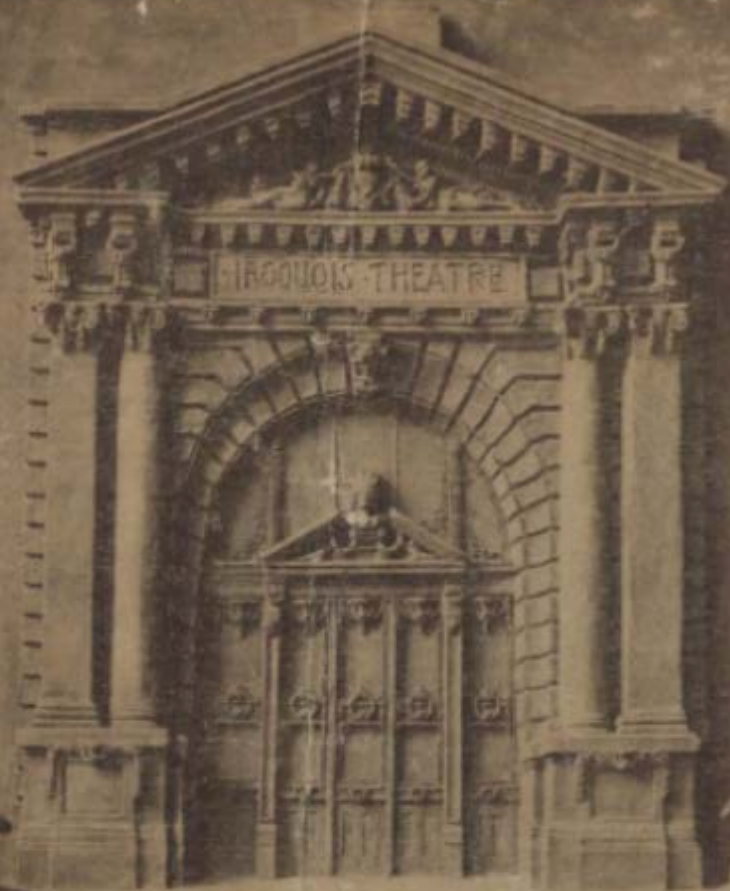




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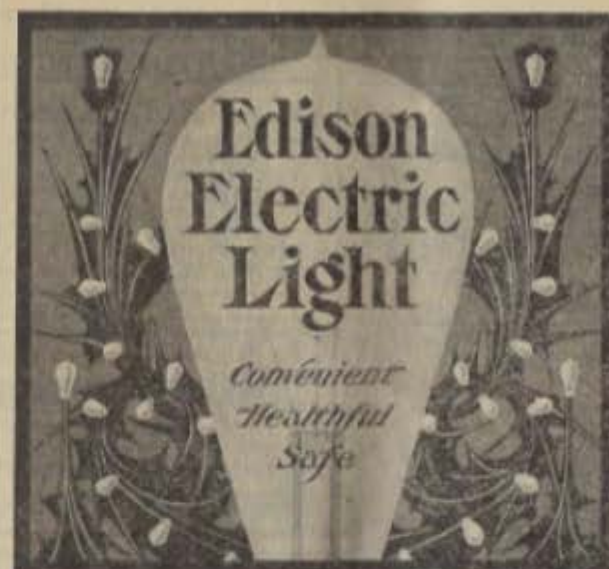
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ACT III.

Scene I—Hall of Pleasure in Blue Beard's Palace. (E. Albert.)

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| SISTER ANNE.....                  | EDDIE FOY              |
| FATIMA.....                       | MISS BLANCHE ADAMS     |
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| IMER DASHER.....                  | BONNIE MAGINN          |
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| NADIE.....                        | MISS WILLIAMS          |
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| ZOLI.....                         | MISS BRANDT            |
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