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Alcyon Theatre

THE PICK OF THE PICTURES AND SELECT ENTERTAINERS

SUNDAY & MONDAY, DEC. 13-14
MAE MURRAY
 A ROMANTIC DRAMA
The MASKED BRIDE
 with
FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN
 Mae Murray as the beautiful dancer of gay Paris. Wonderful gowns and gorgeous settings as well as an unusual story makes this production one of Mae Murray's best also a comedy: "TOLERABLE ROMEO" and KINGOGRAM
 SUNDAY: First performance at 8 p. m. Second at 7:45 Third at 9:15

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, DEC. 15-16
 A picture of vital interest to every Man, Woman and Child
The FOOL
 Produced from CHANNING POLLOCK'S sensational stage success and even greater as a motion picture
 with
EDMUND LOWE
 AND A SPLENDID SUPPORTING CAST
 It rings with life and truth, pulsates with action, glows with a deep spiritual significance. You will hear this picture talked of for years.
 also FELIX CAT COMEDY and INTERNATIONAL NEWS

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, DEC. 17-18
DORIS KENYON, LLOYD HUGHES
HOBART BOSWORTH
 in
The HALF WAY GIRL
 Action—thrills—excitement—in the kind of a show you love to see. YOU'VE READ ABOUT IT—YOU'VE TALKED ABOUT IT—NOW SEE IT!!
 SHIP WAS BLOWN UP FOR A MOVIE THRILL—NOW SEE IT!!
 and LATEST INTERNATIONAL NEWS
 also a comedy: OUR GANG in "YOUR OWN BACK YARD"

SATURDAY, DEC. 19
BUCK JONES
 in
The DESERT PRICE
 from the novel by WILLIAM McLEOD RAINE
 Bucking Bronchos and Bare Flats Combine for RI-roaring Drama
 EDUCATIONAL COMEDY and PATHE NEWS
 SPECIAL ATTRACTION
CHARLESTON CONTEST
 for
 ADULTS AND THE KIDDIES
 Come on, Local Charleston Fans—win a cash prize
 DANCE THE CHARLESTON

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM LAKE COUNTY

NEIGHBORHOOD JOTTINGS

Interesting Happenings Here and There on North Shore and Vicinity: County Seat Doings

Fire last week destroyed the farm house of R. F. Bond two miles west of Gurnee, and threatened other buildings on the farm.

Stricken with heart disease as he walked into his sick wife's room, Frank Kasper, laborer at Lake Marie, died suddenly last week.

After one man had been arrested on a charge of stealing tires from an automobile parked at a dance hall at Long Grove, two friends, taking exception to the fate of their friend, started to right things by handing a beating to a deputy.

A mysterious fire, apparently started by tramps, Sunday noon razed the old barn of the Arcady North Farm, last Sunday about noon. The building was an old one, and the loss is very small.

The Fox Lake region continues to attract considerable attention from acre buyers. William Brandenburg has purchased from the estate of Thomas Nicholson, the 251-acre farm one and one-half miles south of Ingleside, between Ingleside and Volo, for \$75,000.

Frank A. Hurlbert, age 75, of 682 Carmel boulevard, Zion, died at 11:45 o'clock recently. Pneumonia was the cause. Mr. Hurlbert is survived by his wife and several grown children.

Injuries sustained when he fell from the roof of a building in Volo caused the death last week of Victor Johnson, age 30, of Chicago, an employe of the L. H. Sohn company of Chicago, a sheet and metal concern.

Thrown from a speeding automobile which ran off the road, Miss Marian Conway of Chicago, was killed last week on the Rand road near Libertyville. Her escort, J. Fraser, also of Chicago, received severe injuries, which may cause his death.

An important meeting was held recently in Wauconda when stockholders of the little railroad running from Wauconda to Lake Zurich and on to Palatine held a meeting to discuss a proposition made recently by promoters who have been trying to bring about a deal for the sale of the railroad whereby the new purchasers will rehabilitate it and put it into operation.

