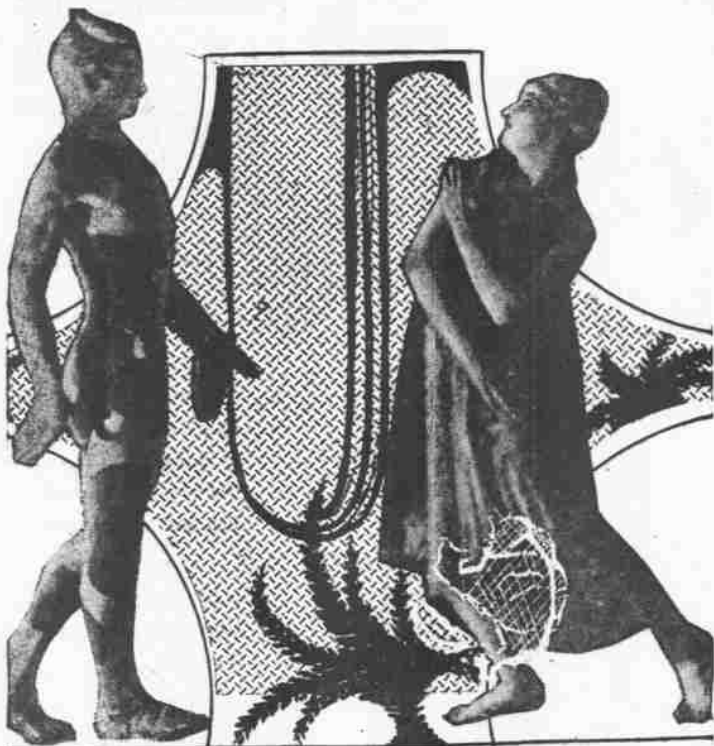


NEW YORK POLICE STOP NEW RUSSIAN BALLET DANCE THAT ENDS WITH EXCLAMATION!



Scene From "The Afternoon of a Faun," New Russian Ballet Dance, That Has Caused New York Police to "Put Lid On."

New York, Jan. 28.—Russia has just sent us the dance that ends with an exclamation point!

But so big is the exclamation point the New York police after one performance of the dance have put a ban on that particular portion of the Ballet Russe program until the censors can get busy.

The dance, that even made Paris

blush when it was produced there just before the war, is called "The Afternoon of a Faun." It is an interpretation of Debussy's tone poem of the same name.

A faun wakes from a dream to find seven Greek maidens disporting themselves near his cave. One has just nearly disrobed for the bath.

The faun pursues them and as they