

Talks Daily By Mary Pickford

PERSONALITIES I HAVE MET. DAVID BELASCO—PART II.

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AS I was telling yesterday, Mr. Belasco's great simplicity made it possible for any one to offer suggestions. One afternoon during the rehearsal of "The Warrens of Virginia" Dick Storey and I were sitting on the scene where we were supposed to sit quietly for a long time, found we grew very uneasy and self-conscious with nothing to do.

I did not dare look up for a minute for fear I would meet disapproving eyes, but the Fates, the author, and Mr. Belasco dealt kindly with me, and a few weeks later I went into rehearsals preparing to open in New York.

I called to Mr. Belasco, who sat in front of the stage, explaining the situation to him. He sat in a deep study for two or three minutes and then asked: "What do you want to play with—blocks?"

Mr. Belasco was persuaded to pose in a picture and we took several hundred feet of film. It was a comedy satire on the signing of my contract. Mr. Griffith had the camera swung on Mr. Belasco and himself for a few amusing scenes where Mr. Griffith pretended to be the poor, trembling author and presented Mr. Belasco with one of his plays. As soon as he departed, Mr. Belasco looked at the script, read a few pages of it, almost collapsed, and pitched it headlong into the waste basket.

"I remember my mother talking about a doll she played with when she was a little girl. It had a flat china face, with painted black hair." Mr. Belasco smiled reflectively. "My mother had one, too," he replied. Then turning to Dick Storey, "What do you want, Dick?"

Then I came on as a nervous ingenue and played the scene for the picture just as I had done it in life the first day I met Mr. Belasco. Mr. Dean has since died, and as he had been with Mr. Belasco for fifteen years, that piece of film is monumental to the happy days when those two great friends were together.

"A horse and a hoop," came Dick's prompt reply. And so it was that Mr. Belasco had these toys made for us and they traveled with us across the country when "The Warrens of Virginia" left New York on tour. One of the dearest possessions I have today is that lovely but beloved china doll with the painted black hair.

I have much more to write about Mr. Belasco, as he is the most interesting figure in my stage life, but I shall reserve it until a future date.

Answers to Correspondents. G. M. H.—By location is meant the exterior scene which is used in the making of a part of a film.

Herbert J.—Typewrite your scenarios on one side of the paper only. Send them to the scenario editor or department of any of the reputable companies. Inclose stamps for their return in case they are not accepted.

C. G.—I cannot recommend any school of acting. Do not arrange for such a course until you have assured yourself fully that the school and its credentials are reputable.

P. B.—Go to an eye specialist. You are endangering your eyes by using such remedies as you describe.

Helen T.—Thank you for the pretty picture. It is indeed a beautiful landscape. No, I have never been in your home town, but shall hope to have that pleasure some day.

R. L. M.—I do not think any of the books you mention have been made into pictures, but are you sure the copyright has expired on all of them?

As I was drawing my hat off, I turned around to become aware for the first time there was a stranger in the room.

"Well, well, here's little Betty grown up," was the first thing Mr. Belasco said to me. "Take off your hat and let me see your curls."

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Mrs. Meitzler Buried in St. Peter's Cemetery

The funeral of Mrs. Phillip Meitzler was held this morning from her late residence, 19 Richmond street and from St. John's German Catholic Church, where solemn high mass

was celebrated by Father Schwartz. The funeral was largely attended and there were many floral tributes. Interment was in St. Peter's Cemetery under the direction of undertaker A. J. Martin.

The ball bearers were Martin Zimmerman, Otto Schuck, Louis Newark, Andrew Weingart, Conrad Seiler, and Frank Kline.

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BABY PARADES MAY BE BARRED UNDER NEW RULE

New Chapter Adopted by the State Board of Health Governing Moving Pictures, Harvest Homes and Picnics.

TRENTON, Aug. 9.—Baby parades, like the annual event scheduled for Asbury Park within a few weeks, and Sunday school parades, one of which Trenton plans to have in the near future, depended to-day upon the provisions of the new chapter of the State Sanitary Code, which the Department of Health was preparing to issue, following its adoption yesterday by the State Board of Health in pursuance of its plans to check the spread of infantile paralysis in New Jersey.

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS, HERE'S YOUR CHANCE!

Starting next Sunday, The Times will publish photographs from amateurs. There will be a prize of \$1.00 for the best of them, and 50 cents for the second best. The views must be of local or county interest, and should be sent in by Thursday of each week.

PERSONALS

Mrs. John Colton, of Lindenau, was operated on at the Middlesex General Hospital yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. William Raynor, of Theatrical City, have been entertaining guests from Philadelphia. The Misses Creighton are spending a two weeks' vacation at their home in Theatrical City.

