

## WHAT YOU CAN ENJOY AT MOVIES NEXT WEEK

Programs To Be Presented at Leading Playhouses in Western Ontario.

### SARNIA

**CRESCENT** Monday and Tuesday—Shirley Mason, "The Awakening of Ruth," Wednesday and Thursday—Bryant Washburn, "The Man Who Was Afraid," Friday and Saturday—Antonio Moreno, Mary Anderson, "By Right of Possession."

**PRINCESS** Mon., Tues.—Ethel Clayton, "The Stolen Paradise," Wed., Thurs.—Theda Bara, "The Tiger Woman," Fri., Sat.—Margaret Richter, "The Devil's Assistant."

**Auditorium** Mon., Tues.—"Romance and Juliet," Bushman and Bayne, Wed., Thurs.—Viola Dana, "Aladdin's Other Lamp," Fri., Sat.—Bessie Harrison, William Durant, "Not My Sister."

### STRAITFORD

**CLASSIC** Monday and Tuesday—Gail Kane, in "Whose Wife," The Fatal Ring, with Pearl White, Gaumont's Weekly News, Wednesday and Thursday, Madame Petrova, in "The Lost Soul," Further Adventures of Shorty Anderson, Gaumont's Tours Around the World, Friday and Saturday, Fighting Trail, with William Duncan and Carol Holloway, Further Adventures of Singaree, Her Name and Shame, Triangle Keystone Comedy.

### MAJESTIC

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Inc., will be shown at the Majestic Theatre Wednesday and Thursday. It is during the period of '98, when the gold mad crowds pack the little town of Hope City, Alaska. Dorothy Dalton appears as the "Flame," a harpy of the dance hall. Many thrilling episodes are enacted in the hall, where gamblers, miners and all types of men meet to try their luck with the roulette wheel. In one exciting scene, "The Flame" succeeds in breaking the bank and getting her money that her sweetheart has lost in a crooked game.



In "The Fighting Trail," at the Unique Theatre on Monday and Tuesday next.

### ST. MARYS

**Pleasant Hour** Oct. 25-30—"The Black Cat," "Faith's Reward," 2-reel Knickerbocker, with Henry King; 2-reel single reels, Oct. 31-Nov. 1—"Duplicity of Hargreaves," 4-reel O. Henry; three other reels, Nov. 2-3—"A Man, a Girl, a Lion," 2-reel Selig animal picture, with Kathleen Williams; "The Little Volunteer," 3-reel Essanay, featuring Joyce Fair; two single reels.

### INGERSOLL

**MASON** Monday and Tuesday—Edith Storey in "Aladdin From Broadway," Wednesday and Thursday—Alice Joyce in "Womanhood," Friday and Saturday, "The Fighting Trail."

### STRATHROY

**LYCEUM** Monday and Tuesday—House Peters in "The Great Divide," Friday and Saturday—"Lass of the Lumberlands."

### MOUNTED TROOPS OF BRITAIN RAID THREE MACEDONIAN TOWNS

109 Prisoners and Machine Gun Taken—60 Bulgarians Killed.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—A British official communication dated Saloniki, and dealing with the operations in Macedonia, says:

