

Winners of 1934 Movie Titles



Their performances in the picture, "It Happened One Night", from which the above photo was taken, won Clark Gable and Claudette Colbert the honor of being named the best performers of 1934 at the seventh annual banquet of the Motion Picture Arts and Sciences Academy in Hollywood, Cal.

Car Loadings on M. P. Show a Decrease

Report Shows That 1,418 Less Cars Were Loaded Over the System in February.

St. Louis, March 4.—Cars loaded locally and received from connections on the Missouri Pacific railroad last month totalled 79,818 carloads, as compared with 83,287 cars in February, 1934. Last month's total was divided 52,273 cars loaded locally on Missouri Pacific, a decrease of 1,418 cars compared with the same month last year, and 27,545 cars received from connections, as compared with 29,596 cars in February, 1934. The Gulf Coast Lines loaded locally and received from connections a total of 14,410 carloads in February, this year, a decrease of 1,711 cars compared with the same month of 1934. Last month's total was divided 9,769 carloads loaded locally, compared with 11,002 carloads in February, 1934, and 4,641 carloads received from connections in February, this year, compared with 5,119 carloads in the same month last year.

The International-Great Northern loaded locally and received from connections a total of 16,536 carloads in February this year, a decrease of 2,668 carloads compared with the same month of 1934. Last month's total was divided 8,339 carloads loaded locally, compared with 11,448 carloads in February, 1934, and 8,147 carloads received from connections in February, this year, compared with 7,756 cars in the same month last year.

IDENTIFY PAIR AS KILLERS

Ottawa.—Nine witnesses contributed to the state's effort to send Fred Gerner and Arthur Thielen to the electric chair for the murder of J. Charles Bundy during an attempted holdup of the Lenore, Ill., state bank, of which he was cashier. After the corpus delicti had been established by Dr. E. H. Althwager, Tonica, Ill., peace officers and eye-witnesses paraded to the witness stand to name Gerner and Thielen as killers.

Jack Carpenter, county highway policeman, told of arresting the pair in a farmhouse after a chase that had extended over three counties and during which Charles Seipp, county superior, and Glenn Axline, sheriff of Marshall county, were slain.

UNEMPLOYMENT CENSUS

Washington.—An unemployment census to be completed in eight months was proposed by Senator Costigan in a bill introduced carrying an appropriation of \$13,250,000. The census was advocated as a guide to relief efforts.

Miss Marie Kaufmann Honored by Woodman Circle

Plattsmouth Lady Is Named as State Historian at the Convention at Omaha Saturday.

The delegates and other members of the Woodmen Circle from this city, returned late Saturday night from a delightful and inspiring state convention held at Omaha March first and second. Nebraska has chosen Marie E. Kaufmann, local secretary, as its first historian.

The selection of Miss Kaufmann for this important office is a recognition that is most pleasing to the local grove and one which is much deserved, as Miss Kaufmann has long been one of the active workers in the order in the state.

Mrs. Dora Alexander Talley, national president of the Woodmen Circle, told the state convention of the group, that Nebraska groves of the organization have displayed a "remarkable increase in that civic and social service which is our constant ideal."

"While we are very proud of our financial standing as an insurance group, yet we consider our greatest achievement is in our fraternal activities. I am highly pleased at the marked increase in these shown in Nebraska's report at the state convention," Mrs. Talley said. "I wish, too, to express my sincere gratitude to Nebraska groves of the Woodmen Circle for their splendid contribution to the Home for Orphaned Children and Aged Members maintained by the Circle in Sherman, Tex. The children and old folks at the home join with me, I know, in expressing our appreciation to Nebraska for this kindness."

Mrs. Talley said a third building was soon to be constructed at the institution, maintained by the organization on 244 acres of land near Sherman. The first structure in the group was officially dedicated in 1930.

Mrs. Talley complimented Nebraska on making the second best record in the six-month campaign, which was recently held in her honor and pointed to the splendid net gain of three hundred members made by the state in 1934.

Mrs. Talley emphasized, during her address to the convention, the stress the organization lays on its welfare and civic activities: "We aim to co-operate in all community and welfare projects. We recognize that the glory of our nation depends upon the character of our homes. Next to the church, fraternal societies like ours are doing more to foster our homes today than any other institution in our civilization," she declared.

