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#### FAMOUS OLD N. Y. HIPPODROME GIVEN WAY FOR ERECTION OF OFFICE BUILDING

Structure Once Regarded as Finest in Nation Soon to Be Razed

BY GILBERT SWAN,

N EW YORK—On its 25th birthday, the famous Hippodrome theater totters towards its grave.

Born in April, 1905, a veritable colossus of entertainment, its death knell is now being sounded by the wreckers and the play-place of miltions must make way for a typical New York office building. Yet the day was not so long ago when anyone who suggested that the Hippodrome might ever decline to plebian present would have been hustled away for cranial examination.

All the world knew it; all America came to see it; it was one of the attractions of Manhattan, a household word, a crowning amusement achievement, a synonym for everything that was bigger and better. But that was in the wake of Thompson and Dundy's fabulous spectacles, sucn as a "Circus from Mars" or "The Story of the Wilson Raiders" or, still later, "Neptune's Daughter" and "Amer-

Singing and Dancing Girls Today the cavernous stage, which held the theatrically historic tank and saw a ballet of 100 dancing girls, a chorus of 200 singing and dancing girls and a vast array of diving beauties, has now shrunk to the dimensions of a motion picture screen whereon 500 extra players

are no novelty. But George Field, who started shifting scenery shortly after its birth and became stage manager, can remember when there were 1,274 attaches. Recently there have been a dozen ushers. George Rudolph, who began 10 years ago as a tights stretcher for the ballet and became the chief electrician. can recall when 40,000 electric lights blazed upon the crowds. Now all is in the half darkness of the cinema theater. No more spectacular project ever staggered the visitor to Gotham than this \$1,500,000 palace with seating room for 5,200 persons. Something like 50,000,000 or more have entered and exited in its hey-day.

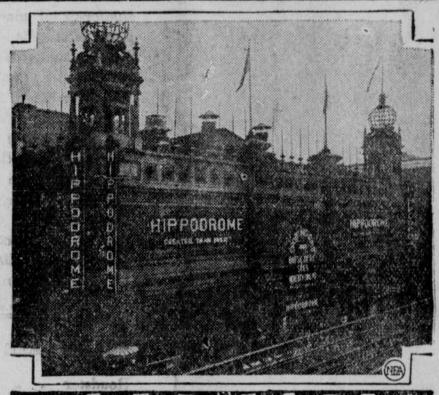
Yet there has been no secret around Broadway that for the last 10 years it has been gradually slipping. The decline actually began in 1918, which also was the year of its greatest box-office triumph. It had passed from its original management to Thompson and Shubert; the latter had walked out in a huff and Charles Dillingham had taken it over offering "Hip, Hip Hooray" and other pageants which nationalized his name.

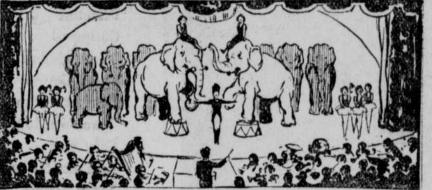
Peak of Popularity

The while, one name after another and one feat after another achieved the peak of popularity-Annette Kellerman, the "diving Venus;" John Philip Sousa and his band; Charlotte, and her skaters; Fay Templeton and De Wolfe Hopper; those most famous of clowns, Toto, Silvers and Marcelline, the latter two fated to be tragic jesters who died by their own hands; Fokine's ballet; Helen Cain, the diver, who finally was blinded when her eyes hit against the water once too often; Sidney

Ford Now Making Profit.

From New York World. The Ford Motor company, according to a statement just filed in Massachusetts, showed a profit of \$81,-797,861 for 1929, as compared with a loss of \$72,221,498 for 1928. In ther words, Mr. Ford, although approaching a time of life when men like to take their ease, and although having sufficient means, surely, to live on the rest of his days, decided vear before last to take a chance. Persuaded that Model T, which he had been making for a number of years, was out of date, he scrapped it and set about the vast work of remodeling his factory to make oth-





EARS have imparted a touch of romance to the very name of Nes York's Hippodrome, pictured above. This theater is scheduled to be torn down soon as the location has been selected for a large office struc-

Ludz, the loop the looper who one day didn't jump in time; Dippy Diers, the daredevil, who cleaned up on the grand national races and retired-and a host of others. Trained elephants and other animals performed on its stage to the thunderous applause of packed audiences.