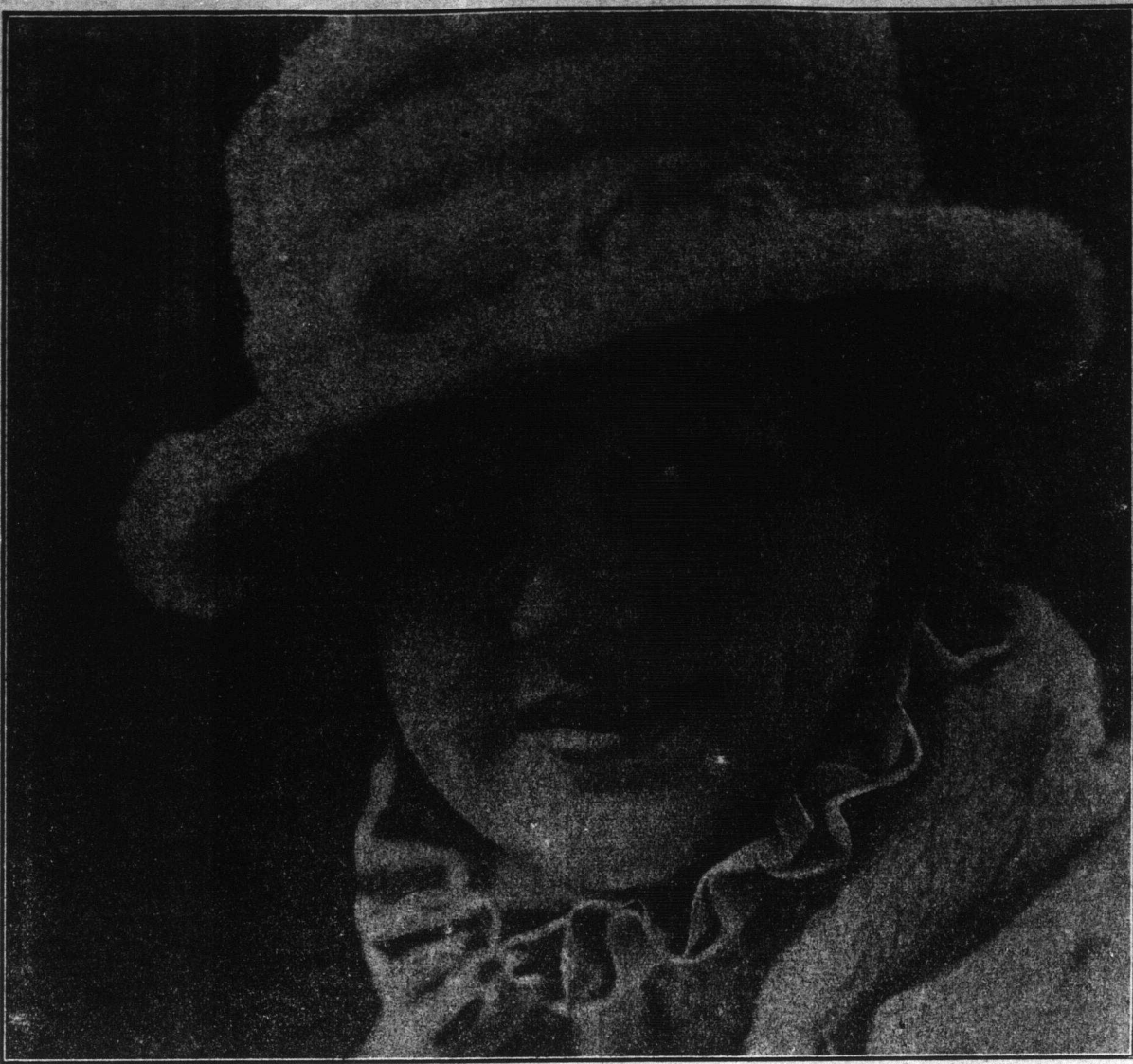
"Yesterday our cavalry and infantry captured the villages of Salmah, Kiskop, Adu and Kakarska (all on the northeastern shore of Lake Tachinos), after completing our task we returned to our lines with 109 prisoners and one machine gun, leaving behind 60 dead Bulgarians."

### SUES OTTAWA PAPER

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—A. E. Fridd, K. C., is taking action to sue the Ottawa Citizen newspaper for libel and slander, as the result of an editorial which appeared in that newspaper yesterday.



At the Unique Theatre on Monday and Tuesday in "Love and Hate."



Lillian Walker, one of the screen's most beautiful women in "The Lust of the Ages," at the Patricia Theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday next. The story tells of the struggle of a young woman in her fight against gold and avarice, and how her love finally wins the man whose only thoughts were of money.

## RETREAT OF THE GERMANS AT THE BATTLE OF ARRAS

First Episode of Great War Serial at the Majestic Monday and Tuesday, Second Episode Wednesday and Thursday.

"The Retreat of the Germans at the Battle of Arras" will be shown at the Majestic Theatre in six episodes of two reels each, the first episode on Monday and Tuesday, the second on Wednesday and Thursday, and the remaining four episodes on the first four days of the two following weeks. The pictures were taken on the field under the direction of the British, whose property they still remain.