"We shall constantly strive to do everything in our power to make our various communities better places in which to live—this is the organization's ideal, and its pledge," she said.

HAUPTMANN DEFENSE FUND

Passaic, N. J.—Mrs. Anna Hauptmann addressed more than 1,000 members of German-American societies at the Turnverein hall and collected more than \$1,200 for the defense fund of her husband, Bruno Hauptmann, convicted slayer. Immediately after her brief speech, delivered in German, contributions were dropped into a receptacle placed on the platform in front of the hall. Many mothers carrying infants kissed her and men greeted her in her native tongue.

Outside the hall more than 1,000 persons, unable to gain admission, waited for a glimpse of her. Mrs. Hauptmann said her husband was in excellent spirits and is confident he will be given another trial and finally acquitted. "I bring you greetings," she said.

TEXAS HAS A DUST STORM

Amarillo, Tex.—A sudden dust storm turned daylight into blackest night for two minutes. Pedestrians and motorists were taken unawares. Visibility at hand's length was impossible. Extent of the storm and possible damage could not be checked immediately. Fort Worth & Denver and Rock Island railway dispatchers reported "wires out" to the west and north. Wind velocity was forty-seven miles an hour during the storm.

Dallas.—Weather observers said Amarillo was about the center of a considerable low pressure area which was causing heavy winds. The low pressure was moving slowly south-eastward, bringing mist, rain, and wind to a large area of Texas.

Journal Want-Ads costs little and accomplish much.

Murray

FOR SALE—1925 Ford Coupe, \$20. This car is good. Delco ignition system.—Van Allen, Murray Garage.

C. R. Troop was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop southwest of Murray last Monday afternoon.

Harry Noell and wife moved to the farm seven miles west and a half mile north of Murray, where they are to reside this year.

Miss Bessie Copenhaver and Mr. Russell Chinn spent the evening Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Schaffer, at Union.

Herbert Beins and family moved last Saturday to the house vacated by Tom Casey and will work for Perry Nickles the coming summer.

William Griffin was looking after some business matters in Elmwood on last Monday afternoon, driving over to the western Cass county town in his car.

Halias Akin has accepted an offer for the state position with the Ruse Motor company of Plattsmouth and immediately went to work selling cars for this firm.

Ed Redden, who has been industriously hauling wood, has some 30 loads now on hand, which should keep the family warm during the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Seybolt were in Plattsmouth last Monday afternoon, going up to look after some business matters, and while there called on friends for a short time.

Marion Lawrence, of Stella, was a visitor in Murray last Monday afternoon, calling on his friend, Earl Terhune, and was looking after some business matters while here.

Guy Stokes, who has been living near Wabash, moved this week to the farm on which Harry Wiles has been residing. Mrs. Harry Frank, mother of Mrs. Stokes, having recently purchased this farm.

Van Allen, proprietor of the Murray Garage, was attending a convention of Continental Oil company dealers at Nebraska City Wednesday. A dinner and entertainment followed the business session.

Martin Sporer and family were dinner guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sporer, Sunday. In the afternoon, Chester Sporer and family were also there and they enjoyed a fine visit together.

The Mrasek Transfer company was busy one day last week moving the household goods and farm equipment of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wiles to the Austin place one mile north of the Union corner on U. S. 75.

The Mrasek Transfer company brot down two loads of feeder cattle from the stockyards at Omaha Saturday to be fed on the farm of Julius Engelkemier, after which they will be returned to market in the late summer.

The Murray Transfer company was at Plattsmouth last Saturday, moving the household effects of Tom Casey there. Tom, who has been working for Perry Nickles during the past year, is moving to the county seat to reside.

Albert A. Young was removing a porch from the house owned by his sister, Mrs. Ona Lawton, which both the occupants of the property and Mrs. Lawton desired torn down, thus making a good improvement to the property.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Leyda were out in the western portion of the state called there by the very severe illness of their daughter, Mrs. Silas Perry who has been very ill, so serious in fact that they were called to her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Copenhaver and family, Mrs. John Faris and son, John Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Faris and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Riecke and son were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Copenhaver at Syracuse Sunday.

Delbert W. Todd, who receives his mail through the Union postoffice although he lives about as close to Murray, was in town Monday and had the Journal man put his name on the subscription list, so he will be assured of getting the news twice each week during the coming year.

