

MOVIE GIANT IN REMINISCENT MOOD

"Jack and the Beanstalk" Giant Describes How He Embarrassed a Railroad

By the Photoplay Editor

Do Wolf Hopper's lamentations about the famed sacred elephant of Siam in the comic opera days of "Wang" have attained a parallel in the predicament William Fox, the producer, found himself with big "Jack and the Beanstalk" on his hands.

When Mr. Fox conceived the idea of the "Jack and the Beanstalk" he required a giant—a perfect "whale of a man." The far-flung regions of the globe were combed before he was uncovered.

"When the giant was 'discovered,' signed up and 'boxed' for delivery at the Hollywood studios in California, Mr. Fox felt constrained to Hopper's famous song, for he found himself in a quandary.

"No ordinary Pullman car would suffice to carry me," said Tarver, who takes delight in recounting the consternation that faced the Fox forces when they saw what an immense man he is.

"Moving pictures is a new stunt for me," continued Tarver. "When I was twelve years old I started out to be a cowboy. I was then six feet tall, but I grew and grew until I became so large that I wore out all the Texan horses. My great bulk was too much for even the heaviest animals, and when my feet began to tip, the ground I gave up the cowboy life in despair."

My chest, normal measurement, is 60 1/2 inches, with an expansion of eight inches. When I stretch out my arms they measure eight feet three inches from tip to tip.

My waist has a circumference of 73 inches and I wear a 14 hat.

Tomorrow's War Menu BREAKFAST Baked Pears Boiled Rice with Sugar and Milk Graham Bread Toast Coffee LUNCHEON Salmon Salad Cocoa Sliced Peaches DINNER Halibut Steak Baked with Tomatoes Mashed Potatoes Cabbage Salad Snow Pudding Halibut Steak Baked with Tomatoes (A Creole Recipe)

Women Here and There A mining company, financed and managed by women, is soon to begin operations at Miami, Okla.

Many women in Finland are now employed in metal industries, on the tramways and in clerical police work.

The Japanese and Chinese women of Hawaii have organized to aid in the food conservation movement in that territory.

Miss M. H. Larney, of Minneapolis, has been licensed as the first woman operator of a motion picture machine in Minnesota.

In a big factory near Pittsburgh sixty women and girls are helping to build artillery cars for use on the French front.

According to the woman's bureau of the American Red Cross, half a million women in the United States are knitting for soldiers and sailors.

Tonight's Lecture at Franklin Institute "The American Air Service" will be the subject of a lecture at the Franklin Institute tonight, given under the auspices of the Aero Club, of Pennsylvania.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB The night is so comforting when I feel sad. So softly the night breezes croon, I take all my troubles and wander outdoors And talk to the open-faced moon.

Ladies' Silk Hose Best quality silk, black, white and colors. 59c Special Value. Black and Colors Also full line of ladies', children's and men's hose.

WHO SAYS "KNIT"?



Shown in photograph is a complete "trench outfit," as provided by the Philadelphia section of the Women's Navy League, Liberty Building, Broad and Chestnut streets. It consists of a trench helmet with long warm flaps to protect the neck and ears; sleeveless sweater, muffler and a pair of wristlets. More than ten thousand of these "comfort outfits" have been supplied to the boys of the navy.

FIVE-PLY SWEATERS WITH SLEEVES LATEST COMFORTS FOR BOYS AT SEA

At the Navy League Shop It Is Explained That They Will Be Found Desirable in Rigid Climate—If You Can Knit, Buy Yarn

Five-ply sweaters with sleeves are among the newest comforts planned for the boys before the mast by the 7000 enthusiastic members of the Philadelphia branch of the Women's Navy League.

"Down at Camp Meade they approved the sleeveless model as less bulky, but wait until the sailor boy reaches the North Sea," explained Mrs. J. Wade Dumas, at the Navy League Shop, in speaking of the change.

The league is experiencing some difficulty in keeping enough wool on hand. It, nevertheless makes the offer that all wool purchased by members who donate the articles made may be purchased at the League Shop at the wholesale price—sixty cents a hank.

"It's cold at sea. Seven dollars and fifty cents will buy a warm blanket for some boy," suggests a second placard.

Comfort bags of practical utilities and water-shedding "sicker outfits" are among other provisions made by the league. If you can't knit yourself, no objection.

Hold Community Meeting Tonight A community meeting at the Kensington public school, Fifteenth and Ontario streets, will be held tonight. The speakers will be Dr. Edward James Cattell, city statistician; A. G. Neary, of the Federal Reserve Bank; the Rev. L. Chantry Hoffman, pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Nativity; and Milton C. Cooper, District Superintendent of Public Schools.

1917-Popular Song Hits.-1918

"For You a Rose" "So Long, Mother" "Some Sunday Morning"

Advertisement for sheet music featuring three songs: "For You a Rose", "So Long, Mother", and "Some Sunday Morning". Each song has a small illustration and a description of its popularity.

