



RUTH ROLAND in 'THE FRINGE OF SOCIETY'

FRED STONE, famous scarecrow of the 'Wizard of Oz,' star of a dozen of America's most popular and successful musical comedies...

Concerning his new venture into the motion picture field, Mr. Stone said: 'In the past few years I have received many flattering and tempting offers to become a film star...

Since the days of 'The Wizard of Oz' when the famous team of Montgomery and Stone first scored its countrywide success, Fred Stone has been one of the greatest character comedians on the stage...

THE NEW CINEMAS.

Geraldine Farrar, appearing in her latest Artcraft picture, 'The Devil-Stone,' which was prepared for the screen by Jeanie Macpherson...

Mae Marsh will appear in her third Goldwyn picture, 'The Cinderella Man,' at the Strand Theatre this week.

Man' due at the Strand to-day, by a photographic novelty of the highest order, devised and introduced by George Loane Tucker...

The scene does not show the moon. Mr. Tucker contends that there is much more to be gained by suggestion than by representation...

Another novel effect of lighting occurs in the same play. It is a scene in Marjorie Cameron's bedroom that opens with what is known technically as a 'fade-in'...

Director Tucker solved the difficulty by gradually strengthening the light from the great Cooper-Hewitts that illuminate the scene...

The realistic night effects secured in Goldwyn pictures are varied in Mae Marsh's new vehicle, 'The Cinderella Man.'

Hotel and Restaurant News

Gossler's Famous Campus. The new production 'Somewhere in No Man's Land' was shown last week before a capacity audience...

Halifax Benefit. Heavy reservations indicate that Thomas Healy's benefit for the Halifax sufferers to-night will be an immense success.

Reisenweber's. The New Year's eve celebration at Reisenweber's Columbus Circle establishment will this year surpass any of those previously held at this popular restaurant.

Murray's Roman Gardens. 'There is just as much difference between proper food conservation and harmful, business destroying food economy as there is between night and day.'



Muriel Wheeler at Gossler's Campus

104th street and Columbus avenue, has been known for the past ten years as New York's real sea food restaurant.

Thomas Healy's Crystal Carnival Ice Rink and 'Sunken Galleries' restaurant, Broadway and Ninety-fifth street, is to open Friday evening.

that it is impossible to accomplish all the work in advance in writing continuously, or working scenario. In the case of 'The Cinderella Man,' this continuity was made from the play by Edward Childs Carpenter...

According to Mr. Tucker, the secret is largely in the fact that the editing of the film is done by a board in which a number of persons who are unfamiliar with the continuity, enjoy a certain perspective that a man who has been working on the film night and day is without.



GERALDINE FARRAR in 'THE DEVIL-STONE'

Manager Ediel of the Strand Theatre announces that he will inaugurate weekly presentations of motion pictures of the world war in natural colors next Sunday.

In line with the company's plans Pathe has purchased a number of well known books and plays by famous authors, and also several additional stories written by people trained in the motion picture field.

'For Sale,' a play by Fred Jackson; 'Innocent' and 'The Yellow Ticket' by Michael Morton, two of the biggest stage successes...

'Innocent' Pauline Frederick made her biggest stage success, and Florence Reed did likewise in 'The Yellow Ticket.'

For Frank Keenan Pathe has purchased 'Simon's Shadow,' by Elizabeth Lee, and 'Loaded Dice,' by Harry A. Clark, both highly successful novels...

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Brooklyn Vaudeville.

Bessie Clayton, with her 'Intimate Dance Revue of 1917,' assisted by Paisley Noon and the Mosconi Brothers, with Charles F. Strickland at the piano, comes direct from the Palace to head the Orpheum...

'TO A CABARET SINGER.'

Painted little singer of a painted song. Painted little butterfly of a painted day. The false blooms in your tresses. The false flowers in your hair.



FLORENCE BRUCE in 'MAYTIME'

obtained for Billie Burke, the adaptation made, the scenario written and he has begun while the stage play still held the boards.

'Eve's Daughter' was written by Alicia Ramsey and has just completed its run at the Playhouse. To-day it is the form of a Paramount picture play in which Billie Burke is to play the role created on the stage by Miss Jackson.

Just at this time of year, Burton Holmes is one of the busiest of the many busy men of this war-time period. Having just completed the

circling of the Pacific Ocean—an eight months journey—he has returned to his home with so much film and so many hundreds of slides that he is suffering from an embarrassment of pictorial riches...

BROOKLYN PLAYS.

'Twin Beds,' which kept New Yorkers laughing for more than a year, will be the offering of the Montauk Theatre this week.

AMUSEMENTS.

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