There was much joy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gansmer when the stork brought them a fine ten pound daughter, making the sixth girl which the generous old bird has

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THE LANCASTER STORE

brought to their home. Dr. R. W. Tyson was the assisting physician and the mother and little Miss are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Nickles were home for a short time last Sunday, coming Saturday night and returning to Lincoln the following afternoon. Mr. Nickles has been busy during the regular legislative vacation with sessions of his important committee, the House Ways and Means or Finance committee, and was at Genoa with other members of the committee on Saturday, investigating budget requirements for the conduct of certain state activities. They hope to have budget recommendations completed soon.

Brought Baby Home

Harry Albin and wife were in Omaha last Saturday and were able to bring home with them their little babe which has been in the hospital there since its birth some eight weeks ago, having been kept in an incubator during that time. They are very well pleased with the progress the baby has made, it now weighing seven pounds, whereas it weighed but three pounds when it was born.

Will Hold Hog Sale

Harry M. Knabe, of near Nehawka, was a visitor in Murray last Monday afternoon, coming to look after some business matters. In conversation with the Journal man, he stated that he is arranging to hold another bred gilt sale on March 30th, and will also include some outstanding boars from his herd. An advertisement of the sale will appear in the Journal in the near future. Watch for it!

Guests at Dan Hoschar Home

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hoschar were host and hostess at their home northwest of Murray last Sunday, having as dinner guests the Earl Lancaster and J. E. Lancaster families, as well as Malvern Reed and Miss Neva Lancaster. Besides the splendid dinner, a fine social afternoon was enjoyed by all the guests.

Here from the West

Louis H. Puls who with his family have been making their home at Parish, Colorado, where they located a number of years ago and have been engaged in farming, was a visitor in Murray the early part of this week, coming to look after some business matters as well as visit with friends and relatives who reside in this part of the country. Mr. Puls speaks well of the western country in which he lives, but says they could use more rain, for it was unusually dry there last year and the ground is badly in need of moisture.

Plastering New House

George Brinton, the plasterer, of Elmwood, was plastering the new house which Tom Tilson and Harvey Gregg have just gotten in readiness for this part of the work and when the plastering shall have thoroughly cured, the interior finishing will be undertaken. This, with the painting of the exterior, will place the new residence in readiness for occupancy.

Brought Truck Load of Mules

D. C. Rhoden, accompanied by W. O. Troop and Tommy Troop, returned last Saturday from a visit in South Dakota, where Mr. Rhoden went for a truck load of mules. They visited at Okcreek, where Mrs. Rhoden and Mrs. William Gorder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop, are teaching in the public schools. They tell of running into the blizzard on the way up, meeting it at Norfolk, and say driving was next to impossible. The temperature dropped away below zero and with the same raging wind that prevailed here, there were plenty of motorists laid up to await the subsiding of the storm.

Met at Comer Home

The Social Circle club, composed mostly of ladies residing in the vicinity of Union, but having some members in and about Murray, met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Herman F. Comer. The meeting was attended by Mesdames A. A. Young and Adam Meisinger, of Murray. Mesdames Herman F. Comer and Earl Hathaway were the hostesses.

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Mrs. A. G. Lash in Hospital

Mrs. A. G. Lash, mother of Mrs. G. E. Brubacher, who has not been in the best of health, was taken to the hospital in Omaha last Saturday, her daughter accompanying her and remaining with her during her operation. Mr. and Mrs. Brubacher and their daughter, Beverly, were in Omaha Sunday, visiting with the mother at the hospital and found the patient doing fairly well since passing thru the ordeal of an operation.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our friends for the efforts they put forth to save our home. We surely appreciate the kindness and the aid they gave in this our time of loss.—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carroll.

Car of Seed to Kansas.

The Robinson Elevator company of Kansas City and Murray, the plant here being conducted by Robert Welton, shipped a car load of very fine seed corn to Kansas City which is to be used for the planting of corn this spring in the state of Kansas. The corn was grown here during the season of 1933 and is of a very fine quality.

Will Rebuild Immediately.

