

ARBuckle SHOWING HERE WINS CHEERS

Few Hisses Said to Be From Minority of Patrons at Park Music Hall.

CROWD BREAKS DOOR

Police Required to Control Throng Eager to See Fat Comedian.

LITTLE PROMOTION DONE

Management States Film Was Received With Evident Approval.

The public reaction to Roscoe C. (Fatty) Arbuckle's appearance on the screen at last has been tested in this city.

The promotion of this venture was done very quietly. No announcements were sent out, and even the billing of the picture around the theater was limited.

Some of the patrons were so eager to see the man who brought to light the underside of Hollywood that they broke one of the glass doors leading to the lobby and had to be handled by the police.

When Arbuckle made his first appearance on the screen, according to the management, he was cheered as if he were a popular hero.

RED CROSS WILL GIVE CHILD HEALTH PARTY

Seven Hundred Youngsters Asked to Entertainment.

Seven hundred children are expected at the auditorium of the new Hecksher Foundation, at Fifth avenue and 104th street, at 10 o'clock this morning for New York's first "health party."

Mrs. Oren Root will welcome the youngsters, and Health Commissioner Copeland is expected to speak.

FIND YEAR'S BUSINESS CONTINUES ON UPGRADE

Guaranty Trust Survey Warns of Possible Reversals.

Substantial improvement in the country's general business situation was the outstanding result of last year's operations, according to a survey of the year published by the Guaranty Trust Company.

"On the other hand," it continues, "the continued increase in production has been in some instances so rapid as to suggest that steps in the underlying bases for sustained progress are being overlooked or ignored."

JEWISH MEN WILL UNITE.

National Federation to Be Organized at Golden Jubilee.

Men's clubs affiliated with synagogues throughout the country are to form themselves into a great national body at the golden jubilee of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations to be held here in January.

PLAN WASHINGTON BRIDGE.

Business Men Sketch Memorial to Crossing of Delaware.

Drawings were issued by the Trenton Chamber of Commerce yesterday of the proposed memorial bridge across the Delaware river at the point where Washington and his Colonial troops crossed the night of December 22, 1776.

A resolution for a memorial park at Washington's Crossing, ten miles from Trenton, is pending in Congress and land for the park is being acquired both by Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

700 Barrels of Prewar Whisky Tease Thirsty

SEVEN HUNDRED barrels of prewar Kentucky rye and bourbon whiskies, valued at \$1,400,000, arrived in Jersey City yesterday from distilleries in Louisville.

FRATERNITY WARS ON ANTI-SEMITISM

Zeta Beta Tau Finds That Only Three of Thirty Schools Try to Exclude Jews.

The closing session yesterday of the twenty-fourth annual convention of the Zeta Beta Tau, the national Jewish school and college fraternity, decided to carry on the society's program for elimination in institutions of learning of anti-Semitism through a committee composed both of Jews and Gentiles.

Harold Riegelman, president of the fraternity, will announce the committee within a few days. The society is basing its work on a survey of the status of the Jews in thirty-two schools where it has chapters.

The report from this survey shows that the Jewish registration was only a per cent, more this year than last, and only three schools were found making an attempt to restrict the enrollment of Jews.

The Zeta Beta Tau has approximately 5,000 members scattered throughout the United States, and includes among its membership some of the most prominent American Jews in every walk of life.

POLICE BAR WOULD-BE PATIENT AT BELLEVUE

Tell Confessed Defaulter to Call Next Day.

A man who said he was Frank Ross, 65, of 4222 Enoch avenue, Cleveland, an employee of the Engineering Department of that city, walked into Bellevue Hospital last night and told Dr. Isaacs he was ill physically and mentally and that he wanted to be treated.

Dr. Isaacs notified the police of the East Thirty-fifth street station and Detective Levine went to Bellevue and talked to Ross. The detective finally told him to go back to the hotel where he was staying in Forty-second street and the "he would communicate with the Cleveland police to verify his story."

WOMAN POISONS SELF AFTER QUARREL; DIES

Deed Follows Holiday Party at Diaz Home.

Mrs. Rita Diaz of 56 West Sixty-fifth street, a Porto Rican, killed herself early yesterday by drinking poison after a quarrel with her husband, Juan Diaz. There had been a celebration in their home Sunday night and when it was over Mrs. Diaz told her wife that he would accompany Mrs. Alice Holwell, her husband and their two children to their home at 324 West Thirty-third street.

