Bonham.

Annual memorial services of the Brotherhood Protective Order of Elks will be held by every lodge throughout the United States next Sunday afternoon. The Services are held to pay tribute to the memory of members of the order who have passed away since the last annual meeting of this character. Anderson Lodge No. 1206 will hold their services in the courthouse, beginning at 4 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

At 3:30 o'clock Elks will gather at the home, on North McDuffie street, where a line of march will be formed, moving from there to the court house. Gen. M. L. Bonham has been asked to deliver the principal memorial address. Since the last memorial service to members of the local lodge have passed away, C. W. Norryce and T. C. Walton, and it is in their memory that the services will be held Sunday.

The program which will be carried out on this occasion reads as follows:
Order of Service.

- Overture—Funeral March—Chopin.
- Opening Ceremonies—Ritual—by the Lodge.
- Quartet—Sleep and Rest.
- Ceremonies Resumed.
- Opening Ode—(by the Lodge.)
- Quartet—Rock of Ages.
- Memorial Day Address—Brother M. L. Bonham, Anderson Lodge.
- Solo—Selected—Mrs. Jas. H. Craig.
- Brief Eulogies of Departed Brothers—(The Lodge will sing one verse of "Blest be the Tie that Binds" after each address.)
- Closing Ceremonies—Ritual—by the Lodge.
- Solo—"In the Sweet Bye and Bye."
- Mrs. Jas. H. Craig.

The audience is requested to unite with the lodge in the chorus.

Benediction—Dr. W. H. Fraser.

OFFICIAL STATEMENTS

PARIS, Dec. 3.—(10:50 p. m.)—The following official communication was issued by the war office tonight:

"The only interesting news relates to our right wing and to the day of December 2. On the right bank of the river Moselle we have occupied Lesmenlis and the Signal of Xon.

"In the Vosges our troops have captured the Tete de Faux, south of the village Bonhomme, which dominates the range of hills forming the frontier and has served as an observatory for the Germans.

"In Alsace the station of Burnhaupt has been occupied and we have established ourselves on a line comprising Aspach, the bridge of Aspach and Burnhaupt."

BERLIN, Dec. 3.—(By Wireless) —The following information was given out by the official news bureau today:

"Official advices from Alsace say fighting is progressing actively in this latter war theatre. A heavy cannonading is going on in Sundgau. The Germans are advancing against Belfort.

"The Austrians report officially a repulse to the besiegers of Przemysl, Galicia. The garrison made a sortie against the Russians and drove them back from the outer fortifications.

"Fighting continues in the Carpathian passes.

"Although no news is being received concerning operations about Lovicz, Russian Poland, it is assumed German attempts to flank the Russian right wing are continuing. The great value of such a move would consist in forcing the Russians southward away from route toward Warsaw and into the rear of the Russian main army. Much depends on the progress made by the Germans and Austrians on the front and on the enemy's left. So far they have maintained their positions and repulsed all attacks, but whether they have advanced is not known. The Russian loss the last few days of 100,000 captives and many guns is considered by local critics as bound to weaken them seriously."

PETROGRAD, Dec. 3.—The following statement was issued tonight from general headquarters:

"Fighting continues in certain districts along the front in the region of Lovicz. Important forces of the enemy, chiefly troops transported in November from the German west front, opened an offensive December 2 in the region of Licotomerek and Szeszow.

"On the east of the front on the left bank of the Vistula, there is no particular modification in the situation.

"Beyond the Carpathians our troops have taken Hatfeld, capturing eight officers, 120 men and six machine guns."

PARIS, Dec. 3.—(3:30 p. m.)—The French official report given out in Paris this afternoon, says that yesterday there was a rather lively artillery exchange at Neuport and to the south of Ypres, and that a heavy bombardment took place to the west of Lens. In the Argonne several German attacks were repulsed. Otherwise the situation shows little change.

BERLIN, Via Wireless to London, Dec. 3.—(3:10 p. m.)—Today's official statement was limited to the following brief announcement:

"On neither theatre of war has anything of importance happened."

"Please Pay Up!"

WE have a great many outstanding accounts just now; more than we ought to have, by a good deal. We don't like to worry anybody about a bill but---we owe money, too, and can't pay what we owe, unless those who owe us, pay up.

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So, please drop in and fix up that little matter. The way we see it, business all over the country is going to be fine, mighty soon---all indications point that way---and one of the main things---almost the only thing that is delaying "good times" is the general slowness of collections. Please do your part to better conditions.

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