

At 80, "Little Buttercup" Seeks Youth

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NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Carrie King, famous in the '70's as "Little Buttercup" in the original production of Gilbert and Sullivan's "H. M. S. Pinafore," wants to undergo her second rejuvenation operation at 80 years of age!

A battered, weak little woman, uncomplainingly bed-ridden in a modest hotel room in New York's "Hoaring Forties," she longs for her old home in Paris.

"I want to go back to that I can have another stand operation. I need my strength to write my memoirs and pay my bills."

Refreshed Youth

Carrie King is said to have been the first patient of Dr. Serge Voronoff, the noted Viennese gland surgeon. Though an arduous ordeal, she says it gave her renewed strength for a while. Her friends remarked her freshened looks as she strolled the Parisian boulevards, a jeweled monkey on her hat as a talisman.

Paris had been her home for years, ever since she left her husband, Charles King. Her little Parisian home was the Mecca for celebrities—the late Lillian Russell, who was her life-long friend; Mary Garden, Ganna Walsky, Nat Goodwin and others. In Paris she was called "The Angel of Montparnasse" for the help she gave needy artists.

Came Adversity

Two years ago, she came back to America for a cataract operation. Following it was an accident which has kept her bed-ridden for 15 long months, and which consequently has exhausted her funds. She sold her fur coat and other good clothes. She pawned her jewels, and when discovered recently by an old friend, she was penniless, half-starved and worried sick by her unpaid hotel bill.

"How could I ask my friends for money? I have always paid my own way!" is her answer to the suggestion that she might have got in touch with some of the many she has befriended.



CARRIE KING AS "LITTLE BUTTERCUP"



"a battered weak little woman"—CARRIE KING TODAY



As LONDON knew her in 1879

"As recently as two years ago I paid \$50 for a box to the opening of 'Trelawny of the Wells' when my old friend, John Drew, wanted to give me a seat."

"There's a certain archaic twinkle in Carrie King's big, hazel eyes. And there's a pink ribbon tied around her bobbed white hair. A dozen empty lotion bottles on her dresser testify to meticulous grooming before adversity came."

"Of course my hair is bobbed," she says, matter-of-factly. "Just because it is white it doesn't mean I'm aged, either. I've always been white-headed, and married, too, for that matter. Both happened before I was 19."

S. E. and L. H. Russell

"After I quit the stage, I wrote for a New York newspaper from Paris, all about interesting actors, actresses and the latest music. Those were the days when Lillian Russell was writing beauty stories for the press and an editor kept telling her to 'cut out the philosophy and give more beauty' and she would answer, 'How can you tell them apart?'"

"I remember when handsome Charles R. Thorne joined our Union Square Opera Company in New York. Girls used to write me notes to get back to Paris. I'll be all right. I'll get strong there. I have a contract to write my memoirs and I won't be satisfied now until I get back there, have another operation and get to work."

Youth Is Killed By High Voltage

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The ground in time to escape the fate of his companion.

A five-year-old boy who was riding on the wagon, was terrified as he witnessed the tragedy and saw Kennedy's hair burst into flames as the wire touched the latter's head. The boy heeded the calls of McReynolds to jump, just in time to save his wife for had he come into contact with any metal on the wagon he too would have been killed. It was declared.

Rescue Impossible

Jim Hess, who with his father, were first to see the accident, ran towards the wagon and was ready to climb upon it to aid the stricken Kennedy when he felt the electrical magnetism. Unable to move for a few seconds, he finally leaped clear of the vehicle.

His father ran up and slapped the standing horse, forcing the animal to drag its fallen mate and the wagon free of the power line. Kennedy was dead when removed from the wagon.

Several Hundred Believed Drowned

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5,2000 ton, three decker, twin screw, steel steamer.

It is 485.2 feet long, 55.6 feet wide and 37.6 feet deep.

The vessel is equipped with wireless.

It was built in 1908 in Italy by the society Esercizio Dacini. Its owners are the Navigation General Italiana company. Its port of registry is Genoa, Italy.

Details of the sinking of the Mafalda are extremely late in reaching Buenos Aires, owing to slowness of communication which must be received over the Brazilian National Telegraph system from Rio de Janeiro.

Carried Emigrants

Bahia, Brazil, Oct. 25. (UP)—The Italian steamship Principeps on Mafalda is reported to have sunk somewhere between Bahia and Pernambuco, according to wireless messages received here.

The fragmentary messages reported that 220 passengers had been saved, but gave no indication of the fate of the others.

Information here is that the Principeps Mafalda, which was proceeding to Buenos Aires, carried 1300 passengers, the majority of them emigrants.