"Royal" Boxes Then, the "mysterious pool," which had them all guessing. Dozens of diving girls would leap into the water never to come up again. Everyone tried to solve the mystery of how it was done. Time disclosed it as a trick arrangement, by which a diving bell, just off stage, offered escape through a trap door. It required merely that the swimmer go under water for a couple of seconds and ascend back stage by a ladder. But because of the prospect that some diver might meet with a mishap, a clerk was stationed at the stairs to check each performer upon her exit.

Then there were the "royal boxes," which had held the Prince of Wales, the royal family of Belgium, Cardinal Mercier and even John D. Rockefeller and Billy Sun-

The beginning of the end was sounded by the Sunday blue law. Some of the largest crowds had been attracted on the Sabbath, and the management fought the closing ordinance bitterly. Pavlowa and Toto allowed themselves to b€ arrested for a test case, and several arrests were made on subsequent Sundays. Then came a series

er models, which might sell, but which on the other hand might not. The story of that remodeling is familiar to all of us: the months during which production was at a standstill and workmen were busy building new mackinery, the steps by which the new model was evolved, the excitement when it finally apppeared. The cost, as reflected in this statement, was \$72,-221,498, but in reality was much more than that as this takes no account of the profits Mr. Ford might have expected had he continued merely to do business as before. Yet in one year Mr. Ford has recouped this prodigious ante, and nearly of jinxs. Ethel Lorraine, a dancer met with an accident and collected \$25,000; Slivers committed suicide: a trapeze act miscued and fell to death and the theatrical unions came in. There was a fierce labor fight and Dillinghorn resigned his management; the Actors' Equity won and all was settled for a time

House Never Came Back But it was too late. The Hippodrome never came back. In 1921 a big spectacle was staged, but met with uncertain success; two years later Keith took the theater over for vaudeville and two years after that it passed into the hands of the late E. F. Albee. Pictures, vaudeville, and then sound filmsall have been tried-the Hippodrome had had its day.

So its 25th birthday finds it an old tottering man, shorn of its youthful splendor and gaiety, ready to surrender to the wreckers.

Are third rails on train tracks charged heavily enough to cause death if a person touches the rail?

The third rails on train and subway tracks are so highly charged that should a person step on them death would be instantaneous. However, every precaution against such accidents is taken by railway companies. The law states that at no time shall this rail be exposed.

As a resal! of the "parrot fever" scare in Denmark has ruled that ships from South American ports shall be subjected to the same quarantine measure normally in force for the control of cholera and plague.

\$10,000,000 besides. In another year he will have recouped much more. It all goes to show that however defective Mr. Ford's understanding of public affairs he has one of the best understandings of business that the world has ever seen.

Q. What language did the ancient Ethiopians speak? J. L. T. They spoke a language known as Ethiopic, also called lesana Ge'ez, the tongue of Ge'ez. It is closely allied with the languages of south-ern Arabia and represents the southern division of the Sem lan-

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Fish Freeze to Death

That fish were frozen to death in the North sea during the spell of Arctic weather in February, 1930, has just been disclosed. Fishermen who trawl there noted many strange tappenings in an area of about 10,000 miles in the vicinity of Denmark. They say their strangest experience was trawling up large numbers of dead fish, evidently killed by the cold. These included soles, brill, cod, conger dabs and placie. One skipper reported having thrown overboard 1,500 pounds of dead sole in a week's voyage.

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Out of Tune

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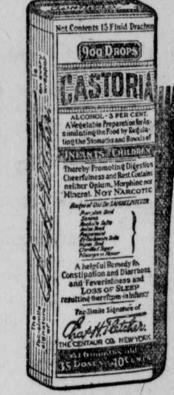
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'T've been married ten years." "Oh! I thought you were naturally round-shouldered."



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