

DINNER GIVEN TO GLORIA SWANSON

Tribute Paid Screen Star on Account of Rise to Fame From Extra.

A "welcome home" dinner to Gloria Swanson was given recently at the Park Lane by the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation. A brilliant gathering of about 800 notables of the dramatic, motion picture, social and literary worlds was present. Miss Swanson's husband, the Marquis de la Falaise de la Coudraye, sat at the table with her.

Amidst the gaiety there seemed to be prevalent an underlying desire among the guests to honor Miss Swanson for her triumphant rise in 10 years from an obscure little extra girl to motion picture stardom, a Marquis, and a member of the famed French Academy. This latter distinction was bestowed upon Miss Swanson by the French Government for her remarkable impersonation of "Madame Sans-Gene."

TO WRITE EXAMS FOR INSURANCE DEGREE

Local Men to Take Tests on May 29—It is the First Time.

A large number of local insurance men are preparing for the examinations to be held on May 29 for the degree of Chartered Life Underwriter which will be given this year for the first time by the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada under the power recently vested in the association to give degrees.

The examinations this month will be the first of their kind ever held in Saint John and a great deal of interest is being shown in them. The local Underwriters' Association will be in charge, and E. R. Machum and John McKinnon have been appointed examiners.

TO BE EXAMINERS.
 The papers will be prepared by the Canadian Association at its headquarters in Toronto. A large number of local men have already signified their intention of taking the examinations.

This is regarded as the first step to placing the life insurance business on the footing of a profession and is receiving the wide backing of authorities in the business all over the Dominion. It is in line with avowed policy of the Underwriters' Association to give the public better service and it is hoped to make the degree mean as much in the insurance world as that of chartered accountant does in the financial world.

Autos for Sale. See the want ad. page.

EMPRESS
 FRIDAY-SATURDAY



William Fox presents
Tom Mix
 IN
"The Heart Buster"
 A Rolling Picture with a Thrill a Minute.
The Steel Trail

A Heavy Meal Acute Indigestion Sudden Death

Doctors May Say "Heart Failure," But the Most Common Cause is Stomach Acidity—GAS!

Thousands of folks think they have heart trouble and live in constant fear of a sudden end, when, as a matter of fact, 50 per cent. of their trouble is probably caused by a Sour, Gassy, Upset Stomach!

When the stomach is too acid and the slightest bit of food sets up a fermentation causing Bloating and Gas, then the stomach distends and crowds the heart—and palpitation, shortness of breath, difficult breathing, pressure, dizziness and a feeling of exhaustion and oppression follow—highly uncomfortable and often really dangerous condition, but not "Heart Trouble!"

So don't get excited and don't waste valuable time doctoring the wrong thing! Unless you absolutely know your heart is bad, you'll probably find the cause of all your trouble in your stomach—and here's a simple little test to help you prove it.

From any good drugist obtain a couple ounces of pure Bismarcked Magnesia (either powder or tablets) and begin with tomorrow take a teaspoonful of the powder or 4 tablets immediately after each meal—and see what happens or rather what does not happen.

This is a pleasant, inexpensive test that seldom fails to relieve or ward off most stomach distress. Gas, Sourness and Bloating—almost instantly. One day's trial proves its value. Be sure and get Bismarcked Magnesia, safe and innocuous!

DAVID POWELL DIES.
 David Powell, Mac Murray's leading man in recent pictures and a popular player, succumbed last week in New York to an attack of pneumonia. He is survived by a wife and child, who are in England.

Queen Square Today

Another Thrilling Masterpiece of the Great Northwest

ANITA STEWART
BAREE SON OF KAZAN
 A LOVE EPIC OF THE FAR NORTH
 PRICES—Afternoon 2.30, 10c and 15c; Night 7, 8.45, 25c

FOR WAR MEMORIAL
 W. L. Caldwell, treasurer of the war memorial fund, reports the following subscriptions. He will be pleased to receive any further subscriptions at the Standard Bank.

