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TALKING MOVIE IS PERFECTED BY IOWA INVENTOR

Lee DeForest, Former Council Bluffs Youth, Back from Four Years' Experimenting Abroad.

Lee DeForest, son of a former Council Bluffs clergyman, and who is known throughout the radio world, has returned to the United States after a four year stay in Europe perfecting his "phonofilm," which is a combination of sound and pictures photographed on an ordinary motion picture film. DeForest will make the first demonstration of his new invention before the New York Electrical society late this month. His first public showing of his "movie-talkie" will be made at a Broadway theatre in April or May.

Council Bluffs has previously had reason to be proud of the dream-eyed lad, Lee DeForest, who spent his boyhood there and returned there as a young man to begin his electrical experiments.

Has Many Inventions

Many inventions in radio, particularly the audion bulb, owe their present perfection to DeForest's genius. But scientists regard his last invention which perfectly synchronizes

the pantomime and sound, as his greatest. DeForest described his invention to representatives of the press upon his return a few days ago from Europe.

Not Revolutionary

"The talking movie will not revolutionize photoplays," he said. "The public doesn't want the actors to talk in film dramas. My invention will open up a new field of entertainment and education rather than changing the old. It will give scenario writers an opportunity to work up situations and scenes about acoustic effects."

Field for Music

"That is the field for the present," said DeForest. "Movie audiences will hear, as well as see, operettas, symphony orchestras, popular bands, concert singers, famous virtuosos, public men, dancers and others who heretofore have been available in person only to the few, and to many only by means of phonograph records."

DeForest holds, however, that the silent drama cannot be improved by adding the voice. "Photoplays perhaps might be improved by the actual reading of letters and telegrams, or by one or two words and sentences spoken as a means of gripping the attention, but certainly not by continuous conversation on the part of characters," he

said. "The phonofilm must not be thrust ruinously upon the pantomime of photoplays."

Pictures for the DeForest film are taken in a sound-proof studio by an ordinary picture camera, altered by the addition of a "voice box" in which sound waves have been translated into electric currents and thence into light waves.

Use Ordinary Machine

Reproduction is by an ordinary projection machine supplied with a voice attachment, which translates the light waves back again into sound waves, which are amplified and projected through invisible horns under the screen.

EAGLES' JUBILEE

The Nebraska City Eagles are announcing a three night jubilee that will be held on April 5, 6 and 7th. The program will include many high class acts of music and each evening there will be dancing for the crowd. On the closing night a high class radio receiving set will be given away. The advertisement of the entertainment may be found elsewhere in this paper.

Miss Florence White was a passenger this afternoon for Omaha after enjoying a few days visit here with her mother, Mrs. Alice White and family.

Mrs. Mary Heinrich was a passenger this afternoon for Omaha in company with her daughter and where they will visit with friends.

MISSOURI RIVER ICE JAM MENACES TOWN OF ONAWA

Gorge Causing South Sioux City Flood Floats Down to Iowa Village, Causing Rise.

The Missouri river, after flooding lowlands near Sioux City during the past week, is again menacing property, this time near Onawa, Ia., according to information received here by the Associated Press.

An ice gorge, believed to have been part of the same one which was responsible for flood condition near Sioux City and which floated down the river during the night, caused a rapid rise in the water opposite Onawa, resulting in overflow onto sandbars, menacing valuable farm land in Iowa.

According to B. E. Harlow, postmaster at Onawa, the river rose 13 feet after formation of the gorge, but there was no danger of loss of life, he said, as squatters living along the river banks had been moving for the past two days to places of safety. From 12 to 15 families moved out, taking their livestock and other property with them.

A rise of about three more feet, Mr. Harlow said, can be withstood before the water is apt to overflow on lands planted with valuable crops. The situation is being watched carefully by ferrymen from Onawa as well as others, including the county engineer of Monona county, Iowa, and it is possible they will ask for outside help to break up the gorge, which apparently is showing no signs of disintegrating this afternoon.

On the Nebraska side, opposite Onawa, the town of Decatur is protected by high banks, with little or no danger from ordinary flood conditions, such as of late result along the Big Muddy in springtime.

OMAHA TO OPEN IN OILER TOWN

Schedule of 168 Games Opening in the South Adopted—Decorations and July 4 at Home.

Oklahoma City, March 25.—A schedule calling for 168 games was adopted at a meeting here today of club owners of the Western league. The season will open April 12th and close September 30th.

For climatic reasons the season will both open and close in the south.

Opening games are Denver at Oklahoma City, Omaha at Tulsa, Sioux City at St. Joseph, Des Moines at Wichita.

Decorations day games are Oklahoma City at Wichita, St. Joseph, Denver at Omaha, and Des Moines at Sioux City.

July 4 assignments are Tulsa at Oklahoma City, St. Joseph at Wichita, Sioux City at Omaha and Des Moines at Denver.

Labor day games will be played, Wichita at Oklahoma City, St. Joseph at Tulsa, Omaha at Des Moines and Sioux City at Denver.