QUARTET WITH GUNS ROB OWNER OF \$140

Knock Down Green's Wife and Escape by Taxi.

Four young men with revolvers went into the elder store of James Green at 250 East Eighty-fourth street yesterday afternoon and held up Green and Joseph Barry, a well-known Parisian actress who was attracting so much attention in the Casino. It was at Deauville, I forgot to tell you. I could not stop thinking about her new beauty—she was different last year.

SUICIDE ATTEMPT FAILS.

Policemen Lift Car Off Mrs. Reid, Who Is Only Slightly Hurt.

Mrs. Elancho Reid, 45, of 314 West 144th street, threw herself in front of a southbound trolley car last night in Eighth avenue near 140th street, but Bernard Stiles, the motorman, stopped just in time. As it was, her body was wedged between the fender and the car tracks.

BANDITS TRUSS UP BUTCHER.

Three Take \$110 and Leave Victim in Ice Box.

Three young men entered the butcher shop of Trichon Zuk at 64 East Twenty-third street, Bayonne, late Saturday night, tied the butcher's hands together and suspended him from a meat hook in the ice box. Then they took \$110 from his pocket, wished him a Merry Christmas and departed.

DRAWS OUT \$500 AND VANISHES

The Bureau of Missing Persons sent out an alarm last night for Baylor Klein, an expert dyer of 369 East Eighth street, who left his home on December 18 after drawing \$500 from the bank, and has not returned. His wife said he told her he was going to Paterson, on business. The Klein family have three young children. He is 35, five feet six inches tall and weighs 130 pounds.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Wilhelm Friend, 23 years, unmarried, living in a furnished room at 113 Fulton street, Astoria, was found dead in his bed by his friend, Carl Neuman, of 48 Madison street, Astoria, yesterday. A call was sent to St. John's Hospital and Dr. Diamond decided that Friend had died from natural causes.

CARS CRUSH TWO ON A MOTORCYCLE

One Killed and Companion Suffers Fracture of Skull in Trolley Trap.

OTHER STREET ACCIDENTS

Automobile in Two Collisions in Which Two Women Are Hurt.

A motorcycle and sidecar in which two men were riding was crushed between two trolley cars yesterday afternoon at High and Academy streets, Newark. Joseph Rothman of 215 New street, Newark, was killed almost instantly and Michael Miglael of 219 West Sixty-seventh street was seriously hurt. He was sent to St. Michael's Hospital in Newark, where it was said that his skull had been fractured.

Rothman was driving the motorcycle. Miglael was riding in the "bathtub." They attempted to go to the left of a northbound car and were caught between it and a southbound trolley.

Miss Helen R. Seymour of 32 West 157th street was slightly hurt last night when an automobile in which she was riding, driven by Edward Kent of 45 East 124th street, struck a taxicab at Lenox avenue and 126th street. Kent took her to Harlem Hospital, where her injuries were treated and then started home with her. At Lenox avenue and 124th street the machine struck Miss Alvar Johnson of 37 West 126th street. She was able to go home after being treated by an ambulance surgeon.

Angela Agal, 14 years old, of 123 West 144th street, started to the Central Park Zoo yesterday afternoon with her twin sisters, Rachel and Jennie, 8 years old, but at 113th street and Fifth avenue they were struck by an automobile driven by Ralph Levine of 1622 Kelly street, The Bronx. They were sent to Mount Sinai Hospital, where it was said that none had been hurt seriously, and Levine was arrested with suspicion.

Helen Pink, 3 years old, of 1822 Woodbine street, Ridgewood, Queens, was struck by an automobile at Cypress avenue and Woodbine street, Brooklyn, last night. She suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries and was sent to Bushwick Hospital, where it was said her condition was critical.

Henry Melina, 42 years old, a retired soda water manufacturer of 67 Morris street, New Rochelle, died yesterday in the New Rochelle Hospital of injuries sustained in an automobile accident. He was struck by an automobile in Union avenue, New Rochelle. William Condon of 157 Franklin avenue, New Rochelle, driver of the machine, was arrested but paroled for future examination.

