

FLARES AND FLICKERS

Aleko will answer any question you want to know—On the Pantages bill at the Grand Monday.

Louise Lovely, and her company will appear in person at the Grand theater soon. She carries her camera man and will direct a feature while in Salem, using Salem talent.

All the electricians in the Goldwyn Studios were not enough to operate the number of lights used in photographing the vast ball room scene in "The Night Rose," a picture written by Leroy Scott, and directed by Wallace Worsley. Lon Chaney, who plays the leading male "heavy" role, worked as electrician between his own scenes with Cullen Landis, the juvenile leading man, and Arthur Statter.

Goldwyn scenario writer, as assistants. It was Chaney who stopped the call for extra electricians, pulled out an old Union card, and said, "I used to do this sort of thing."

"The Night Rose" a story of the underworld, in which Chaney does some of his finest work, will be seen at the Grand theater, for two days commencing Saturday.

Al Sweet's singing band, is one of the best musical offerings of its kind ever offered in Salem. It consists of 10 superb musicians and vocalists and can be heard on the Pantages bill at the Grand theater, matinee and evening.

Lionel Barrymore, the popular Paramount star will be seen in his latest production "Boomerang Hill" Tuesday and Wednesday at the Grand theater. Some critics say it is better than "The Copperhead."

The "Pan American Four," tropical harmonists, will satisfy any audience. They will be heard on the Pantages bill Monday afternoon and evening at the Grand theater.

"Babe" Ruth, the "miracle man" of the 1920 baseball season, the idol of every true sport-loving American from six to sixty, will be in the city Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday at the Bligh theater.

The most discussed man in America will make his debut as star of the screen here in a sensational dramatic, super-feature, six part production, "Headin' Home."

A cheat around which much

tradition has grown was used in the Antonio Moreno production, "The Secret of the Hills," which will be shown at the Bligh theater today. One of the tales is that at one time it was in the possession of Captain Kidd. Whether this is authentic or not is a subject of great dispute among collectors of antiquities. Kidd's initials and mark are found scratched upon the cover.

Richard Headrick, who has gained fame on the screen for his acting, plays a prominent part in the John M. Stahl production, "The Song of Life," to be presented through Associated First National Pictures, Inc., at the Liberty theater next week.

One of the most sensational scenes in "The Barnstormer," a First National attraction starring Charles Ray, which is coming to the Liberty theater on Thursday for a three day engagement, shows a robbery of a crowded theater during the performance of a play.

Extensive preparations are being made by Manager Bligh of the Liberty theater for the forthcoming showing of "My Boy," an Associated First National attraction starring little Jackie Coogan, which is to be shown here in an engagement of four days, starting on next Sunday.

One of the most mammoth scenes ever attempted in any motion picture production was made by George Randolph Chester in company with Mrs. Chester, during the production of "The Son of Wallingford," which will be shown at the Liberty theater today. It is predicted that this scene will set new standards in this respect. It shows a real take of burning oil with the hero and heroine of the story trapped in the center of it in a small boat.

Morse & Clarke. Both members of this team are musical entertainers of sterling worth. Their numbers consist of solos and duets from a repertoire consisting of ballads, comedy musical numbers, etc. One of the members of the duo accompanying the other on the piano during the act. They are at the Bligh today and tomorrow.

Garrison Sisters—Less than 20 years ago a mite of a baby was acclaimed and awarded the first prize at a baby show during an Elks carnival in Jackson, Mich., for being the most perfectly developed baby. That perfect child of less than two decades ago is the "Perfection girl" who today rivals Venus and Diana in measurements for being the most perfectly formed girl in all the world. At the Bligh theater today and tomorrow.

Tense drama, splendid climaxes and a story that stirs the heart strings are the dominant features of Gloria Swanson's new Paramount picture, "Under the Lash," which will be shown at the Oregon theater next Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The scenes are laid in South Africa and the atmosphere is highly romantic.

A story said to be authentic in the main, of how it happened that the Grand Canyon in Arizona was selected for the principal setting of Tom Mix's latest Fox thriller, "Sky-High," has just come to light. It came about as a result

HUNGARY'S BEAUTIFUL DANCER



Ellen de Lorches, a dancer of the Pavlova type, has come to the United States from the Royal Opera in Budapest, Hungary, where King Alfonso of Spain saw her. The monarch is said to have remarked that she was "one of the two most graceful women I have ever beheld." She has auburn hair and violet eyes.

of a dare which the intrepid star was quick to take up, so the story goes. It seems that when Tom Mix visited New York last summer to attend the Dempsey-Carpenter battle, he remarked at the Fox studio, jokingly, that he'd used up most of the wild scenery in America for pictures.

"How about the Grand Canyon and Niagara Falls, Tom?" asked one of the company officials.

