

WILL KING RETURNS  
WITH GIGGLE REVUE

Will King will be at the Elsinore today and Monday with a brand new girl and giggle revue. Fanchon and Marco have signed the coast's favorite comedian to make a return tour over the West Coast circuit after nearly a year's absence.

Will has named his new show the "Theatrical Speaking" idea and it runs the gamut of all things entertaining. There'll be bits of drama, comedy, mystery, vaudeville, musical comedy, grand opera and burlesque, between which the famous Will King beauties assisted by specialty performers will appear. In songs and dances.

With a truck full of new gags and blackouts this year, which from Will King's advance description are sure to keep audiences in constant laughter, it looks as though this show is going to be one long merry melange of fun.

Besides the Will King Girlies, who hold all coast honors for beauty, charm and ability there'll be Lew Dunbar famous comedian and character actor who has trouped with Will these last fifteen years.

June Clyde, the clever little blonde soubrette with the 1000 candlepower personality who toured in the Revue last year will be on hand and also Don Smith, the tenor whose voice made such an excellent impression on West Coast audiences. Among the specialty players is Frances Williams, acrobatic dancer, Helen Thurston, aerialist and Dolores and George.

"Theatrical Speaking" has been staged by Fanchon and Marco in five glorious scenes, with numerous blackouts and specialty numbers all embellished by beautiful girls in colorful costumes.

It's a show that's different—and if you want laughs—there's only one place to go—The Elsinore theater.

Rosedale Sunday School  
Holds Summer Gathering

ROSEDALE, July 28.—(Special)—Miss Helen Cammack is attending Normal at Monmouth. A Sunday school picnic was held Friday. Ice cream and cake were an interesting feature for the "kiddies."

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stewart of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bear of Turner and Fred Brownell of Racine, Minn., dined at the Cammack home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Haldy and baby returned home from the Deaconess hospital Monday.

The Cole family were in Cham-poo last Sunday.

Miss Viva Lull of Portland spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Helen Cammack.

Some of the young people attended a social at the Hirsch home near Pratum last Friday evening.

## GOOD PICTURES COMING

The Hollywood theatre has a strong lineup of pictures for the coming week. Sunday and Monday George Bancroft will be seen in a powerful drama of life in the raw, "The Showdown." Tuesday and Wednesday Milton Sills in a thrilling story of the Alaskan gold rush, "Burning Daylight." Thursday and Friday Clara Bow, the "It" girl in one of her pictures, "Get Your Man." Saturday comes another Zane Grey Western whirlwind, "Nevada," starring Gary Cooper.

Wasted Devotion  
"When I think of what short work Al Smith made of the Democratic platform," says one Kansas City radio owner, "it makes me madder and madder that I wasted all that time listening to the reading of it."—Kansas City Star.

The only thing more sensitive than a Wall Street operator is an anxious candidate when he hears the voice of the people.

## TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY, ELSINORE

MARCELINE  
DAY and  
RAMON NOVARRO  
in "A CERTAIN  
YOUNG MAN"CAPITOL FEATURES  
BIG DOUBLE BILL

Charles Middleton, who will be seen and heard in the Vitaphone production "A Man of Peace" in which Hobart is starred, is a descendant of one of the oldest families in America. For three hundred years the Middletons have played important parts in the making of southern history. Middleton had a great-grandfather who was an officer in the American army of the Revolution. His grandfather fought in the Mexican war as a colonel. His father was a captain in the confederate army. And his mother was the only woman who was ever commissioned by the army of the south. She carried messages to the confederates and was captured by union forces.

Middleton will be seen and heard in the Vitaphone presentation program at Bligh's Capitol theater today and Monday with the feature picture "Brass Knuckles."

"Brass Knuckles" comes to Bligh's Capitol theater today for a run of two days. It is a Warner Bros. production and Monte Blue and Betty Bronson are starred. The story and scenario were written by Harvey Gates, and Lloyd Bacon directed.

Scenes in prison, in the tenements, the courts, and the homes of the poor of a great city, provide locale for "Brass Knuckles." The story is of a tenement lad who is wrongly imprisoned, and while in jail incurs the hatred of a fellow-inmate, who hounds his after-life, trying to separate him from the motherless wife for whom he is caring.

Hard-fisted, tender, humorous, pathetic, running the whole gamut of human passions, "Brass Knuckles" is a story hard to forget. Monte Blue and Betty Bronson do splendid work in the stellar roles, and the cast includes William Russell, George Stone, Paul Panzer and Jack Curtis. Having seen "Brass Knuckles" you'll want all your friends to see it.

