

# NEXT WEEK AT THE THEATERS

## MURRAY

"White Lies," a photodrama from the novel by Charles Reade and presented by William Fox with Gladys Brockwell in the leading role, will open an engagement at the Murray theatre on Monday.

This is a thrilling story which tells of events following in the wake of lies—so-called "white" lies, but black enough in their evil influence, bringing suffering and disgrace to innocent victims. It is a story that appeals forcibly to the emotions.

Miss Brockwell is supported by a strong cast, including William Scott, Josephine Crowell, Evans Kirk, Violet Schram, Charles K. French, Howard Scott and Lulu Warrenton. The scenario was written by Charles Wilson and the picture directed by Edward J. Le Saint.

Although "Captain Swift," Earle Williams' Vitaphone feature which closes its run Sunday at the Murray theatre, has a former highwayman and bank robber as its hero. It is by no means a "crook" play. The bandit has reformed, and it is the efforts of the police operatives, who have followed him over a goodly portion of the continent and who meet up with him just as he has found redemption in the love of a splendid woman, to place him in prison that forms the basis of the engrossing story.

A prologue with its scenes laid in the bush country of Australia, where he plied his nefarious trade, gave atmosphere and lay the foundation of the story to come. Rather than showing Captain Swift as a crook, a bandit, a robber and a thief, he is shown with nothing but kindness in his heart. It was his wont to rob only those who could afford to lose, and most of his ill gotten gains went to charity. He becomes a real hero. No harsh thoughts are given to his unfortunate past, and there is nothing but sympathy and best wishes for Captain Swift when it looks as if he must give up his titled sweetheart and return to Australia for a term in prison.

It is far removed from being a "crook" play. It is clean and wholesome and full of tense action from beginning to end. It is a typical Earle Williams feature, and the star is seen at his best.

## MURRAY VAUDEVILLE

Princess Olga and her troupe of five trained leopards are booked to headline the new bill which opens next Monday matinee at the Murray for the first half. For years she has performed the most hazardous feats with wild beasts in the Selig studios especially in the serial, "The Adventures of Kathlyn," where she made tigers, lions and leopards obey her will. Her "pets" as she terms them are named Sappho, Sassy, Tiny, Queenie and Kelly. Princess Olga enters the steel cage entirely unprotected, not even using a whip, which is all the more wonderful considering the leopard is considered the most treacherous of the feline family.

On the same bill will be Bartlett, Smith and Sherry, three clever boys who sing popular songs and inject a vein of comedy in their efforts, and Miss Bobby Harris, a comely young lady who is an adept at the art of entertaining and who will furnish a complete surprise.

MURRETTE. One of the most unusual romances ever conceived by an author is presented in Allan Dwan's production of a "Splendid Hazard." Harold MacGrath's vigorous narrative of love and buried treasure. It presents in true perspective the transitory influence of infatuation as opposed to the solidity and permanence of love that springs

from sympathy, understanding, and sincere affection.

"A Splendid Hazard" relates the romance of Karl Breitman, who is obsessed with an overwhelming ambition and Hedda Gobert, beautiful prima donna. With the deliberate intention of securing a treasure map in Hedda's possession, Breitman woos the diva, although he has no feeling for her. She falls madly in love with him.

Having secured the map, he ignores the pleas of the woman and sails for America. Her great love having blinded her, she abandons her career and follows him. Arthur Cathewo, her manager, who has proposed to the singer many times and been rejected, insists on accompanying her to America, thus complicating the love story.

This interesting situation comes to head in a powerful climax in far-away Corsica, where Fate untangles the twisted skeins of the romance. Breitman is played in "A Splendid Hazard" by Henry B. Walthall, while the character of Hedda Gobert is enacted by Rosemary Theby, and that of Cathewo by Philo McCullough.

"A Splendid Hazard" is presented by the Mayflower Photoplay corporation, through First National, and is coming to the Murrette theatre for three days, beginning Sunday.

Red-blooded, adventure-loving motion picture fans should not fail to see "Desert Love," at the Murrette theatre and today is their last opportunity to do so. The Fox picture features the admirable Tom Mix, "daredevil of the screen," and fully deserving the title. It is a typical western story, but with more than the normal "pep." The commonplace bores Tom Mix. He is himself—a two-fisted, fighting specimen of the cowpuncher at the best—in a story of intense action and struggle.

The rest of the cast is of calibre high enough to live up to Mix's standard, and includes Francella Billington, Eva Novak, Lester Cuneo, Charles K. French and Jack Curtis. The director is Jacques Jaccard.

## CHICAGO CAR SERVICE TO BE 50 PER CENT NORMAL

CHICAGO, July 16.—Street car service here, shut off almost completely yesterday by the strike of 200 electrical employees, will be at least 50 per cent normal today, officials of the street car company announced. The places of the strikers in the substations supplying current for the company were being filled as rapidly as possible, according to Williston Fish, general manager.