Previously acknowledged ... \$14,823.88
 L. R. Ross 200.00
 Mrs. David Hipwell 5.00
 J. A. Kennedy 15.00
 Total to date received \$15,093.88

OPERA HOUSE
 NEXT WEEK
Souvenir Pictures
 Will be Presented to Our Patrons in the Following Order:

Tuesday Night, May 5
HAZEL SHANNON and FRANK HARRINGTON

Wednesday Night, May 6
EMMA DEWALE and OWEN COOL

Thursday Night, May 7
CLYDE FRANKLIN and DORRIT KELTON

Friday Night, May 8
JAMES SWIFT and LOIS JESSON

OPERA HOUSE
 NOW PLAYING: Don't Miss It
UNCLE TOM'S CABIN
 WITH ALL THE FAMOUS CHARACTERS

Mat. Tue.-Thur.-Sat. 15c, 25c, 35c.
 Eve. at 8.15, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

THE STARTING OF OUR NEW SERIAL MYSTERY and VIVID ACTION

In this Great Story of the War Between OIL MEN and RANGERS

WILLIAM DESMOND
and EDWARD LUDWIG

The RIDDLE RIDER
 THE SENSATIONAL CHAPTER PLAY
 Its Historic Interest is Equalled by Interest-Compelling Plots.
 Don't Fail To See It!

STOUT PERSONS

Incline to full feeling after eating, gassy pains, constipation. Relieved and digestion improved by **CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS**. Cleansing and comforting—only 25c.

NORMA'S NEXT.
 "Two Women," an original story by Hans Krasel, will probably be Norma Talmadge's next picture following "Gruelark," the George Barr McCutcheon story on which she has just commenced work in California under the direction of Dimitri Buchowetzki.

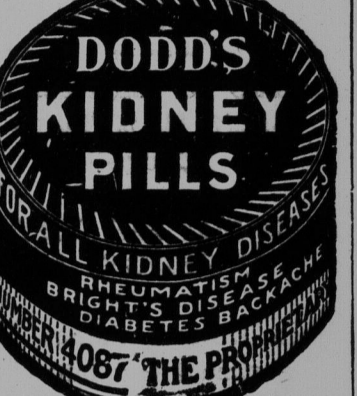
NEARLY FINISHED.
 Sam Rork has practically finished photography on his screen version of Marion Fairfax's play, "The Talker," in which the principal roles are played by Lewis Stone and Anna Q. Nilsson.

DORIS KENYON BETTER.
 Doris Kenyon is rapidly recovering from her recent operation for appendicitis and expects to start work shortly on "The Half-Way Girl" which Earl Hudson will produce.

Barbara To Star In Galsworthy Film

John Galsworthy's best selling novel, "The White Monkey," is now being whipped into shape to become a screen starring vehicle for Barbara La Marr. Arthur H. Sawyer, supervising director of Associated Pictures Corporation; Director Phil Rosen and Arthur Hoer, well known scenario writer, are in Atlantic City preparing the continuity. Actual production is expected to get under way within two weeks under the direction of Phil Rosen, who directed Miss La Marr's recently completed "Heart of a Tempest." First National will release "The White Monkey."

HINT FOR REPORTERS.
 "Today's wideawake reporter is tomorrow's successful producer," Earl Hudson, eastern production manager for First National Pictures, told members of the Associated Motion Picture Advertisers at their regular weekly luncheon recently. The luncheon was tendered by the A. M. P. A. as a tribute to Mr. Hudson, a former member and an ex-newspaper and publicity man, who schemed and carried out the prehistoric annual idea in "The Lost World" picture.



DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
 FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
 RHEUMATISM BRIGHT'S DISEASE BACKACHE
 NEURALGIA DIABETES GRAVEL
 "DON'T THE PHOSPHORUS"

HAVE YOU EVER seen a Magic Rug soar above the city bearing a Thief and a Princess?