"A Certain Young Man"  
Coming Early in Week

"A Certain Young Man," which is coming to the Elsinore theater on Tuesday and Wednesday, is a picture without a ride to the rescue, a train wreck, a Charleston, a murder, a midnight swimming party, a flag, a mother, or any pet device to focus the attention of the audience on it, yet one that is declared to be one of the most delightful pieces of sophistication ever seen on the screen. Ramon Novarro is the star and Hobart Henley the director. It is a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture.

MILLER FEATURED  
IN SINGERS' SHOW

Jack Miller, comedian, will be featured in the laughable farce comedy from the pen of George M. Cohan entitled, "All In A Fog" staged by the Singer Musical Comedy Revue at the Oregon theater, Sunday and Monday. Mr. Miller is a newcomer with the company, having recently completed a tour of the Orpheum Circuit, and has been engaged to direct and play comedy leads while Glen Singer, who has been working steadily for a year, takes a three weeks vacation. Mr. Singer states that when he returns he will have a brand new idea, a much larger company—in fact everything new to entertain their many friends in Salem.

The feature picture, "Something Always Happens," starring Esther Ralston, lives up to its name as it is full of funny situations that keep the audience guessing. A thrillingly funny feast, it's all in fun—but bafflingly mysterious. If it's a laugh you're after, coupled with spine tingling, hair-raising thrills then see this show at the Oregon.

written of those times. Milton Sills, in the starring role, has a particularly powerful characterization as "Daylight," the boldest and most courageous prospector in all Alaska. Doris Kenyon plays the feminine lead, and a large cast is in support.

## OREGON SUNDAY AND MONDAY

ESTHER RALSTON-NEIL HAMILTON IN THE FRANK TUTTLE PRODUCTION  
"SOMETHING ALWAYS HAPPENS" A PARAMOUNT PICTURENEW AIR-RAIL LINE  
PLANS COMPLETEDImproved Service to be Built  
Up Around Pennsylvania Railroad

NEW YORK, July 28.—(AP)—Competition for the recently announced transcontinental air-rail service built around the Pennsylvania railroad appeared to be materializing yesterday with disclosure that negotiations are under way for a similar service in which the New York Central railroad will play a large part.

Whereas the first route, now being surveyed, would pass through the southwestern portion of the country, the newer one is intended to serve the northwest by linking the New York Central with the Canadian Pacific and Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie railroads, the Boeing airways corporation and the Mid-Plane Transit company, of Minneapolis.

Plans contemplate establishment of preliminary air-rail routes between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Winnipeg; Minneapolis, St. Paul and Detroit, via Duluth, and between Duluth and Chicago, with a route to be established later between Detroit and Duluth across Lake Michigan.

While the project as now planned provides for service chiefly in the middle and northwest, it is understood that the nickel plate, Baltimore & Ohio and Southern Pacific railroads would be brought into the system to complete a transcontinental air-rail route.

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## EL SINORE TODAY



Milton Sills in "Burning Daylight"

WOMAN PLANS TO  
SHOW SON'S CORPSEPetrified Body Would Have  
Been Placed On Exhibition, Charge

LOS ANGELES, July 28 (AP)—Mrs. Alice Sawyer, 45, who postal authorities stated, contemplated public exhibition of her son's petrified body, was booked today on a charge of using the mails to defraud.

Postal investigators and officials of the United States attorney's office here declared that Mrs. Sawyer, who lives at Long Beach, Calif., had written forty letters to distant relatives urging them to give her monetary aid which would enable her to exploit the unusual condition of the body of her son.

Information in the government's possession indicated that Mrs. Sawyer's son, Theron Sawyer, died at the age of 21 at El Centro, Cal., in 1923. The body was interred at a cemetery there but later was exhumed when the grave caved in. It was found that through the action of the embalming fluid, the body, lying in wet ground, had petrified. It was interred again and has not since been disturbed.

John L. Shultz, of Meridian, Miss., one of the relatives said to have received solicitation for aid from Mrs. Sawyer, told postal authorities that letters from the woman told him if he and other relatives would contribute \$32,000 she would exhibit the body.

Mrs. Sawyer professed in her letters, Shultz said, to have been offered \$325,000 by San Francisco scientists for the body.

Mrs. Sawyer denied the charges and posted \$5,000 bail.

Air Tourists May Park  
Planes Free in France

PARIS, July 28.—(AP)—The French government has provided free parking fields for private airplanes as a means of encouraging the adoption of airplane travel by the public.

Seventy permanent fields have been created and designated "civil fields." This will distinguish them from the military landing areas. There is a time limit of 48 hours on the free parking privilege after which a small fee is charged.

Calles Wants to Assist  
Commercial Air Service

MEXICO CITY, July 28 (AP)—President Calles has been asked to give government support to a projected commercial air line, also to carry mail, between Mexico City and Merida, Yucatan.

Gustavo Espinosa Mireles, vice-president of the Mexican Aviation Co., which operates commercially between Mexico City, Tuxpan and Tampico, is promoting the Yucatan line.

