

DEPRESSION AX CLIPS MOVIES' HUGE SALARIES

All Major Picture Studios of Hollywood Cut Pay of Stars.

By United Press
HOLLYWOOD, July 16.—All major motion picture studios of Hollywood were on record today with pay reduction schedules which affect practically every worker in the industry, and involve figures running into hundreds of thousands of dollars annually.

The last to come under the line was Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, home of many of the most famous personages in films.

A brief memorandum sent from New York by Nicholas Schenck, M-G-M and Lowe, Inc., brought the news to Hollywood that reductions ranging from 5 to 35 per cent will become effective Monday.

Previously Paramount had taken cuts ranging from 5 to 20 per cent.

First National Warner Bros. already had cut "approximately" 10 per cent, with such stars as Richard Barthelmess and George Arliss affected.

R-K-O studios several months ago enforced a reduction "from 25 per cent down" depending upon the size of salaries.

In some cases, it was said, contract stars were not affected unless they voluntarily accepted reduced pay.

At Warner Brothers-First National, for instance, it was understood Ruth Chatterton's salary was maintained.

Barthelmess was an outstanding example of a star who volunteered readjustment on his contract.

Hollywood enjoyed much backstage gossip over the M-G-M announcement.

"I haven't heard about it," said Jean Harlow, platinum blond, "but, of course, I can not be quoted on it."

Colleen Moore dismissed the news with a shrug and comment "just one of those things."

Miss Moore recently signed with the studios at a figure said to be \$2,500 a week.

It was known that John Gilbert has a contract up for renewal shortly.

Greta Garbo finished her M-G-M contract May 19, and dozens of rumors were heard as to her plans.

AGED DENTIST DEAD

Dr. Steele Gilmore Passes at Princeton Home.

Dr. Steele F. Gilmore, 80, well known dentist and inventor, died Friday in his home at Princeton. He lived in Indianapolis from 1907 to 1928, practicing dentistry and teaching at Indiana Dental College.

Dr. Gilmore was a pioneer business man of Princeton. He was inventor of a removable dental bridge. He was president of the Indiana State Dental Association in 1912 and 1913. Funeral services were to be held today.

MOVIES FREE IN 'WAR'

Noblesville Is Paradise for Fans; Prices Cut Recklessly.

By United Press
LEBANON, Ind., July 16.—Cost of theatrical entertainment in Noblesville has been driven to a point within the reach of all residents, during a price war among moving picture houses.

The slashing began when one theater cut its admission price from 40 cents to 25 cents. A competing house advertised a 10-cent admittance fee on two days of each week.

A third movie met competition by admitting all members of one family, regardless of the number of children, for 10 cents.

Rock bottom was reached when one of the other movies began operating twelve hours continuously one day each week—with no admission charge.

HURT IN AUTO CRASH

George Drews Injured Internally; Both Drivers Arrested.

Drivers of two autos were injured, one seriously, and both were arrested for reckless driving following an accident early today at McCarty and West streets.

George Drews, 23, of 526 Jones street, one of the drivers, is in a serious condition at city hospital of internal injuries, and Habig Ferris, 33, of 1712 East Twelfth street, the second driver, was treated for cuts on the head and body.

By United Press

N. ORLEANS, July 16.—A middle-aged woman stood up in her seat, shouted: "Everybody get out," as a love scene of a talking picture neared a climax. A policeman who tried to quiet her was embraced and three ushers rushed to his rescue.

Missing Spark

CHICAGO, July 16.—There seemed to be something wrong with G. Jarvis' control of the subconscious today, and the 63-year-old magician and hypnotist called on police to aid him.

Jarvis has a warrant issued at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, charging his wife with grand larceny.