Thirty Weddings Performed During Month of July

During the month of July there were thirty weddings performed in which local people were interested. The record for the month as supplied by the city clerk is as follows: July 1. Stephen Georgy and Elsie Bazley, by Rev. John Szczeneczy. 1. Stephen Piko and Mary Takacs, by Rev. John Lukach. 2. Joseph Voros and Julia Buskubsky, by Rev. J. N. Szczeneczy. 2. Stephen Andreas and Steliana Koukakis, by Rev. N. A. Macarony. 4. Vincent Kosulicz and Tessie Terzian, by Rev. John Lukach. 6. Luther Davis and Jennie Smith, by Rev. J. W. Morrishow. 8. Fred Van Arsdale and Edna Warden, by Rev. S. V. Robinson. 9. Floty Rulewicz and Sofia Jaroz, by Rev. B. A. Calowski. 10. Joseph Aubrey and Florence Burke, by Rev. M. Waldron. 15. Adalbert Patvaros and Anna Petro, by Rev. J. N. Szczeneczy. 15—Sigmund Lorwiz and Mary Oronz, by Rev. John Lukach. 15. Krney Gynrics and May Cser, by Rev. J. N. Szczeneczy. 15. Geysa Deri and Anne Fulajtar, by Rev. J. N. Szczeneczy. 16. George J. Ziegler and Nellie Boice, by Rev. W. W. Knox. 16. Henry K. Alterak and Anna Proskop, by Rev. B. A. Calowski. 16. Joseph Fajth and Rose Hornyak, by Rev. J. N. Szczeneczy. 19. Dominico Alvi and Marie Saufede, by Rev. G. Cristiano. 22. Joseph Barna and Annie Krivjanski, by Rev. J. N. Szczeneczy. 22. Peter Veksal and Mary Rube, by Rev. J. Lukach. 22. Harry L. MacPherson and Estelle M. Allen, by Rev. Paul Hayne. 23. Antoni Tuximiski and Soft Wegryuck, by Rev. B. A. Calowski. 23. Pieter Step and Anna Havsal, by Rev. J. Lukach. 25. Andrew J. Piman and Mary C. Weingart, by Rev. M. P. Waldron. 27. H. A. Nagle and Ethel Skevington, by Rev. H. M. Lawrence. June 28. William F. Church and Kathryn Donnelly, by Rev. J. I. Ryan. July 29. Jacob T. Beltz and Susanna A. Bissehof, by Rev. S. Schwarze. 29. Michele Morrone and Maria Dadome, by Rev. G. Cristiano. 29. Lawrence Zajduk and Esther Szavo, by Rev. J. Lukach. 29. Ladislau Danko and Emma Dobos, by Rev. J. N. Szczeneczy. 30. Charles E. Leach and Mildred Rule, by Rev. W. D. Parry.

PERSONALS

Mrs. William P. Wilcox, Jr., of 168 Burnet street, has presented her husband with a baby girl. Dr. E. I. Cronk was in attendance. Mother and child are doing nicely. W. B. Randolph and S. F. Voorhees are at the Ocean Hotel, Asbury Park. Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Russell, of Union street, have gone to the O-te-ae-ga Hotel, Cooperstown, Otsego, N. Y., for a stay. Mrs. Joseph Townsend, of Townsend street, formerly Miss Marion Stevens, of this city, has gone to Chattanooga, Tenn., to join her husband, who has a position there. Miss Ina P. Osborn, of Seaman street, will leave on Saturday for a stay of two weeks at Interbrook Lodge, Keene Valley, Essex county, New York. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cathcart and daughter, of 179 George street, left today for Asbury Park, where they will be registered at the Surf House for two weeks. Mrs. Mary E. Evans and E. M. Evans, of Milltown, are at the Minot House, Asbury Park. R. Van Aman is at the Montauk Hotel, Asbury Park. Charles Dasher, of this city, is at the Wellington Hotel, Asbury Park. G. L. Howley, H. R. Blaine, Al. Frey and R. Solmsen have been guests at the Lyndhurst, Asbury Park. G. Brogley, ohn F. Farren, James A. Moran, Jr., and Fred Bernhardt were recently registered at the Virginia Hotel, Asbury Park. Mrs. Elkins, W. E. Thomas, T. Turner and D. Trainor, of this city, have been guests at the Gardner Hotel, Asbury Park. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander R. Pettis and Mr. and Mrs. H. Brewster Willis, of Livingston avenue, were recent guests at the Metropolitan, Asbury Park. Mr. and Mrs. Regan, Mr. and Mrs. Bowd and Mr. Hind, of Highland Park, with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Davis, Mrs. Frank Davis and Elbert Davis, of Stelton, motored to Asbury Park on Sunday, returning by way of Long Branch, Elberon, the Highlands and Amboy. Hauvette Michelin, of the Michelin Tire Co. who recently underwent an operation in a New York hospital, is doing nicely. Edward Dey, the well-known auto salesman connected with the New Brunswick and Perth Amboy Auto Co., is recovering from appendicitis in an Asbury Park hospital.

JOE AUER IS BOY HERO AT MILLTOWN

(Continued from Page One.) give the names of the boys who have been making a habit of swimming in places against the orders of the City of New Brunswick. "Squealing" on one another is detested by the boys, and Auer absolutely refused to give the names of any of the boys who have been swimming in the brook. He was willing to take the consequences himself rather than being freed of the charge if he would give the names of the boys. In the minds of many Milltown boys, Joseph is a real hero. Swimming in the Milltown pond is not an unheard-of occurrence, either, it is said, and he has done openly, but some young men have made a practice of falling out of rowboats into the cooling waters with all their clothes on. Many of these happenings are accidental. On Monday night a young lady of the borough was seen to suddenly fall out of a rowboat. Instead of being alarmed for her safety, she seemed to enjoy the splash, though fully attired.

