

## SIDE LIGHTS OF THE STAGE AND SCREEN

**Capitol Theater**  
Gene Cameron, Holmes Herbert, Sammy Cohen, Ted McNamara, and Judy King head the cast of "The Gay Retreat," Fox Films spritely war comedy which comes to the Capitol theater Sunday.

Unlike most war comedies there is a definite plot, and a decidedly different angle on the "Great Unpleasantness" in this clever bit of comedy, which moves quickly from one situation to another. And besides the comedy there are enough thrills to keep any audience in suspense.

Ben Stollhoff, ace of comedy directors, who has been directing dramatic productions, produced the film for Fox. The story itself is the adaptation of an original yarn by William Conselmann and Edward Marshall.

On the stage will be presented five good Ackerman and Harris vaudeville acts as follows:  
Claude Burke, ventriloquist, and his partner.  
Golden Gate quartet.  
Eddie Rogers, comedian.  
Ed Hayes, character comedian.  
Shari and Colt, in songs and dialogues.

### Elsinore Theater

"I'm getting the biggest thrill of my career out of playing this role," said Betty Bronson, the "Peter Pan" girl, during filming of the Paramount Zane Grey production "Open Range" which shows at the Elsinore today.

## SPORTSMEN ELECT PHILLIPS TO OFFICE

Local Man Made Secretary of Association; Policies Outlined

PORTLAND Dec. 2.—(AP)—No wholesale closing of coast rivers to commercial fishing is contemplated by sportsmen of Oregon now, or in the immediate future.

This was a fact made plain at the annual session of the Oregon Game Protective association today, with 108 delegates representing twenty local sportsmen's organizations from all parts of the state in attendance.

For several days before the association met threats had been spread that unless a resolution was adopted favoring the closing to commercial fishing of every stream that flows into the Pacific ocean within the boundaries of Oregon, the meeting would be disrupted.

But none of the advocates of this radical measure made an appearance today, and Will R. Lewis, president of the Multnomah Anglers' and Hunters' club, in a speech before the delegates, declared that his organization is opposed to any such legislation.

"We closed the Big and Little Nestucca rivers, the Willamette, the Wahana and the Necanicum this year," Lewis said, "and we are waiting to see how this action will work out. So far as I know, not a single member of our organization of 1500 members has in mind the closing of any other streams."

The annual election of officers took place at the meeting. Ed Plasecki, of Dallas, was elected president and the following others were chosen: Secretary-treasurer, Clarence B. Phillips, Salem; directors, first district, Dr. W. G. Hoffman, McMinnville, Henry Ward, Portland; second district, G. E. Wamscott, Roseburg, and Ralph Cowgill, Medford; third district, P. J. Stubbleman, The Dalles and F. L. Brown, The Dalles; fourth district, Dr. J. C. Vandeventer, Bend and O. D. Matthews, Klamath Falls.

## CONVICT BURKE WHEN CASE GOES TO JURY

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\$15,000 bond.  
Burke maintained his customary composure as the verdict was read. He was visibly nervous, however, during the few minutes before the word "guilty" was reached in the reading of the verdict, but immediately after, smiled broadly and placed a consoling arm upon the shoulder of Chester Shepherd, defense counsel.

Shepherd announced that a motion for an appeal would be made "in the immediate future."

The sentence for the charge on which Burke was convicted ranges from one to 20 years. A fine up to \$5,000 is optional with the court.

## GERMANY WANTS 1918 TREATIES MADE OVER

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Interested in the possible revision of all treaties which are found inapplicable and the discontinuance of international conditions which, unchanged, might endanger peace.

It was further remarked that if Germany really had any intentions of making such a move, it would be Foreign Minister Stresemann himself, who would do it.

"I have never played in a Western picture before," the diminutive actress said, "and I'm finding that I have been missing something. All of us, I believe, want to have a lot of new experiences. When this picture is finished I will have crowded enough of them into six weeks to last me for another six months."