The site which is to be used for the rebuilding of the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carroll which was burned down some weeks ago, will be the same as the former building. It is being cleared up by a force of men who are cleaning the brick of the foundation and getting the ground in condition for the construction of a foundation for the new building which is soon to be erected. The new building cannot be occupied, it is estimated before some three months. Meanwhile, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll have been making their home in the garage of the place which has been made as comfortable as possible under the circumstances. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll are expecting to get a house as soon as it is vacated, as Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Leyda expect soon to move to the country across the road from where their son, Lloyd Leyda now resides. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll sure are thankful to all who in any way assisted in making their loss the more bearable.

CRIME MEETING DATES

Sacramento, Calif. — Governor Merriam changed the dates for the western crime conference from March 18-19 to March 21-22. He said inquiry had shown the new dates to be satisfactory.

SEAMEN KILLED IN GALE

Halifax, N. S.—The 16,000 ton Canadian Pacific steamship Montclair arrived in port battered by a terrific storm in the Atlantic and with two of her crew dead and two others badly injured.

Phone the news to No. 6.

Announcement

The elevator at Murray formerly owned by the FREDERICK SEED COMPANY, has been purchased by our Company.

We invite you to see our local Manager, Mr. BOB WESTON, when you have grain to buy or sell.

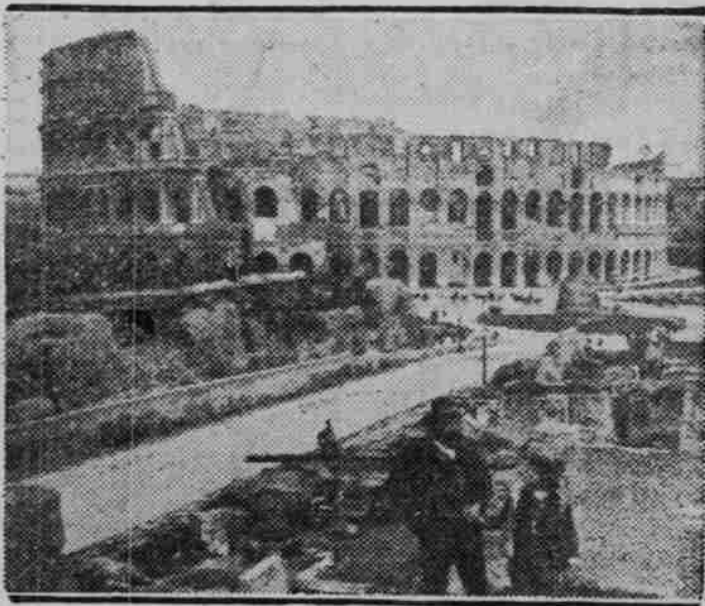
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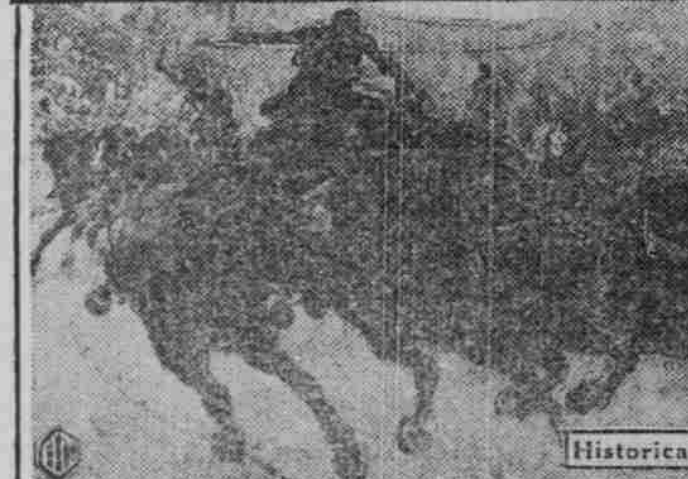
Ancient Circus Maximus Emerging From Ruins



The last gladiatorial combat



The Coliseum



Historical painting of a chariot race in the Circus Maximus.

Another vestige of "the grandeur that was Rome" is emerging from the excavations now underway on the historic banks of the Tiber where the great Circus Maximus once stood. This vast arena, 2,000 feet long, has been buried beneath the silt and deposit of centuries. It is now planned to restore

the great amphitheater which rivals the Coliseum in size and historic significance. It was in the Circus Maximus that the famous Roman games and thrilling chariot races were held. A fine new highway leads to the site where it is planned to landscape the surrounding hill as an archeological garden.