"Say, I've got a good horse and a couple of good stout legs, but I haven't noticed any wings sprouting yet," he murmured.

"Not afraid, are you Tom?" "Afraid? I should say not." "Well, I dare you." Tom Mix never refuses a dare. And now, several months after the conversation, out he comes in a picture that even made Mr. Fox gasp for breath, for the star rode through Grand Canyon in an airplane, rode Tony, his horse, up and down its dizzy trails, leaped across a chasm 2,000 feet deep, and then plunged from a "plane" into the Colorado River from a height.

The picture will be shown at the Oregon theater next Sunday.

The appeal of "Just Around the Corner" is irresistible. The story is one of those which, because of its human qualities, impresses itself indelibly upon the mind and affects the emotions by its convincingness and power. Like "Humoresque," the locale is an humble one and the characters are typical of their environment. But the love of a mother for her children is a human sentiment which finds beautiful expression in the hovel as well as in the palace, so that in this respect, the sentiment in "Just Around the Corner" will exert a universal appeal.

Lillian and George Randolph Chester, authors and directors of Vitagraph's special production, "The Son of Wallingford," which will be shown at the Liberty theater today, was produced under selected locations for this production throughout Southern California.

FEDERAL AID PLUMMER PLAN

Means of Saving Merchant Marine Advanced by Shipping Board Official

COMMERCE IS IN DANGER

Underbidding of Foreigners and Attaining Normality Object of Scheme

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Presentation of the American marine by federal aid as a means of preventing other nations from cornering the world's commerce was urged by Edward C. Plummer, commissioner of the shipping board, in an address before the national Republican club today.

He pointed out that whereas in the year ended September 30, 1920, ships owned in this country carried 51 per cent of America's ocean freight, they carried only 30 per cent in the last fiscal year.

"The foreigner has taken from

us the bulk of our ocean carrying business," he said, "by reducing his rates, below ours. The only way we can regain what we have lost is by enabling our ships to make rates lower than the foreign ships can meet.

"Every time the ocean rate on cargoes is reduced it means a lower cost to our people on all goods imported and a consequent loss of the exported goods of Americans to be delivered in foreign markets at a cheaper price than would otherwise be possible, thus increasing our markets there and giving increased employment to workmen of this country."

Normal Value Goal
Federal aid would make it possible for the shipping board and private owners to underbid foreign competition, he asserted. This in turn, would cause billions of dollars worth of American owned vessels to return to normal value, would enable the board to dispose of its property at more nearly its cost to them, and would firmly establish the American flag in the ports of the world.

ADDITIONAL CHURCHES

(Received too late for Church column)

Center Street Methodist Episcopal—North Third and Center streets, Sabbath school 10 a. m., English and German classes. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Epworth league meeting at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Bertha Schreiber, prayer leader, Thursday evening. Catechism and Bible study for the children at the church every Saturday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. G. S. Koeler.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Sunday school at 10:30 a. m., preaching service 11:30 a. m. Special meeting on Thursday evening. President Elder C. Iverson of the Northwestern States mission and Secretary Elder W. B. Lyman will speak. You are welcome. At the assembly.

Air travel is a well established fact, and might as well be recognized by an amazed public. It will soon be possible to go around one earth in a plane, and the feat on Nellie By will be forgotten.

A local health writer says there is nothing so well for one as an abstinence from food. We always practice it—between meals.—Exchange.

HEY MAW! TAKE IN THE WASH. HERE COME THE BARNSTORMERS!

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in a novelty posing act featuring the most perfectly formed girl in the world

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An Artistic Vocal Episode

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A Sad Comedy

Tomorrow—
Pantages
Vaudeville

GRAND THEATRE

EDITORIALS OF THE PEOPLE

Reply to Journal Editorial

What's the matter with us all? Isn't it peculiar that the editor of the Capital Journal should be so embittered against the ex-servicemen also. I wonder if it could be his conscience hurts him that many mere kids and a lot of men much older than himself died fighting for their country while he waved his flag.

Can it be that he does not know that practically all government employees who stayed closer to home in safer jobs have been granted and paid a bonus this long time. All the poor baseball players and movie heroes of shipyard fame have been attended to. Even the railroads came around for "seconds." Why all the dyspeptic yowling then when the government considers those who served right.

The men who hired out to do their bit and die if need be for a dollar a day should and will be given consideration and soon in spite of dirty politics and dirty editors.

Can it be that all the men and institutions that have been jumped onto lately by the Capital Journal editor are as wrong as he says. Particularly labor unions and ex-servicemen. Hardly, as they say in the army, "Let's see his medals." Let's hear his war or peace time record and let's see a layoff in this anti-soldier abuse. Signed: Inf. Pvt. 30 months lately.

If a full-grown man wants to have his pride humbled, let him glance through the old-fashioned album and see what he looked like when he was about 10 or 12 years old.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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