

### Star's Emotional Interpretation Rare

It has been said of Lois Moran that her emotional work on the audible screen has much of the pathetic quality characteristic of Duse in her younger years.

This striking tribute, made at the time of Lois' first big success in "Stella Dallas," is especially fitting now that Lois has surpassed that earlier performance with her latest featured role for Fox Movietone in "The Dancers."

Chandler Sprague directed this Movietone from the famous play by Sir Gerald Du Maurier and Viola Tree.

The excellent supporting cast includes Phillips Holmes, Walter Byron, Mae Clarke, Mrs. Patrick Campbell and Tyrrell Davis.

So-called progressive leaders shun the idea of a third party, indicating that they think the Republican and Democratic bandwagons are good vehicles to ride on even if they do climb down the day after election.

### "Big Money" Creates Popular Appeal

Equally packed with drama, thrill and comedy, "Big Money" will exert wide popular appeal. You've had gangster stories aplenty, but never a comedy version of underworld characters who care not who make or enforce the nation's laws, so long as they can gather in the coin. Eddie Quillan as a wise-cracking messenger boy in Wall street, Robert Armstrong as an underworld character who takes Quillan under his wing, and James Gleason, with his inimitable derby and language, contribute to make "Big Money" an unforgettable delight.

Frank Albertson, popular screen juvenile, portrays a light comedy role in "Just Imagine," new DeSylva, Brown and Henderson Fox movietone musical production, directed by David Butler. The cast is headed by El Brendel and Maureen O'Sullivan. John Garrick and Majorie White are among the featured players.

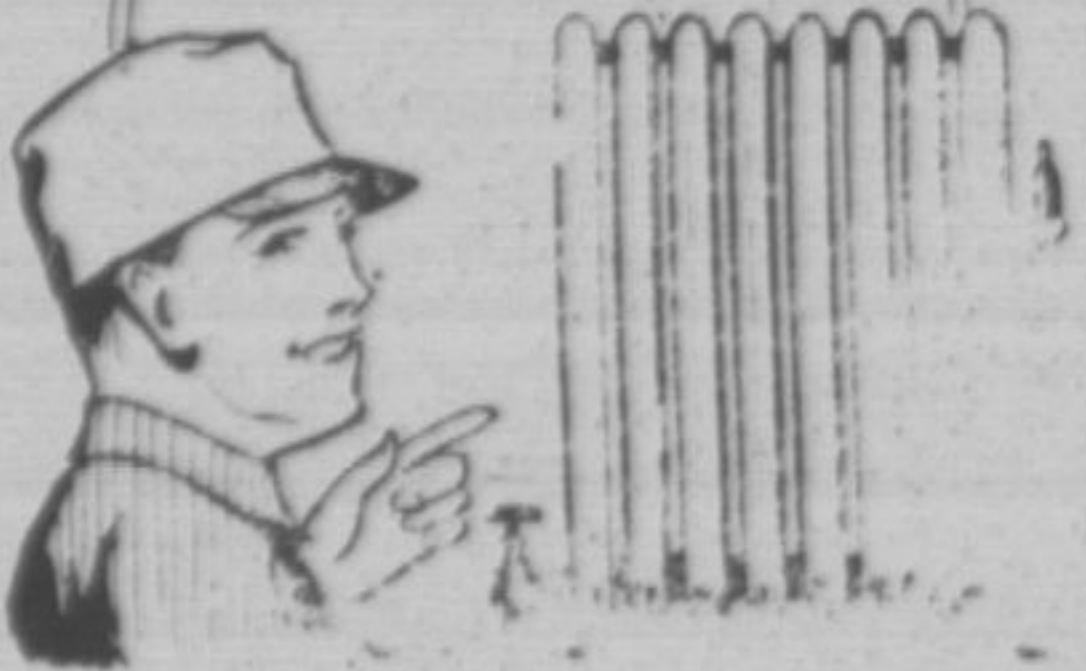
### Prolong Engagement of Ripples in Chicago

The unusual demand for an extension of time of the Fred Stone company, now appearing at the Illinois theatre, Chicago, has prompted the Erlanger forces in New York to continue the stay of this frolicsome production indefinitely. Tickets are now on sale at the box office until Feb. 14, St. Valentine's Day.

Arthur Houghton, acting as emissary for the New York office, attended the performance this last week and reported the presentation of "Ripples" to be fully one hundred per cent better than when shown in the metropolis, and it was mainly on this report that a continuance of the Chicago stay was granted. Mr. Houghton is now manager of the New Amsterdam theatre, in New York. On his visit he was accompanied by his wife, the former Sally Fisher, prima donna of many musical productions.

This remarkable production of "Ripples," with the clowning of Fred Stone, his two talented daughters, the perfect cast, including such principals as Andrew Tombes, Billy Taylor, Hilda Spong, Charles Collins, Cynthia Foley, Ruth Farrar, Gertrude Clemens, the Tiller dancing girls, the Midgets, and, last, but not least, Lollipop, the bear cub, has appeared to practically capacity business since the opening night, fully six weeks ago.

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### Property Revaluation in Deerfield Township Practically Finished

An increase in the assessed valuation of property in Highland Park and the rest of Deerfield township for 1931 has been indicated as a means of meeting some of the demands for necessary funds for the school system in the township.

Township assessor Martin Ringdahl and assistant assessor Martin Laing have been working on the revaluation of Highland Park and the rest of the township for some time. The last assessment valuation of 16 3/4 per cent of the real property value for taxing purposes was set in 1927.

This year, under state statutes, is the period for revaluation. Mr. Laing said that the assessed valuation would probably be increased to 20 per cent of the real value.

A revaluation was brought about by civic leaders and school officials in Highland Park, in order that they might secure an adequate income.

The district included in the valuation, the first made since 1915, takes in Highland Park, except that portion of the village which is a part of West Deerfield township, Highwood and the south end of Lake Forest.

The work of the survey was begun early in the fall. It is carried on systematically with each piece of property and its improvements considered separately, after being measured and an inventory made.

### Aldine in "Big Money"

Jimmie Aldine, popular juvenile actor who made his film debut with Clara Bow in "Down to the Sea in Ships," will be seen in "Big Money," a Pathe picture featuring Eddie Quillan, Robert Armstrong, James Gleason, Miriam Seegar and Margaret Livingston.

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