"I drive a team of horses in a buggy race. I ride a careening carriage in a dangerous runaway. I slide down a rope on the hero's back. I fight with the villain. I shoot at Indians. And I lived for a week in the most beautiful place I have ever seen—Zion National Park in Utah, where we made many scenes."

Lane Chandler, newly discovered screen actor, plays opposite Miss Bronson in "Open Range" which was directed by Clifford Smith. Fred Kohler, "wolf of the screen" plays the villain. A cattle stampede and an Indian fight provide the thrilling climax in the scenario written by John Stone and J. Walter Ruben.

An added feature at the Elsinore theater this evening will be the appearance of Dorothy Lewis who has been singing over the radio KGW of Portland. She has delighted the radio fans with her wonderful singing and they will want to see her here tonight. She will sing: "Sweet Mystery of Life" from Naughty Marietta, "My Heart as Thy Sweet Voice" from Samson at Delilah, "The Desert Song" from the Desert Song. She will be in Salem for only the one evening.

pression continues strong that Count von Bernstorff wished to fix the importance of the revision committee when it comes to studying how certain other articles more immediately linked with the problem of security may be created as this basis of disarmament.

The opinion held by the so called allied powers is that security is best guaranteed by recognizing as sacred all existing treaties.

The treaty of Versailles provides for evacuation by 1925 provided Germany has fulfilled all her international obligations under the treaty of Versailles.

This means that Germany must also fulfill her reparations obligations under the Dawes plan and that if her financial commitments are not lived up to, the allied occupation could continue. Hence, it is argued, Germany possesses a real interest in securing alteration of the financial stipulations of the treaty.

## DEFENSE TESTIFIES LILLIENDAHL CASE

Effort Made To Show 2 Charged With Murder Not There At Time  
MAYS LANDING, N. J., Dec. 2.—(AP)—Margaret Lilliendaahl and Willis Beach, who for four days were pictured through prosecution witnesses as the murderers of the woman's aged husband, were presented to the jury today in the light of innocent and injured persons entirely unconnected with the crime.

Opening addresses for the defense were delivered when court opened and during the remainder of the day the bulk of the defense testimony was presented, although the dramatic moment will not be reached until the defendants themselves take the stand to tell their own stories.

Today's testimony was to the effect that Beach was nowhere near the scene of the crime when Dr. A. William Lilliendaahl was shot to death, that two negroes were there and fled as if pursued by the shadow of death itself and that there was no motive for the defendants to have committed the crime.

Beach was supposed to present his witnesses first and then Mrs. Lilliendaahl's were to go on, but so many of the women, men and children called to the stand were witnesses for both defendants that it was decided to let both defense attorneys question any one called in order to save time.

The alibi for Beach was built up from testimony of almost a score of witnesses. He was seen driving near his home in the early morning of the day of the crime by two women and a man. At 10:30 o'clock he was said to have been in his own home by his son, Ray, and Ray's wife said her father-in-law stayed right there until lunch at noon.

The three had lunch together and at 12:30 Willis Beach drove away in his car. This was corroborated by a carpenter who was doing some work around the Beach home. At 1:15 three witnesses testified that he arrived at the office of a grave yard monument factory in Hammononton and testimony followed that from then until 4 o'clock he was with one of these three. Previous testimony had placed him back at his home village of Vineland about five.

The killing took place shortly after noon on a lonely lane off the Atson road, a position he could not possibly have reached if the testimony of all the alibi witnesses was correct.

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## SHOWS AT CAPITOL TOMORROW



## Former W. U. Vocalists Please Salem Audience

By Rozella Bunch

An enthusiastic welcome was offered those two most popular Willamette university singers, P. M. Blenkinsop and Everett H. Craven who in company with two other splendid artists, Granville D. Morgan and Carol B. Shear of Portland appeared last night in concert in Waller Hall on the Willamette University campus.

