

PALMETTO THEATRE

TODAY'S PROGRAM:
IN VAUDEVILLE
Conrad's Go-Ahead Girls
present
"THE RED WIDOW"

IN MOVIES:

"The City of Darkness—In 2 Reels—Broncho."
"Limping Into Happiness—Beauty."

Great crowds attended the performances yesterday and much interest was manifested in the free annual passes that are to be given away during the next four weeks—two each week, making eight in all. These passes are guaranteed to be honored during the entire year, regardless of who manages the theatre.



BOUT WITH WEATHER IS BIGGEST BATTLE

RAINY SEASON IS THE WORST EUROPE HAS EXPERIENCED IN YEARS

FLOODS IN VALLEYS HALT OPERATIONS

French Make Slight Advances in Two Quarters But Are Repulsed in Another—Germans Capture One Important Russian Position.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—The extremely rainy winter, the worst Europe has experienced in years has caused floods in the river valleys of the continent which have prevented any operations on a large scale on the western battle front and seriously interfered with those in the East.

There have been artillery engagements from the sea to the Swiss borders and occasional attacks by the infantry of the opposing armies, which, when not repulsed, have added a few yards to the territory in the possession of the attacking force but have always proved costly.

The French have gained a little ground between Albert and Roye, just north of the point where the line turns eastward, and east of Rheims and southwest of Verdun, where attempts to make untenable the German position at St. Mihiel, on the Meuse, are proceeding slowly. They also have made some advance in Alsace, but have suffered a repulse to the northwest of St. Mennehoult.

In the East the Germans have captured the important Russian position at Borzhom, but elsewhere have been unable to make headway.

The Russians as defenders of well fortified positions are aided by muddy

roads, which hinder the German movements.

The Austrians claim to have checked the Russian advance near Gorlice, on the South Galician railway, but apparently the battle there has not yet been concluded.

The Russians have taken the Austrian positions near Uzok pass which should open another entrance for them through the Carpathians into Hungary, while the Austrian retreat in Bukovina is announced by the Russians as a rout.

The Turks have crossed the Russian border in the Caucasus and, according to Constantinople, have defeated the Russian garrison at Ardahan. They are, however, displaying anxiety for their remaining possessions in Europe by feverishly fortifying the whole coast line. What they fear is not disclosed, for it is considered hardly possible for the allies to land a sufficient force to prove a menace to them. It is possible they anticipate an invasion from another source.

Indications again point to the possibility that the Balkan States which now are neutral may take a hand in the war. The Greek finance minister has declared Greece is making preparations to maintain the new territory which she gained from Turkey and Bulgaria, but that she has more to fear from Bulgaria than Turkey.

It is thought that Roumania can not look askance at Transylvania and that she will join Russia later.

FIVE CENTS PROVES IT
A Genuine Offer. Cut out this ad and enclose with 5 cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address plainly and receive a free trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for kidney and bladder complaints, backache, pains in joints, rheumatism; and Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic—try all three for 5 cents, the cost of mailing. Sold by Evans Pharmacy.

WORKING PLAN FOR RELIEF ASSOCIATION IS ADOPTED

WILL EXPEND SOME \$5,000 IN EXTENDING MAINS IN THE CITY

ANNUAL MEETING

Of Stockholders Will Be Held Today—New Equipment For the Plant.

Meeting last night for the purpose of perfecting a working plan for the Anderson Relief Association, the board of governors decided upon the selection of Fred M. Burnett as general manager and accepted the proffer of the Young Men's Christian Association to use the building of this organization as headquarters for the association. The issuing of an appeal to the people of the city with a view of relieving the destitute of the city and the transaction of some matters of lesser importance constituted the evening's doings.

All but two members of the governing board were in attendance on the meeting, but the enthusiasm and the business like determination with which the board went about its work

and the practical lines along which they decided to operate more than made up for anything that was lost through the non-attendance of others.

Ask Physicians' Help. Among other important actions taken was the adoption of a resolution requesting General Secretary Burnett to appear before the County Medical Society at their meeting next Wednesday with an appeal that the physicians lend the association their earnest assistance in every particular.

Advisory Committee. An advisory committee consisting of J. E. Barton, Rufus Fant and Dr. W. F. Ashmore was appointed and given authority to act without a formal meeting of the board being called.

The general secretary was instructed to get in touch with leading negroes of the city and work out a plan for lending assistance to worthy negroes of the city in distress.

Commended Efforts. Resolutions commending the efforts which local individuals and other agents have been making to relieve cases of distress discovered in the city and county were adopted also by the governors. An appeal was made for a continuation of this service and the cooperation of these agents with the general secretary of the association.

Resolutions calling upon the newspapers of the city to give publicity to cases of distress and thus arrest the attention of the public and bring assistance from them were adopted.

News From Seneca

The School People Go Back to Work. The Seneca graded school resumed work after the holidays Monday morning with the full teaching force present and ready for work.

Prof. H. C. Smith returned several days ago from his visit to home folks in Greer, in order to get the new sanitary drinking fountains installed before the holidays were over.

