

REVIEWS

KIBITZER

Woods Theater

"Kibitzer" is a Jewish comedy that is enjoying an extremely successful run at the Woods. Geo. Sidney, already famous on the screen for his wonderful Jewish characterizations, is featured as I. Lazarus, the owner of a not so successful cigar store. While his daughter, Josie, waits on trade behind the cigar counter, Lazarus gives his much unsought advice to all his friends in their card games, racing bets, and domestic affairs, for which advice he draws the name of "Kibitzer."

The plot runs along smoothly drawing laugh after laugh from the audience as Lazarus gives advice, usually bad, to the pinocchio players in the cigar store. By a stroke of luck he saves the life of a millionaire and as a reward is given the management of a large block of shares of a promising stock.

Lazarus installs a stock ticker in his cigar store and spends all his time there watching the current quotations of his stock. The exciting scenes around this ticker keep the audience in an uproar. It seems that Lazarus is about to make a fortune as the stock soars when the bottom falls out of the market. However, gloom does not prevail long in the cigar store.

George Sidney, with his Jewish dialect and manners, makes the play a scream. Anyone enjoying a good laugh will find the show at the Woods much to his liking.

J. D.

Woodfill of the Regulars

Lowell Thomas
DOUBLEDAY, DORAN AND CO. 1929

Lowell Thomas is well known to most of the general reading public by his most famous book, "Count Luckner, the Sea Devil." In this book he demonstrated his excellence in unfolding the story of another man in a way that gripped most everyone.

In his most recent publication, "Woodfill of the Regulars," Thomas has picked another outstanding man and again laid a man's life and actions open for our inspection. Samuel Woodfill is an American soldier of thirty-three years service, and one of the few men to receive the Congressional medal of honor. Inasmuch as he has served in the Philippines, Alaska, Mexico, and in the World War, it is an easy matter to understand the nature of the book.

The entire book is not a technical study of warfare, but rather a study and a revelation of what was uppermost in the minds of the common soldier. Woodfill's impressions and associations are of a unique nature, and make most interesting reading; the actual fighting, save

REGISTRATION STATISTICS

	M.E.	E.E.	C.E.	Ch.E.	F.P.E.	Arch	Total
Senior	28	36	30	18	33	30	175
Junior	28	42	29	23	27	31	180
Sophomore	51	45	47	26	22	41	232
Freshman	38	57	49	30	33	48	255
Special	2	..	1
Total	147	180	156	97	115	150	845

Kloppfer Writes of Navy Aero Work

In a recent letter received by the News from George Kloppfer, '29, from the U. S. Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida, he very interestingly describes some of the work taken by those men who, upon graduating from Armour in the Civil Aero course, continue their aviation work with the Navy leading towards an Ensign's commission. He also tells of his marriage last year while at school, which was kept secret until after graduation. He married Miss Johanna Marie Gerdan of Barrington, Illinois at the La Salle Ave. Baptist Church in this city. The Reverend Joseph B. Roger conducted the ceremony on November 17, 1928.

He states in his letter that as to the ground school courses at Armour, the students need have no fear. The course offered is well over 300 per cent more than required.

"The uniforms used by Reserve

in some of the incidents of the world war, is minimized.

Woodfill's record of his Alaskan experience is a hunting journal that will bring a longing to the heart of any sportsman, and the humorous incidents that are related will bring a smile to all but confirmed cynics. Like an actual reminiscence, the various happenings are strung together without a definite transition.

Thomas has chosen to write the book in a vernacular that is in all probability common to Woodfill himself. Lest the thought that the book will necessitate struggling with some dialect, I might add that it is merely a free and easy style, with a slight disregard for the rigid rules of English, and merely a few apostrophes to indicate a Kentucky strain.

The book contains a prologue in which the author relates a few intimate scenes wherein he was with Woodfill after his return to this country, and that in itself is enough to entice the average reader to read the book proper. In the epilogue, we are acquainted with the details of Woodfill's honors and activities after the conclusion of his overseas service, and copies of the official literature are presented. For actual appeal, few biographical productions can approach its excellence.

A. B. A.

Student Officers are Marine uniforms. . . . Living conditions and meals are excellent. Remember you are enlisted as Seaman 2C with a commission as Reserve Officer on active duty awaiting you upon completion of the training course. . . . Drills and strict discipline are expected of you throughout the training period. Military manners are to be observed by all. . . . The day's work begins at 5:00 a. m., and ends at 3:00 p. m. Lights are out at 9:00 p. m. The associates with whom you mingle are officers or officer material, and most of them are college graduates.