The audience which filled the hall was vastly pleased with each solo and ensemble number and clamored without stint for more so that the length of the program was practically doubled before the music-loving public in attendance was appeased.

Br. Blenkinsop and Mr. Craven are well known in Salem for their singing while members of the Willamette university glee club four years ago. The greater part of their musical training was received from Professor Emory W. Hobson, head of the Willamette university school of music.

Granville D. Morgan and Carol B. Shear who were heard last night for the first time in Salem also met with enthusiastic approval.

Miss Jean Harper, who is one of the best-known pianists in Portland accompanied the quartet in

## CHAPTER AFFILIATES

### "BEST FRIENDS" OF EAGLES JOIN NATIONAL ORDER

Mrs. Stephen Girard, district organizer of the Order of Best Friends of the Eagles has recently conducted the services necessary to affiliate the Salem branch with the national order.

There were about 64 members present to be taken into the national order, although there are in all 75 charter members. The officers and their assistants elected are: Mrs. Gussie Shaw, Mina Myers, Elsie Eshelman, Lulu Royal, Mary Sundquist, Velma DuBois, Lulu Seagrove, Julia Jones, Mary Apin, Emma Becker, Silvia Roberts and Fern Crozier.

Mrs. Girard in her most charming manner gave implicit directions and summarized the work of the national order.

Every lady whose husband is a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles is urgently requested to join the order, for her own good and the good she may render to others. There are many new members being voted on at each meeting, and now is a splendid time to come into the order. A series of benefit card parties has been in progress, and this morning there will be a bazaar and cooked food sale at the S. P. ticket office for the benefit of the order. Among other activities of the auxiliary are the sewing circle, card parties and dancing.

## THOUSANDS SEE NEWEST MODEL FORD IN SALEM

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old model T Ford that Fulton's steamboat looked like the modern greyhound of the sea. It has all the beauty and grace of the big priced cars. The radiator is identical with that of a Lincoln. The fenders are wide and heavy. Attractive Ford bumpers adorn the ends of it. Five demountable wheels of the steel spoke type go with each car. A speedometer has been added. Larger plate glass windows are an attractive feature. This and a dozen other improvements make it, without question, one of the classiest little cars ever produced.

Only Five in State  
The car shown in Salem is one of five in the state at this time. It was taken to Albany early this morning for a similar demonstration there today. The other towns in Oregon that had cars to show yesterday were: Portland, Pendleton, Eugene and Medford. The Valley Motor Co., local Ford agency, does not expect that it will have the new model cars for delivery before February.

## NORTH SALEM PEOPLE OPPOSE BURNER THERE

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sites do not meet with the favor of the committee.  
No report will be made at the council meeting Monday night unless a reply is received from the eastern office of the Oregon Electric approving the sale of the gravel pit to the city.

a thoroughly able and pleasing manner.

The program opened with the "Winter Song" (Bullard) which was followed by the amusing encore, "He Away Home."

Mr. Craven and Mr. Blenkinsop won the hearts of each member of the audience with their singing of "The Merry Yagabond" (Gordon). Responding to the insistent plaudits of the audience they sang "Hunting Song."

Carol B. Shear, second tenor, sang as a solo number, the "Slave Song" (Del Riego) with clear enunciation, style, and imagination. The encore, "Two Little Magpies" followed.

Miss Harper played as a piano solo, "The King's Ball" (Korngold) with an emotional force that stirred the audience which demanded an encore, Brahms' "A Flat Major Waltz."

As a solo number, Everett Craven sang "The Grey Wolf"—a song well suited to his unusual baritone voice. He also responded with an encore.

The first half of the program closed with a medley sung by the quartet.

The popular song, "Tim Roney's at the Fightin'" (Flynn) which opened the second half of the program, was sung in a delightful way by this brilliant ensemble.

