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Official War Picture on Same Program With Seven Reel Super-production

"I howled I heard a screech owl last night, saying 'Trouble, trouble,' and here the bridegroom done seen the bride in her wedding dress 'fore de marriage."

A happy, laughing party of Virginia youths and maidens heard these dread words from the lips of Maunty Judy in the hallway of the home of Miss Courtney Maitland. Her fiancée, Dabney Carter, had arrived unexpectedly and seen her in her bridal dress.

That night Dabney Carter found himself alone in the mountains with a girl of sixteen. The truth of the bridal gown superstitious was proven. The dark shroud of tragedy descended over the house of Maitland and Carter.

"A Soul of Trust" is the Triangle photoplay which reveals the tragedy that follows the meeting in the mountains. It is a seven-reel feature, with Belle Bennett in the lead, supported by those sterling actors, Darrell Foss and J. Barney Sherry.

On the same program with this seven reel special production will be shown an Official War film that is about the most interesting reel that has yet been seen here.

It is called "The Whispering Wires of War" and shows how our forces make use of the telephone, telegraph and wireless in this great world war.

It shows some of our own air men over the enemy's lines sending the information back to the General in charge of the American Forces and then the General sending it to all of the batteries throughout the American lines.

This reel is the first of a series of pictures that will be shown at the Star Theatre each week of some phase of the war. All of these pictures are Official and authentic and have been taken "over there."

This special, double bill will be presented at the Star Theatre today and tomorrow.

ARCADE

VIOLET MERSEREAU TONIGHT

Due to an exhibitor not returning the film in time for redhibition, "The Marriage Lie" will not be shown at the Arcade tonight as was announced but Violet Mersereau in "The Girl by the Roadside" a most delightful story with this star at her best.

STORY OF A GIRL'S "FLING" AT LIFE, BILLIE BURKE'S LATEST PICTURE

At the Arcade Theatre on tomorrow and Saturday denure Billie Burke in her latest Paramount picture, "Eve's Daughter" from Alicia Ramsey's play by that name, is to be the star. The story deals with the life of a girl, suddenly left a little money by her father after a life of repression and hardship. How she narrowly escapes the bounds of convention, spending all her money in "one good time," only to be saved in time by the man who loves her and a girl she has helped, make up a thrilling and at times humorous story that will prove highly entertaining. Other pictures on the program will be Harold Lloyd in another of his famous comedy successes called "Rainbow Island."

ATTENTION ELKS. Regular meeting tonight, Initiation. All Elks required to attend. A. B. CHERRY, Secretary.

LETTER IN THE MORNING MAIL

How Mrs. Lane Finally Realized That Thousands of Other Mothers' Sons Are at War Scarred Battle Front.

By MAXIMILIAN FOSTER Of the Vigilantes.

Mathematics teach us that 1 from 1 leaves nothing, and there is also the well known biological theorem that you cannot get blood from a turnip. It is also assumed, Sir Isaac Newton having demonstrated the law, that what goes up is bound to come down, but this is only abstract. Mrs. Lane probably would have denied it.

The flat rent, previously \$1,200 a year, now was \$1,400, and it showed no signs whatever of coming down. The same condition applied also to her children's shoes. The shoes now cost \$7, whereas they formerly had cost \$4. But this was merely a detail. A similar phenomenon occurred as to beefsteaks, potatoes, butter, fish and the 57 other varieties of domestic essentials. All had gone up, none had come down. About the only thing stable in Mrs. Lane's cosmos was Mr. Lane's yearly income. This was \$7,000 a year. Already Mrs. Lane had given up one maid. The war literally was at her door. True, Mrs. Lane had no son, no brother—no kin of any kind—in the war, but the war still was at her door.

Hard to Make Ends Meet. Give money for the war? What do you think she was doing, anyway? She was giving every cent she had, trying to make both ends meet in her household. It hurt, though. Mrs. Lane was a kindly, warm hearted woman, and she would have liked to give. The war was dreadful! It was so dreadful she'd stopped reading about it. But one must read letters. One must do that when a friend takes the trouble to write them.

The letter came in the morning mail. Mrs. Lane read it, then she read it again. Afterward she sat there absorbed, silent, rigid. The color had crept out of her face, and her breath came swiftly from between her parted lips.

