

D. A. R. Better Films Committee Review

Thanksgiving Day matinee and evening, Friday Nov 30, showing "The Richest Girl in the World" featuring Miriam Hopkins, Joel McCrea. An heiress takes a position as a secretary in order to find some one to love her for herself. A light frothy and highly improbable story is made charming and delightful by its good cast and expert direction, modern and well developed interiors fine photography and clever lines. Adults.

"Songs of the Colleges," Hall Roberts and his band in snappy college songs. Family.

"Man's Mania for Speed," adventures of the news-reel cameraman. An excellent subject dealing with man's methods of locomotion, the progress he has made, the speed he has attained in various sports and lines of endeavor. Family.

"Axe Me Another," Popeye the sailor, rescues a maiden in distress and matches his strength against a champ who doesn't like spinach. Is very amusing.

Saturday, Dec. 1, "Baby Take a Bow," with James Dunn and Claire Trevor. The personality and remarkable ability of small Shirley Temple comes to the front in this delightful comedy drama built around the struggle of an ex-convict who has paid his debt to society, to break with his past and make good for the wife and child he loves. The story treatment is fresh, wholesome and natural, the comedy-drama and human interest values high. Family.

"Water Polo," a Grantland Rice Sportlight. Ted Husing's comments and some exciting scenes of rough water sports. Very Good.

"Betty Boop's Little Pal," after many complications Betty is united with her dog. Family.

Saturday Matinee only, "Burn 'Em Barnes."

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Dec. 2-3-4. "Count of Monte Cristo" with Robert Dourat, Elissa Landi, Alexander Dumas' historical romance has been transferred to the screen with the painstaking care and all the elaborateness of detail it deserves. It is the story of one man, Edmund Dantes, innocently imprisoned and reported dead, who miraculously escapes and returns as the Count of Monte Cristo to work out his revenge on the men who tried to destroy him. A great production, worthy of the engrossing story on which it is based. Family.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Dec. 5-6-7, "Judge Priest," with Will Rogers. The plot of the film, a youthful romance which surmounts difficulties to a happy conclusion, is secondary to the delightful atmosphere of the "Old South" and the lovable portrait of the easy-going sentimental judge of the local court, who puts the spirit "above the letter of the law. Pleasantly emotional, whimsically humorous, with some good musical effects. This picture offers an hour of refreshing entertainment for the family.

BETTER HOUSING

The housing problem, which is receiving widespread attention at the present time, has long been a matter of interest to the League of Women Voters. For it has realized that this is not only a splendid way of relieving the unemployment situation, but an excellent approach to other social problems. Decent dwellings will do much to check the spread of tuberculosis, will reduce infant mortality, and by obliterating slums, will greatly reduce crime. Hence it welcomes the work of the seven federal agencies which are now involved in the housing program.

Doubt whom you will, but never yourself.—Bovee.

Ted Shawn and Dancers Appear At Studebaker

Ted Shawn and his ensemble of men dancers were guests of the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority of the Northwestern University last Sunday, Nov. 25, at a dinner and reception given at the sorority house.

Mr. Shawn and his group of eight men appeared in a program at the Studebaker Theatre Sunday afternoon. They presented their only Chicago performance at this time.

The dinner which was given in their honor, was held after their afternoon performance. At the reception, which was held from 9 o'clock until 10, Mr. Shawn received members of Orchesis, honorary dancing sorority of Northwestern. Miss Elaine Mohn, president of Alpha Gamma Delta and of Orchesis, was in charge of the arrangements.

Ted Shawn and his men dancers are the only attraction of this kind in the dance field. The troop's interpretation of the modern dance is acclaimed by critics throughout the United States and Canada.

They have won their fame in the manner of their dance, which combines "the complete freedom of the aesthetic with the faithful imitation of the realistic schools. The facial expressions, the disposition of the members of the body, the magnificent action, and the ever-changing composition make their performance superb."

Need of Money For Girl Scouting Is Explained

"The Girl Scouts need money. Without it, Scout work could not be carried on for the next year. If parents of Scouts and other Highland Parkers who believe in the broader, education will contribute liberally enough to complete the year's budget, it will go on," we are told.

Letters are being sent to parents and friends of the Girl Scouts by a committee headed by Mrs. Charles A. Wright, who is launching the 1934 drive for funds.

The question is not often asked, "What is Girl Scouting and why should I support it?" for there are few towns in the United States without living examples of the well rounded, useful home makers and citizens Girl Scouts become. And there are hundreds of them in Highland Park.

What is not known so generally is the answer to the question, "Why do Girl Scouts need money?" The troop leaders and the council members are of course volunteer workers, but without the frequent training courses which are the backbone and inspiration of Scouting, they would soon fall short of the present high level of leadership. Then there must be a paid director to co-ordinate the work, we are told. A great economy is effected in her salary by sharing her services with the Glencoe and Winnetka Girl Scout organizations. Nevertheless the expenses are considerable, and only by a ready and liberal response to the drive, can the budget for the year be completed.

