

# THE ALHAMBRA PLAYERS

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Friday and Saturday

and

## "The Girl of the Flying X"

Monday and Tuesday

MATINEE :: NIGHT

3:30 7:30-9

Railroad shops in Elkhart, Ind., are laying off union men and forming company unions.

### PROMOTIONS ON SOUTHERN RY.

R. S. Bingham has been appointed local counsel at Talladega, Ala., for Talladega county, vice Brewer Dixon, resigned.

G. B. Buddin has been appointed inspector of transportation with headquarters at Charlotte, Ga., reporting to the general manager.

H. C. Yancey has been appointed secretary to vice-president at Atlanta, vice Wm. J. Beres, resigned to accept service elsewhere.

A. P. Wootten, formerly freight traffic representative at Rome, Ga., has been appointed freight traffic representative at Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Wootten entered the service in 1917 as cashier at the Rome agency. He was promoted to rate clerk in that office in 1920, and to freight traffic representative at Rome on May 15, 1921.

B. F. Langford, who was promoted on June 18 to assistant superintendent of the Northern Alabama Railway at Sheffield, Ala., entered the service in January, 1901, as telephone operator on the Atlanta Division at Atlanta. Subsequently he was promoted on that division at Atlanta as follows: Yard clerk and extra switchman, 1902; operator, North Avenue

yard office, August, 1903; operator, dispatcher's office, 1904; train dispatcher, May, 1905; chief dispatcher, July, 1909; train master, north end, September 15, 1913.

The Southern's city ticket office at Savannah, which has been located at 90 Bull street in charge of City Ticket Agent J. H. Brown of the Seaboard agency, has been moved to 10 Bull street and placed in charge of H. M. Meadors, city ticket agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, who will also represent the Southern in that capacity.

John Thomas Moon, recently promoted to roadmaster of the New Orleans & Northeastern Railroad and New Orleans Terminal Co., with headquarters at Hattiesburg, Miss., entered the service on August 11, 1914, as student roadway apprentice at Bremen, Ga. He was promoted to assistant supervisor at Rome, Ga., March 1, 1916, and to supervisor at that point on November 1, 1920.

G. C. Potter, formerly freight traffic representative at St. Louis, has been appointed freight traffic representative at Birmingham, Ala., vice G. H. Allen, resigned. Mr. Potter entered the service in January, 1911, as bill clerk at Lexington, Ky., and served in various clerical positions at Lexington, Somerset, Danville, Ky., and Washington, D. C., until April, 1920, when he was promoted to freight traffic representative at St. Louis. He was in military service during the World War from May, 1917, to May, 1919, having served overseas from August 1, 1917, to April 22, 1919.

Harry Ashby DeButts, recently promoted to superintendent of the Mobile Division at Selma, Ala., entered the service on July 6, 1916, as student apprentice (section laborer) at Cupepper, Va. His service record from that date follows: September 15, 1916, assistant foreman, extra force, Washington Division; November 20, 1916, section foreman, Rapidan, Va.; June 30, 1917, general yard foreman, Alexandria, Va.; November 16, 1917, assistant track supervisor, Washington Division; June 1, 1918, enlisted in U. S. Marine Corps; July 1, 1919, discharged from Marine Corps with rank of First Lieutenant and re-employed as assistant supervisor, Washington Division; December 1, 1920, assistant trainmaster, Birmingham Division; June 4, 1921, trainmaster, Northern Alabama Railway; November 1, 1923, assistant superintendent, Northern Alabama Railway.

### JUNIORS ENJOY BIG OUTING

The Junior Order and the Sisters of East Charlotte enjoyed an outing at the pumping station a mile above Rozelle Ferry bridge Thursday evening. There was a watermelon feast, after which boating and swimming were enjoyed.

Manager Stilwell, owner and operator of the boats and the fine swimming beach, is a brother of H. A. Stilwell, of the Junior Order, and he left nothing undone to give real entertainment to the guests of the evening.

All Junior Order members and their families who attended expressed surprise that Mr. Stilwell had such an excellent place of genuine amusement. The boating is fine, and the swimming beach is one of the best about here.

The number of wage earners on the payrolls of more than 1,000 industrial establishments in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware declined 3.7 per cent from April to May, a larger reduction than in any other month during the past year. The largest declines in both employment and earnings occurred in the metal manufacturing and textile products groups.

Philadelphia boasts of one woman paperhanger.



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A shop equipped with most modern machinery, thoroughly reliable and skilled workmen—prompt and efficient service. You take no risk—we are responsible for the work is done here in Charlotte.