Musical notation for three songs: "The Cheerful Cherub", "For You a Rose", and "So Long, Mother".

10c... A COPY... 10c (By Mail 11c) Please Make Note to Send "Money Order" With Mail Orders (By Mail 11c)

On Sale at All Kresge, Woolworth, McCrorey and Grand 5 and 10c Stores and McDonald's, Columbia Ave.

THE SONG SHOP JEROME H. REMICK & CO., Props. 1028 MARKET STREET 1028 Open Evenings Until 10:30

"THE WANDERER"

Novelized by William A. Page from Maurice V. Samuels's play, now at the Metropolitan Opera House.

(Copyright by William Elliott, F. Ray Constock, and Morris Galt.)

Jether, the son of Jesse and Huldah, of the tribe of Judah, during the time of King Solomon, 900 years ago, is unhappy at home where he is a shepherd boy. He forms a friendship with Huldah's only son, Gaal, and persuades his father to give him his portion of the paternal estate. Then he and Gaal set out for Jerusalem, where they go to the house of Nadiah, who gives him her daughter Tisha. Tisha desires, which Jether refuses to do, to marry Huldah's son, Gaal. Jether, who has been holding her cheaply, Tisha vows to be revenged, and when Jether is half intoxicated he reveals upon him to forewarn the God of Israel and proclaim allegiance to Him. The Philistine god and they plunge into revelry. Somewhere to get quickly above partially for the newcomer, Tisha by her mother. To Jether's dismay, she agrees to go with him on a voyage. All his money goes. Nadiah strikes him of his hat and sends him to enter the house of his father, where he meets Gaal, his side. He takes refuge in the dog kennel, where his mother and Jesse remain silent while Huldah ministers to his medical but he is unforgotten by Huldah by the unexpected entrance of Haggal, whom she had known at Nadiah's house in Jerusalem.

CHAPTER XXV WHILE all gazed in wonder and awe at the stranger, Haggal continued: "A servant of Jesse bade me come hither in the name of God. Art thou he who sent?"

"Jesse is my father," replied Gaal. "He did send for thee for what he would no longer have—news of his son Jether." Haggal bowed. Then he spoke: "Tell him, then, that Jether his son is dead. God's hand smote him at Jerusalem." Naomi interrupted him indignantly: "Why dost thou say that? He is here, and art thou his enemy to tell such a lie?"

Haggal bowed again. "It is no lie, as I know it. But that I am his enemy I do admit, as must be all true sons of Abram. Once it was my thought to prove his friend because he, too, seemed one of us. But ere he died he did what no man of the seed can ever forgive, I have no wish, fair maiden, to bring a cloud upon this household, but ye did send for me, and I must speak the truth. Now let me go."

Haggal turned and for the first time recognized Jether, who half supported himself on one arm as he gazed up at Haggal. "So—thou still livest," said Haggal sternly. "I had thought thee dead. And better far did thy kin wear sackcloth for thee. For, living or dead, thou art accused of God."

"Happ—thou slanderer!" cried Huldah. "Nay, woman, hear me. It is right that all should know. With mine own ears I heard a woman tell, while he stood mute, denying naught by word or deed, that out of love for her Jether had sacrificed upon the Babylonian goddess Ishtar. He hath renounced the God of Judea."

Huldah and the reformat back in horror. Only Jesse remained unmoved, his face still covered, his body erect as a statue. He directed:

"Speak! Do I lie?" demanded Haggal. Jether slowly struggled to his feet, faced him and said, humbly: "Thou dost not lie."

"Then look into mine eyes," cried Haggal roughly. "Didst thou not stand before the very altar of the heathen and say a thing so terrible that no man dare repeat it?" Jether nodded. "Again thou speakest truth. And in the awful storm which followed," he added tensely and with awe of the Almighty, "in that storm I saw the face of God. And but for something that spoke deep in my heart and bade me live and suffer and atone I should have perished there."

Huldah, with a piteous cry, clutched Jether's arm and gazed into his eyes. "Thou hast done that thing?" she cried, sobbing, and covered her face with her cloak. Jether held out his arms beseechingly. "Mother!" he cried, "dost thou desert me? Now when peace had just come to thee, thou leavest me?"

Huldah looked at him with supreme mother love, grasped his hand and sank sobbing at his feet while he strove to comfort her. Gaal sought to bring the unhappy scene to an end. "Into the house, all of ye, and thou too stranger, if thou wilt be our guest."

Haggal slung his leathern water bottle over his arm and grasped his staff. "Not of a house accused," he said, gruffly, and strode off down the road. The servants started to obey the voice of Gaal, as Jether softly caressed his mother, who suddenly the hitherto stolid figure of Jesse moved.

