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Plays, Players And Playhouses

Robert Hilliard's play for this season is called "The Pride of Itace." Eugenia Blair has an emotional playlet called "The Reckoning Day." Willard Mack, author of "Kick In," has written a comedy called "Next Station Killin'."

Walter Jones has been engaged for the cast of a musical show called "Tit for Tat." Andrew Mack's play, "The Irish Dragoon," is a dramatization of Lever's novel, "Charles O'Malley."

Miss Helen Lackaye (Mrs. Harry J. Ridings) is to act in a new play called "Behold Thy Wife!" Wilton Lackaye plans to appear in Chicago after the first of the year in a play by Jack Left.

When Frances Starr finishes her tour in "Marie Odile" she will be presented in a play by the authors of "Grumpy." Frank Fogarty, the Irish minstrel of vaudeville, is going to marry Grace Edmonds of the legitimate stage.

After Elsie Ferguson has ended her present tour in "Outcast," she will appear in a new play called "The Prime Minister." With Otis Skinner has concluded his season in Henry Arthur Jones's "Cock of the Walk," he will be seen in a new romantic comedy by Booth Tarkington, the Indian novelist and playwright.

Ethel Barrymore is to select and rehearse a second company in "Our Mrs. McChesney," which will go on tour, her own out-of-town bookings having been cancelled on account of the success of the play at the Lyceum Theatre, New York.

Mrs. Fiske is to appear in a new comedy entitled "Erastus Susan," in which she will play the title role described as "extremely comic." Her tour is to be directed by Madison Corey and John D. Williams.

Oliver Morosco has acquired the American rights to "Ann," a comedy by Lechmere Warnall, produced in London in 1912 by Mrs. Charles Wyndham and Mary Moore. Mr. Morosco plans to re-write the play and produce it in his Burbank Theatre in Los Angeles.

Wallie Clark, an authority on short plays, because he has reproduced and acted more of them than anyone else, is to be associated with a new company to be formed in New York early in the New Year with which many short plays are to be produced.

Robert B. Mantell and his wife, Genevieve Hamper, starring in William Fox's motion picture production, have sailed for Jamaica, where they will appear in photo-play productions later.

FINANCIAL MATTERS.

Profits Secured By a Chicago Speculator. Chicago, Dec. 23.—A million dollars profit from grain trading and a like sum from stock market operations, has found its way into the strong box of Charles W. Partridge. Quietly, the old operator has been heavily "in the market." In an unassuming way he has been buying heavily and only a few days ago started to "unload." Partridge was a trader on a big scale in the day of P. D. Armour, "Old Hutch," the Cuddahys and James A. Patten. He also was a prominent figure when John W. Gates was making financial history with his spectacular operations.

Another Merger. New York, Dec. 23.—Private despatches from the Pacific coast state that a big combination of oil properties is under way, which will include Mexican Petroleum, California Petroleum, Associated Oil and Canadian Petroleum. According to a gossip, there is to be \$100,000,000 of stock and \$50,000,000 convertible bonds.

Timber Land Sold. Halifax, Dec. 23.—Twenty-six thousand acres of timber land owned by the Londonderry Milling Company was sold by the sheriff for \$107,850, at 7 o'clock on Saturday, to P. C. Black, of Amherst. It is understood that Mr. Black bid in the property for the Maple Leaf Lumber Company and the Canadian Car and Foundry Company.

New Rubber Company. Albany, Dec. 23.—Capitalized at \$5,000,000 the Ajax Rubber Company of Milbrook, Dutchess County, incorporated here with Secretary of State Hugo. The listed directors include Charles E. Lynch and William J. Jackson, New York City, and Charles L. Morris, Jersey City, N. J.

Large Rail Orders. New York, Dec. 23.—The French Government is said to have awarded the Pennsylvania Steel Company an order for 50,000 tons rails. The Russian Government is negotiating for 100,000 tons.

To Sell The Railway. Detroit, Mich., Dec. 23.—Judge Tuttle, in the United States District Court to-day, fixed Wednesday, April 6th, 1916, as the date for the sale of the Pere Marquette Railroad to satisfy creditors.

Commercial Notes. The total losses to date to life insurance companies arising from the war are placed at over \$27,000,000. St. Lawrence and Chicago Navigation Company have declared a dividend for the year of 10 per cent, and a bonus of two per cent.

President Gonzalez, of Costa Rica, granted one of the most important oil concessions ever obtained in Central America to American interests. It is estimated by officials of the company in Winnipeg that 125,000,000 bushels of wheat still remain to be moved east by all-rail route by the three railways.

Dominion Bridge Company's profits for the year ended October 31st established a new high record at \$1,243,447, equal to 29.7 per cent on the \$4,500,000 common stock. China Mail Steamship Co., recently organized, which has already purchased steamship China, has decided to increase its capital stock from \$2,100,000 to \$5,000,000.

Will of C. W. Post. The Battle Creek cereal manufacturer, will not be litigated. Mrs. Post has agreed to cash settlement of \$4,000,000, and remainder of \$22,000,000 estate passes to his daughter.

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Miss Nobuko Hara, of Tokio, Japan, aged twenty-three, is prima donna of the Imperial Theatre of Japan, director of the Imperial Operatic Training School, co-reproducer of Ibsen's plays in Japan, and musical editor of a woman's magazine.

Charles Chaplin has nearly completed another comedy and it will be released shortly. The title is "Charlie Chaplin's Burlesque on Carmen," in two acts. Again Chaplin is found in an entirely new role. There is less of the slap stick variety of fun and more of the subtle points of genuine humor.