THREE CORNERED FIGHT AMONG REPUBLICANS FOR CONGRESS

There are four candidates in the field for the nomination for Congress on the Republican ticket. The lucky or unlucky man will know his fate after September 26, when the primaries will be held. This county is more than likely to be carried by Robert Carson, Ocean county presents a candidate in the person of Burtis Havens, and Monmouth county has two candidates, William Ramsey and Wm. M. Thompson, both of Red Bank. Mr. Thompson, who lived in this city fifteen years ago, is a practicing dentist at Red Bank and very popular with the younger element. He was in this city today looking after his interests and renewing old acquaintances. He has been borough collector of Red Bank for eight years. When President Wilson carried Red Bank by 400, Dr. Thompson had 300 majority, and on his third election as borough collector he received 1,200 of the 1,600 votes cast.

MISS ELLEN CHASE GETS A LICENSE TO WED

BUFFALO, Aug. 9.—Miss Ellen C. Chase, of New Brunswick and Harry Blasing, of Louisville, Kentucky, secured a marriage license today at Binghamton, New York. The name of Miss Chase does not appear in the local directory and she is not known here.

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Many of the funniest antics ever employed by the eccentric comedian follow one another tumultuously during his endeavors to escape from the beams, which he feels are pursuing him, for no matter where he turns he is confronted by some deadly sea of the jungle. Finally, he slips a decenter on a table, which unfortunately for Charles, has a revolving top. Whenever he tries to reach the bottle the table revolves until he finally sinks exhausted to the floor and the bottle stops in front of him. Charles takes a final drink before retiring and encounters more difficulties when he tries to ascend the stairs. His feet become entangled in the carpet, and while he is able to negotiate part of the journey, he invariably tumbles to the bottom. Seeing an alpine costume, he dons it, and employing a hall tree for a ladder, succeeds in reaching the upper floor. In his bedroom is a folding bed, the mechanism of which is too much for Charles, who retires for the night in the bathtub with a bath mat for covering. Throughout the entire action of this rare comedy Chaplin never loses his dignity.



Let Children Go Naked, Says New York Doctor

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Dr. Josephine Baker, of the Bureau of Child Hygiene, received a letter yesterday in which the writer complained that a mother in an east side tenement permitted her children, aged one and three years old, to toddle around the halls stark naked all day long. The writer declared that the situation was maddening and that it was high time for the powers that be and are to step in and put gingham and sundries on the babies. The correspondent will be further enraged to know that Dr. Baker at once declared that the mothers of the east side can do no more sensible thing than to rip off any little garment separating their progeny from the open air and to allow the children to run wild, or otherwise in their pristine state. In referring to the complaint, Dr. Baker said: "I want to go on record as saying that in this hot weather the little ones should be permitted to run around stark naked. It is a perfect-

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HEN'S HIGH PRICED EGG PAYS FOR DITTO GASOLINE

Even a hen may understand the high cost of keeping up an automobile. At any rate, a fowl belonging to D. M. Kellogg of Oak Tree, near Plainfield, N. J., stole a ride in the family car last Sunday night and left an egg in the rear seat to help to pay for the gasoline. The hen flew into the car Sunday, it is supposed, because the cushions made a soft nest. Why she did not flutter out when the car started that evening is not known. Mrs. Kellogg drove to Plainfield without looking on the back seat. Her first stop was at Mayor Smalley's place. She was standing talking with him when she saw a chicken fly from her machine and alight in the street. "It looks like one of my husband's game hens," said she. A man caught the hen. When they looked into the back seat Mayor Smalley and Mrs. Kellogg found an egg.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE LYONS ESTATE FUND

The Home News has received two more subscriptions to the fund started to defray the expenses of the W. K. Lyons estate, amounting to \$22.50, and will be glad to receive others, in order that the full amount may be secured if possible. The subscriptions to date are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Mrs. Ella M. Rice, \$2.00; Home News, \$5.00; Mrs. Bailey, \$2.00; W. H. Leupp, \$10.00; Total, \$19.00.

As You View the World.

The world in which a man lives shapes itself chiefly by the way in which he looks at it, and so it proves different to different men. To one it is barren, dull and superficial; to another rich, interesting and full of meaning. On hearing of the interesting events which have happened in the course of a man's experience many people will wish that similar things had happened in their lives, too, completely forgetting that they should be envious rather of the mental aptitude which lent these events the significance they possess when he describes them. To a man of genius they were interesting adventures, but to the dull perceptions of an ordinary individual they would have been stale, everyday occurrences.—Schoenbauer.

Seeing Double.

He—Why did you fall to recognize me in the street today? She—I didn't see you. He—That's strange. I saw you twice. She—Oh, that probably accounts for it. I never notice a man when he is in that condition.—London Telegraph.

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