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Pearl Theatre

HIGH CLASS PHOTOPLAYS

SUNDAY—Continuous 2:30 to 11 p. m. —
 DOUBLE FEATURE
BIG PAL
 with
William Russell Julianne Johnston
Mary Carr Mickey Bennett
 An original story of a square fighter in the squared circle.
Starlight the Untamed
 with
JACK PERRIN
STARLIGHT, The Wonder Horse
REX, The Collie Dog, and others
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 PATHE NEWS PERILS OF THE WILD, Chapter No. 1

MONDAY & TUESDAY
 DOUBLE FEATURE
SEALED LIPS
 with
DOROTHY REVIER CULLEN LANDIS
 A gripping drama of a beautiful woman's love struggle
LISTEN LESTER
 JOHN CORT'S FAMOUS STAGE HIT
 with
Louise Fazenda Harry Myers Alec Francis
Eva Novak George O'Hara Lee Moran
 If you're pining for a good, healthy laugh—here's the doctor for you. It's filled with fun from start to finish.
 FOX NEWS

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
 A MIGHTY THEME MOULDED INTO UNFORGETTABLE DRAMA!
Capital Punishment
 Portrayed by a great cast
CLARA BOW ELLIOTT DEXTER
ROBERT ELLIS, ALEC FRANCIS, MARY CARR
Margaret Livingston, George Hackathorne
 "Capital Punishment" — is it justice or barbarism? You'll know when you see the picture. YOU HAVE TALKED ABOUT IT — YOU HAVE THOUGHT ABOUT IT — YOU HAVE READ ABOUT IT—
 Comedy: JIMMIE ADAMS in "FAIR BUT FOOLISH"
 FOX NEWS

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 A startling action story of the West
 Comedy: "WHAT'S UP?" SPORTLIGHT "WHY KIDS LEAVE HOME"

SATURDAY—Matinee 2:30 p. m. —
 DOUBLE FEATURE
THE SPORTING CHANCE
 with
Lou Tellegen Dorothy Phillips
George Fawcett, Theodore Von Eltz
 A drama of Society and the sport of kings — thrilling horse race
YOUTH and ADVENTURE
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RICHARD TALMADGE
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"The weakest point in democracy has always been lack of appreciation of expert knowledge." Professor Michael Pupin, of Columbia university, noted scientist and inventor, whose early research first made long-distance telephone communication successful, is authority for the statement, also declaring that expert knowledge required to conduct utilities efficiently would, under government control, be lacking.

"Europe," says Dr. Pupin, "affords the best example of a futile attempt to operate public utilities successfully."

"Railroads, telegraphy, telephony and radio broadcasting, electrical lighting and electrical transmission of power are certainly public utilities," said Professor Pupin, "but the intelligent people of the United States will never consent that these things, requiring an enormous amount of expert knowledge, be placed under government ownership."

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NINETY PER CENT OF AUTOS MADE IN U. S.

More than ninety per cent of the automobiles in the world are manufactured in the United States. This statement is vouchered for by the automobile division of the Department of Commerce. Cars and trucks built in American factories during the year 1924 total three million six hundred and forty thousand one hundred and eight, while the estimated production of Great Britain, France, Italy and Germany was only three hundred and thirty thousand. Added to these countries might be the smaller production of Belgium, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Switzerland and Sweden, and then the total produced in Europe would not exceed three hundred and fifty thousand.

MORE CARS THAN PHONES

There are over two million more automobiles than telephones in daily use in the United States. There are 17,740,236 cars in operation, while the number of telephones is 15,369,454. This means that there are 100 motor cars for every 86 telephones.

ALL-YEAR SCHOOL

All-the-year sessions are proposed for the high schools of Omaha, Neb., following the successful experience of the technical high school with the four-quarter plan. This school has been operating 48 weeks a year for 7 years, and the plan has proved very satisfactory. A 4-year class is graduated at the end of each 12-week quarter. Bright and energetic pupils may complete the entire course in three years. The other three high schools have already adopted an 8-week summer session.—School Life.

Maybe the reason Americans are so opposed to war is that we work it all out of our systems during the football season.

Now that the Greek and Bulgarian trouble has quieted down momentarily the League of Nations might see what it can do with the sword of Damascus.

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