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Actress Jumps From Role To Role But She Prefers English Heroines

NEW YORK (AP)—Katharine Cornell may be an American girl from Buffalo, N. Y., but she prefers to play English heroines. The first role to award her stardom was that of the delicate lady of English society, Irish March, in "The Green Hat."



Katharine Cornell hails from Buffalo, N. Y., but on the stage she likes English roles best. At left she is shown as Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

Virginia Plantation Life Is O'Neill's Choice

NEW YORK (AP)—That growing literary colony in the valleys of Virginia will have another distinguished member next year when Eugene O'Neill returns to this country. The author of "Strange Interlude" has chosen the Tidewater region of Virginia, in the vicinity of Chesapeake Bay waters, as the place where he will settle down on a plantation when he brings his new play here in 1932.

CLASS PIANO TEACHING TO BE STARTED

Stating that class piano teaching has been successfully demonstrated in a number of cities and that the Melody Way was used with gratifying results in the teaching of over 5000 children during its first summer in use, the Adler Music store announces that all children who have never before taken music lessons will be given 15 free of charge of they apply before Feb. 2.

Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city.—Rev. 22:14.

POLITICS IN EDUCATION

The American Association of University Profession, in blacklisting the University of Mississippi, the Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical College, the Mississippi State College for Women, and the Mississippi State Teachers' College, outlawed degrees conferred upon graduates of these schools, left the institutions without standing in the educational world, and removed from good standing any full-fledged professors remaining in them.

These institutions were previously dropped by the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern States, and by the American Society of Civil Engineers, while the school of mechanical engineering and the medical school of the university are on probation, and the law school is under investigation.

This drastic move follows the more drastic action of Governor Bilbo, of Mississippi, in summarily dismissing 179 members of the four faculties, and replacing them with political henchmen having no qualifications for the positions. But the educators were not prompted merely by the hope of vengeance. When the four institutions ceased to be administered and taught by trained educators they ceased to be institutions of higher learning and lost their claim to recognition as such.

Bilbo claims he has "reorganized" the state schools. But education and politics do not mix because politics must always come first in the politician's mind. Wherever and whenever politicians have used state supported educational institutions as pawns in the game of politics the cause of education has suffered. Governor Bilbo has certainly injured the young people who turn to his state for learning. And outsiders see in this policy his own political suicide.

LONELY INVENTORS

Probably many thousands of men and boys who labor with mechanical devices in the hope of developing something new and marketable, were cheered by William A. Kinnan's statement that the day of the individual inventor has not passed. Mr. Kinnan, who is first assistant patent commissioner, spoke on behalf of the individual worker in reply to those who have said that successful invention is now almost exclusively the product of research organizations of modern industry.

The feed-back circuit, the neutrodyne, and the vacuum cleaner are mentioned by Kinnan as examples of comparatively recent inventions developed by men who worked independently. Undoubtedly many similar important things are being developed today by those who labor alone. Genius has been defined as the ability to correlate two apparently separate ideas or phenomena. Many important inventions show evidence of such correlation, which may as readily be the product of a single mind as of an organized group.

Cupid may be blind, but he does not have to carry a tin cup or sell pencils to make a living.

Give the devil his due, but do not spend money on him that you owe to other people.

There would be little knocking if we had no backs and people had to say things to our faces or not say them at all.

We grow while we are green. . . It is when we think we are ripe we begin to go to seed.

In Washington

WASHINGTON—Two days before his 70th birthday, gaunt, grey, blunt Will Wood of Indiana, chairman of the powerful house appropriations committee, stood before a microphone in a Washington broadcasting studio. A nation-wide hook-up of stations was to carry his voice. The subject on which he was to talk was a favorite of his—the evils of the direct primary. Much in the manner he employs when he addresses the house, Wood said: "The direct primary system of making party nominations has done more to break down representative government than all other causes combined. . . . The theory of the direct primary is that the best man will win, but in too many instances the winner turns out to be only the best advertiser, or the one best supplied with cash. . . . HIRTHDAY BOUQUETS Two days later the house reconvened after the holiday recess. It was the day of Wood's birthday. His old friend, Joseph Byrne of Tennessee, ranking democratic member of

Ways and Means Committee Will Check Expenses

SALEM, Jan. 29 (AP)—Determined to sift critically the traveling expenses estimated by state departments and activities for the years 1931 and 1932, the ways and means committee asked for a tabulation of these from the official budget. This was furnished last night and amounted to a total of \$1,113,150. The committee did not have time to scrutinize the figures, and they weren't mentioned, but will be considered later. Actual traveling expenses are estimated at \$557,379, automobile expenses \$182,561 and expense of meals and lodgings \$273,210. They apply both to travel both within and outside the state, including journeys to conventions and conferences in eastern cities. Institutions of higher education alone estimate their traveling expenses at \$350,494. The state game commission estimates that it will need \$115,000 for traveling besides \$25,900 for automobile expense and \$37,500 for meals and lodging. Circuit judges calculate that they can travel for \$8000, but will need \$11,800 for meals and lodging. The dairy and food commissioner requests \$1600 for travel, \$4800 for automobiles and \$2000 for meals and lodging. The forestry board estimates the items respectively at \$10,500, \$2970 and \$6000. The state fire marshal put in \$800 for travel and \$11,000 for meals and lodging, and the banking department \$6000 and \$9500 for the same items. For forest patrol estimates of \$4500 for travel, \$4300 for automobiles and \$500 for food and lodging are put in. The prohibition department wants \$450, \$15,550 and \$12,500 for three items. The state highway department's requests for the same three items are \$3000, \$23,900 and \$24,000. The many other requests are for smaller amounts.