### MOUNTS FOR SINGLE STONES

14-K Red Gold	\$4.50 to \$8.00
Green Gold	\$6.00 to \$12.00
White Gold	\$12.00 to \$18.00
Platinum Head	\$20.00 to \$45.00
All Platinum	\$45.00 to \$350.00

## JOHN M. LITTLE

JEWELER

230 North Tryon St.

# Smile Awhile---

An editor wrote a Southern Missouri subscriber named Bill Jeffry, advising him that his subscription had expired. A few days later the editor received his own letter across the bottom of which was scrawled, "So's Bill."

Proprietor Summer Hotel—"Now, over here is the ocean." Ad Writer—"Where? I don't see any ocean." Proprietor—"You don't? My dear sir, I'm afraid you're not the man we want to write our advertisements."—Life.

Visitor (to butler who is showing him through the picture gallery)—"That's a fine portrait! Is it an old master?" Butler—"No, that's the old missus."—Octopus.

He had just arrived from the old country, and was not familiar with the use of the telephone; so he took down the receiver and demanded: "Aye want to talk to my wife." The operator's voice came back, sweetly, "Number, please?" "Oh," he replied, "she bane my second vun."

Conversation in a drug store: "Gimme a tablet." "What kinda tablet?" "A yellow one." "But, what's the matter with you?" "I want to write a letter."

Jim and Boso met on the corner and the following conversation ensued: Jim—"Say, Boso, I heard you were sick last week!" Boso—"Yes, I was. I had the new disease, called 'clothing sickness.'" Jim—"What on earth is that?" Boso—"Well, I had a coat on my tongue, and my breath came in short pants."

An East Side pantsmaker who has become quite a figure in the movie-producing world was recently selecting a chief for his scenario staff. The producer insisted that the successful applicant must be a college graduate. He looked with favor upon one applicant and asked if he had had

a college education. He received an affirmative reply.

"Show me your diploma," demanded the producer. The applicant tried to explain that it was not customary for college graduates to carry diplomas around with them.

"Well, then," demanded the producer, with just a slight sneer, "say me a big word."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

"What are you crying for?" "The doctor has taken one of my teeth out!"

"Pooh! My mother takes all of hers out every night, but she doesn't cry!"—Kasper (Stockholm).

Diner (angrily to waiter) "You spilled that soup all over my coat?"

Waiter—"It's all right, sir. I know the soup here; it never stains after six o'clock."—Jack o'-Lantern.

Walter was going to have a birthday party and his mother insisted on his inviting, among others, a neighbor's boy with whom he had quarrelled. He finally promised he would do so, but on the day of the party the neighbor's boy failed to show up. Walter's mother became suspicious. "Did you invite Charlie?" she asked. "Of course, I did, mother." "And did he say he would come?" "No," explained Walter. "I invited him to come, but I dared him to."—Boston Transcript.

A man slipped on a banana peel and executed a very funny fall, not being hurt, as it turned out, but having his dignity somewhat ruffled. When he recovered a moment later a friend was holding his hat and a number of people had formed a circle.

"What do these idlers want?" he snarled.

"They are not idlers," explained his friend soothingly. "Here's a doctor who wants to look you over, a lawyer, ready to bring suit for you, and producer of comic films who would like to sign you up."—Seapost News.

## NORTH CAROLINA Seashore Excursion TO Norfolk, Va.

Norfolk, Va.

August 15, 1924

Via Southern Railway System

Tickets Good Three Days and Two Nights in Norfolk

Round Trip Fare from Charlotte

\$8.00

Pullman sleeping cars and high class day coaches.

Special train leaves Charlotte 7:00 P. M. August 15th. Arrives Norfolk 8:15 A. M. August 16th.

Round trip tickets on sale from all stations on Southern Railway in North Carolina August 15th, for this excursion. See circular.

Tickets from branch line points sold for regular trains connecting with SPECIAL TRAIN at junction points main line Charlotte to Danville. Tickets from mainline points Charlotte to Danville on going trip August 15th, sold for special train only.

All tickets good to return all regular trains up to and including train No. 3 leaving Norfolk 6:10 P. M. August 18th, 1924.

Grand opportunity to spend week-end at Virginia Beach, Ocean View, and other resorts.

Fine surf bathing, boat excursions, sight-seeing trips.

Fishing at Ocean View this year is the best in many years, and great catches are reported frequently. Don't miss this opportunity for a few days' fishing.

Make your Pullman sleeping car reservations early.

## The Last Seashore Excursion to Norfolk This Season

For further information call on any Southern Railway Agent.

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