

"Chic" Sale Makes Bow in Movies in "Star Witness" Now at Elsinore

'MURDER BY CLOCK' GIVEN NEW VILLAIN

That's to Save Enjoyment for Readers of Book; At Capitol Soon

Those who have read Rufus King's spine-tingling mystery novel, "Murder by the Clock" which comes to Warner Bros. Capitol Wednesday, and thus learned the identity of the culprit in the last gripping paragraphs will find, when they see the film version of this story, that a new murderer has taken the place of the original one supplied by the author.

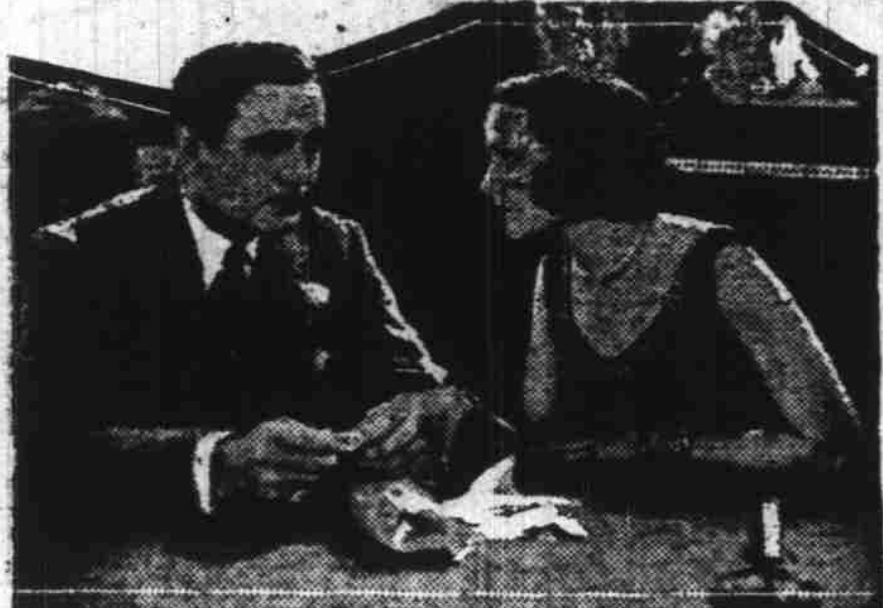
As the real fun of a mystery play is in trying to guess which person is guilty—the name of the criminal is not disclosed here. Suffice it to say that the culprit on the screen is not the same as the culprit in the original story—in fact the character who committed the dire deed in the novel does not appear in the picture at all.

But in general the story follows the action of the original. Heretofore cast chiefly in romantic comedy roles, she steps forth now as an important dramatic actress.

William F. Syd plays the central role of Lieutenant "McLure," the enemy sleuth in the story. Others who have important parts are Regis Toomey as Officer Cassidy, Irving Pichel as Phillip Endicott, Sally O'Neill as Jane, the maid, Lester Vail as Tom, Holland as Walter McGrath as Herbert Endicott, Lilyan Tashman as Laura Endicott, Martha Mattox as Roberts, Blanche Frederici as Mrs. Julia Endicott and Lenita Lane as the nurse.



An amusing glimpse of "Chic" Sale and Dickey Moore in "Star Witness" which will be the Sunday feature at Warner Bros. Elsinore today.



"Homicide Squad" is a tribute to the police force of the land and the above leaves you to guess the topic of conversation. This play is the feature today at Warner Bros. Capitol.



The gay story of "Penrod and Sam" is suggested from this scene from the picture of that name which will come to Warner Bros. Elsinore Friday and Saturday.

COOPER, LOMBARD AT THE HOLLYWOOD

In "I Take this Woman", an Adaptation from Rinehart Novel

Weather delays were eliminated in the filming of "I Take This Woman," today's attraction at the Hollywood theatre, featuring Gary Cooper and Carole Lombard, by a clever "staggering" of indoor and outdoor scenes.

The action of the story, shifting between New York's smart world of riotous night clubs and luxurious apartments, and Wyoming's wild and rugged ranches, gave the picture directors opportunity to push production. On clear days, the company travelled many miles from the Hollywood studio, starting early in the morning, to the Paramount ranch, where exterior scenes were made. When weather was uncertain, interior "shots" were made.

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Buron Fitts Lauds Show Coming Here

Earl Rice, manager for Warner Bros. theatres in Salem, has received an interesting bit from Los Angeles in the way of a letter written by Buron Fitts, district attorney for Los Angeles county, wherein Mr. Fitts speaks of the production "The Star Witness," the picture which will be featured at the Elsinore today.

DADDY LONG LEGS COMING TO GRAND

Probably the most prized distinction in filmdom is the winning of the annual awards to the actor and actress who have given the finest performance during the past year. These awards, made by the Motion Picture Academy of Arts and Sciences, are Hollywood's equivalent of the Nobel prize, and they mean more to the fortunate candidates than any other possible honor they may ever attain.

