

EVENING LEDGER PRIZE SCENARIO TO BE FILMED BY METRO THIS WEEK

Cast Contestants Meet Director Stark Tuesday and Work on Gil Spear's Script Starts Immediately

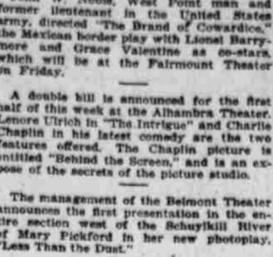
STREETS SCENE OF STORY

Who the Directors Are

LOVELL RANDALL STARK, Director of the scenario with the Evening Ledger's hundred-dollar prize for a film story about Philadelphia, will begin this week under the supervision of the Metro Pictures Corporation of New York. The cast will consist of Philadelphia amateurs...

WHERE THE NEW FRANKFORD "L" SWINGS INTO KENSINGTON

A view beneath the structure at Front street, showing the transformation that has been wrought in important thoroughfares in the northeast. This is only one phase of the new transportation development that will come day by day to Philadelphia on a par with other great modern cities.



Theatrical Baedeker

BROAD—"The Hour of Life," with Laurette Taylor. "The Brand of Cowardice," with Harriet Mann. "The Heart of a Hero," with Marie MacDermott and Naomi Childers. "The Price of Fame," with Charlie Chaplin. "Behind the Screen," with John W. Noble. "The Brand of Cowardice," with Harriet Mann. "The Heart of a Hero," with Marie MacDermott and Naomi Childers. "The Price of Fame," with Charlie Chaplin. "Behind the Screen," with John W. Noble.

OPERA SEASON OPENS IN NEW YORK TONIGHT

New Works to Be Presented by New Singers and Old Favorites

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—New York's season of grand opera, which opens tonight at the Metropolitan Opera House, will be replete with novelties and will give to music-lovers opportunity to hear several new songbirds. Among the operas to be sung for the first time in Reginald de Koven's "Caterpillar," with book by Percy Mackaye. The presentation will be the opera's world premiere. Other operas to be sung here for the first time are "Iphigenia in Tauris," by Gluck, to be sung in German; "Francesca da Rimini," music by R. Zandonati, book by Gabriele d'Annunzio, to be sung in Italian; and "Les Pêcheurs de Perles," by Bizet, to be sung in French.

BURNED TO DEATH IN ATTIC

Bethlehem Steel Worker and Boarding House Keeper Dies

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Nov. 12.—John Davis, forty-five, steel worker, was burned to death at his home when the attic he occupied caught fire of unknown origin. Davis and his wife kept a boarding house, but the boarders were unable to save him, as the flames spread very rapidly. The charred remains of Davis were found two hours after the firemen had extinguished the flames.

PHILADELPHIANS LEAD VENTNOR 'BOOSTERS' IN MODEL RESORT PLANS

Campaign for Self-Imposed Task of Civic Betterment Conducted by Board of Trade

VENTNOR CITY, Nov. 12.—Philadelphia's who have handsome homes here and spend a considerable portion of the year at the shore are to play an important part in the self-imposed task of bringing Ventnor City to the front as a "model residential resort." The campaign is to be conducted by the youthful but aggressive Ventnor City Board of Trade, of which three prominent Philadelphians are vice presidents and many other Philadelphians are members. Ventnor City's claims to recognition by those who prefer a quiet environment will be based in part upon the fact that it immediately adjoins Atlantic City and is to be distinguished from fashionable Chelsea only by a theoretical boundary line extending through the middle of Jackson avenue.

SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS FIGHT

Suburb of Chicago the Scene of Violent Clash

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Military authorities at Fort Sheridan today are investigating trouble between members of the First Illinois cavalry and residents of High Wood, a suburb, resulting in a pitched battle in which one man was seriously injured and a dozen others were beaten. Sentinels of the cavalrymen were posted about the village early today, while companies searched the town for a band of youths who attacked and beat two guardsmen following their visit to young women of the town. The guardsmen who engaged in the battle yesterday were rounded up by a provost guard from the fort and returned to camp. The situation was peaceful today, but the guardsmen were intent on punishing the assailants of their comrades.