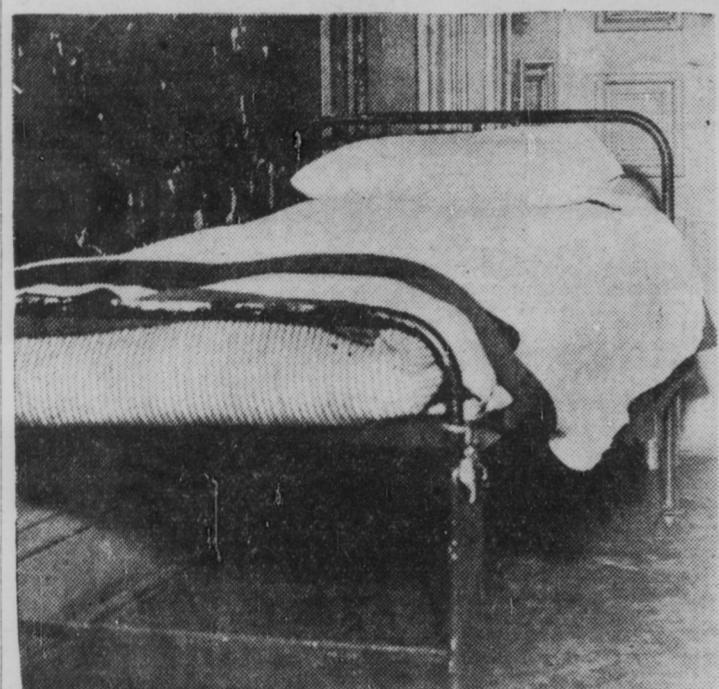
"I haven't been able to contact her subconscious mind," the hypnotist told Chicago detectives. "If I could reach her subconsciousness I would have her back in a minute."

He explained he had met his wife three weeks ago when she was demonstrating show polish in a store.

In a week they were married and at Lake Geneva on a honeymoon.

Jarvis said his bride had disappeared while he was in swimming, and with her \$160 from his suit case.

County's Poor Sleep in Halls



CROOK TAKES VALUED BOOKS

Varied Loot Obtained by City Burglars.

Books valued at \$100 were stolen Friday from James W. Wells while he moved to 21 North Gladstone avenue. The books included two sets of encyclopedias, histories, fiction and textbooks on engineering.

Robert Haynes, 2650 altomere avenue, is held on a charge of petit larceny following theft of bottled milk and cream from a grocery at Thirtieth and Caroline streets.

Silverware, pewter objects, and clothing was stolen from a basement locker, according to a report to police by G. W. Voorhees, 111 East Sixteenth street, apartment 405.

Seven cartons of cigarettes and 50 cents in pennies formed the loot from the grocery of Clarence Humpert, 2520 North Olney street. Entrance was gained through a side window.

John Scott, 2, of 2305 Fairview avenue, is held on a vagrancy charge, having been identified by Fred Hunter, 30, of 413 Minerva street, who told police he caught Scott reaching through a window of his home in an attempt to steal a pair of trousers.

FOUR HURT IN CRASH

Woman Critically Injured as Autos Collide.

Critical injuries were incurred Friday night by Mrs. Guy Scott, 44, Brownsburg, in an automobile collision on the Zionsville road three-quarters of a mile east of Road 52.

She is in city hospital suffering from a fractured skull and other injuries. Less serious injuries were suffered by three other persons.

Mrs. Scott was a passenger in a car driven by J. E. Newkirk, Scottsburg, which collided with one driven by Tine L. Mitchell, 36, of 1055 Roxbury street.

Newkirk's wife, 25, suffered sprains. His nose was broken. Their son, Jackie, 2, was injured slightly.

Deputy sheriffs arrested Mitchell on reckless driving charges. Several broken bottles which had contained beer were found in Mitchell's car, officers said.

BUILD NEW COURTS

12 More Tennis Lots to Be Opened by Butler.

Twelve more tennis courts will be built on the university's athletic field, north of Butler stadium, and facing Fifty-second street.

Three courts, located near the fieldhouse, have been improved. The new courts will be ready for play within two weeks.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported to police as stolen belong to: Joe Ralston, 518 Drake street, Ford company, from Indiana avenue and Vermont street; Robert Lentz, 3719 East Walnut street, Chevrolet distributor, 494, from Delaware and Market streets; Estel Midkiff, 1743 West Morris street, Ford tutor, from Riverside park.

Individual instruction will be given to each student, and the staff will be patient with beginners. Fair swimmers who wish to learn the back stroke, the crawl or fancy diving will be separated into groups.