Miss Florence Reid spent the holidays with home folks in Rock Hill. Miss Miriam Jennings with relatives in Spartanburg county, Miss Morrison with home folks at Clemson College, and Miss Kittie Sleigh, with home folks in Redbank, Ga. Misses Moore and Hamilton remained here during the holidays.

Miss Margie Holland left Sunday to resume her school work at Norcross, Ga., after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Holland.

Misses Maggie and Liela after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thomson, returned to their school work at Iva and Honea Path, respectively.

Misses Ivor and Hannah Brown left Saturday for Heath Spring and Fountain Inn, where they have positions in the schools, after spending the holidays with Mrs. Grace Verner.

Mr. John Ballinger and Roger Coe will leave Tuesday to resume their studies in the Presbyterian College, at Clinton.

Charley Byrd, Thornley Cary, Oscar Doyle, Jule Holleman, and Ernest Norman, will leave Tuesday to resume their studies in the University of South Carolina.

Miss Mae Hubbard, Cairy Doyle, Nancie and Nellie Hines left Monday for Winthrop College.

Miss Edith Lindsay returned to Due West College Monday.

The following left Monday afternoon for Clemson College: J. W. Strimbling, Brown Verner, Ben Leo Hamilton, Willie Austin, Albert Norman, Horace Wood, Gordon Todd and George Lunney.

Warren Gignilliat left Monday for Davidson College.

People Coming and Going. Mr. W. A. Hudgens of Anderson was in Seneca Monday on business.

Dr. L. I. McCalla, J. H. Dean and F. I. Jones of Starr were in Seneca for a while Sunday.

Mr. F. C. Morgan, a prominent newspaper man of Meridian, Miss., was in Seneca for a while Sunday.

Mrs. White, and Miss Irene White, Mrs. Wilson and Mary Ellen White, and Miss Julia Maxwell, of Wallhalla were visitors in Seneca for a short while Monday.

Miss Pearl Ballenger was shopping in Seneca Monday.

Miss Norma Moore of Wallhalla was a visitor in Seneca Monday.

Mrs. G. N. Gignilliat entertained the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon.

Rev. G. N. Ballenger, pastor of the Seneca Methodist church, but who still resides at West Union has been in Seneca for several days and filled his appointments here Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. Grover Travis, engineer on the Southern Railway trains, Nos. 36 and 41, has been visiting relatives in the vicinity for several days.

Mr. Tommie Harper after spending the holidays with relatives here has returned to Baltimore to resume his studies in the Dental Department of the University of Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rike, who have been living with Mrs. Rike's brother, Mr. Harry Sleigh, at the Sleigh old home place two miles out of town, have moved into the Cherry house on First South St. Mr. Jim Right, who formerly occupied this house has moved to the Sloan cottage on First North St.

Miss Rebecca Todd, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Todd, will return Tuesday to Lexington, Ky., where she is attending college.

Stock Exchange Reopens. LONDON, Jan. 4.—(12:05 p. m.)—The London stock exchange reopened for business today after having been closed since July 30. Severe restrictions were placed upon trading to prevent anything approaching panic selling or the unloading of securities by hostile countries. Business was strictly on a cash basis.

GAS COMPANY TO MAKE SEVERAL IMPROVEMENTS

GENERAL SECRETARY WAS CHOSEN BY THE GOVERNORS

GET HEADQUARTERS

Work Will Be Carried on From Y. M. C. A. Building—Public Called on For Help.

To attend the annual meeting of stockholders of the Anderson Gas company, which will be held today, and to make investigations with a view of enlarging and extending the facilities of the local plant, S. A. Blash, of Sayre, Penn., vice president and secretary of the Anderson Gas Company, is in the city.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the concern will be held this morning at the offices on North Main street. Several matters of importance will come before the meeting, but announcement of what is to be considered is deferred until after the meeting today of those interested in the property.

To Enlarge Plant. Mr. Blash stated yesterday that the company is preparing to expend at once some \$5,000 in extending the gas mains. Quite recently 1,000 feet of mains have been put down in North Anderson.

The extension will be down South Main street to the Orr Mills and along other streets where the service will prove most advantageous.

New Equipment. A new condenser and other new equipment will be put in at the gas plant.

The gas company is capitalized at \$100,000, and the affairs of the concern are said to be in excellent shape. Locally the company is represented by Mr. W. R. Wones, the efficient and popular general manager.

SAYRE & BALDWIN ARCHITECTS

Bleckley Bldg. Anderson, S. C.
Citizens National Bank Bldg., Raleigh, N. C.

WISHED SHE COULD DIE

And Be Free From Her Troubles, but Finds Better Way.

Columbia, Tenn.—"Many a time," says Mrs. Jessie Sharp, of this place, "I wished I could die and be relieved of my suffering, from womanly troubles. I could not get up, without putting in something to help me, and stayed in bed most of the time. I could not do my housework."

"The least amount of work tired me out. My head would swim, and I would tremble for an hour or more. Finally, I took Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I am not bothered with pains any more, and I don't have to go to bed. In fact, I am sound and well of all my troubles."

Cardui goes to all the weak spots and helps to make them strong. It acts with nature—not against her. It is for the tired, nervous, irritable women, who feel as if everything were wrong, and need something to quiet their nerves and strengthen the worn-out system.