Have you ever seen a white horse with wings fly thru the clouds?

Douglas Fairbanks
 in
THE THIEF OF BAGDAD

Have you ever seen Magic ropes, live dragons and bats as big as elephants?

Have you ever seen an "invisible" cloak?

This beautiful story of romance and adventure abounds in happenings of astounding and unbelievable magic.

IMPERIAL MONDAY
 "Happiness Must be Earned"

A Brilliant Dramatic Treat - IMPERIAL THEATRE - One of the best of the Season.

Priscilla Dean

A VIVID TALE OF A DASHING Senorita who became the idol of Spain for the sake of her Toreador sweetheart.

Actual scenes of a thrilling bullfight in the Seville Arena with typical Spanish crowds etc.

A REAL NOVELTY



"The SIREN OF SEVILLE"

Second Chapter New Serial, 3-Number Programme
ALSO Great Circus Mystery | CONCERT Between Shows AT 8.30

UNIQUE - TODAY

HARRY CAREY
 in
"The FLAMING FORTIES"

Bret Hart's famous hero, "Tennessee's Partner," brought to life on the screen by the foremost interpreter of the Eternal West.

A breath-taking tale of the glorious days of color and romance when Adventure stood squarely in a man's path and Danger lurked on every side.

—ALSO—
Dynamite Doggie COMEDY AND Into The Net

Coming—"THE CHORUS GIRL"—Monday

PALACE - FRIDAY and SATURDAY

THE GALLOPING ACE OF THE WEST!
WILLIAM DESMOND
 In His Great Outdoor Photoplay
"STRAIGHT THROUGH"

A clean, rousing drama of the cattle country, and filled with the thunder of flying hoofs and spectacular fights.
 SEE THE FAMOUS RANCH RIDERS!

LARRY SEMON in "KID SPEED"
 The speediest comedy in months, with—HE—of the waving ears at his funniest.

ART STONE
 A new comedy find, presented by Hal Roach in a rollicking domestic comedy
"CHANGE THE NEEDLE"

MONDAY and TUESDAY
"CHEAP KISSES"

A G. Gardner Sullivan production, with **CULLEN LANDIS and LILLIAN RICH**
 A daring and searing drama of the follies and foibles of the fastest age in the history of the world.

GAIETY - FRIDAY and SATURDAY

A CYCLONE OF LAUGHS

ALBERTA VAUGHN
 —IN—
 "The Telephone Girl."
 It's a Riot.

BUSTER KEATON in "SHERLOCK JR."
 In this latest laugh orgy he is the general handy man in a movie theatre, where his chief job is projection booth operator. His desire to be a detective leads him into wild paths and he finally lands up in Hollywood and wins the hand of the star he has so long admired. It's a scream from start to finish.

Lloyd Hamilton
 —IN—
"GOING EAST"
 A Rib Ticker.

ANNOUNCING

THE OPENING —OF— LOUIS GREEN'S NEW CIGAR STORE

Tomorrow you are invited to pay us a visit in our new store when every customer will be given a fitting souvenir.

Just a word as to our future policy. With our new fixtures we will be in a position to give our customers excellent service and wish to remind you that we are going to enlarge our Magazine business and at all times have a complete range of high class Pipes, Tobaccos and Smoking Sundries.

Double Coupons For Saturday

All our customers will be pleased to hear that we are having a brand new stock of Premiums for our new store.

Orchestra in attendance tomorrow evening.

A Wonderful Hat Bargain

FOR TWO WEEKS ONLY
 MAY 1 TO MAY 16

500 New Felt Hats at \$3.00 Each
200 New Felt Hats at \$2.50 Each

All Sizes and Colors **NEWEST STYLES**

Men's and Boys' Caps

at Twenty Per Cent. Discount During Our Hat Sale
 See The Display in Our Windows

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