"I've done Loops, Split 'S' Spins, Falling Leaf's, Reversed Central Turns, Spirals, and other acrobatics. . . . The ability to pilot a plane must be inherent in the student himself. A man may be trained mechanically to so control his vocal organs that he can sing more or less, but this does not make him a Caruso. Similarly a man cannot be trained as a naval aviator unless he has the 'feel' of the plane's movement. There are no mechanical rules set forth to bank a plane in a turn or spiral by moving the 'stick' and rudder bar through a certain angle. A slip or skid on a turn can be immediately sensed after some training. He who cannot sense these movements is lost as an aviator. It is not his fault, and of course, no disgrace."

FRATERNITY NOTES

TRIANGLE

The rushing events held by Triangle so far are a smoker on last Thursday evening, a dance on Saturday evening, and an outing on Sunday. There will be a smoker tonight at the house, and a Theatre party tomorrow.

PHI KAPPA SIGMA

Phi Kappa Sigma held a smoker last Thursday night. Saturday afternoon a party attended a football game, while Saturday night a dance was held at the chapter house. Sunday, visits were made to the chapters at Northwestern and U. of Chicago. Monday, a banquet was held at the Intrafraternity Club. Tomorrow evening there is to be a smoker followed by a bridge party on Thursday evening.

DELTA TAU DELTA

A Smoker held Friday evening by Delta Tau Delta at the chapter house opened rushing. Bob Bradley, x'24, "Ollie" Castle, '27, and Schuman from N. U. were the entertainers. Saturday, the chapter and rushees attended the N. U. football game, and then had dinner at the chapter, at Northwestern. On Sunday a tour of the city was made. Monday night, the annual "Monte Carlo" stag was held. Tomorrow evening there is to be a house dance followed by a smoker on Thursday evening.

KAPPA DELTA TAU

Kappa Delta Tau held a smoker on last Thursday evening at the chapter room.

SIGMA ALPHA MU

Sigma Alpha Mu wishes to announce the initiation of Alvin B. Auerbach, C. E. '31.

THETA XI

A smoker was held last Thursday evening for the actives, alumni and rushees at the chapter house to open the season of rushing events. A dance at the chapter house on Saturday night, and a tea dance on Sunday afternoon were among the other social events. A dinner-dance is being given at the chapter house on Wednesday evening, and a smoker on Thursday evening.

Theta Xi wishes to announce the pledging of M. E. Lukey, '31.

BETA PSI

Beta Psi held a smoker Friday night and a dance Saturday night at the house. A smoker will be held Wednesday night at the house. Pledging will take place Friday night.

RHO DELTA RHO

Rho Delta Rho held a smoker on Thursday evening at the chapter room.

Undergraduate co-eds at the University of Wisconsin in the 1929 summer session outnumbered their academic brothers more than two to one, according to statistics compiled by Miss A. B. Kirch, university statistician.

Of the 2,102 undergraduates enrolled for the session, 1,525 were women and 577 were men. In the graduate classification the majority was less, there being 945 women and 775 men.

The University Daily Kansan.

Correction

In last week's issue of the News, a meeting of the American Chemical Society was announced for October 4. We are informed that the correct date for this meeting is October 25.

