

Hide Your Specs and Your Spare Tire--Clark's in Town

EVERYTHING IS FOOD FOR HIM

Razors, Tacks, Windshields Relished by Rolla Who's At Elsinore Theatre

Featuring a menu he advises Salem housewives to serve only to newspaper columnists and radio crooners. Rolla Clark, the mystery-of-nature man, made a good meal last night on the stage of the Elsinore theatre out of glass,

every and razor blades. A Dodge windshield, one of the Triple-X Shatterproof kind, you know--from Bonesteel's formed the piece de resistance for the gentleman with the unusual appetite, and enough is left for plate-lunch, tea and dinner at the theatre today and tomorrow. To sharpen his appetite Clark will eat with his meals today the tacks from one of the shoes in Bishop's stock.

Salad for him consists of old-fashioned lamp shades, preferably with the lampblack scraped off. The shades are furnished by Pay'n Takit and in observation of "Salad Week" those good grocers are furnishing Best Foods Mayonnaise. Although accustomed to eating all sorts of hardware, Clark said yesterday that he real-

ly appreciated good groceries and that he doubt the Best Foods dressing would make even glass lamp chimneys more palatable.

Remember how one of "Helen's Babies" cried because he wanted to see the "wheels go round?" Clark makes the wheels go down--an entire watch at a sitting if the spectators so desire. With such an expensive diet he can no longer claim the depression drove him to it. You'd think the man who ate the machinery would be termed the goat, but the watches come from R. C. Aiken the jeweler.

And from the Capital Drug store--you're thinking he'd need to patronize a drug store--he has obtained enough safety razor blades to last the remainder of the week for gastronomic purposes. He likes pliable blades and the sharper they are the slicker they go down.

"It's largely a matter of muscular control," says Clark, a native of Missouri--and he shows 'em in his performances with every show at the Elsinore today and tomorrow!

A special feature which will stress the desert end of the menu is scheduled to be presented free in front of the theatre Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock when Clark will eat a portion of a Jumbo General tire from the Jim and Bill super-service station.

"I used to tell the crowds that if the depression got much worse I might have to replace my diet of knick-knacks and hardware for a bale of hay, but with the entire country eating hay and liking it, 'twouldn't pay now so I imagine I'll have to continue along this line, swallowing hook, line and sinker," says the human incinerator.

Insists Home is His; Intruder to Be Investigated

When Fred Carr, route 7, returned home last night he found his home occupied by Jerry Caswell, an elderly man, who insisted that he owned the place and that Carr had no business there. Although there were electric lights in the house, Caswell had lighted a lamp, without a chimney, and was making his way about by lamplight.

Carr communicated with the sheriff's office and had Caswell apprehended. Late last night he was taken to the state hospital for further examination by authorities.

'Positively Not'



Although it may be just another "news item," Loretta Young snapped informally while vacationing at Del Monte with Spencer Tracy and a party of friends, said she was "positively not" engaged to Tracy. Persistent rumor had it that the pair would soon wed. Tracy is separated from his wife.

CAPITAL WATCHING HAVANA ANXIOUSLY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—(AP)—Retreating a determination to avoid intervention in Cuba at any cost except serious threat to American lives, the administration kept anxious watch today over sporadic disturbances in widely spread sections of the island.

Although the high peak of tension here apparently had been lowered, the Washington government clearly was disturbed over disorders to the south and east of Havana.

Secretary Hull at a meeting with newspapermen showed some pleasure in reporting that an army sergeant at Santiago, one of the trouble spots, had guaranteed protection for American lives and property.

The American warship there would not be removed, however, Hull added, until complete assurance of safety had been given by the consul and the naval officer in charge. He made clear no such word had been received.

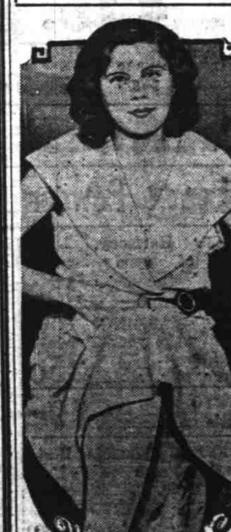
The U. S. S. Nitro, ammunition and supply ship, headed toward Cuba from Hampton Roads, Virginia, carrying fuel and supplies for the American fleet. No indication was given that the war vessels would leave Cuban waters soon.

Nurse Held for Slaying Former Employer, Grace

SANTA CRUZ, Calif., Sept. 14.—(AP)—Miss Wilhelmina Welts, 43-year-old nurse who police declare admitted she "stalked" Frank J. M. Grace, retired capitalist, for 18 months to kill him, was held to answer on a murder charge here today.

Miss Welts sat through the preliminary hearing without any outward show of emotion as witness old of the fatal shooting of Grace in the garden of his summer home on the beach hill last Saturday night. Her brother and sister, William and Meta Welts, of Connellsville, Pa., who reached Santa Cruz by automobile from the Oakland airport after a plane trip west, were present in court.

Slays Annoyer



Mrs. Mills Prince, of Astoria, N. Y., pictured after her arrest when she confessed stabbing to death Charles Wolfert, Astoria jeweler, for whom she had formerly worked. Mrs. Prince told police Wolfert had persistently forced his attentions upon her, forcing her and her husband to quit their jobs.

AIR STAMP FORGERS ACTIVE

A fresh epidemic of stamp forgeries has appeared in Europe, and stamp dealers and collectors are being warned against them. The forgers appear to be concentrated on spurious air-mail stamps and so many have appeared on the market that a philatelic organization has sent out to its members a check list. Some air-mail stamps are worth \$2,000 each, and there are not many of them, which makes it easier for the forgers to dispose of their imitations. A member of the Royal Philatelic society stated in London that in some cases so clever was the forger that it had taken weeks to establish the fact that the stamp was spurious. "Often a stamp is sent to the other side of the world to prove whether it is genuine or not," he said. "The most difficult forgeries to detect are those that have been made by photographing originals."

CLARK, "The Mystery of Nature" Appearing at the Elsinore Today and Tomorrow

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Rolla A. Clark
 APPEARS AT THE EL SINORE TONIGHT, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

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ROLLA A. CLARK DOES IT!

You can take our word for it—Mr. Clark, appearing at the Elsinore theatre this week, actually does chew and swallow the works out of a watch chosen from our stock. The works constitute the main course, the crystal he takes for dessert.

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