Ex-Army Chaplain Held For Crime

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25. (AP)—Orville I. Clamplitt, 32, former army chaplain, was arrested at Culver City near here today, after a youthful burglar suspect had been taken into custody while driving Clamplitt's auto. He told officers he had never given the youth, Spencer Farley, 15, permission to drive the car, but had allowed him to sleep in it nights.

Farley is said to have confessed to seven burglaries. He was arrested last Saturday in Glendale, a northern suburb.

Officers said Clamplitt's young daughter had received several presents from Farley which were believed stolen. Among them two watches, both of which, according to police, were turned over to the former chaplain.

Clamplitt told police he had no knowledge of Farley's alleged criminal activities and never suspected anything until a neighbor boy asked him if he had sold Farley his auto. The boy said he had seen Farley driving the car.

Somewhat of a reputation was caused about a year ago when Clamplitt was accused in Leavenworth, Kansas, by a beauty parlor operator. He was acquitted of the charges she brought against him.

Oakridge Block Swept by Flames

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of fixtures and equipment as well as the buildings.

The fire is thought to have started in the rear of one of the pool halls and was noticed by the night clerk in Stanley's Cafe, reports from Oakridge indicate.

The entire town turned out to fight the blaze, which reached such proportions that a number of residents moved their belongings out of their houses.

Water was obtained by attaching the hose to the Southern Pacific's water mains.

No injury or loss of life was reported.

The town of Oakridge is one of the important points on the Southern Pacific Cascade line between Klamath Falls and Eugene. Oakridge is located about half-way between Eugene and the summit of the Cascade line.

Railway Merger Parley Is Fierc

ST. PAUL, Oct. 25. (UP)—The ghost of the unsuccessful 1923 Great Northern-St. Paul railroad consolidation hearing appeared in the Northern's unfinished plan proceedings today, made one ominous gesture and vanished.

It vanished when director Charles Mahaffie, ruled that at-

torney Frederick H. Woe, opposing unification, could not cross examine D. P. Turaburke, general auditor of the Great Northern, concerning evidence he had given four years ago when it was proposed to merge the Great Northern, Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul road.

The directors' decision brought a sudden calm to an afternoon of strife between counsel witnesses and even the director during the second day of the hearing before the Interstate Commerce commission of the application of the Great Northern Pacific to lease the properties of the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Spokane, Portland & Seattle and to acquire stock control of the two Northerns.

year, Mrs. Francis W. Grayson told the United Press tonight that she is considering "what is wisest to do."

Asked whether that meant that she was definitely considering postponement of the flight until next spring, the former school-marm said she did not intend to make a fourth start "in spite of everything" but would only go if all conditions were propitious.

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General Motors Noses Out Steel

NEW YORK, Oct. 25. (UP)—The United States Steel corporation was forced to stand on the curb today and watch a comparatively new entrant crowned king of giant money-makers.

It was quarterly dividends day in Wall street, and General Motors corporation led all the rest by reporting earnings for the first nine months of 1927 of \$10.75 a common share, while United States Steel earnings were only \$7.74 a share.

And this was only part of the story. General Motors set a new record in its profits for the first three quarters of 1927, nearly equalling the amount earned dur-

ing its previous record year of 1926. United States Steel, on the other hand, made a poorer showing than in any quarter since June, 1925.

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Mayor Thompson suggests Soldiers' Field as an appropriate spot for the Democratic convention. It would prove a saving—if they haven't taken the ring down yet.

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Markets

NEW YORK, Oct. 25. (AP)—Disregarding recent unfavorable corporation reports and disappointing railroad earnings statements, the stock market today was driven upward in the brisk competition to buy stocks as cheaply as possible. The purgative of the market recently appeared to have placed it in a position affording ample justification for a natural rebound and when prices began to mount, conservative interests awaiting definite signs of a check to the recent liquidation, commenced to buy.

Shorts who had over stepped the market, rushed to cover, adding to the upward impetus, which seemed to sweep away all opposition.

Several specialties rose to new peaks for the year, particularly in the drug group. United drug, Lambert, Sterling products, American Insect, Columbia carbon, U. S. leather, Warren brothers and United States leather "A" and prior preferred were in the list of shares selling at new high prices for 1927.

A sudden drop in Wabash was without effect on the general list.

The closing was strong, specialties were in the van of the final hours upward whirl of prices. American Machine and Foundry common scored 13 points to a record high and the preferred issue with Abraham and Strauss, International silver, International harvester, U. S. east iron pipe and Dupont gained

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