

Pola Negri's Broken Romance With Prince Reaches Paris Divorce Court

PARIS, Nov. 29. (U.P.)—The broken romance of Pola Negri and the Georgian prince, Serge Mdivani, finally reached Paris divorce courts today when attorneys for the movie picture actress filed papers charging incompatibility.

Miss Negri's suit, filed under the actress' true name, Apollonia Chalka, cites a long list of instances in which she and her prince disagreed, climaxed by their separation several months ago when Serge left to live with his father.

They were married in May, 1927, at Miss Negri's residence, Chateau Serincourt, just outside Paris. They agreed in April of this year to a divorce. All efforts of the prince's brother, Prince David, who married Mae Murray, another film star, to

bring about a reconciliation were unsuccessful and the separation lengthened. Serge taking up work as a French distributor for American talking picture producers.

Miss Negri arrived here two weeks ago, announcing that she planned to begin the divorce action but protesting that she still loved her husband.

"I loved Serge greatly and I still love him," she said. "Divorce will be a great wrench, but divorces are the only solution when two people cannot live peacefully together."

Prince Serge, when informed by the United Press today that his wife had filed the papers of the suit, said:

"I certainly won't oppose the suit. She really is kind to sue on grounds of incompatibility. She could have used many other reasons. She is a charming woman, but we are not mates."

Miss Negri plans to remain at her chateau with her mother, hopeful that she may get action on the suit before she returns to Hollywood in January to fulfill a contract to make three talkies.

There was some question as to whether she was a legal resident, but in view of the fact that the prince has been a legal resident of Paris since the war, the court is expected to expedite the case as a French action rather than American.

Shuler's Statements About Death Threats Not Taken Seriously

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29. (U.P.)—The intimations of the Rev. R. P. Shuler, pastor of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, that the underworld was plotting to kill him, District Attorney Buron Fitts and Mayor John Porter received only a small amount of official attention today.

The minister made his charges in a sermon he broadcast over the radio last night. His accusations were in the form of questions and intimated that certain gang leaders desired to rid the community of himself and two authorities.

Mayor Porter said today that he knew nothing of the affair.

"I know nothing about this reputed plot to take my life," the mayor said, "I thank the Rev. Shuler for his wires or seed."

District Attorney Buron Fitts gave out the following formal statement:

"I have no information whatever concerning this matter. If such information exists anywhere this office would make the same in litigation it would in a case where a private citizen was involved."

The Rev. Shuler inferred that Chicago gunmen were to be brought in to handle the slayings.

Advance warnings of severe cold, frost and floods result in an annual saving of \$33,000,000, says Dr. C. F. Martin, chief of the United States weather bureau.

Record Cold Spell Hits All Middle West

Chicago Has Coldest November Day in 57 Years; Great Suffering Results, With 7 Frozen to Death

CHICAGO, Nov. 29. (U.P.)—The severest November cold wave in history more down upon shivering Middle West thermometers, which hovered near the zero mark here all day, and which probably will sink to 6 below by morning, the weather bureau predicted.

The coldest November day here previously was 5 years ago, when on November 29 the mercury said 2 below.

Sweeping down upon the Hudson Bay region the record cold brot death and suffering throughout the area.

At least seven persons were frozen to death, many more killed in accidents attributable to the cold, and scores received treatment for frozen limbs.

It was seven degrees below zero at St. Paul, an all-time November record, and 3 below at Milwaukee, the coldest November 29th since 1825.

The coldest point in the country was Duluth, Minnesota, 14 below. Three Canadians were frozen to death, three men were lost in a small boat on Lake Superior during a blizzard, and another was found frozen to death in Wisconsin.

Herds of cattle throughout Wyoming and Colorado were endangered.

Snow was general throughout the Middle West. Roads and streets in many localities were packed tight with great drifts of ice-crusted snow.

Railroad schedules in many sections were hampered slightly while the airmail service in some places was disrupted.

The snowfall blanketed most of Nebraska to a depth of two to six inches.

The Texas panhandle expected snow before morning.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29. (U.P.)—A severe cold wave out of the Middle West descended today on eastern states, bringing the lowest temperatures of the season.

In New York City the mercury sank to 23, with a possible drop of five or six degrees more predicted for tonight. A biting wind accompanied the cold wave. New York City has yet to experience its first snowstorm of the year.

1965 Books Read In Week, Mespite Chairman Reports

Las Vegas read more than 1965 books during book week, it was revealed at the meeting of the Mesquite club yesterday at the home of Mrs. Leo Roth on Fifth street.

The report of Mrs. C. O. Lauritzen, chairman of the Book Week committee, was received with great applause, and she was given a rising vote of thanks.

A short business session was held early in the meeting, which was attended by many interested members and guests.

Arrangements were made to sponsor the singing of Christmas carols the coming Christmas eve.

The program was much enjoyed. Little Miss Helen Katz, gave two readings in a most realistic manner.

Mrs. W. J. Flowers read the "home coming," taken from "The Cutters," by Bess Streeter Aldrich. The selection was not only a very appropriate one for the occasion but was also beautifully given.

The girls' glee club from the "Nevada," written by Mrs. Coleman, of Carson City and one other selection in a very pleasing manner.

