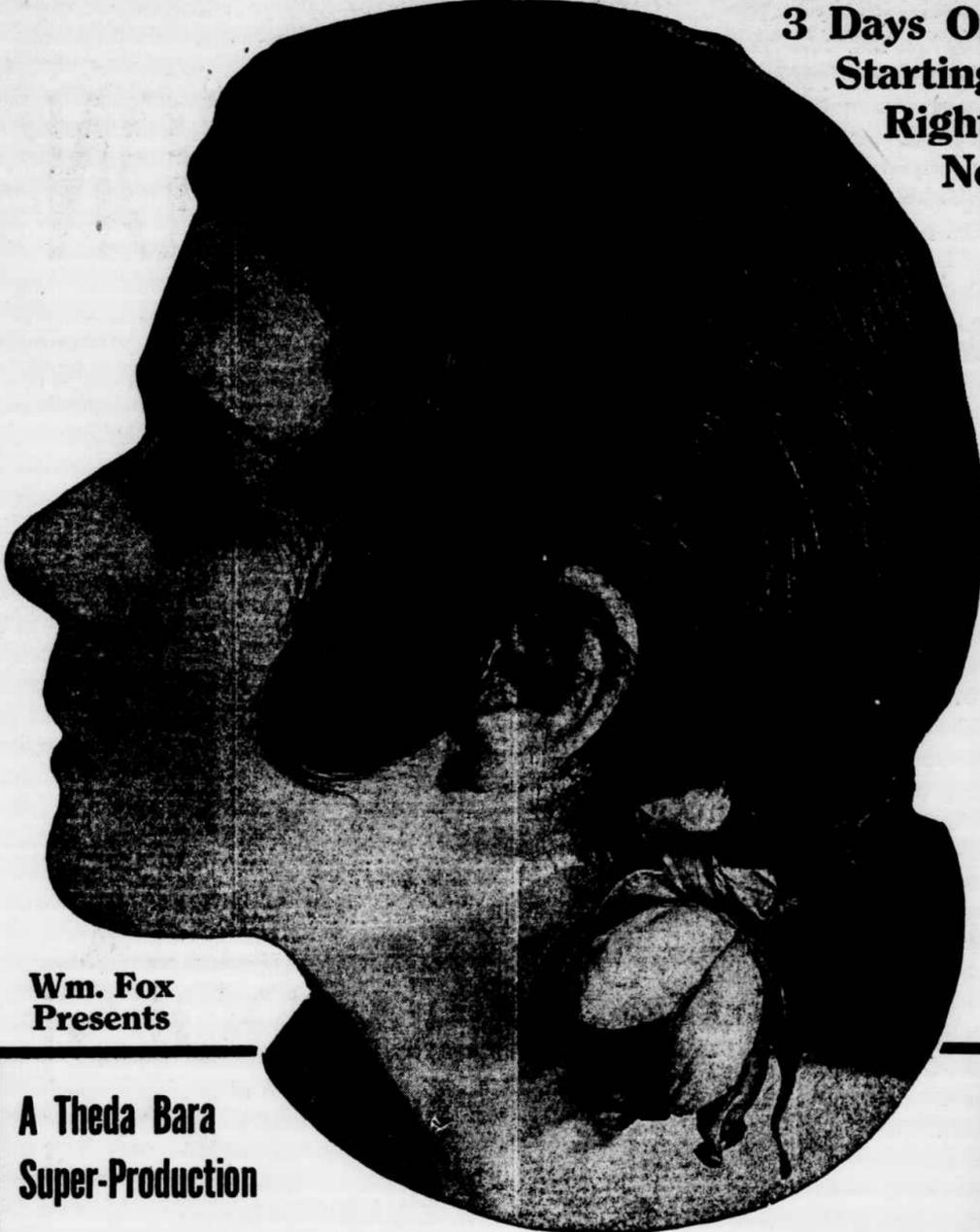


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FIRST SCHOOL IS ATTENDED BY 100

Course of Instructions at Case
Company's Plant Popular
With Operators.

The three-day tractor school conducted by the J. I. Case Threshing Machine company as the first of what is intended to be a permanent annual feature, closed yesterday at the company's plant on the south side. Over 100 operators and dealers were in attendance from the central and northern sections of the state to receive instruction in the several courses given, these being in charge of O. J. Thomas, the company's branch manager at Billings. Lessons were also conducted by Sergt. Charles Awe, who was in England as an instructor in the airplane service. Sergeant Awe was formerly employed at the Wright aviation field and is now with the Case people permanently. E. C. Billings, employed at the company's Racine, Wis., plant as

an assistant in the research department, assisted with the course. The course followed at the school was the regular series of lessons given on such occasions and dealt with the care and operation of tractors, plows and threshers. Particular attention was given to carburetors and magnets, these parts being taken down and rebuilt for the benefit of the class. Mr. Thomas said last evening that the company felt greatly encouraged over the success of the first course in Great Falls and to decide whether a school will be held next year a vote of the students was taken. The decision was unanimously in favor of the course and it is expected that the attendance will be doubled in 1920. Those who attended every session of the course were given a small diploma, 60 being distributed.

GIVEN FRENCH WAR CROSS.

