

Mashers of the Species Much More Mushy Through the Mail

Uncle Sam, as Letter Carrier, is Keeper of the Motion Picture Stage Door.

PROPOSALS AND SWEETS

Correspondence Course of Applause and Encores Also Provided by Post.

Some time ago attention was directed to the fact that Uncle Sam is the keeper of the stage door of the motion picture, around which the Johnnies and the females of the same species congregate to adore their film favorite. It is probably stretching a metaphor a little bit—but it serves. It serves because the letter carrier of Uncle Sam is really the keeper of this stage door and the door he watches is his mail pouch by means of which the masher pours out his soul to the handsome leading woman or the Apollo-like leading man.



ORMI HAWLEY.

New picture of the former Lubin player who has just been announced as a star in the Fox photoplay program.

This reason the actors and actresses are glad to receive letters from sincere admirers with criticism and comment on the manner in which they have appeared in pictures. But they do not like the masher! That is something else again, as Morris would put it. And they would like to adopt some means of protection—only they cannot think of any. Anita Stewart is one of the loud declaimers against the mush note of the masher.

Gets Proposals and Candy. Miss Stewart states that during the last six months she has received twenty proposals of marriage, three offers of presents of pedigree dogs, twelve one-pound boxes of candy, and she knows not how many more. The masher is a very busy subject matrimony. Besides these, there are many letters that use up all the adjectives in the dictionary in the efforts of the writers to tell how great an actress Miss Stewart is. The men stare, it would seem, are more annoyed by the mashers than the women. For the reason that silly young girls form the bulk of their correspondents. Francis Bushman tries to answer every note he receives, and it keeps him busy. Carlyle Blackwell is a fairly busy individual with the typewriter also. None of the actors want to offend a portion of the pictures, but they all wish that the patron would write only when she has something to say that will be of value to the actor.

Rex Beach Stories Filmed. One of the big series of feature plays that will shortly be released will come from the Lubin Company, and will include a set of photoplays adapted from the stories of Rex Beach. In some of these Richard Buhler, the Washington stock star, is to be seen in the leading role with Cosetta Brice, another Washingtonian, as leading woman. The stories that have been secured

AN EASY WAY TO END CATARRH FOREVER

Simple Home Treatment Destroys Germs of This Dangerous Disease. The reason why so many people who suffer from catarrh never seem able to get cured is that they are continually seeking the momentary relief of sprays, douching, greasy creams, ointments, etc. Such things do not open up the swollen nostrils and clear the head as the simple remedy of Eucalyptus while the disgusting blowing, hawking, spitting and choking, but they never cure. To drive out catarrh for good you have got to get down to its real cause. Catarrh is a germ disease. The air is always full of catarrh germs thrown off by one person and absorbed by another and when the system does fall to throw off such germs they find permanent lodgment in the nose, throat, and head and multiply rapidly. The germ of catarrh can be best destroyed by inhaling the pure medicated air of Hyonol (pronounced High-on-m). This splendid and powerful combination of Eucalyptus with other healing agents has a wonderful germicidal action. You breathe its air into your nose, throat and lungs by means of a small hard rubber inhaler which O'Donnell's Drug Store and other leading druggists have completely out of your system and when the germs are destroyed the catarrh and all its disagreeable symptoms will stop. Every two or three minutes use will give refreshing relief, while, if you will use it two or three times a day for a few weeks it will completely banish catarrh and every symptom of catarrh. As Hyonol is pleasant to breathe and is always sold through druggists everywhere with a positive guarantee of successful results or money back, surely no catarrhal sufferer should go long before trying this simple home remedy.—Adv.

include "The Barrier," "The Silver Horde," "The Iron Trail," and others. Mr. Beach superintended the adaptation of the stories to photoplays, and has had a hand in the starting of some of the scenes. The settings that have been given the stories are said to be especially appropriate, many of them having been selected by Mr. Beach. There was some delay in getting out some of these pictures because of the failure of the company to get proper locations for all the scenes. This is the reason the plays have not been put on the market before this time.

Mothers' Club Benefit. Arrangements have been perfected through Manager Greenburg of the Empire Theater, 915 H street northwest, for a special film show for the benefit of the Mothers' Club of the Edmunds School next Thursday afternoon and evening. The afternoon show is to be a special performance for the benefit of the club solely. A special set of films will be shown. The evening show's receipts will be divided between the club and the theater management. U. M.

Hubby, 71, Ideal Man. SUNBURY, Pa., March 24.—Simon S. Peterborough, seventy-one, and Sarah W. Kleat, of Wilkes-Barre, were married here yesterday. She blushingly declares he is "the ideal man of the United States."

FRIEDLANDER BROS. STORE BARGAIN CENTER

Phenomenal Sale of Suits and Trousers Permits Great Savings.