GLIDERS TO BE LICENSED

WASHINGTON (AP)—Licensing of gliders by the federal government, twice postponed, will begin July 1, 1931.

TUNE IN TONIGHT

THE CHOCOLATE SOLDIERS A VARIED PROGRAM OF MUSICAL FAVORITES 7:30 p. m. DON LEE CHAIN STATIONS

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Charles Elmore Cropley, the youthful clerk of the supreme court of the United States, is faced with a knotty question. Was Lincoln's hand on the Bible or upraised when he took the oath of office as President of the United States? A portrait painter wants the information. Cropley was asked to supply it because a chief justice administered the oath. It is nothing unusual for the supreme court clerk to get such requests. His office serves as a sort of clearing house for historians and the curious interested in the court. It is an unusual day's mail that comes not being him some puzzling question. Four stenographers are kept busy in his office writing routine letters and answering queries. Although he has spent several hours in research, there is no doubt that this particular request, he is not daunted.

Pendleton Man's Death Will Be Investigated

PENDLETON, Ore., Jan. 29 — An investigation into the death of Henry Schneider, believed to have committed suicide here last Monday morning, will be held immediately, it was announced yesterday by C. G. Proebstel, district attorney of Umatilla county. An investigation was not thought necessary at first, Mr. Proebstel said, because it appeared to Ralph Folsom, county coroner, that the death was plain case of suicide. Complaints from many persons, however, who believed certain details of Schneider's death needed explanation prompted him in his decision to demand a formal investigation. Schneider was found shot through the breast with a 12 gauge shot gun in the yard of Charles Goodyear, 713 Marie street. Goodyear, a butcher shop proprietor, was Schneider's employer, and found Schneider when he came out of his house to enter his garage about 6:30 a. m. Monday. Details Not Consistent. Chief among the details not entirely consistent with the suicide theory was the fact Schneider seemed in good spirits the day and until late at night before his death. According to a statement of Frank Schneider, the dead man's son, Mr. and Mrs. Schneider and he had been at Meacham Sunday afternoon to watch the asking there. In the evening they had played cards until about 11:30 at the home of Mrs. Schneider's sister, Mrs. Harry Huestep. They all then returned home. Chief of Police Lemons, who questioned Mrs. Schneider shortly after the body was discovered Monday morning, stated, however, that he was told Schneider had not been at home all night. Sheriff's officers, also, believe it would have been extremely difficult for Schneider to have fired the gun himself. In an experiment performed last night at the sheriff's office, one of the deputies pointed an unloaded shotgun at himself and tried to pull the trigger. Although he was exceptionally long armed he was only barely able to reach the trigger. Shotgun Full Length. The shotgun found at the side of Schneider's body had a full length barrel it was declared this afternoon by the first police officer to reach the scene of the shooting Monday morning. There were no sticks or other instruments in the vicinity with which Schneider could have pulled the trigger, he said. Since the man had both his shoes on and laced it is thought improbable that he could have pulled the trigger with his feet. The condition of Schneider's clothing, reported to have been extremely damp, indicated he may have been killed much earlier than 6:00 a. m., when persons reported having heard a noise similar to a gun shot but

Cagle Turns Clerk



Christian "Red" Cagle, Army griffin star for four seasons, has turned his talents to the New York stock exchange, and now is a floor clerk for a firm of Wall street brokers.

which they thought at the time to be an automobile backfire. Schneider was in his shirt sleeves, another incident officers term peculiar. Police Will Investigate. The present investigation will be made by city police, Proebstel said. Due to the fact he is at present conducting a murder case in court Proebstel is unable at the present time to take a personal part in the investigation, since the presence of several sheriff's deputies are required in court, the city authorities will be asked to open the investigation. The coroner will also probably be asked to hold an inquiry. William "Red" Espey, of North Carolina State college, who made good in football, is holding the school's honors in boxing. John Campbell, outstanding Alabama halfback, has signed as backfield coach at the University of Kentucky.

Clark Wood Says

We do not understand how Doc Enstein, who is described as "monarch of the realm of pure thought," can do much monarchical in California. John Campbell, outstanding Alabama halfback, has signed as backfield coach at the University of Kentucky. Knowledge is power only when it is useful, which is the reason why no many people possess little else. "See Fred and Be Ahead" BODY AND FENDER WORK Auto Tops, Glass, Curtains Welding Fred's Body & Fender Shop 211 Greenwood

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