The following extract from a recent edition of the New York Times gives the opinions of those in the States who have witnessed this great picture. "There has been nothing in all this great war that has so effectively won for democracy the cause the sentiment of the entire world as the horror-filled retreat of the German hordes at the battle of Arras. Mildly expressed interest was turned into a burning rage with the first news of the atrocities performed with consummate skill and apparent studied indifference by these beaten hundreds of thousands who have taken a giant step further in verifying the once fair name of Germany. They have seared it with brutal acts of sheer strength and maniacal force—sort of half-brother deeds to those clever dissimulations which have been neatly practiced by the now-famed diplomatic corps of the 'scrap of paper' species. When the early reports of the desecration of God's land, His temples, His trees, His fields, His verdant pastures, reached the ears of the American nation they were accepted with a bit of incredulity. We over here espouse but one doctrine, and one of the first tenets of our decalogue is 'Fair play and common decency.' We don't understand the rank rottenness that has pervaded every act of this unbroken enemy nation, any more than they comprehend the ideals and the code of honor that have ever formed the bulwark of Americanism. Their ventures are predatory; ours for the uplift of humanity. The two are not co-relative and they naturally clash. But our doubts as to the authenticity of these reports were speedily dispersed with the arrival of the British war films—pictures taken during the entire retreat, during the very height of battle. Their message was not audible, but their mute appeal to our millions to awake was more eloquent. They said no word, but, like a giant spectre against the skyline of Truth, these records of damnation stood out before the world and pointed to the future of civilization. It has become the outcast of the world."

## Ask Farmers For Thousand Chickens For Soldier Boys

One Bird From Each Coop Will Provide Christmas Treat for Men in Trenches.

Parkhill women are starting a "drive" on the farmers of Middlesex which has for its immediate objective the securing of one thousand fine chickens which the women want to prepare and send to the boys in the trenches in time for Christmas. Now that the farmers are beginning to dispose of their flocks they keep one and send it to Mrs. Wilson, president of the Women's Institute at Parkhill. The drive opened yesterday and in a short time the women had nineteen fine chickens to work on. The Parkhill institute has perhaps one of the finest records in this district in its work for the boys overseas and inviolable home. Since August no less than seven barrels of pickles, soups and other eatables have been put up and sent to the soldiers' convalescent hospital here. Every day from fifteen to twenty of the members gather and do either food work or canning or cooking for the soldiers. Over 600 jars of tomatoes and 300 quarts of peach jam are now ready, and if the women get the one thousand chickens they want the boys in the trenches will get some real treats in time for Christmas.

## Mysterious Blaze At McGregor Will Be Investigated

Government Probe, Asked by Bishop Fallon, To Be Made.

WINDSOR, Oct. 26.—Investigation of the fire which destroyed the parish hall at McGregor, near Windsor, on the morning of September 29, has been ordered by the Ontario Government, at the request of Bishop M. P. Fallon, head of London diocese. Since the recent trouble started at Our Lady of the Lake Church, Ford, there have been two mysterious fires in property owned by the church. Fire Marshal Beaton of Toronto will come to Ford in a few days and conduct an inquiry at the request of Bishop Fallon.

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## Planked Whale Steak Suits American Palate

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Planked whale steak was served in one of the leading hotels of this city today. It was said to resemble young pig in texture and taste, and many of the hotel guests who ate it said it was palatable.

Several hundred pounds of the whale meat were bought for today's menu after the chef had experimented with a small quantity several weeks ago and declared it was possible to prepare the meat in a way that it would please the American palate.

## BIG BACON PLANT IN WEST

WINNIPEG, Oct. 26.—A large United States meat packing company is going to locate in St. Boniface, and erect a \$4,000,000 plant. The proposed site, Block F, east of the Union Stockyards, covers an area of 205 acres. Land was purchased nearly ten years ago by an English syndicate from Hon. Robert Rogers for \$800,000. The name of the firm is thought to be Armour & Co. of Chicago.

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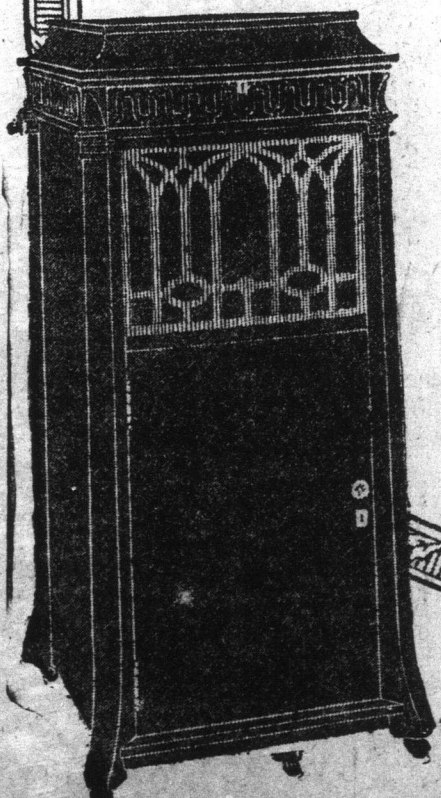
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