If you are a woman, suffering from any of the numerous symptoms of womanly trouble, take Cardui. It will help you. At all druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and the best treatment for Women, in plain wrapper, N.C. 132

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ROSE HILL CLUB TICKET, \$2.00

Admit Couple—Lady and Gentleman, or Gentleman alone.

Personal

W. T. A. Sherard of Iva was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Joe and Edgar Sullivan of this city spent Sunday in Williamston with relatives.

T. K. Epper spent Sunday in Greenville.

J. E. Massey of Pendleton was among those spending yesterday in the city.

M. C. Brock of Pendleton was among those spending yesterday in the city.

Robert Moorehead of the Concord section was in the city yesterday.

S. F. Hanks of the county was in the city yesterday.

Furman Martin of the Lebanon section was in the city yesterday on route to Greenwood where he is attending Bailey Military Institute.

E. H. Duckworth of the Lebanon section was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

C. M. Duckworth of Lebanon was in the city yesterday.

Tom Webb of Lebanon was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

J. D. McElroy of Sandy Springs was in the city yesterday.

L. B. Johnson of Belton was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Joe Smith of Starr was shopping in the city yesterday.

Misses Jessie and Nellie Smith of Starr were in the city yesterday on route to Gaffney where they are attending Lincolnton College.

Roy and Clyde Herron of Starr were in the city yesterday en route to Clemson College.

J. A. Elgin of Neals Creek was in the city yesterday.

Frank Elgin of the Neals Creek section was in the city yesterday.

F. Grant of Mount Carmel was in the city yesterday en route to Clemson College.

W. L. Tribble of Honea Path was in the city yesterday.

M. T. Wells of Mount Carmel was a visitor in the city yesterday.

O. C. Muller of Mount Carmel was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Henry Moseley of Lowndesville was in the city yesterday.

"Uncle" Dave Taylor of Sandy Springs was among those spending yesterday in the city.

J. G. Smith of Hartwell, Ga., was in the city yesterday.

D. A. Poole of the county was in the city yesterday.

Williamston were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. F. M. Morgan of Williamston was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

B. S. Sullivan of Mount Carmel has accepted a position with the Brogan mills.

Jesse and Charles Clinkscales of Starr were in the city yesterday.

Will Martin of the county was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Joe Wardlaw of Belton was in the city yesterday for a short while.

L. T. Campbell of the county was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Asa Hall, Jr., of Iva was in the city yesterday for a short while.

Cary Chamblee of the county was in the city yesterday.

L. E. Martin of Hopewell was in the city yesterday.

John Duckworth of the county was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Dr. James Holt of Pickens was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Craig Arnold of the Roberts section was in the city yesterday.

J. D. Campbell of the county was here yesterday for a short while.

John Masters of the Mountain Creek section was in the city yesterday.

Carl Shirley of Craytonville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

W. C. King of Townville was in the city yesterday.

Claude Martin of Neals Creek was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

A. P. Spence has gone to Columbus, Ga., on a business trip.

F. M. Cary of Seneca was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

J. N. Poole of the county was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Wofford of Starr was in the city yesterday.

George McConnell and George, Jr., have returned to the city after spending several weeks with relatives at various points in Tennessee.

Mrs. Lou Osborne and Miss Nan Osborne

borne have returned to Spartanburg after spending the holidays with Mrs. Robert Robinson.

Mrs. Mamie Craig has returned to West Union after a visit to this city.

W. C. Wharton of Laurens was in the city yesterday.

Glenn Simpson has returned to Starr after a visit to the city.

Rufus and R. Reid of Piedmont were in the city yesterday.

T. W. Richardson of Pelzer was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Turpin Lynelle Crout returned yesterday to Lynchburg, Va., where she will resume her studies in Randolph-Macon College, she having spent the holidays here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Crout.

Miss Virginia King of Greenville is the guest of Mrs. J. E. Breazeale.

Jeff D. Maxwell left yesterday for St. Louis after spending the holidays here with his family.

Miss Lella Russell has returned to her duties at Winthrop College after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Russell.

J. G. Harper of Eureka was in the city yesterday.

Prof. and Mrs. M. E. Bradley of Clemson were in the city yesterday en route from Troy, where they spent the holidays, to Clemson.

Cadet Gustavson Acker has returned to Clemson College after spending the holidays with his father, H. H. Acker.

Frank Chenault has returned to Wofford College after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. O. M. Chenault.

Fred Fearman returned to Washington yesterday after a visit to his father, S. N. Fearman.

Miss Tabitha McFall has returned to Winthrop College after spending the holidays with relatives here.

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"Coughs that hang on" demand treatment. Stop and think! Reason and common sense tell you that it is folly to "grin and bear it." These racking grippe coughs that wrench the body and cause soreness and pain in the lungs yield more quickly to Foley's Honey and Tar than to any other treatment. Forty years' record of successes proves this. For coughs, colds, croup and other distressing ailments of throat, chest, lungs, larynx and bronchial tubes, you can find nothing that will compare with this reliable remedy.—Sold by Evans Pharmacy.

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