CHOICE OF UNION OPERA EXPECTED TUESDAY NIGHT

The Union opera committee will meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at the Union, at which time it is expected a book will be chosen. Failure to arrive at a decision at the last meeting was due to the incompleteness of one book, which was considered among the best.

It will be necessary for the opera to be selected within a short time in order that the work of writing the music may start. E. Mortimer Shuter, director, left Wednesday evening for New York, where he is to direct a professional play until his return to Ann Arbor to commence on the opera.

MAJESTIC

TODAY—3 DAYS
Constance Talmadge
IN
A Temperamental Wife

ARCADE

Shows at 3:00; 7:00; 8:30
Phones:
Theatre, 296-M Mgr's Res., 2316-M

Sun-Mon-5-6-Madge Kennedy in "Strictly Confidential;" Christie Comedy, "Some Boy" and Jazz Monologue.
Tue-Wed-7-8-Alice Brady in "His Bridal Night;" Star Comedy, "A Dog-gone Shame" and Outing-Chester Scenic.

WUERTH THEATRE

2:00, 3:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00

SUN-MON—5-6—A STAR OF THE LEGITIMATE STAGE, LEWIS STONE in "A MAN'S DESIRE" WITH A LLOYD COMEDY AND COLORED REVIEW.
Tues-Wed—7-8—Gladys Brockwell in "The Broken Commandments" with a Jungle Comedy, Photoplay and Kinogram Weekly.
THURS-FRI—9-10—FRANK KEENAN in "THE MASTER MAN" (THE FIRST OF MR. KEENAN'S OWN PICTURES). ALSO COMEDY AND HAWAIIAN ENTERTAINERS, BEGINNING FRIDAY.

ORPHEUM THEATRE

2:00, 3:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00

Sun-Mon—5-6—Geo. Larkin in "The Devil's Trail with a Ford Weekly and Mutt & Jeff Cartoon.
Tues-Wed—7-8—Bessie Love in "Over the Garden Wall" with a two-reel Western.
Thurs-Fri—9-10—"THE CAVELL CASE" giving the story of the English Nurse killed as a Spy.
Sat—11—Shirley Mason in "The Winning Girl" with a News and Comedy.
Sun-Mon—12-13—June Elvidge in "Love and the Woman" with a Ford Weekly and Mutt & Jeff Cartoon.

The Screen

AT THE MAJESTIC

Wealthy tourists were rolled out of their beds in a most heartless manner when the jealous-natured Billie Billings was prompted to violently sound the fire alarm in an expensive summer hotel in "A Temperamental Wife," the picture starring Constance Talmadge which will be seen at the Majestic theatre, beginning today.

This story, written and supervised by John Emerson and Anita Loos, depicts the trials and tribulations of a girl who decided to marry a man who would be her's exclusively — neither speaking to nor looking at any other woman.

It happens that the bashful bachelor, Senator Newton of Nevada, is just such a man. A most happy honeymoon is abruptly ended when Billie demands that the Senator's lady stenographer be discharged.

"You choose between the stenographer and me!" declares the enraged Billie.

The senator chooses his stenographer.

How Billie again rescues the senator from his business troubles and forces him to allow her to remain his wife forms the basis of this most delightful story.

AT THE ARCADE

Madge Kennedy's latest Goldwyn picture, "Strictly Confidential," a film version of Jerome K. Jerome's humorous story, "Fanny and the Servant Problem," will be shown at the Arcade today and tomorrow.

This story was first made into a play under the title of "The New Lady Bantock," entertaining thousands of playgoers in England and America. In its latest form, millions will have an opportunity to enjoy the many dilemmas of the young actress in a touring company who marries an English lord only to find that all her servants are her relatives.

As played by Madge Kennedy and John Bowers, "Strictly Confidential" is a delightful example of fine comedy, so delicately played that every shade of humor in the original story is emphasized with charm and comic suspense.

The Stage

AT THE WHITNEY

That a farce can be possessed of high laughing power without resorting to the suggestive amours of delinquent husbands and unfaithful wives, that it can thoroughly amuse without offering a blush with every smile, is amply demonstrated in G. M. Anderson's production of William Le aBron's refreshing farce comedy, "I Love You," which comes to the Whitney theatre Wednesday, Oct. 8.

Mr. Le Baron pays a tribute to the intelligence of lovers of light comedy and deft, amusing characterization in "I Love You." He permits his pen to indulge in none of the sahdy innuendoes and thin-ice domestic episodes upon which so many of the farces of the past two seasons have been built. That such a departure is appreciated by the average playgoer is attested by the fact that practically every critic in New York and Chicago commented on the absence of vulgarity in "I Love You."

BAN ON WIRELESS STATION REMOVED

Word has been received at the radio laboratory in the Engineering building that the government ban on amateur wireless transmitting stations is now lifted and all amateurs are at liberty to send and receive at will as soon as they receive their licenses.

As the application of the engineering college for a station license has brought no results, the set is temporarily closed for transmitting, though the receiving set may be used at any time. The antenna has been up for several months, and it is hoped that the station may soon be opened for work.

The station is well equipped for receiving on all wave lengths between 100 and 17,000 meters and includes not only a three stage amplifier, but also several portable vacuum tube amplifiers of the type used by the signal corps. The transmitting unit is rated at ten kilowatts and did a great deal of long distance work prior to the war.