With an imperious gesture he dropped the mantle from his face and with a smile upon his countenance, as though inspired from heaven, he turned and lifted his arms to command attention: "Hold!" he cried. In a great voice as though speaking a holy message, "Let no one stir. I hear—I hear."

He paused, as if listening to a distant voice from the angels. "I hear the message," he cried, joyfully. "Our son is once more with us."

Jesse went to Jether and looked at him kindly, as all present showed their approval—all except Gaal, who stood aloof.

"Gaal," he whispered, "my brother." At this last appeal the stern heart of the elder brother relaxed. Perhaps he felt that he too had been partly to blame for the misunderstanding of the past. He hastened and the gentle voice of his mother and the plight of the boy Jether moved him. He turned, paused, and in a moment he and Jether embraced.

"Jether"—he cried. "Gaal!" answered the boy gladly. When the brothers clasped each other, and Huldah and Jesse embraced for the sake of their two children, the servants silently gave way before them. Naomi turned to Jether's side, and arm in arm the two brothers, the new-comer and the aged patriarch and his wife turned to once more re-enter the house of their ancestors, there to fitly celebrate the evening meal and prepare the feast of thanksgiving for the return of the prodigal.

And, in the gathering twilight, standing upon the threshold across which he had never expected to step again, Jether paused, looked lovingly at the little group about him and said, proudly, happily, wistfully: "My Father's House."

(THE END)

The Great Crowds that throng our stores are among the interesting and suggestive sights of the times. 'Tis plainly seen that the power that wins such abounding and increasing success in this business is well understood and appreciated by thoughtful, thrifty people. It's sensible crowding. Experience is an excellent teacher; but she sends in such terrific bills that careful housewives are well contented to deal regularly at THE AMERICAN STORES, where there's but one small profit between producer and consumer, and where HIGH QUALITY is the dynamic force that makes the wheels go 'round. What are YOU doing with Dollars and Sense? "GOLD SEAL" EGGS, 50c doz. The very choicest eggs good hens can produce. Selected for their fullness and freshness and packed in sealed cartons. Carefully Selected Eggs, 45c doz. High quality; carefully selected. Our full guarantee goes with each egg. Our Very Best Coffee, 21c lb. "American Stores Blend" is our own roasting and our own particular blending; and it gives you more real, actual coffee value than you've probably ever had. Smooth, rich, fragrant—an appetizing, "want-more" cup. Several millions of coffee drinkers are regularly using it. Why not YOU? Twenty-one cents a pound. "These little things are great to little man"—and woman, too

Table listing various products and their prices: Highscore Cake, Trenton Crackers, Fresh-baked Oysterettes, Quaker Corn Flakes, New Post Toasties, Grape Nuts, Shredded Wheat, Good Corn Starch, Choice Corn Meal, Pearl Barley, Cracker Dust, Bread Crumbs, Choice Rice, Large Grain Rice, Sliced Dried Beef, Strained Tomatoes, Choice New Peas, California Asparagus, Sliced Peaches, Hawaiian Pineapple, Eagle Brand Con. Milk, Fine California Prunes, Mixed Soup Vegetables, Sardines, oil or mustard, Sardines, in mustard, large can, Kipperd Salmon, Tuna Fish, Fancy Shrimp, Hecker's Self-raising Flour, Hershey's Cocoa, Beans, tomato sauce, Heinz Beans, Ritter's Catsup, Sour Pickles, large bottle, Jams, large variety, Really Pure Jelly, Peanut Butter, Choice Apple Butter, Karo Syrup, Prepared Mustard, Fine Table Salt, Good Cleanser, Good Laundry Soap, Fairy Soap.

Teas of Individual and Distinctive Quality

OUR VERY BEST Black or Mixed Teas 35c lb. OUR VERY BEST India & Ceylon Teas 45c lb. Teas of such quality are worth a good deal more money to-day. You're saving largely on every pound you buy, and we're satisfied with trifling profit and enormous sales. It's all logical enough. We recommend these teas to particular, exacting tastes. They're pleasing testimonials to the good judgment of those who use them—Our Famous Assam and Wonderful India and Ceylon Blend.

Table listing various products and their prices: Ivins Oval Cinnamon, Cookies 18c lb., Peninsular Condensed Milk 15c can, Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour 12c pkg., Campbell's New Tomato Soup 10c can, Rump Round Steak 32c lb., Rump Round Roast 30c lb., Cooked Corned Beef, Lebanon Bologna, Baked Meat Cake, Sliced Boiled Ham, Luncheon Roll, GENUINE LAMB Legs, Loin Chops, Rib Chops, Rack Chops, Half Smokes, Small Bologna, Liver Pudding, Sliced Breakfast Bacon, Best Country Scrapple.

Fresh Country Sausage, 30c lb. American Stores Company EVERYWHERE IN PHILADELPHIA And Conveniently Located in Cities and Towns PENNSYLVANIA, NEW JERSEY, DELAWARE, MARYLAND