

## ORIGINS



### **“THE TALISMAN”**

#### **Kenilworth's New Theatre**

Kenilworth's new amateur theatre has been named "The Talisman."

It will be recalled that the promoters hit upon the idea of running a competition in order to find a name for their new venture. During the first week patrons were invited to send in their selections, and each night the one considered the best was set apart. On the last evening the six names were put before the audience for the final choice to be made by popular vote. The winner was a Coventry lay, Miss Doris Williams, 56, Burlington Road, who submitted "The Talisman."

Miss Williams is to be congratulated on her happy inspiration, which she had from reading Sir Walter Scott's immortal work, "The Talisman," scenes from which, it will be remembered, have their centre in Kenilworth.

The name is appropriate from all viewpoints and the selection has general satisfaction.

The Talisman Theatre fills a long felt want. To-night a Rover Productions Company from the north is staging the play "Gaslight."