

They Tell Me That...

JON HALL, so far seen in undress as the native Terangi in "Hurricane," has just cost Sam Goldwyn \$550 for ordinary modern clothes.

Hall was due to go to England to star in "The Thief of Bagdad" for Korda. Goldwyn, anxious that his young star

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lessons in chiropractic, and practised on his wife. Recently the American Bureau of Chiropractic sued Producer Hal Roach, Cinematographer Alan Mowbray, Writers Eddie Moran, Jack Jevne and Ed Sullivan for 100,000 dollars for ridiculing the profession.

In Father's Footsteps

AMONG the most promising of the second generation crops is Tim Holt, son of that still-popular heman star, Jack Holt. A good-looking young man who did very well in a small role in "Stella Dallas."

The wife—taking a liking to Jane, and not realising she was in the movies—asked the actress to look her up in Hollywood, for she had friends in the picture business who might be able to show her through a studio.

Was the lady's face red when Jane told her who she was!

"Snow White's" Record

BIGGEST gross movie earnings on record are "The Singing Fool" (5,250,000 dollars), "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" (4,500,000 dollars) and "Ben Hur" (4,000,000 dollars). It now is apparent that Walt Disney's "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," with U.S. receipts so far of nearly 4,000,000 dollars, and British receipts estimated at 1,250,000 dollars, will presently set a new record of about 6,000,000 dollars.



In Sherwood Forest—Robin Hood (on the right), as portrayed by Errol Flynn, and two of his merry men, Herbert Mundin and Patric Knowles. A scene from Warner's "Adventures of Robin Hood," for early release.

Now has his first lead role in "Sons of the Legion."

Incidentally, when Tim first broached the idea of a screen career to his father, Jack told him: "It's a swell idea, son. We need at least one actor in the family."

Other youngsters who are following "the dear old dad" include Fred Kohler, jun., son of the most reliable of movie villains, Alma Lloyd, who appears in Papa Frank Lloyd's "If I Were King," and Edward Arnold, jun., who embarks on his acting career in "Dramatic School."

Believe It Or Not

HAL ROACH has had to scrap some work on "Topper Takes A Trip" because of the Martian scare.

The "Topper" trailer apparently refers to Billie Burke getting a divorce and naming Constance Bennett as the other woman—both being in "Topper Takes A Trip."

After the reaction to the Wells broadcast, Roach feared the American public might take the crack as solemn fact.

But there is surely a difference between films and the radio which, in America at last, brings news at any minute of the day. If we were to risk believing everything we saw on the screen we might have an odd idea of the facts of life.

Her Mistake

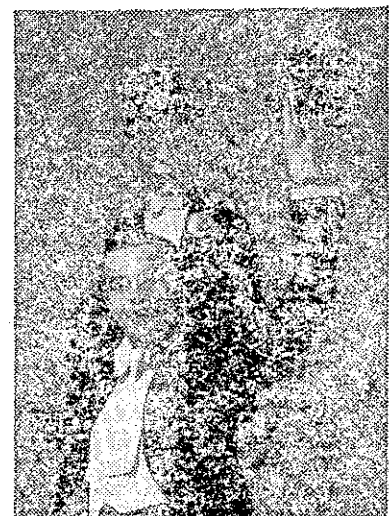
JANE BRYAN—a pretty girl who is doing very well at Warners, particularly in the recently-completed "The Sisters," with Bette Davis and Errol Flynn—recently had her car break down while she was journeying back from San Francisco.

A middle-aged couple towed Jane's car to the nearest garage.

Thanks To Charlie

HEDGAR BERGEN should thank his ventriloquist dummy, Charley McCarthy, for inclusion in the current "Who's Who in America."

Bergen is listed in this book of noted Americans with Supreme Court Justices, financiers and other famous folk, including other picture celebrities such as Shirley



Bergen and McCarthy (McCarthy on top as usual.)

Temple, Frances Langford, Rudy Vallee, Jack Benny, and Paul Muni. If it had not been for "Charley McCarthy," Bergen would not have been in the book.

Film Feud

THERE'S a feud going on between two Paramount stars—and it's getting so serious that neighbours of the warriors are contemplating intervention.