ROAD RACING AUTOIST

KILLED, SONS INJURED

GREENSBURG, Pa., Nov. 12.—A man was killed and his two sons injured, one seriously, when the automobile in which they were driving at high speed on the Delmont road, two miles north of Greensburg, skidded and overturned this noon. Thomas H. Parks, forty-one years old, of Greensburg, was killed instantly. The injured are Charles Parks, twelve years old, fractured pelvis and internal injuries, removed to the Westmoreland Hospital, Greensburg, and Clarence Parks, eighteen years old, bruised, removed to his home. Mr. Parks, who was driving the machine, had drawn up alongside another car going in the same direction, and, according to spectators, a race began. Both machines apparently were running at about forty miles an hour when the steering gear of Parks' car evidently failed to operate.

Prominent Photoplay Presentations

The Stanley Booking Company. THE following theaters obtain their pictures through the STANLEY Booking Company, which is a guarantee of early showing of the best pictures in your locality. All pictures reviewed before publication. For a list of theaters in your locality, see the STANLEY BOOKING COMPANY.

Table listing photoplay presentations at various theaters including Alhambra, Apollo, Arcadia, Belmont, Bluebird, Cedar, Alice Brady, Fairmount, 56th St., Marie Doro, Frankford, Jefferson, Leader, Liberty, Locust, Eureka, and Olymphia. Each entry includes the theater name, address, and the title of the film being shown.

NEWS OF LOCAL HOUSES

WHERE PHOTOPLAYS SHOW

Some of the Events in Store for Philadelphia Fans This Week. This is a red-letter week at the Palace Theater, where Mary Pickford appears in her latest film creation, "Less Than the Dust." The play moves here from the Stanley and throughout the week Miss Pickford appears in her first picture, which she supervised her legion of admirers by announcing that in the future she intended to be independent in her productions.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

SEBEBAN. A Good Purchase in Chester & Eddystone May Be Worth a Life Time of Hard Labor. CHESTER, PA., NOV. 14th, 10 A. M. 60 Fine Residence Lots at 9th and Harwick Sts. EDDYSTONE, PA., NOV. 14th, 3 P. M. 60 Business Lots. An opportunity is knocking at your door now, that may never return again, to buy a lot at YOUR OWN PRICE. TERMS—One-Third Cash—Balance, Three, Six, Nine and Twelve Months, with Interest. WE BUY AND SELL LAND IN ALL PARTS OF THE U. S. Hundreds of Houses Going Up—Thousands More Needed. Business Booming. Come to Chester—the City of Opportunities.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

SUBURBAN. U. S. Gold on Hand Up \$502,023,214. WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Gold in the Treasury of the United States amounted to \$2,750,126,976 on November 1, an increase of \$502,023,214 since that date last year.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

SUBURBAN. F. W. FLEITZ SERIOUSLY ILL. Ex-Deputy Attorney General Has Relapse After Operation. SCRANTON, Pa., Nov. 12.—F. W. Fleitz, ex-Deputy Attorney General, is dangerously ill at the State Hospital here. His condition has become alarming. Mr. Fleitz's hip was injured in an auto accident some years ago. Several weeks ago Fleitz had to undergo a second operation. It was successful, but a relapse came a few days ago. Mr. Fleitz was chief counsel for the Philadelphia Electric Company when the rate case was before the Public Service Commission a year ago.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

SUBURBAN. \$500 IN BICYCLE BAG STOLEN. Money Deposited in Luggage Carrier Doesn't Stay Long. MILTON, Pa., Nov. 12.—Joseph H. Johnson, a coal dealer, lost \$500 in an unusual manner. He carried the money in a leather case deposited in the luggage carrier on his bicycle. When he was ready to start for home, he found that he had forgotten something. He re-entered his office and was absent from the money for just a moment. But when he returned it was missing.

EVENING LEDGER PHOTOPLAY CALENDAR

Calendar table showing photoplay presentations for each day of the week (Monday through Saturday) at various theaters. Theaters listed include A. B. C. Theatre, Alhambra, Apollo, Arcadia, Belmont, Bluebird, Cedar, Eureka, Fairmount, 56th St., Frankford, Jefferson, Leader, Liberty, Locust, Logan, Market Street, Olymphia, Overbrook, Palace, Park, Princess, Regent, Rialto, Ridge Ave., Ruby, Savoy, Stanley, and Victoria. Each entry lists the theater name and the title of the film.