Certificates in swimming proficiency will be given at the end of the week to swimmers who pass a beginner's test. These certificates bear the name of The Indianapolis Times-Broad Ripple park and American Red Cross swimming school and are signed by the instructors.

To enroll for Learn-to-Swim week clip out the coupon and sign up with Bill Tomlinson or Earl Montgomery at Broad Ripple park. Late entries will be taken until Wednesday, but unless the students pass the swimming tests they will not be awarded the certificates.

Therefore, it is best that you enroll and report Monday.

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EVIDENCE IS ENDED IN HAMILTON TRIAL

Jury Is Dismissed Until Monday, Date Set for Final Arguments.

By Times Special
IOLA, Kan., July 16.—Fate of Louis E. Hamilton, charged with murder in the slaying of Lafayette A. Jackson, Indianapolis chain store head, will be rested with the jury Monday, after final arguments in Boone circuit court. The state will demand death for Hamilton.

Jurymen, all Montgomery county residents, were permitted to return to their homes for the week-end when the trial recessed late Friday.

Special Judge Brenton A. Devol warned them "not to read news paper accounts of the trial or discuss the case among yourselves or your families."

The jury is expected to receive the case late Monday.

Prosecutor Herbert E. Wilson announced that Floyd Mattice, his

Time Is Near; Enroll in Free Swimming Classes

Courses at Broad Ripple to Be Sponsored by Times Next Week.

"What is the first thing I must do to learn to swim?" a prospective student of The Times-Broad Ripple Learn-to-Swim week asked today.

The Times asked the question to Bill Tomlinson and Monty Montgomery, instructors of the school and they sent back this answer: "Throw away your water-wings and don't be afraid of getting water in your ears. Forget all about the water. Water fear is the principle cause of drownings, and we shall attempt to build up your courage as well as teach you the fundamental strokes of swimming."

Thus Tomlinson and Montgomery sum up the purpose of Learn-to-Swim week. The Times and Broad Ripple want to give you a free start in swimming which some day may save your life or that of some person you may be able to rescue.

If you have one arm and one leg and attend the six sessions of the Learn-to-Swim week, the instruction staff guarantees that you will swim. Of course you must practice and follow all the necessary exercises to perfect your rhythm.

Preliminary enrollments for the Learn-to-Swim weeks are coming in fast. Every one is eligible.

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LAUSANNE DEAL STRONG WEAPON FOR HITLERITES

Herriot Regime Is Menaced by London Denial of His Interpretation.

BY PHILIP SIMMS
Times-Howard Foreign Editor

WASHINGTON, July 15.—More than one European government may fall as a result of the unprecedented snarl over the meaning of the Lausanne reparations and war debts settlement and the new Anglo-French entente.

The position of the Herriot government at Paris has been seriously undermined by London's denials of Premier Herriot's interpretations of what the understandings mean, and if he fails to cling to his own particular version he more than likely will be overthrown.

On the other hand, if he does stick to his guns and continues to hold out against Britain that the agreements give France what amounts to veto power over the war debts settlements, which Europe hopes to make with the United States, the new entente would be vitiated, if not killed.

ASSERT VON PAPEN DUPED

In Germany, a storm is reported gaining velocity daily over the outcome at Lausanne.

The Nazis of Adolf Hitler, and other Nationalists, are making political capital of the way Chancellor Von Papen was "duped."

More than ever the prediction is that the Hitlerites will sweep Germany in the national elections two weeks from Sunday.

Publication of the text of the "gentlemen's agreement" is said to have added fuel to the fire of German nationalism.

The first words in the document are cited to prove that, despite British denials, a "united front" has been formed against the United States and that unless the United States gives way, Germany will reap no benefits whatever from Lausanne.

KNEW NOTHING OF IT

According to the agreement as published, it is not to become effective until ratified, and ratification will not take place "before a satisfactory settlement is obtained between them (the allies) and their own creditors."

Of this agreement Von Papen, head of the German government and the German delegation at Lausanne, it is admitted, knew nothing until the banquet held to celebrate the "settlement" was at its height.

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