

# THEATRE GUILD IN THIRD PRODUCTION

'Mixed Marriage' Among  
Greatest English Language  
Plays Here April 27, 28

BEAUTIFUL SETTINGS

Exceptional Cast Rehears-  
ing for Performances

The North Shore Theatre Guild will present at the Winnetka Woman's Club, on Thursday and Friday evenings, April 27 and 28, St. John G. Ervine's play "Mixed Marriage."

"Mixed Marriage" is considered by many as one of the great plays in the English language. It was first produced a good many years ago by the Irish Players at their theater in Dublin. They have since then acted it all over the world, and at the present time are playing it in London. Last year it was played by a group of actors who had previously played in the New York Theater Guild's production of the same author's "John Ferguson." Wherever the play has been given it has created a great deal of favorable comment.

**The Irish Question.**

The play is an intimate study of a small Irish family and its problems, most of which are presented by a narrow-minded bigoted and stubborn

father, who sees in the proposed marriage of his son to a Catholic girl sufficient cause to almost disrupt his family and bring upon the city a religious riot. The end of the play finds the father unrepentant, uncompromising in his attitude and entirely unconvinced that he was in any way wrong. The play is peculiarly appropriate just now, in view of the present disturbances in Ireland.

The guild considers itself especially fortunate in being able to present to its subscribers this play. The directors have been in correspondence with Mr. Ervine for sometime, the result of which is that Mr. Ervine has graciously allowed the guild the use of his play for one-half the royalty usually charged.

The same high standard of production which has characterized the guild's other presentations will be maintained in this instance. A special set has been designed by Fred W. Bond, who has spent much time and labor to faithfully reproduce the interior of this Irish home. The model from which the scenery is to be built will be on exhibition in the reception hall of the Woman's club both evenings of the play.

**Exceptional Cast.**

The cast has been chosen with great care. The names of Percy Eckhart, Mrs. Preston Boyden, Mrs. Arthur Whitely, Mr. Ogden Cook, Mr. Everett Fox and Mr. Joseph Gibson insure intelligent and accurate interpretation of the parts entrusted to them. The play is being produced under the direction of Mr. G. S. Bailey.

Tickets will be on sale to the public at the Winnetka Pharmacy, 750 Elm street, after April 20, and at the door of the club the evenings of the performances.

**Ticket Sale Plan.**

In order to avoid the overcrowded condition which prevailed at the "Pygmalion" performance, Winnetka

members of the Guild have received tickets for a definite night, and the privilege of exchanging them up to a certain date. Exchange can be made at the Winnetka Pharmacy up to and including Thursday, April 20. The tickets may be exchanged after that date, as such surplus tickets on hand will at that time be placed on sale.

**AT EDUCATORS' CONFERENCE**

Carleton W. Washburne, superintendent of Winnetka public schools this week attended the conference of school superintendents at Minneapolis, Minn. He spoke before the sessions held at the University of Minnesota.