Mr. Blenkinsop amazed the audience with his exceptional singing. His solo number was "Song of Hubris and Cretan" (Elliott) which he sang in a bass voice of a rolling, magnetic quality; warm, flexible, and vibrant with power.

Other numbers given by the quartet were the beautiful ballad "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes" "Dah's Gwintar be a Lan" slide" (Strickland); and "I Don't Know."

In a tender voice of notable beauty Granville Morgan sang "The Old Refrain" (Offenbach) and also "Noon and Night" (Hawley).

Perhaps the climax of the evening came with the singing of the duet "The Gendarmes" by Mr. Craven and Mr. Blenkinsop, which won prolonged applause from the audience.

The program closed with the singing of the beautiful song "Nurse's Praise of God" (Beethoven) sung by Mr. Craven, Mr. Blenkinsop, Mr. Shear, and Mr. Morgan, the four singers who presented a most successful concert last night.

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## LEAGUE NOMINATES

### GIRLS OF SALEM HIGH SCHOOL PLAN ACTIVITIES

Officer candidates for the newly organized girls league at Salem high school were introduced at a special assembly for girls yesterday afternoon.

The election will be by ballot next Tuesday afternoon under the supervision of Dean Mabel Robertson.

Lucille Cummings and Gertrude Oehler are candidates for the office of president.

Other nominations made last week were as follows: vice-president, Edith Hens and Esther Wood; treasurer, Bertha Babcock and Faye Henderson; secretary, Lorraine Gregg and Lucille Harland; chairman of the constitutional committee, Betty Shipley and Eloise White.

The nominating committee consisted of Dean Robertson, Edith Findley, Myrtle Murphy, Mabel Copper, and Annabelle Tooz.

The "big sister" movement will be one of the primary functions of the league which is being patterned after similar organizations in high schools of Salem's size.

The successful candidate for president will attend the student convention at Eugene.

## FAVOR DETROIT FOR G. O. P. CONVENTION

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that an amplification of his "do not choose" statement is not an early prospect.

Coolidge Address Stated  
The president will address the committee members late Tuesday at the White House but there is no indication that he will discuss his own political future.

The viewpoint of some committee men is that the only thing to do is to begin to look more seriously upon other candidates who have been mentioned and to let the word go out to their respective campaign managers that they might as well get busy.

One of today's arrivals, Pat Sullivan, committee man from Wyoming, said that in his opinion there was no question that Mr. Coolidge was definitely out of the running. He said not only would Wyoming send a delegation to the convention for Secretary Hoover but that it would refuse to participate in any attempt to secure the nomination for President Coolidge as a sudden, dramatic move.

No Deadlock Anticipated  
He said he could not agree with some politicians that the convention would deadlock and suddenly nominate Mr. Coolidge as the results of an emotional demonstration.

In spite of Vice President Dawes' declaration that he is not a candidate, Mr. Sullivan declared that the vice president also has considerable strength in Wyoming and runs a second choice to the commerce secretary.

Another committee man to

arrive today was Charles A. Rawson, of Iowa. He reported sentiment for Frank O. Lowden as strong as ever in his state and also that Vice President Dawes could be looked upon as Lowden's "heir" in event the former Illinois governor showed insufficient strength in the balloting.

## WESTERN BLOC HITS REPUBLICAN REGULARS

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pendents would take if the requested assurance, were not forthcoming, but the obvious alternative seems to be opposition to the republican organization slate in the senate.

Three of the outstanding members of the independent group—Borah, of Idaho; Norris, of Nebraska, and Brookhart, of Iowa—did not sign the letter to Curtis. Borah and Brookhart are not in accord with the proposal for a McNary-Haugen bill with its equalization fee, while no reasons were given why Norris did not sign.

## STILL ANOTHER CASE

PORTLAND Dec. 2.—(AP)—

Another case of infantile paralysis was reported to the city health office today, making eleven such cases now in the city. The new case was that of Lois Hannan, 7 years old.

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