New York is going to establish another playhouse where only short and unusual plays may be presented. The company is to be selected from the players who have won distinction in this style of work. Pauline Mailloux is to be associated with the company. The plays are to be produced under the direction of Dixie Hines and Frances Powell.

Fritzi Scheff is one of those favorite who deserted the legitimate stage for the movies. She was captured by the new sport and the salary that went with it. Last season she wrote a letter after her first week before the camera. "My work to-day has consisted of paddling in a woodland brook, while the camera men were turning their little machines. For three days I have been working on a private yacht, and I think of drawing the salary they pay me for this." Now she is returning to the legitimate stage, Fritzi Scheff has announced her intention to try straight comedy without music. She said the work of the prima-donna is too exciting. If a breeze struck her throat and made her voice husky, the critics wept crocodile tears and wrote an obituary for her voice. She has tired of the strain.

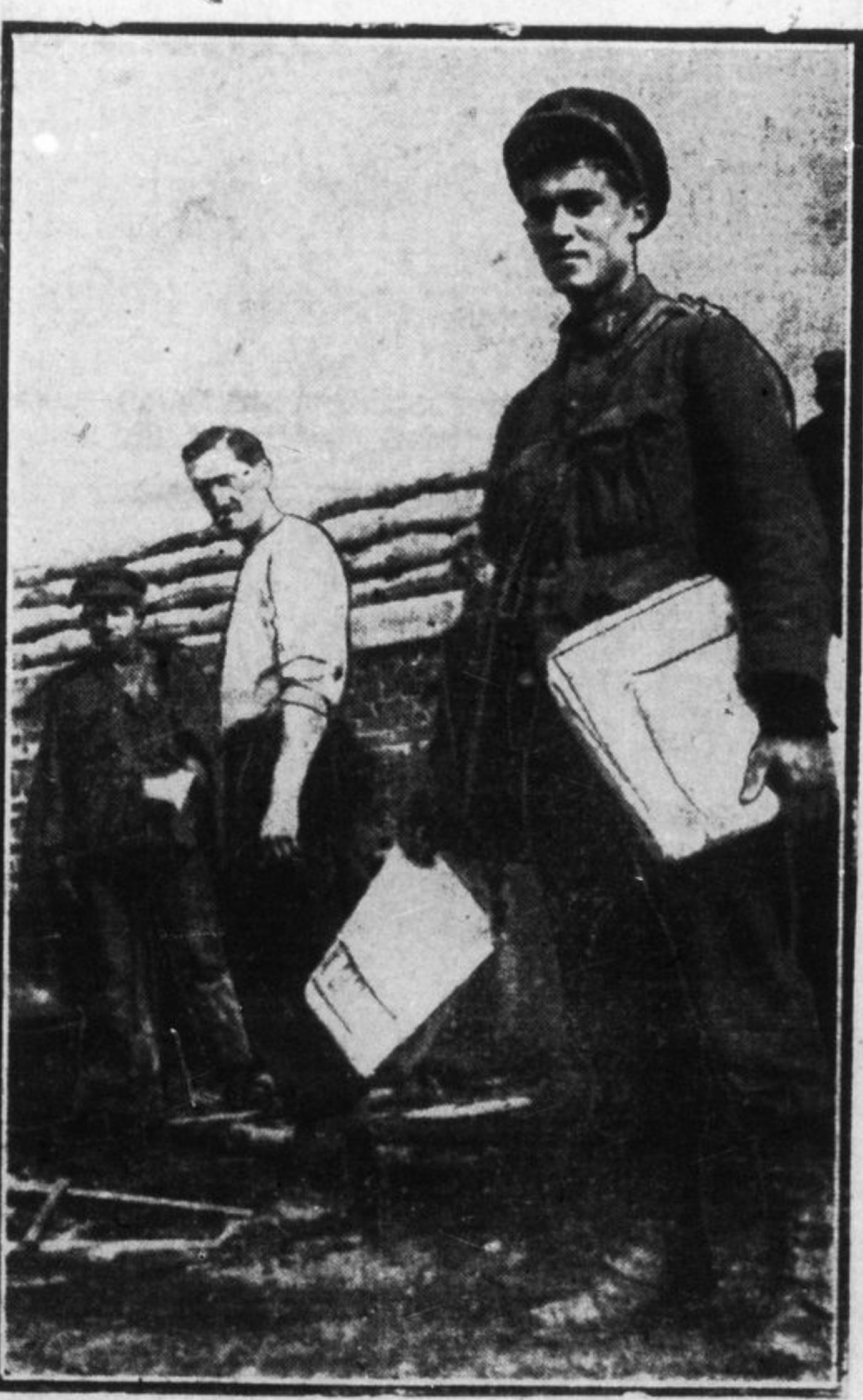
Would Never See Him. Private Doherty was six feet four inches in his socks. Beside him the sergeant on duty was a bantam. "Head up there, Doherty!" he cried. "Up higher!" shouted the little sergeant. "There, that's better. Don't let me see you with your head down again."

Murmuring Polite Nothings. "So glad to have you here," murmured the hostess, who hadn't noticed him before. "You have certainly been the life of the party all the evening." "I can hardly believe that." "That is due to your modesty." "No; it is due to the fact that I have but this minute arrived."

Charles A. Stoness, Westport was committed on a charge of destroying promissory notes, covering in all \$100, issued to J. S. Myers, Lucas, Ohio.

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