Helena, March 26.—Harry L. Burdick of Helena has received the French war cross, friends here are informed. He was a Y. M. C. A. worker with a French regiment, Burdick served in the Astor battery in the Philippines, where he received an American decoration. While in Helena he was an employe of the Telephone company.

GIBONY IS BUSY EXERCISING ARM

Well Kown Young Man Back
From Front Shaking Hands
With His Friends.

Master Engineer David Giboney was greeting his friends and old acquaintances in Great Falls yesterday. Giboney has been with the 74th engineers in active service in France for more than a year and because of his ability as an engineer he was raised from the ranks of a buck private to a master engineer, senior grade, the highest rank that can be held by an enlisted man. Giboney received his promotion February 24 last and it was a reward of the actual knowledge of engineering which he displayed in actual army service. The 74th engineers landed at New York on March 11 and from Washington he was sent to Fort Russell Wyo., from which camp he received his honorable discharge a few days ago, returning to

visit his mother, Mrs. Jennie Giboney, in this city on Tuesday night. Prior to enlisting in the service Giboney was a member of the county surveyor's force.

Fergus Registration Shows Falling Off

Special to The Daily Tribune. Lewistown, March 26.—County Clerk W. W. Wheaton, this morning, furnished the city clerk with the registration records for the coming municipal election and compiled the total registration for the incorporated towns of the county. There is a marked falling off in the registration everywhere, the figures being as follows: Lewistown, 1930; Denton, 150; Winnett, 83; Stanford, 56; Grass Range, 73; Moore, 140; Winifred, 83.

SAID HE PASSED BAD CHECK

Helena, March 26.—On complaint filed and a warrant charging the passing of a bad check, of Warren G. Thompson, was arrested today at Billings. It is understood that Thompson who claimed to be a representative of the "Home Protective association," is wanted on a similar charge in Fergus county.

FLAMES WIPE OUT BUSINESS HOUSES

Fire Does \$100,000 Damage in
Border Town of Sweet Grass
Last Monday.

Damage estimated at \$100,000 was done to the business section of the town of Sweet Grass Monday night by fire, according to a report reaching this city yesterday. The International hotel, a two-story structure; Griffiths' store, one of the large mercantile establishments of the town; a pool hall, a restaurant and the Farmers' Bank building were totally destroyed. The town does not have telephone service and all efforts yesterday to obtain a more detailed account miscarried. That a mailed report has not been received is thought to be due to the burning of the post-office, believed to have been located in the Griffiths store, which would interfere with and probably delay mail service for several days. No information as to the origin of the fire and the amount of insurance carried was available yesterday. Sweet Grass is situated on the Canadian border and has become a part of some consequence. The population is given as about 500.

RANCHER TAKEN TO ASYLUM.

Special to The Daily Tribune. Lewistown, March 26.—George Ingraham, a rancher from the section north of Winifred, was adjudged insane in Judge Briscoe's court, yesterday, and was taken to the asylum today.

It's The Big Noise

EVERYONE
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—Is Praising "Mickey"

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OF LOCAL INTEREST

F. A. Stanley of Ulm was in the city yesterday on a short business mission. Ray Kinsey of Simms was in Great Falls yesterday for a brief business visit. E. R. Kahle, cashier of the Simms State Bank, was a business visitor here yesterday. Garnet McDonald of Conrad spent yesterday in the city looking after business affairs. Robert Thill was in the city yesterday from his ranch near Vaughn for a brief business visit. F. Tom King was among the out-of-town business visitors in the city yesterday from Conrad. Mrs. A. M. Waring and L. A. Wells returned yesterday afternoon from a few days' business trip to Helena. Mrs. Iona E. Murdock arrived yesterday morning from Sun River to spend the day in Great Falls shopping. P. L. Savage, fancy breeder and importer of middle dogs, of Gilman, was a business visitor here yesterday.

CROFF, BROWNING CHIEF, ON TRIAL

Government Rests Case Last
Evening and Defense Will
Have Inning Today.

In Federal court yesterday the government completed the introduction of evidence in its case against John Croff, Indian chief of police at Browning, and on trial for alleged coercion. Croff's attorneys moved for dismissal of the action at the conclusion of the government's case. Judge George M. Bourquin making a ruling adverse to the defendant. The motion was made on the ground that under the statutes an Indian cannot commit the crime of which Croff is accused and it was intimated that an appeal will be taken in the event of Croff's conviction. B. K. Wheeler and J. H. Baldwin are representing the defendant and the taking of evidence in his behalf will be commenced this morning.

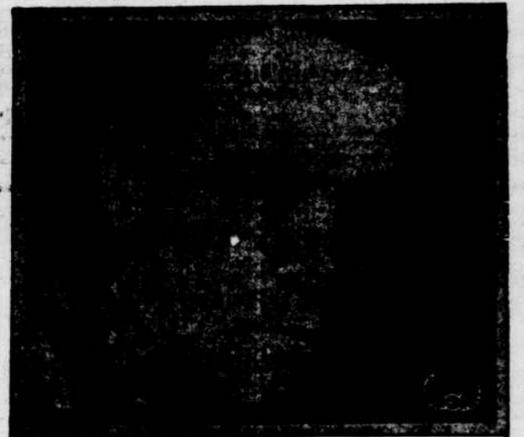
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