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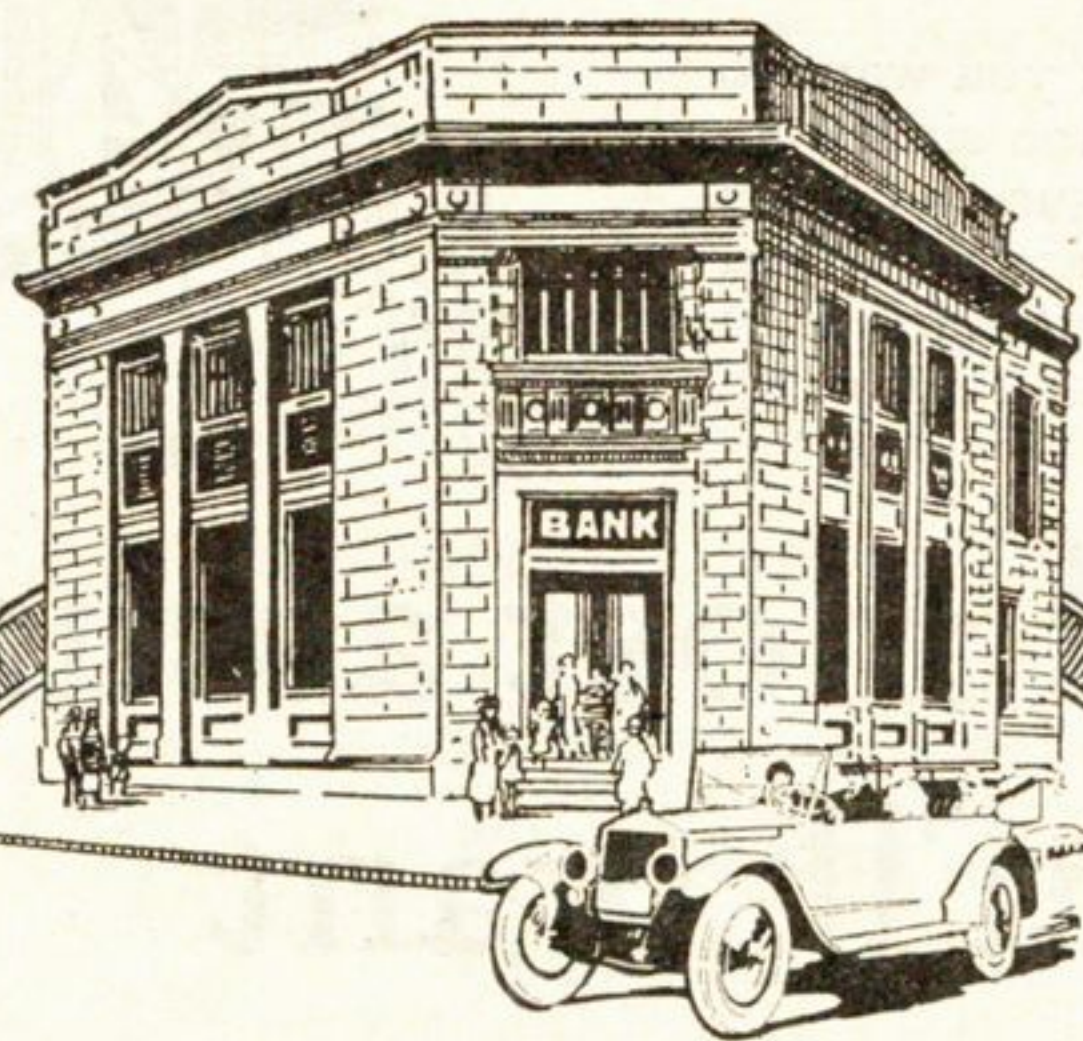
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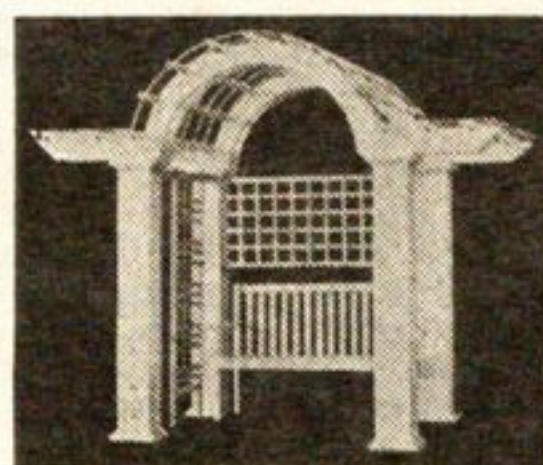


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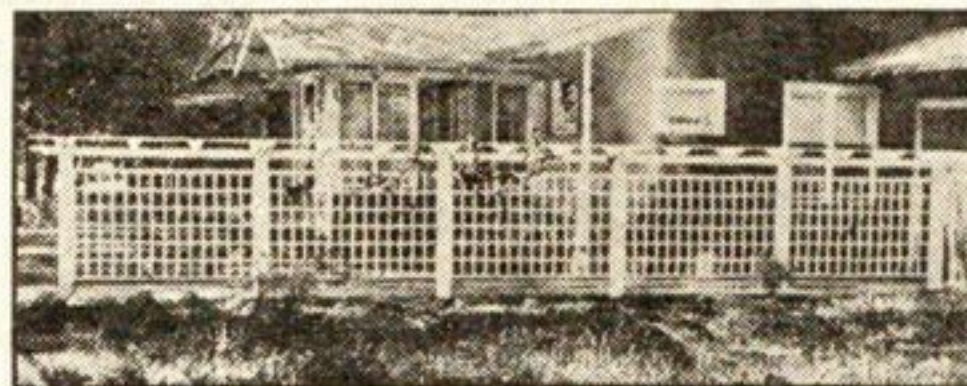


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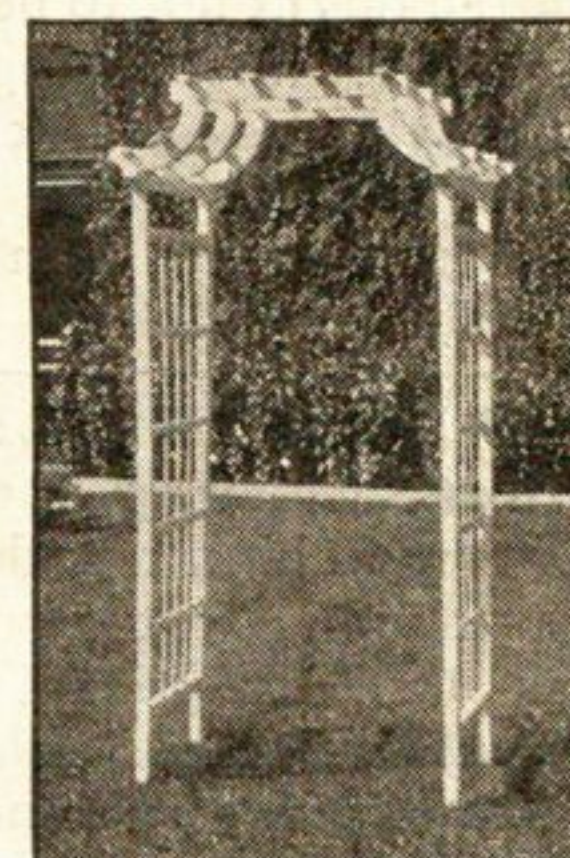
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