The closing games will be Denver at Oklahoma City, Omaha at Tulsa, Sioux City at Wichita and Des Moines at St. Joseph.

President A. R. Tearney failed to attend the meeting.

Those in the schedule conference were Barney Burch, Omaha; Frank Iebell, Wichita; Lee Kaiser, Des Moines; James Crawford, Tulsa; W. C. Giles, St. Joseph; M. L. Affinger, Denver. Crawford also held Sioux City's proxy.

UNIVERSITY NOTES

About 150 senior and junior engineering students will take the annual inspection trip including places in Lincoln and suburbs at Omaha, March 24 to 28. On April 7 this group will inspect the Blue River Power company's power stations along that river and also the Crete Mills. The Lincoln trip was made Saturday, covering the work on the new capitol, the Lincoln Trust company power station, the Burlington's Havelock shops, and the city disposal plant. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will be spent at Omaha. The first day they will inspect the Ford assembly plant, the Florence water works and the Baker Ice Machine company. The Municipal Ice Plant and Gas Plant, the Omaha and Council Bluffs Street Railway company, the Nebraska Power company, the Union Pacific bridge over the Missouri river and the World-Herald plant will be visited Tuesday. Wednesday forenoon they will spend at the Nebraska Telephone company and the afternoon with the Omaha Structural Steel company. They may visit the College of Medicine. On Saturday of next week they will inspect four of the Blue River Power company generating stations, including the first automatic station in the United States, eight miles south of Crete.

This trip is known as the "short trip." The College of Engineering requires one inspection trip of every graduate. It provides long and short trips, alternating them annually. Juniors are permitted to make the trips. A junior who lacks funds can take the short trip if the long trip happens to fall on his senior year. In this way the money cost is not burdensome.

Searl S. Davis departed this morning for Lincoln where he will visit his mother and also his brother, Troy L. Davis, representative from Cass county in the legislature.

BRYAN REPLACES THREE CODE DEPARTMENT HEADS

Engineer, Agriculture and Finance Secretaries Succeeded by Appointive Deputies.

Lincoln, March 26.—Replacement of hold over code department heads with new appointive deputies has been made by Governor Bryan, he said today, to remedy a condition he discovered wherein old chiefs were conducting themselves in legislation at the expense of the administrative duties.

The undertaking was, he said, that those hold overs should confine themselves only to administrative duties, but he found them concerned with such legislation as transferring of code departments to republican state officials in order to retain their political jobs.

Governor Bryan said he was referring to no particular department, but the changes he has made include: Roy Cochran to succeed George E. Johnson as state engineer.

Grant I. Shumway to succeed J. W. Mayer, acting secretary of the department of agriculture.

George Hall to succeed Mrs. Maud Butler, acting secretary of finance.

Governor Bryan said he also found conflicting reports on the financial situation he deemed it necessary to harmonize. In other words, the financial report he made to the legislature was based upon reports of departments he had called for, and he says he finds a difference between the reports to him and the reports to the republican legislative committee making a later report branding the Bryan report as incorrect and purporting to forecast a surplus in the treasury instead of a deficit.

In reply to a question as to whether former State Engineer Johnson was involved in this matter of figures, Governor Bryan said that the two sets of figures furnished by Mr. Johnson for the two occasions didn't produce the same results.

Easter greeting cards and novelties of every description may be had at the Journal office.

THREE NIGHTS' JUBILEE

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FORM 'KAMELIA' KLAN FOR WOMEN

Auxiliary For Women is Formed by Imperial Emperor Simmons of the Ku Klux Klan.

Atlanta, Ga., March 22.—The "Kamelia," a national organization of women, founded on the lines of the Ku Klux Klan, will be launched soon, William Joseph Simmons, imperial emperor of the Ku Klux Klan, announced here today.

The organization which, according to the announcement, will function "alongside of the Ku Klux Klan," is the result of a nationwide appeal from women, Simmons said.

Native born white Protestant women of America above the age of 13 will be admitted to the order, according to Simmons, who declared he will issue the ritualistic work of the organization within a short time.

The new secret order, of which Simmons has appointed himself the head with the title of "El Magnus," will be devoted to "a new consecration to the American home, to the American government, and to the American creed of Christianity as taught by the Protestant church," Simmons declared.

Watched Growth of "Dream" In his statement announcing the plans for the women's order, Simmons reviewed the growth of the Ku Klux Klan, which he founded seven years ago, declaring that in its successful growth he has seen the accomplishment of "a dream of his youth."

"Always in my dream of a great renewal of Americanism there has been the contemplation of a woman's organization, adhering to the same principles, committed to the same purposes and impelled by the same motives as the Ku Klux Klan," Simmons said.

"For a considerable period the demand upon me for an organization of women has increased until the demand has become a clamor from well nigh every section of the United States. A response to the appeal of these earnest, devoted, patriotic women can no longer be deferred.

Must Co-Operate "They must take their place alongside the Ku Klux Klan and co-operate with them in all their worthy movements to co-ordinate their activities with all of their noble enterprises helping to save the white man's civilization on the American

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Emma Pease