There is little wonder that the store of Friedlander Bros., 423 9th street northwest, is becoming the economy center of the city. In these days of increased cost of living, men with an eye for values are naturally attracted by the tremendous suit bargains this enterprising firm is offering. Suits of every style and cut, the former selling prices of which ranged from \$15 to \$27.50, are now being offered at \$10 and \$12—savings too great for any man to overlook. Practically every cut and weave and all the newest shades are included. Such styles as the popular English models, Bulgarian backs as well as the conservative models are embraced in the lot. Materials include cashmeres, chevots, serge and unfinished worsteds, in all the best shades—plaid shades, blues, grays, self-stripes, pin stripes, shepherd plaids and checks, besides many others. The thoughtful buyer will make his selection at once—before the other fellow has beaten him to it. The trouser sale recently inaugurated by this store is fast drawing to a close, and while the stock is at present adequate to permit a full selection, it is rapidly diminishing. Every weave, pattern and fabric is embraced in the lot. Trousers that sold up to \$10.00, are now \$1.95; trousers that sold up to \$4.50, now \$2.25; trousers that sold up to \$5.50, now \$3.25; trousers that sold up to \$7.00, now \$3.25. Be quick if you wish to share in these remarkable offerings—and remember the name and address—Friedlander Bros., 423 9th St. N. W.—Adv.

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Filled with Black Walnut Meats, a lb. 29c

A combination of tempting ingredients which make up a dainty that is simply delicious. Made up fresh in our Candy Kitchen.

Kann's Kapital Kandy

You know how a high standard has been established for this line of candy, and that it has a most enviable reputation, being considered an equal to lines sold by many stores at 60c and 80c a pound. In spite of the fact that chocolate, sugar, and other materials used in its manufacture have greatly advanced in price, yet KANN'S KAPITAL KANDY maintains its high standard, and its low price a pound. 40c

Kann's—Street Floor.

A SENSATIONAL PURCHASE AND SALE TRIMMED HATS

470 Individual and Distinctive Models at \$5.00

Though it is not our habit to quote values on Millinery, we feel justified in saying that you would find it difficult to duplicate these in quality and style under double the price. Large Sailor Shapes, flat straight brims, square or round crowns, in Milan hemp and lisere braid, new smart walking hats. Beautifully trimmed with large birds, large wings, or small wings circling the crown, imitation gaura, flowers, and velvet ribbon. The new combinations are gray and black, white trimmed with black, black trimmed with white, solid white, solid black, sand shades, rose shades, blue, and gray. This is the SPECIAL SALE which we generally hold directly after Easter, but owing to an unusually late Easter, the makers of these hats have co-operated with us in giving you this opportunity to secure your Easter Hat at this special price. See window display. Every hat numbered. If you desire one shown in window, ask for it by number.—Kann's—Second Floor.



TODAY'S BEST FILMS

By GARDNER MACK.

Charles Richman and Norma Tallmadge in "The Battle Cry of Peace," adapted from Hudson "Maxim's" "Defenses of America," by Stuart Blackton (V. L. S. E.-Vitagraph), the Savoy, Fourteenth street and Columbia road.

Frank Daniels in "Mr. Jack, A Hall Hero" (V. L. S. E.-Vitagraph), The Garden, 43 Ninth street.

Mme. Olga Petrova in "The Soul Market" (Metro), the Strand, Ninth and D streets.

Antonio Moreno in "Kennedy Square," adapted from the story by F. Hopkinson Smith (V. L. S. E.-Vitagraph), Crandall's, Ninth and E streets.

Head Down in "The Salsalady," by Willard Mack (Famous Players), Loew's Columbia, Twelfth and E streets.

Kino Backus in "Peterson of the Sea" (Grand), the Hippodrome, Ninth street and New York avenue.

Marguerite Leslie in "The Question" (World Film Corp.), Crandall's Apollo, 64 H street northeast.

Tyrone Power in "A Texas Steer," adapted from the play by Charles H. Hoyt (V. L. S. E.-Vitagraph), the Favorite, First and H streets northwest.

Frank Daniels in "What Happened to Father" (V. L. S. E.-Vitagraph), the Washington, Eighteenth and U streets.

Eleanor Woodruff in "The Island of Surprise" (V. L. S. E.-Vitagraph), the Empire, 915 H street northeast.

Cleo Ridgely in "The Golden Chance" (Lasky), the Leader, Ninth, between E and F streets.

Note—These selections are made from programs prepared by the managers of the theaters concerned, and to responsibility is assumed for arbitrary changes without notice to The Times. They are based on the personality of the players and the producing company, and not personal inspection, except in special cases. G. M.

LOCAL MENTION.

Sensation—Jess Willard will box at V. Thee. tomorrow, as well as in N. Y. Also see Chaplin's knockout in "The Champion," 3 reels. "Home of Charley."

You'll Say It's Darling. But You Must admit it is supremely beautiful. "Undine." Today, Empress, 416 9th.

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10c 10 A. M. GARDEN 6 P. M. 15c
6 P. M. STARS DATES PLAYS

JULIUS STEGER FRI. SAT. Blindness of Love

No. 2--FRANK DANIELS in "MR. JACK A HERO"

10c 10 A. M. STRAND 6 P. M. 15c
G. P. M. N. M. E. PETROVA FRI. SAT. THE SOUL MARKET

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There is youthfulness and joyousness in every line of these attractive new models. At \$9.75

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500 Boxes of Fine Stationery Very Special Tomorrow Box 19c

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