## FATHER'S CAR KILLS GIRL

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., July 17.—Running down an incline track in an attempt to save her three-year-old sister, who was sitting in the middle of the rails, Bertha Lynch, 16 years old, was overtaken and killed at Mingo Mine, six miles from here, by a coal car driven by her father, Mose Lynch. The babe was not injured. Miss Lynch's body was cut in two.

## KEEP UP TO THE MARK

Good health is impossible when the kidneys are weak, overworked or diseased. When they fail to filter out of the blood the poisons and impurities that cause sore, swollen muscles and joints, backache or rheumatic pains, prompt steps should be taken to give the kidneys and bladder the help these symptoms indicate they need. James Carmichael, Mayfield, Ky., writes: "I am in good shape and can say I found Foley Kidney Pills certainly true. I can't say enough for them." For sale by A. G. Luken & Co., 630 Main St.—Advertisement.

## COMMITTEEMEN GET READY TO GATHER IN VOTE INFORMATION

The precinct committeemen—the backbone of any political organization that functions—is about to rally forth to gather information about the voters of the Sixth district.

He will list the names and addresses of all eligible voters, inquiring of each whether he or she is a Republican, a Democrat, a Socialist or possibly a 48r. There are something like 3,500 precincts in the state.

This time the committeemen's task will be doubly arduous for, in addition to men voters, he must get tab on all women willing to confess to 21 years, and get some line on their political affiliation.

It remains to be seen just what percentage of the new women voters are settled on what their party faith is to be.

The Democrats, it is stated at their state headquarters, will list the new voters separately. The Republicans in most instances will take the men and women voters at the same time, listing them in the same pollbook in each precinct.

## To Have Women Heads.

The Democrats will have a precinct committee woman as well as a precinct committeeman for each precinct. The committee woman will take the poll of the women while the committeeman will confine his efforts to the men.

The Democrats have about perfected their woman's precinct organization, the names of nearly 3,500 precinct committee women having been reported by the county organizations to state headquarters.

The Republicans probably will depend largely on their committeemen to gather the names of both men and women voters, though in many of the counties the committeeman will have the aid of a woman worker.

## Pollbooks Are Out.

The pollbooks, two for each precinct were sent out from Democratic state headquarters yesterday with instructions for the polltakers to get busy on Aug. 1.

The Republicans sent out their pollbooks some time ago and already complete polls have been received from some of the counties. They expect to have a report from every county by Aug. 15.

The poll now being taken or about to be taken is preliminary to the first registration of voters to be made on Sept. 4.

A second poll, taken 30 days before the election, naturally will give better political information to the party managers.

## Miami U. Authorities Appeal to House 50 Students

OXFORD, O., July 17.—Miami university authorities today made an appeal to the residents of this village to furnish rooming accommodations for fifty additional students this fall. A house-to-house canvass of the town shows that this number still remains unprovided for.

In years past Oxford people always have come to the rescue of the university, and it is believed that many persons will open their homes.

Student Injures Hand. Carl A. Scherrie, a manual training student at Miami university's summer school, severely injured his right hand yesterday, while operating a circular saw.

## Beckett to Leave.

Zora Beckett, for years one of the most prominent business men of this village, will leave in a few days to make his home in California. Friday evening 20 co-workers with Mr. Beckett in the Methodist church gave a farewell picnic in his honor in the Huston grove north of town. The hosts included business men and college professors, who cooked and served a fine supper in the woods.

## Superintends League Work.

Mrs. Charles E. Turley, wife of the minister of the Methodist Episcopal church of the village, will have charge of the Junior League work at the annual institute of the Miami Valley Epworth league which will open Monday at the Franklin chautauqua grounds. Delegates will be present from the Cincinnati, Dayton, Hillsboro and Springfield districts of the West Ohio conference of the church.

## Examiner's City Books.

State Examiner J. M. Howell, of Ironton, is here to audit the accounts of Village Clerk D. P. Beaton and Treasurer K. W. Smith. This is the first time this work has been done for three years, and Mr. Howell says it will take him three weeks.

## Masonic Calendar

Tuesday, July 20.—Richmond Lodge, No. 196, F. and A. M. Called meeting; work in Entered Apprentice Degree, beginning at 7 o'clock.

Wednesday, July 21.—Webb Lodge, No. 24, F. and A. M. Stated meeting.

To Stop Coughing, Sneezing, Wheezing. Unseasonable spring weather left a number of coughs and colds. Now comes the time of hay fever and asthma and more people than ever will be coughing, sneezing and wheezing. No wonder there is a tremendous demand for Foley's Honey and Tar, that old reliable family remedy for coughs, colds, hay fever, asthma and croup. It heals and soothes that raw, rasping feeling in the throat, clears the passages and makes breathing easier. For sale by A. G. Luken & Co., 630 Main St.—Advertisement.