A taxicab driven by Charles Turner of 181 West 125th street struck a touring car driven by Philip Forsberg of 19 Oxford street, Jamaica, Queens, last night at 128th street and St. Nicholas avenue. Six persons, including three women, were hurt and were sent to Harlem Hospital. They were able to go home after being attended by a surgeon. Forsberg was the only one in the two machines to escape injury.

NEW YORK INFIRMARY APPEALS FOR FUNDS

Report Issued Shows That It Treated 6,696 Persons.

The New York Infirmary for Women and Children, the pioneer hospital in this country in training women physicians, yesterday issued its first report since 1917. Mrs. Charles L. Tiffany, who prepared the report for the trustees, announced that during 1921 the institution at 321 East Fifteenth street, cared for 1,672 women and children, the outpatient department showed 4,572 visits and the maternity service cared for 82.

The old buildings have been repaired and modernized and the property adjoining in East Fifteenth street has been purchased and a three-story, well equipped dispensary constructed.

"We are appealing to the public now for financial support," Mrs. Tiffany added, "to carry on this useful and historic institution."

LA POTINIERE

—the gossip corner

"Who is that wonderful creature? It must be one of those exquisite Princesses from India! But it was no other person than Mile. . . . the well-known Parisian actress who was attracting so much attention in the Casino. It was at Deauville, I forgot to tell you. I could not stop thinking about her new beauty—she was different last year.

"The next morning I met Mme. . . . just as she was going into a little shop in the Normandy Hotel. Her frock was perfect, as usual, but she did not look particularly smart. But when I met her at luncheon in the hotel she was ravishly beautiful. And she looked like Mile. . . . did the night before. What was the secret?"

"The next day I visited that same little beauty shop in Normandy—and found out the secret."

had shoes created by M. Perugia before his own shop was open in Paris. This is how it happened. Our Paris representative was fascinated beyond words with the shoes worn by Mme. . . . one day at the Ritz. Her gown was purely by Paul Poiret—but I who had made the shoes? They were smart—and she knew that they were not to be had at any bottier. Then she discovered that these beautiful shoes were sponsored by M. Poiret and that the man who made them lived in Nice. She took the train to Nice, and asked, almost the first person she met, "what is the name of that little shop down the street, the one where Poiret's shoes are made? So unfortunate, I have forgotten the name." "Ah, of course, Madame means M. Perugia."

And that is how we brought the first Perugia shoes to New York by way of Nice last March.

Today M. Perugia is the vogue in Paris. He was the first to see that with the new "mode of elegance" our feet must step backward to more elegant days, so he took soft, kidskin, in exquisite dull colors or in lovely black and created "Madrid," "Petit Poucet," "Torsade" and "Mousquetaire" with all the romantic grace of years ago and just the right touch of sophistication to belong to us. All four are here in the Wanamaker Custom Shoe Salon and we will reproduce them to your measure.

But we must not forget "Versailles"—Perugia's evening slipper—for a new evening slipper these days is an event. "Versailles" is in the Shoe Salon copied in silver or gold or faintly tinted metal clove—a slipper as gracious as its name—and so moderately priced—\$16 and \$18.

When it comes to shoes, we are just a little proud of ourselves, for right here, in the Wanamaker Store in New York, we

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TWO HURT AT FIRE.

Woman Leaps From Second Floor When Heater Explodes.

An oil heater in the apartment of Mrs. Elizabeth Christiansen on the top floor of the two-story brick building at 9 of the Manhattan place in the Red Hook section of Brooklyn, exploded yesterday afternoon and set fire to the curtains and carpet.

Mrs. Christiansen jumped out of a window and was cut and bruised when she struck the sidewalk. Hans Nickeren burned his hands and arms when he threw the stove out of his window. The fire was put out before firemen arrived.

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John Wanamaker Store Now Closes at 5.30

Astor Place at Ninth Street Telephone 4700, Stuyvesant Formerly A. T. Stewart & Co. Store Hours: 9 to 5.30

The Annual After-Christmas Sale of Women's Winter Gowns

Great Works Well Planned rise slowly but surely to the perfection desired. The St. Gothard tunnel of Switzerland; the Panama Canal of General Goethals and President Roosevelt; the Northern Pacific and Southern Pacific Railroads for example, each of which was fathered and fostered by the Stanfords and the Hunt-ingtons; the University of Pennsylvania from Benjamin Franklin's time to Provosts Smith and Pennimans' time and the present day.