The feudists are John Howard and Fred MacMurray.

The battle started when Howard recently purchased a home in MacMurray's neighbourhood. One night

BLAME THE PILOT

Eloped To The Wrong Place

GENEVIEVE TOBIN and William Keighley, the well-known director, are the heroine and hero of the year's best elopement story.

They thought that they were being married in Yuma, Arizona, and didn't discover until it was all over and they came to examine the certificate that the ceremony had actually taken place in Las Vegas, Nevada.

The mistake arose through the pilot they engaged in Los Angeles misunderstanding his instructions.

As neither the actress nor the director had ever been in Yuma or Las Vegas they didn't know the difference.

To make the story perfect, the pilot should have been Douglas Corrigan, the "Atlantic-by-mistake" flyer, who is now in the film capital.

recently he went home unusually tired after a day of work on "Arrest Bulldog Drummond."

On that particular night, MacMurray decided to get out his saxophone and brush up on his technique. The next morning an irate Howard reported for work with sleepy eyes and a consuming desire for vengeance.

For the past year, Howard, a musician, has been busy mastering various orchestral instruments. He decided that he would take up the saxophone next.

At the noon hour, he went out and bought a saxophone. That night, he waited until the lights went out in the MacMurray home and then started his initial practising.

The battle is still raging.

"Mother" Of The Hardys

Woman Who Invented A Family

THE woman behind the Judge Hardy family is Kay Van Riper, who invented it. She is still responsible for the main outlines of all the stories, though she is given new collaborators on each picture.

Carvel, the typical American town in which the Hardys lived, is based on Winona, Minnesota, Miss Van Riper's home town.

On the wall of her office is a map of Carvel, with street names and locations of the principal buildings. There is a card-index with the names, ages, birth dates, and birth places of all the characters, with notations on what has happened to each thus far in the series.

All the merchants and town characters who have been mentioned are listed so that the followers of the pictures may become as well acquainted with Carvel as they are with the family.

Some changes have been made in the characters. Lewis Stone was not the original Judge Hardy. Lionel Barrymore had the role in the film that launched the series, "A Family Affair." Spring Byington, the "Mrs. Jones" of filmland's other famous family, was the first "Mrs. Hardy."

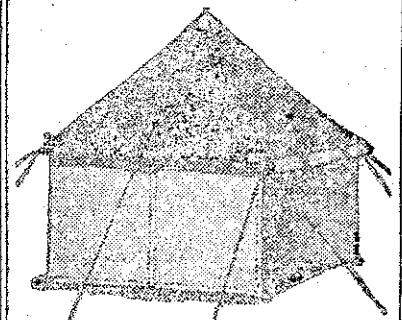


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IT'S RUMOURED

Joan And Tone To Reunite?

ACCORDING to rumours from Hollywood, intimate friends of Joan Crawford and Franchot Tone, whose marriage went on the rocks recently, are expecting them to kiss and make up after his New York stage appearance.

Another interesting piece of news from the Hollywood marriage market is that Annabella, who recently divorced her French husband, and Tyrone Power are likely to be married soon. Power has been on vacation in South America; Annabella travelled all the way from France to join him in Rio de Janeiro.

should make a good impression on his full-dress appearance in England, ordered this expensive wardrobe.

Hall's ordinary salary, said to be \$50 a week, would not allow for such expensive tailoring or so many changes of clothes for all occasions.

Now the picture has been postponed. Goldwyn is \$550 out of pocket. Jon Hall is sitting at home in Hollywood where everybody knows him in his own clothes, with a five-hundred-pound wardrobe.

Player Suspended

ANNE SHIRLEY has been suspended by Hollywood for refusing to accept the feminine lead in "The Law West of Tombstone."

She stated that she did not be-



ANNE SHIRLEY

Has turned rebellious.

lieve the role was suited to her personality and ability, but I understand that she did not care to appear in a western, known in Hollywood as a "horse opera."

Thus Anne joins the long list of rebellious stars. However, it is likely she will be given the role which made Katharine Hepburn when the studio remakes "A Bill of Divorcement."

Slur On Profession

IN "There Goes My Heart" one of the principals is an erratic sub-way motorman who took mail-order