Thus the fact that Janet Gaynor and Warner Baxter in "Daddy Long Legs" are the winners of the best actress and best actor awards is an indication of the picture's quality. Miss Gaynor was the coveted distinction in 1930 for her work in "Seventh Heaven," "Street Angel" and "Sunrise," while Baxter's award was for his portrayal of the half-breed bandit in "In Old Arizona," the screen's first outdoor talkie.

Since the time, both players have repeatedly scored in Fox film offerings, and appear together for the first time in the delightful Fox screen version of Jean Webster's play. Una Merkel, Joan Arledge, Claude Gillingwater, Sr., and Kathlyn Williams head the supporting cast of this production, which was directed by Alfred Santell.

Miss Webster is the famous authoress of "Daddy Long Legs," "Writings is not all a flash of inspiration, according to Miss Webster.

"I had the idea and the name 'Daddy Long Legs' in storage, as I might say, for two years," she declares, "before I began to write the book—the tall young philanthropist, who sends an orphan girl through college."

Miss Webster, a grandniece of Mark Twain, began to write while still a Vassar undergraduate. A volume of short stories, "When Patty Went to College," won her national prominence. Best selling novels followed, till she touched the crest of her skill and popularity in "Daddy Long Legs."

Noah Beery has gone straight. The man who has played more villainous "heavies" than any other screen actor is finding unusual enjoyment in his featured role in Universal's "Homicide Squad" because instead of playing the role of a crook, he apprehends them.

The expression "the villain still pursued her" and Noah Beery have been synonymous in screen-dom for the past twelve years. However, "Homicide Squad," now playing at Warner Bros. Capitol theatre, finds the veteran actor a persistent police officer who tracks a band of hi-jackers for months and finally brings their leader to justice by employing extraordinary means to produce a confession of guilt of murder and robbery.

Leo Carrillo, Mary Brian and Russell Gleason are featured with Beery in this new Universal picture which George Melford is directing.

"Just - Gigolo" Here Wednesday

A former Austrian army officer plays a comedy Frenchman in William Haines' latest starring picture, "Just A Gigolo," based on the Belasco stage success, "Dancing Partner." The new picture, which will come Wednesday to Warner Bros. Elsinore theatre, is a romantic drama of Europe, with Haines in an unusual role as a British nobleman. The heroine is Irene Purcell. In the role she played on the stage, C. Aubrey Smith, Charlotte Granville, Lilyan



The Grand will present for a week beginning Sunday "Daddy Long Legs" with Janet Gaynor and Warner Baxter in the feature roles. The above is a glimpse of one of the more "sentimental" scenes of this "once upon a time" story.

Bond and Albert Conti have important roles.

The Call Board

ELSINORE
Today—Charles "Chic" Sale in "Star Witness."
Wednesday—William Haines and Irene Purcell in "Just a Gigolo."
Friday—"Penrod and Sam."
CAPITOL
Today—William Boyd, Lilyan Tashman in "Murder by the Clock."
Wednesday—Richard Arlen in "Caught."
Friday—Leo Carrillo in "The Homicide Squad."
GRAND
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HOLLYWOOD
Today—Gary Cooper in "I Take This Woman."
Wednesday—Paul Lukas in "Women Love Once."
Friday—Leslie Howard in "Never the Twain Shall Meet."

Gary Cooper and Carole Lombard in a romantic shot from the picture "I take this Woman" now playing at the Hollywood. Carole looks very undecided about something, and it looks as though it might be Gary.

Chic Sale Depicts Real Characters; Comes Here Today in "Star Witness"

Charles (Chic) Sale, now at the Elsinore theatre in his first picture "The Star Witness," a Warner Bros. production, is held in high regard by millions as one of the really great creative artists. He is not a comedian in the ordinary sense of the word, for his humor lies in his character—in his Lem Putt, Bessie Bolch—Filibert Twitch—and Gran'pa Summerill, the man who knew Lincoln and Bessie and Filbert are among Sale's favorite characters though he has done over thirty dollars.

Sale, to protect his material he put "The Specialist" in book form that he might copyright it. Fame, and fortune, followed. The publisher of the little volume had anticipated at best a sale of a few thousand copies. More than a million copies have been sold to date and Sale owns the publishing company that made the initial printing, having bought it out of a part of the proceeds of his authorship.

"In a way that book has damaged my reputation as an actor, if I ever had much of a reputation," Sale complains with a smile. "People invariably say, 'Oh, yes, you're the fellow that wrote the little book.' They never remember me for my years of work on the stage, or if they do they rarely refer to it."

Featured in "The Star Witness" with Mr. Sale are Walter Huston and Frances Starr. Others in the fine cast are Sally Blane, Grant Mitchell, Edward J. Nugent, Dicky Moore, Ralph Luce, Tom Dugan, Russell Hopton, Fletcher Norton, Robert Elliott, Guy D'Emery, George Ernst, Mike Donlin, Noel Madison, Ed Deering and Nat Pendleton. The story is by Lucien Hubbard. William A. Wellman directed.

Louise Dresser Smokes Stoggies But not Addict
Louise Dresser is one up on women who smoke cigarettes. For she has successfully smoked stoggies—which are the next higher calibre—just between a cigarette and a panatella.

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