Is it not worth while to do great things and keep on doing them? (Signed) John Wanamaker.

A truly marvelous collection of frocks, carefully selected from our own stocks to make this sale an exceptional offering, rather than the usual "end-of-the-season clearance."

Gowns formerly \$35 to \$85—today \$25 \$98—today \$45

Gowns formerly \$110 to \$187—today \$85

Gowns formerly \$165 to \$395—today \$135

All 1923 CALENDARS Half Price in the Book Store, Street Floor, Old Building

Second Floor, Old Building—Ninth Street Side

French Chairs

Among the fine French chairs which Au Quatrieme has collected and placed on sale at prices that are very reasonable for fine antiques are the following:

Louis XV. walnut arm chairs, covered in flowered rose brocade, \$525 pair.

Louis XVI. bergere, painted frame, covered in ivory brocade, \$375.

Louis XV. arm chair, walnut frame, pale blue and rose brocade, \$375.

Louis XV. arm chair, covered in Aubusson tapestry, \$550.

Louis XVI. walnut side chairs, covered in Aubusson tapestry, \$1,800 set of six.

Pair of Louis XV. bergeres, painted frame, covered in yellow brocade, \$2,500 the pair.

Set of four Louis XV. arm chairs, painted frames, covered with deep blue and white toile, design of cupids, swans and flowers, \$800 the set.

Fourth Floor, Old Building

GOOD LUCK AGAIN!

More Wanamaker Refrigerators at these Astounding Prices

The maker consented to make one more concession—and only one more—so that we can offer this limited lot of Wanamaker refrigerators at the following record-breaking prices.

All of the same general model illustrated, but in three sizes as follows:

\$31.75 Refrigerators for \$19.75 30 in. wide—18 1/2 in. deep—42 in. high—75 lbs. ice capacity.

\$36.00 Refrigerators for \$22.25 32 in. wide—19 1/2 in. deep—45 in. high—90 lbs. ice capacity.

\$40.50 Refrigerators for \$24.75 34 in. wide—20 1/2 in. deep—48 in. high—110 lbs. ice capacity.

Three door, side icing type. Cases are solidly constructed of hard wood, golden oak finish. All hardware is nickel-plated. Provision chambers are lock seam type, finished with durable white enamel. Ice chamber is galvanizing steel, water tight joints. Shelves are wire, tinned to prevent rusting. Interior removable trap and drain pipe.



Today—Clearaway of 10,000 yards of Woolen Fabrics

Half Price and Less To make room for the new materials which are arriving daily we have radically reduced many of the season's smartest fabrics—both imported and domestic.

In 1 to 4 yard lengths—just enough for skirts, suits, frocks and coats.

90c to \$4.50 yd. for \$1.75 to \$10.50 grades

Velveteen, wool jersey, crepe de laine, Poiret twill, duvetyen, velours de laine, veldyne, panvelaine, bolivia, plaid-black coatings, plaids, striped and checked skirting materials, homespun, tweeds, embroidered and plain kasha cloth and imported fur fabrics in colors and black.

A Fine Group of Dinner Sets Specially Priced

Of French china \$140 Theodore Haviland Sets, \$70

107 pieces—attractive floral border design, pink rosebuds, green foliage, wide ribbon handles. \$350 Gold Encrusted Sets—\$175

107 pieces—fine white china body, wide band of deeply etched encrusted coin gold, solid gold handles. \$85 Sets French China, \$60

107 pieces—pale blue border design with pink roses, gold handles and lines.

Of imported china \$75 Sets, \$38

106 pieces—green border in Greek key design, simple, clear and attractive. \$50 Sets, \$30

103 pieces—dainty rose spray design. \$100 Sets, \$50

106 pieces—neat floral border design. \$75 Sets, \$50

106 pieces—high-grade, light-weight porcelain, blue border design, pink rosebuds, gold lines and handles. \$57.50 Sets, \$40

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New 1923 models of the famous Puritan refrigerators direct from the factory. The first lot sold out immediately. These will go as fast. Mail orders filled while the quantity lasts. Seventh Gallery, New Building