STUDENTS WANTED

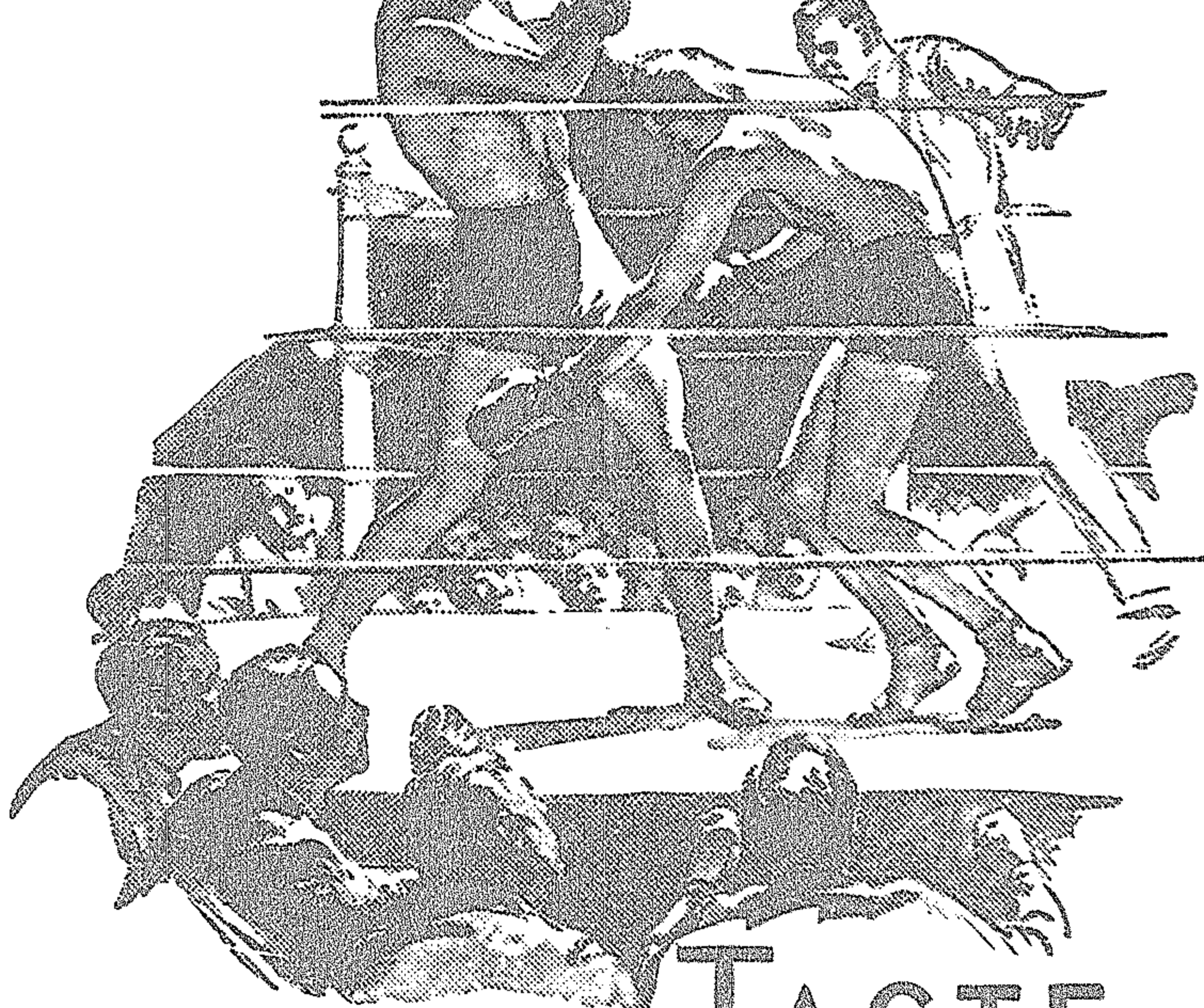
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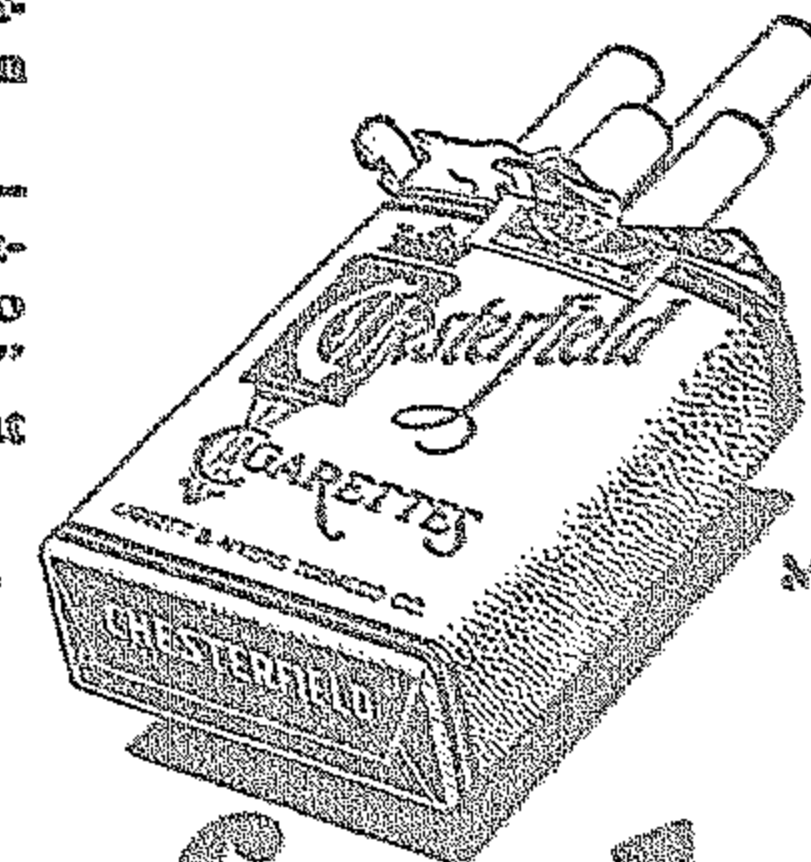
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