

Galaxy of Legitimate Stage Stars Appearing
IN "SURE FIRE FLINT"

Cast in Support of Johnny Hines Includes Well Known Celebrities. "Sure Fire Flint," at the Nickel Theatre to-night, is said to be a big production in more than one way. Of great interest to the public, aside from the merit of the picture itself, is the fact that movie-goers will witness some of the most well known Broadway stars in the depiction of Johnny Hines' latest feature.

Appearing opposite the famous "Torchy" is Doris Kenyon, who has just completed a year's run as the star of "Up The Ladder," which had such a successful season on Broadway. Her work in "Sure Fire Flint" is reported to be the best thing she has done in movieland to date, not even excepting her brilliant success with George Arliss in "The Ruling Passion."

Edmund Breese's work in the first Johnny Hines feature vehicle, "Burn 'Em Up Barnes," was so convincing that no means were spared to obtain his services again for an important part in "Sure Fire Flint," which is said to give Hines and his supporting cast every opportunity to display their best histrionic ability. Importantly cast also are Effie Shannon, J. Barney Sherry and Charles Gerrard, all of whom, like the others mentioned above, made their original debuts on the legitimate stage. The rare qualities of matured acting brought to the screen by these players who have spent a life-time in perfecting their art is said to be in vivid evidence in "Sure Fire Flint," a comedy-drama interspersed alike with many mirth-producing incidents as well as some highly dramatic moments that are reported to be intensely gripping in situation.

Hear little Micky Michaels to-night in classy ballads. His songs last night were greatly appreciated by all.

"The Pompadour" Maker of History

"The Pompadour"! What vision of elegant daintiness, of artificial loveliness, of gallant courtliness, what a warm, close fragrance of violets and pot-pourri, what a murmur of rustling silks and sweet tinkling of harpsichords does not the name conjure up! Jeanne Antoinette, Poisson de Normandie d'Etioles, Marquise de Pompadour—she carried her history in her name. Born in 1721, and baptized as the legitimate daughter of Francois Poisson—who had to flee the country later for embezzling money of the bankers, his employers—she was educated at the expense of her reputed father, a rich financier named Le Normant de Tournesheim. She was bred from the first to her destiny—by her mother. She was to be an *marquise de roi*, and she accepted De Tournesheim's nephew, Le Normant d'Etioles, an undersized, hed-halred, honest youth (together with half the former's fortune) as a step only to this end. She queened it in the financial world of Paris, and daily, a Diana on horseback, she sought to waylay the King on his hunting expeditions. Finally at a ball given by the City of Paris, they met. Louis, charmed by her beauty, was captivated by her wit, and "la petite Etioles" had won the highest prize in the land.

"One of Us." It was unparalleled. Never before had one of the bourgeoisie attained the position of mistress en titre. The Royal Family, the Ministers, the ladies of the Court, the Jesuits, even the rabble, were bitterly against this upstart. She fought them all and won. She dominated the King who made her Marquise de Pompadour, she ingratiated herself with the Queen, who made her lady-in-waiting, and soon she was making and unmaking Ministers, selecting Ambassadors, and appointing Generals. She was perfectly equipped for her task. Her acting—she had her own private theatre—harping, singing, dancing, harpsichord playing, and riding were perfection and her literary and artistic taste unerring. Voltaire, her poet-in-chief, said, "She is one of us." She protected Montesquieu, encouraged Diderot, rescued Marmon- tel, discovered Boucher, and patronized Van Loo and Greuze. To the imagination of a woman she joined the brain—almost—of a man. Her library was notable for the serious works in it, and she read them all.

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That brought the end. When there was nothing left to fight, she ceased to live. At the age of forty-two, she dressed in full Court costume and died, a jeat on her lips. To the priest who was leaving her deathbed she said: "One moment, Monsieur le Cure, we will take our departure together."

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Harbor Grace Notes.

On Thursday evening last, Feb. 28th, The Aero Tennis Club presented the play "The Adventures of Grandpa" in the Academy Hall. It was quite a success, but if the weather had been more favourable, no doubt, there would have been even a larger audience present. Mr. Mylius made an ideal "Grandpa," while all the other performers were perfectly at home in their parts, and impersonated the different characters in a very realistic manner. The comedy produced lots of fun, and was most enjoyable all throughout. The following was the cast of characters:—"Montgomery Ray" ("Monte")—Grandpa's Grandson—Walter Hayse. Ted Hunter—A Young Dancing Master—William Kennedy. Otis Hammerhead (Grandpa)—from Yellow Bud, Ohio—William Mylius. Officer McCormack—Who seen his duty and done it—Harry Archibald. Lucy Hunter—Our Little Wife—Miss Elizabeth Joy. Dorothy May—Just out of College—Miss Gertrude Parsons. Mrs. Pansy Hopscotch—Fair, Fat and Forty—Mrs. Charles L. Kennedy. Marie Ribean—The girl from Paris—Miss Francis Casey. Kloomp—Twelve days from Copenhagen over—Miss Emma Cron. Candy was on sale during the interval, and dancing was indulged in at the close of the play.

The teachers and pupils of the High School held their annual Shrove Tuesday Tea at their school yesterday afternoon. Handkerchiefs and candy were on sale, and among the amusements there was a lucky pie and shooting competition.

Mr. W. J. Parsons, Manager of the Hr. Grace Boot & Shoe Mfg. Co., Ltd., who was on a business visit to Canada and the States, was a passenger by the S.S. Silvia to St. John's on Monday. Mr. Parsons returned to town by the night train, but owing to the condition of the railway line, the train was delayed considerably, and did not reach here until the following morning at 10 o'clock.

Messrs. Albert and George Snow left town by Tuesday's train en route to Boston, Mass. They have been working at Boston for some time and came here in December last, to spend the winter with their father, Mr. Thomas Snow. We wish them the best of luck.

Miss Clarice Parsons, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. H. P. Jerrett, at Clarke's Beach, returned home again by Monday's belated train. She was accompanied by Mrs. Jerrett, who will spend a while with her mother, Mrs. R. S. Parsons.

Yesterday being Shrove Tuesday, "Pancake" Parties were the order of the day, and the young folks derived lots of amusement in the search for what some of the pancakes contained.

The death of Mrs. Sarah Davis, widow of Mr. Edgar Davis, occurred at her home, Noad Street, yesterday, after a lingering illness. The funeral takes place to-morrow (Thursday) and interment will be made in the C. of E. Cemetery.

We sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Martin and family, in the death of their youngest daughter Mary, which occurred at the General Hospital last week, as the result of an accident. The body was brought here by Saturday morning's train, and the funeral took place from there to St. Paul's Church, and thence to the C. of E. Cemetery, where all that was mortal was laid to rest.

A local troupe is busily engaged preparing for the usual St. Patrick's night's play. This event is always looked forward to each year, with an expectancy of something good in store, and there is no doubt, but that the performance to be staged on the 17th in the Academy Hall, will be well worth attending.

To-day (Ash Wednesday) there has been quite a rainstorm, which made the streets in a bad condition. And, as a result of the rain, the snow banks have diminished to a large extent. If this kind of weather, as we are having of late, continues, the approach of spring is not far distant. CORRESPONDENT. Hr. Grace, March 5, 1924.

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The Cowan Mission will hold their Annual Entertainment in the Methodist College Hall on St. Patrick's afternoon. Particulars later.—mar7/24

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Special to Evening Telegram.
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