# Picture Reviews

#### Raman Novarro in "Ben Hur" Coming to Teatro Monday

"Ben Hur," that immortal tale of the Christ which over night established itself as one of the few books that will live throughout the centuries and for its writer, General Lew Wallace, a place of prominence among the great authors in the world's history, is to be presented in its screen version at Teatro del Lago on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

There are few people who have not at some time read this dynamic story. Many have read it time and time again. But both those who have and have not read the book will find themselves gripped by the stupendous power of this film. It is intense in its emotional depth; moving an audience to tears or joy or to that powerful combination of joy and sorrow that tears at the heart-strings, as the dramatic story of the Christ and of Judah Ben Hur is unfolded.

"Ben Hur" has been shown upon \$4,000,000. Ramon Novarro takes the the success of the venture. title role and May McAvoy the role of Esther. Francis X. Bushman plays the part of Messala.

"Almost Human," a DeMille production starring Vera Reynolds, will be presented this Saturday. Directed by Frank Urson, and written for the screen by Clara Beranger from a situation suggested by Richard Harding Davis' novel, "The Bar Sinister," this is said to be a genuine screen novelty.

"Underworld" has besn chosen for Sunday. With the notoriety that the picture has obtained through the writers in metropolitan journals in mind, it would almost be possible to drop a treatise. of it with just that statement. It should be sufficient at any rate to say that it is said to be a genuine treatise of the crime situation and organization and was written by Ben Hecht.

"Loves of Carmen" is the picture billed for Thursday. Dolores del Rio plays the title role in this film and is, one might say, typically herself. Victor McLaglen plays the part of the matador while Don Alvarada plays the part of Jose, the soldier lover whom Carmen uses as her tool and ruins.

"French Dressing" is said to be a vivacious comedy in which Lois Wilson, Clive Brook and H. B. Warner are featured. It will be shown Friday.

ADDRESSES DRAMA GROUP

Miss Harriet Allen addressed the Dramatic club of New Trier High school Thursday, February 2, after school. The Dramatic club is made up of all those taking active part in one of the productions of that organization. Its next production will be two plays, the entire casts of which will be freshmen and sophomores.

GLENCOE MOVIES

Francis X. Bushman and Joan Crawford take the leading roles in "The Understanding Heart," the film to be presented at the Glencoe Union church next Friday.

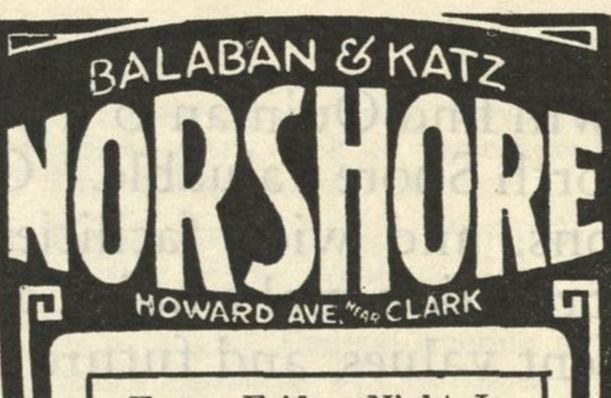
#### "Annie Laurie," Highland Fling at Community House

One of the most appropriate and attractive programs ever arranged at Community House will be presented next Friday afternoon and evening in connection with the showing of "Annie Laurie," the historical film in which Lillian Gish takes the title role and which tells in an authentic manner the famous romantic Scotch story upon which it is based. The program, which will come as a prologue to the film, consists of Scotch dances accompanied by bagpipes. It was arranged by the North Shore British-American society at the instance of Burton H. Atwood, Jr., movie director at Community House.

"Cheating Cheaters," with Kenneth Harlan and Betty Compson in the leading roles, is the feature production for Tuesday of the coming week. With it will be shown "Riding Whirlwind," a two reel subject showing cowboy riders in action.

DELTA GAMMA LEAP YEAR

February's extra day—Feb. 29—will two continents and everywhere has be occasion of the leap year party been presented before packed houses. which the Nu Sigma chapter of Delta Critics have heralded it as one of the Gamma will give at the Woman's club. most powerful and beautiful produc- The entire clubhouse will be used for tions, from all standpoints, ever re- the evening, with dancing upstairs and leased. Moreover, it is not only the cards downstairs. The Delta Gamma largest production but the most costly Mothers' association and the active one ever presented-including "The chapter are represented on the large Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," committee in charge, and prominent "The Miracle," any circus enterprise, women from Highland Park, Waukeor any opera. Its cost was over gan and other suburbs are working for



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-ON THE SCREEN-

Beatrice Fairfax's Romance

"THE LOVE-LORN"

> SALLY O'NEIL MOLLY O'DAY LARRY KENT

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#### TIM McCOY

JOAN CRAWFORD

-IN-

## "THE LAW OF THE RANGE?

"It is a gem, a fine, intensely interesting picture" -Chicago Tribune

-AND-

#### "Do Detectives Think?"

A COMEDY RIOT WITH STAN LAUREL

VARSITY ORCHESTRA Louis Lohman at the Giant Organ

-COMING-

CHARLIE MURRAY in "THE GORILLA"

SYD CHAPLIN in "THE FORTUNE HUNTER"

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With MARGARET FULLER and CHARLES GEORGE in

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WEEK