PLODDER PREFERRED  
TO BRIGHT LOAFERIntelligence Tests, Grades  
Don't Always Agree,  
University FindsUNIVERSITY OF OREGON,  
Eugene, July 28.—(Special)—The bright young fellow who "loafs" his way through high school without much studying, who then comes on to the University of Oregon, receives a rating higher than average in the mental tests, and then thinks he can loaf and have a good time here is doomed to disappointment and in many cases an early trip home. This is revealed in the study of the mental tests given to entering students here under the direction of Dr. Howard R. Taylor, professor of psychology.

On the other hand, the plodding type of student who found it necessary to study in order to keep up with his high school classes, who comes on to college and receives only an average or even a below average rating in the mental test, still has an excellent chance of passing his courses here creditably, and at least has little difficulty in remaining in the university.

The explanation for this is simple, says Dr. Taylor. The "bright" student never formed any study habits in high school, and is unable to adjust himself to the demands made for passing scholarship in the university. The slower student has his study and work habits formed, and it is only necessary for him to apply himself more vigorously to succeed. These facts have been definitely proved by statistics compiled as a result of the tests made and high school and college records studied.

Freshmen are given mental tests upon entering the university and are then rated in six different classes. This rating is not used as a basis of awarding grades, nor is it allowed to influence instructors in any way. Class-

ifications are as follows: I. Highest five per cent; II. Next 20 per cent; III. Next 25 per cent; IV. Next 25 per cent, (first group below average); V. Next 20 per cent, and VI. Lowest five per cent. Students in the first two groups usually have little trouble in making good scholastic records, and it has been proved that these students are on the whole superior in their work, both in high school and in the university. Members of the last two groups, or lowest, who usually have low high school averages, also usually receive low marks in the university, although not necessarily falling marks.

It was in the study of groups III and IV that Dr. Taylor made his observation on "bright" and slower students. Here it has actually been proved that of two students with approximately the same high school records, the one who places in group III actually has more chance of "flunking out" the university than the one in group IV, due to reasons given above.

Mental tests will be given to all entering students again this fall as usual. The results of these are not made public, although the student may see his results at any time. These tests often prove useful to the student, since they may help him determine his courses of study. They are also used by the university administration when students get into scholastic difficulties. It is a student is found to be failing, yet has a high rating in the tests, it is often found that his trouble is not due to an inability to master the subjects, but to some other cause which may be remedied. Also, if student is receiving poor grades, and he also had a low rating in the tests, special help may be given him so that satisfactory progress can be made.

Mental tests are regarded at the university as very useful in many ways, but their use is kept within the bonds of reason and every student is given every opportunity, regardless of the results of the results of the tests.

James Avery Hopwood  
Estate Near Million

NEW YORK, July 28 (AP)—The chief beneficiaries of the will

of James Avery Hopwood, playwright, filed for probate today and which disposes of an estate of approximately \$1,000,000, are his brother and the University of Michigan. Hopwood died on July 1 last in France.

Italy Plans Plane Tour  
To Stimulate Air Travel

ROME, July 28.—(AP)—With a view to developing air travel for business and pleasure in Italy a five-day tour of Italy will be initiated September 12 under the auspices of the ministry of transportation and the Royal aeronautics. The airplanes participating in the contest, it is stipulated, must not cost more than \$50,000 (about \$2,631), including the cost for the motor. They will compete for 300,000 lire worth of prizes (\$15,786), 150,000 lire being offered by the ministry and the remainder by the aeronautics. Starting from Rome, the machines will fly to Naples, Foggia, Loro, Ferrara, Padua, Milan, Turin, Bologna, Florence, Pisa and back to Rome. The distance is roughly 1,200 miles. The competition is limited to Italian constructors and pilots.

HOLLYWOOD  
SUNDAY-MONDAY

GEO. BANCROFT  
—IN—  
"The Showdown"

## TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY

MILTON SILLS  
BURNING  
DAYLIGHT  
Doris Kenyon

## THURSDAY-FRIDAY

CLARA BOW  
—IN—  
"Get Your Man"

## SATURDAY ONLY

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NEVADA  
GARY COOPER, THOMAS MEEHAN, WILLIAM POWELL, PAUL SEAR

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in  
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CARMEL MYERS  
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"VAMPING VENUS" AND PHOTOPLAY

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**MONTE BLUE and BETTY BRONSON**  
**Brass Knuckles**  
**VITAPHONE**  
Synchronized with  
**VITAPHONE VAUDEVILLE**  
Russian Cosack's "Moscov's Favorite Musicians"  
Hobart Bosworth in a Dramatic Skit "A Man of Peace"  
Freda & Palace Comedy Singing and Talking

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