"I have just come back from the canteen," it read, "Such an afternoon! A trailload of seriously wounded to be fed at once, which is trying, as one has to climb into all the crates, one after the other. We begin with the men who are well enough to sit up and handle their cups, and those who are too ill even to lift their heads, of course, we have to lift and feed ourselves. Feeding the ones with bad face wounds are the hardest. I can stand ordinary wounds of blood, but when a man ought to have a nose and mouth and all he has is—ugh!—it takes all your courage to get through a feeding. I managed to get half a pint of milk and a beaten egg and some bread down the throat of a boy of twenty who had no mouth left, and I had to clean it between every mouthful. He had had no food for fifteen hours and was so thirsty that he was nearly insane. I held his head against me, and I gagged all the time, but I just kept thinking, 'Suppose it was my boy who needed a drink and there was no one to give it to him.' So I went through with it, and he finally went to sleep. Oh, Martha, Martha Lane, we need everything—all you and the rest can send!"

If Lawrence Had Gone to War. One o'clock struck. Mrs. Lane still sat with the letter clutched in her hand. "What's for dinner?" asked Hannah, the maid. Mrs. Lane hardly heard her. She was still sitting there when Olivia floundered in. Olivia was fourteen, the conscious age. "Mother," she said fretfully, "I can't go to dancing school again in brown gloves when all the other girls have white ones." The plaint reminded Mrs. Lane that Lawrence at boarding school had written that morning about his socks. He had only two pairs of silk ones left. "And, mother," said Olivia, continuing— "But what Olivia said Mrs. Lane didn't hear. She had dropped her head on the table and unaccountably was weeping. "Just suppose it was my boy—mine!" she was sobbing.

"Why, mother?" ejaculated Olivia. She hurried toward her mother. "What is it, mother? You're acting just as though Lawrence had gone to war!"

Mrs. Lane looked up, the tears streaking down her face. "That's just what is the matter with me! I should be acting as if Lawrence were there. And so should you! If Willie were like these, the boys there," she pointed to the letter that had slipped from her lap to the floor—"if he were, like them, in need, dying, wanting eggs, milk, brandy, to keep him alive, would you be buying white gloves? And would we think what other people wear or how they live or whether we had only one servant now? If my boy was over there, if my son were—"

But other women's sons are over there. Mrs. Lane had at last realized this. The tears were rolling down her cheeks.

M. E. CHURCH SERVICE FLAG.

On Sunday evening the service flag of the Methodist Church is to be dedicated. Thirty-six of the congregation are now in the service.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that letters of administration have been issued by the County Court of Union County, Oregon, to Charles H. Cole upon the estate of Katie A. Cole, deceased and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers to said administrator at Jambler, Oregon, within six months from date of this notice.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1918. Charles H. Cole, Administrator.

4-23-18



HAS MANY FEATURES

Al G. Barnes Circus Is Bigger and Grander Than Ever.

Heralding the Al G. Barnes four ring circus as the greatest wild animal show ever exhibited in this country, Leonard Agazelow, advance press agent for the big wild animal aggregation reached La Grande yesterday and left last night for the west.

Mr. Agazelow declared the circus was "bigger and grander than ever, with many new features." He said the program contains 103 spectacular, sensational events, all of them thrillers.

The press agent states that "The Conquest of Nyanza," a big jungle pageant, portraying wild animal life and life of the primitive natives in the wilds of Africa was both spectacular and instructive. Over 1200 animals and 500 people take part in this great jungle extravaganza.

"The Conquest of Nyanza" explained the press agent, was taken from that region of equatorial Africa which is located in the district of Nyanza.

Theodore Roosevelt was the first man to go into that unexplored region of Africa and hunt down the tigers, lions and elephants, killing them and having their bodies stuffed and then presented them to the National Museum at Washington, D. C., but it remained for the noted showman, Al G. Barnes to go into the wilds of Nyanza and capture at great expense, hundreds of wild, jungle-bred animals, and then transport them to the United States to be shown to the American public for the first time.

BILL HOLDS UP APPROPRIATION

Contingent On Making Of Fruit And Grain For Making Of Alcoholic Beverages.

(United Press) WASHINGTON, May 23.—The House passed, by a vote of 231 to 64, the Emergency Food Bill carrying a provision withholding the appropriation until the President issues a proclamation stopping the use of grains and fruits for alcoholic liquors.

Chemawa Student Not Killed.

SALEM, May 22.—John Adams, former student at the Chemawa Indian school, who was reported as killed in a recent casualty list from France, is still alive. A letter from him has been received by friends.

WAR WORRIES UPSET HEALTH

It is agreed by medical authorities that worry affects the digestive organs. When the digestion is out of order, it throws the whole physical being out of gear. B. B. Hayward, Unadilla, Ga., writes: "Foley Cathartic Tablets give me quicker relief than anything I have ever tried." They relieve biliousness, bad breath, bloating, gas, indigestion and constipation. No gripping or nausea. Sold everywhere.

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In EVE'S DAUGHTER.