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Clarita Martin To Give a Program In Winnetka

Clarita Martin will make her first public appearance in the middle west after a two year period, when she gives a recital of Spanish dances at the New Trier High School auditorium in Winnetka Monday evening, Dec. 17, under the direction of Rutheda L. Pretzel. Proceeds are to go to charity. Reserved seat tickets are on sale at the Winnetka Community House.

Authorities on the Spanish dance acclaim Miss Martin's work as being absolutely authentic. She shows proudly letters written to her by members of the Spanish nobility who witnessed her European performances, and in whose homes she often visited. During her last appearance abroad, at Lausanne, Switzerland, Don Alfonso, heir apparent to the Spanish throne, told her in person of his admiration for her dancing, and he complimented her on the integrity of her authentic dances.

Miss Martin's gorgeous costumes made even New York critics gasp with pleasure, when she appeared in recital at Town Hall several weeks ago, and during her California tour last spring she met also with enormous success because of her personal charm, the authenticity of her dances, and her stunning costumes. While offering a widely diversified program, she avoids any thing that has the appearance of imitation. Sometimes she uses a guitar accompaniment by Salvadora Ibanez, and sometimes her dances have piano accompaniment by Louis Laughlin.

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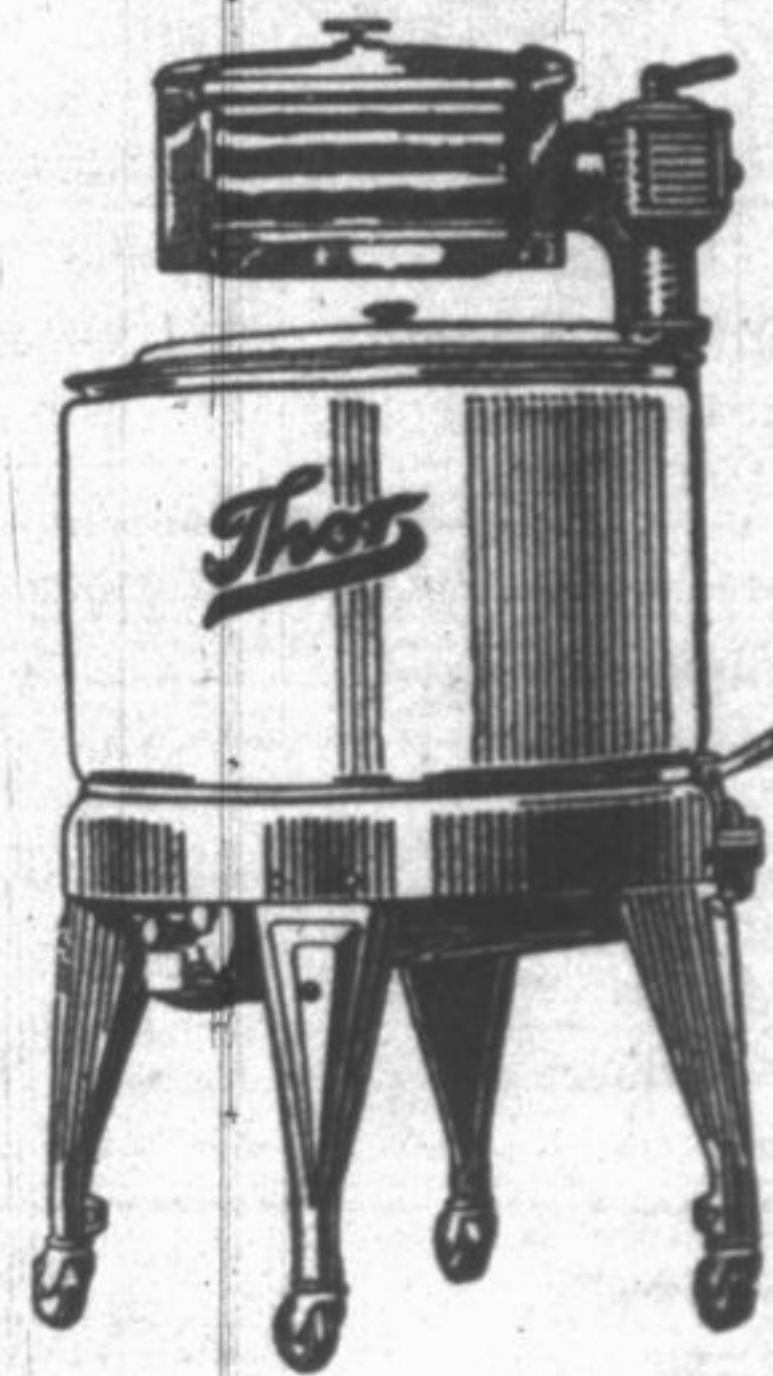
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