## City Is Mecca for Tourists; License Plates of America

Richmond has become a mecca for visiting motorists this year and the fame of the Quaker city is being carried to all parts of the country. Autoists bearing Ohio license plates are most numerous of all the foreigners. That is to be expected as Richmond is the trading center for a 20-mile radius. Illinois, Wisconsin and Pennsylvania cars next to Ohio. Michigan cars are numerous.

The greatest number of foreign cars were observed during the Elk and Republican conventions at Chicago and the races at Indianapolis.

Traffic police and garage men say that cars from practically every state in the union have passed through Richmond this spring and summer.

## FIRE DAMAGES STUDEBAKER FACTORY LUMBER YARDS

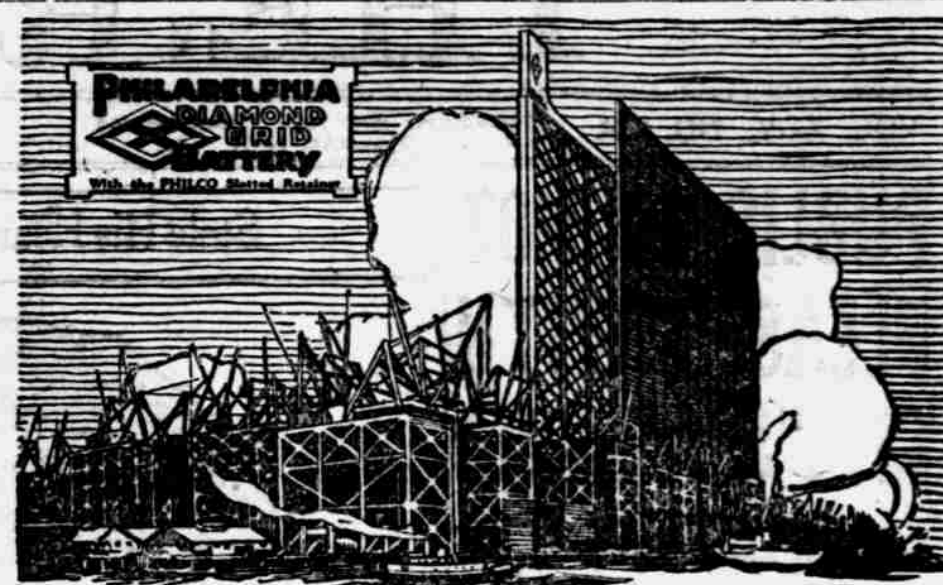
SOUTH BEND, July 16.—Fire which started in the paint shop of Plant No. 2, of the Studebaker Corporation here, late Friday, quickly spread to the factory lumber yard nearby, and despite desperate work by the Studebaker and city fire departments, threatened to destroy the big yard and hundreds of frame dwellings in the near vicinity.

## BRAKEMAN ESCAPES INJURY BY JUMP FROM PENNSY CAR

A gondola car was badly damaged while being switched at the Pennsy east yards Thursday night. A brakeman jumped from the car when he saw the other section of the train bearing down on the car with more than the usual speed.

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extraordinary story of quixotic bravery, love, buried treasure, ghosts, intrigue and most thrilling adventure.

NOTE: This picture is one of the big summer offerings, one you will long remember.

Then for a Good Sunshine Comedy Entitled—

## "Girls and Gun Powder"

Admission—Adults, 35c; Children, 15c

LAST TIMES TODAY

# TOM "DESERT MIX" in LOVE

And the Seventh Episode of the Big Serial

## "THE LOST CITY"

## SELECT VAUDEVILLE

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

## GLADYS BROCKWELL

—in—

## "WHITE LIES"

A five-reel Fox production of the sacrifice and suffering an innocent lie caused.



WILLIAM FOX presents

## GLADYS BROCKWELL

IN

## WHITE LIES

From the novel of Charles Reade  
Directed by  
EDWARD J. LE SAINT

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## HEAR

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## MADLAINE TRAVERSE

—in—

## "The Iron Heart"

A five-reel Fox feature in which the foreman of a mill sells himself and his honor to ruin the girl who refused to wed him. A thrilling story of labor, loyalty and love.



Last Times Sunday

EARL WILLIAMS

—in—

"CAPTAIN SWIFT"

## SUPREME VAUDEVILLE

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

## OLGA'S LEOPARDS

Princess Olga and Her Five Leopards, "Sappho", "Sassy", "Tiny", "Queenie" and "Kelly". The most thrilling wild animal act in vaudeville, when it is conceded that the leopard is the most treacherous of the feline group. See Olga feed them raw meat. They perform marvelous feats with their mistress in the steel cage without even the protection of a whip.

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