Miss Sarah Jane Flowers and Master Donald Earl rendered a piano and violin duet in a manner which would have been a credit to much older and experienced performers.

Miss Katherine Phelps, who spent twenty-five years as a teacher in China, talked most entertainingly of life and customs in China.

The program was brought to a close by a half hour of sociability, during which refreshments were served. The hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Jake Beckley, chairman, Mrs. Lauritzen, Mrs. Flowers and Mrs. Roth.

The book section met at 1:30 at the home of Mrs. C. P. Squires. "All Quiet Along the Western Front," by Erich Maria Remarque, which is considered to be the best description of the war ever written, was ably reviewed by Mrs. O. W. Yates.

This is the book of which Christopher Morley said: "It is, to me, the greatest book about the war I have yet seen; greatest because of the blinding simplicity, the quiet honesty of its tone, its complete candor, the fine vulgarity of its plain truth make it supreme. I regard any mature reader who has a chance to read it does not pass it on among a dozen others, as a treat to humanity."

The section adjourned at 2:30 to attend the regular session of the club.

Home Access'ry Work Aided by Miss Miller

Miss Orpha Miller, university extension agent, is working with Clark and Lincoln county farm families this week on the making of household accessories for home use and for Christmas gifts.

Miss Miller spent several days in Bunkerville and Mesquite on this work early this week. She will go to the Moapa and Virgin valleys again Monday.

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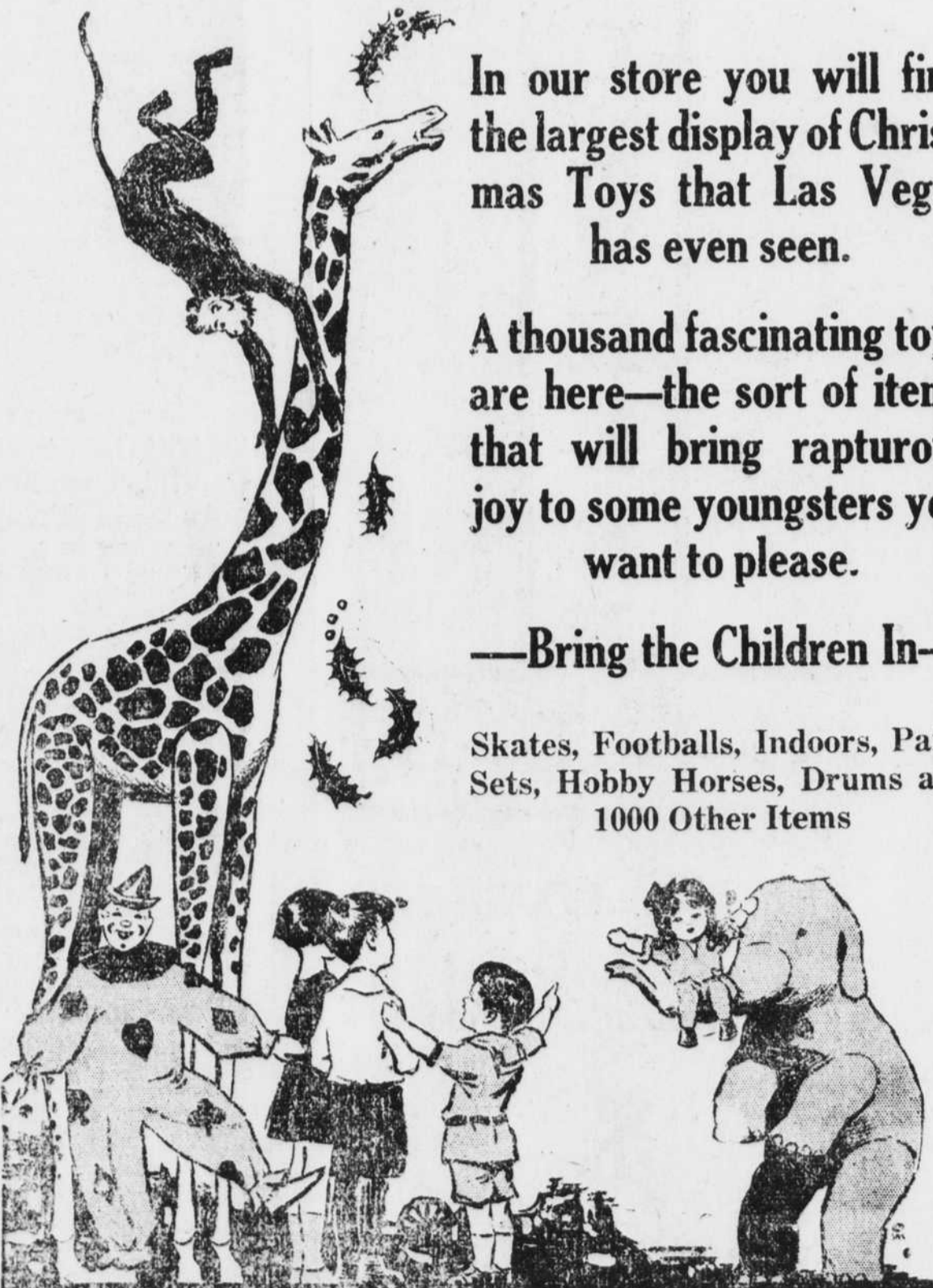


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