There are a number of good operators available for work at the station, and the plan is to have a man on watch certain nights each week. Any student who is interested in the subject is at liberty, at such times, to go to the station in room 103 of the Engineering building and, if the operator in charge believes him capable of handling the set, he may do so.

Keppel Offers Prize to "M" Man

Arthur G. Keppel, third assistant secretary of war, is the donor of a cash prize of $75 to be awarded to the man who makes his "M" in any line of sport and has the highest scholastic record for the year. Mr. Keppel spoke here at a Victory mass meeting during Commencement week.

Columbia Musical Plans Under Way

Plans for the Columbia Glee and Mandolin clubs for the coming season are under way. A tentative schedule has been drawn up which will carry the clubs through Pennsylvania during Christmas vacation.

UNIVERSITY ENGINEERS FACE PERILS IN CHINA

PROFESSORS SUPERINTEND WORK FOR IMPROVEMENT OF YELLOW RIVER

Bandits, blizzards, and dust storms are among the obstacles confronting members of the engineering faculty who are in China at the request of the Chinese government to superintend improvements in progress along the Yellow river.

Professors Howard B. Merrick, Clifton O. Carey, and Hugh Brodie of the engineering college are with the expedition, which is in charge of Joseph Ripley, '76E.

According to Prof. Clarence T. Johnston of the engineering faculty, who has kept in touch with the men since their departure, the work consists in the improvement of the Yellow river with regard to flood prevention as well as navigation. Great damage has been done at periodical intervals by floods which inundate vast areas of agricultural lands.

Tells of Local Conditions

Miserable conditions among the natives everywhere impressed Professor Brodie, who says in a letter to Professor Johnston: "The misery, hardships, and suffering are really beyond all comprehension. We dare not pass out a copper to one in need for fear of being overwhelmed by a mob of filthy humanity begging for money. I thought we had seen the worst conditions last winter when a blizzard was in progress and half-clothed men and women ran about in the snow, trying to rake up enough grass and leaves to start a fire. But now that it is warm, we see more of those in need. Great work is needed here and a long, hard fight must be won before much can be done to help the great mass of the poor.

Bandits Interrupt Work

"Field work has been interrupted by Chinese bandits several times. I was once assigned the leader of one of the bands for protection while passing through the most dangerous territory."

Professor Carey has been engaged in hydraulic work along the Grand canal. He reports that "when going north along the bank of the canal a dust storm overtook us. I was near a village and was lucky enough to find shelter, but the rest of the party were caught in the open, and had to face the storm two hours before anyone could lead them to shelter."

Ascend Sacred Mountain

While in Shantung province, Professor Carey ascended the famous sacred mountain "Taishan." A stone roadway winds some 6,000 feet to the top of the mount where there are several temples at which thousands worship. Sedan chairs, carried by coolies, were used for the ascent. The slopes are so steep that the road becomes at times simply a flight of stone steps.

Professor Merrick, known to all '21E's as having been in charge of freshman assemblies during 1917-18, has been in charge of a topographic survey of the province of Chihli. "Work is going steadily but slowly; speed is an unknown quantity in China," he says.

Professors Brodie and Carey are expected to return next February, but Professor Merrick is in work which may take several years to complete.

Gargoyle Plans "Hello" Number

Packed full of short, snappy articles, rapid-fire jokes, and clever drawings, the "Hello" number of the Gargoyle will soon be on sale. This number marks a new regime in staff and a new style as compared with previous issues of the magazine.

There are many features, the colored cover depicting the arrival here of '23, a clever double page giving helpful suggestions on "How to Study," and many other smaller drawings and articles.

The Gargoyle this year is attempting to get away from the lugubrious style of former years, the magazine being devoted to the shorter, more easily read article. The style of the magazine has been altered, the pages being broken up much more than last year and the number of cuts increased.

Mail Awaits Students at the Union

There are letters, telegrams, or parcel post packages at the Union for the following: Bruce M. Platt, Clarence Colf, Ashley Hatch, Ralph F. Cohn, Walter Barller, Elmer Ball, Gerome Russell, Charles S. Pratt, George Olmstead, Merle Glasgow.

Did our team win? Don't ask questions, read the Michigan Daily. All campus, city and world news.—Adv.

PROFESSORS ARE SECURED FOR ENLARGED ENROLLMENT

Registrar Arthur G. Hall is optimistic on the question of congestion of classes. He states that five new professors have been engaged for Spanish and French, as well as for other classes. Extra sessions have been formed to remedy conditions in many classes where students are obliged to remain standing through lack of seating accommodations.

Michigan was one of the last universities to open this year, and whereas class congestion may have existed in other colleges as well as here, through the fact of their earlier opening in many cases they have nearly exhausted the supply of instructors in some subjects.

Congestion is found particularly in the departments of rhetoric, Spanish, history and mathematics, the most popular subjects of freshman elections.

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Catering to People of Taste

Today and Tomorrow
Madge Kennedy
IN
"Strictly Confidential"

From Jerome K. Jerome's "Fanny and the Servant Problem"



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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY



ALICE BRADY
IN
"HIS BRIDAL NIGHT"

Something that never happened on the bridal night of any other two persons happened to the bride and bridegroom in "His Bridal Night."

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