MOTION PICTURE NEWS

PASTIME SUNDAY AND MONDAY

A terrific fight between rival gangs of thugs is just one of the big dramatic thrills in "Rich Girl, Poor Girl" which is to open it local engagement at the Pastime Theatre on Sunday with Gladys Walton in the starring role. The story fairly tingles with romance and adventure and is Miss Walton's briskest screen role since "Pink Tights."

ALTA SUNDAY AND MONDAY

FOX HUNT OVER BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY IN "THE LITTLE CLOWN"

The scenes of Mary Miles Minter's latest picture play, "The Little Clown," are not all laid in the circus tent. Many of the most beautiful exteriors ever seen in a Minter picture are included in the footage, among others a thrilling fox hunt.

Unfortunately Miss Minter, who is an expert horse-woman, was, according to the plot, not invited to the hunting party, but left sadly at home, so screen fans who have admired her riding and hurdle jumping in other pictures, notably in "Nurse Marjorie," will not see her among the fox hunters in "The Little Clown."

ARCADE TODAY

The performance tonight of "Drag Harlan" at the Arcade Theatre marks the close of the latest of the William Farnum star series made in the schedule of William Fox. Apparently nothing has been overlooked that could make this picture intensely interesting. The action has the delightful tang of the old days of the Western Plains when gun-fighting was both an indoor and an outdoor sport, when good men and bad ones "went out" with their boots on; when a quick trigger finger was a man's best life insurance, when a pretty girl was a treasure that all men coveted, and gold was something to be battled for. All people who love to read stories of the West, who are interested in the tricks of gun-fighting resorted to by America's old-time outlaws and cowpunchers, find "Drag Harlan" very much to their liking. J. Gordon Edwards directed the production.

ARCADE SUNDAY AND MONDAY

CONSTANCE TALMADGE TO INTRODUCE STYLES

In addition to appearing in the chic costume of a French maid, Constance Talmadge will be seen in some very smart and up-to-the-minute styles in her latest Associated First National releases, "Lessons in Love," which comes to the Arcade Theatre Sunday for an engagement of two days. For Constance and her sister Norma recently signed a contract with Lucien Lelong, one of the best known couturiers in Paris, whereby they agree to have Lelong furnish them with twelve models per year. These day and evening gowns will be the very last word in ultra-chic advance styles, and will be introduced into America exclusively by the Talmadges. By the terms of the contract, water color sketches and samples of material are submitted to the Talmadges of every unique style or novel design as soon as it is brought out by Lelong, and in this way the Talmadge sisters will be able to show on the screen the very newest changes in style long before they become generally adopted by the American public.

SOCIALIST LEADER IS GIVEN UNKIND RECEPTION

BOONE, Iowa, July 30.—(I.U. P.)—Iowa is giving Mrs. Ida Crouch Haslett, a New York socialist leader, decidedly an unkind reception. Jeering crowds are obstructing all efforts to talk and doughnuts and other forms of pastry are greeting her when she takes the stand to speak. She persisted here last night and finished her talk despite the drowning shouts of the crowd.

A corps of confidential clerks opens the president's mail and such communications as the president ought to see are briefed and a written synopsis of its contents and the writer's name are pinned to each letter. Requests for charity are so numerous that a special "form" is used in replying. Letters from persons on the same subject are bunched and the arguments pro and con are briefed.

THREE OF A KIND

MOONSHINER ARRESTED NEAR OFFNER STATION

WALLA WALLA, Wash., July 30.—Moonshine in abundance, with the instruments of its manufacture as well, were taken in yesterday by Sheriff Charles J. Spriger when he carried out a raid at the home of Louis Wendt near Offner Station. Herman Benson, who is employed by Wendt, was placed under arrest by the sheriff on a charge of manufacturing for sale the intoxicating liquor. Wendt was not at home at the time of the raid, and so is still at large.

A 50-gallon still, a huge copper tank, pressure gauge, gas stove, sieves tunnels and other instruments for the manufacture of the booze were taken in the raid. Eight filled gallon jugs, three half-gallon jugs and a five gallon crock partially filled with moonshine were also brought back to the county jail.

The booze layout was hidden in a 12 by 20 foot dugout under the Wendt home. The entrance to the underground house was by the tunnel method, the tunnel beginning at the south side of the house, zigzagging to the north side and then turning down to the dugout.

Benson was arrested last fall by the Oregon authorities of Umatilla county on a similar charge, and was later convicted. At that time he was operating a still in a field and fearing that his footsteps would be followed he constructed boots that left tracks exactly comparing to those of unshod horses. The guise proved insufficient, however, as did the zigzag tunnel to the later liquor emphorium.

WINS MONEY, TURNS RUGMAKER

MARISSA, Ill., July 30.—(I. N. S.)—A new limousine stands in front of the residence of Edward Brown, miner. It is a portion of his newly acquired wealth. Brown was bequeathed $50,000 by an uncle, Daniel Fraser, former vice-president of a Washington bank.

Brown will make rugs during the remainder of his life, the fortune permitting him to fulfill a life-long desire.

INVESTIGATION WILL START IN SENATE SOON

WASHINGTON, July 30.—(I. C. Martin, U. P. Correspondent.)—Inquiry regarding the necessity of keeping the American troops in Germany is scheduled to start in the senate within the next few days. The inquiry will be based on: Why are the troops not brought home following peace establishment with Germany? When will they come home? What steps are being taken to obtain $240,000,000 from Germany for the support of the American army during its occupation of the Rhine territory?

Senators Borah and Johnson are planning to lead the movement to investigate the inquiry.

Certain shoe stores are using the X-ray machine to determine when shoes fit and when they do not. The customer stands on a platform and by looking through the hood of the apparatus, views the X-ray image of the feet and shoes. Only a low power tube is used with ample protection for both customer and salesman.

King's Mother

Queen Alexandra, mother of King George is interested in the welfare of foundling children. Here she is at a foundling hospital holding a babe named Peggy Alexandra.