

HOLLYWOOD IS DESCRIBED AS THE CITY WITHOUT SIN

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real estate for conversation. Lights out at 12.

I was at dinner at the house of a famous screen star where after dinner one of the guests actually recited "The Ride of Paul Revere" and the host organized an oldtime minuet for dancing. Home-made red wine was served, and not very plentifully. I slept and dreamed of the White Lights and jazz and Rum Row Scotch. Whoever kidded me about mad, bad Hollywood?

The stupefaction of life in Hollywood drives the motion picture people—those who can afford it or those who can be "assigned"—to "vacations" in New York or Europe. Bang!—the minute they leave Los Angeles, East bound, the lid flies off and hits the stars. And why not? Every one out there had, to me, the air of being in prison. Millions to spend and nowhere to go, with Watch Your Step! for eternal chaperon.

In a word, Hollywood is a pleasant, somnolent place, where nothing unpleasant is ever permitted, where nothing ever happens, where grouches are frowned on, and where life is just one yawn after another.

And yet, curious thing, I'd like to go back there every once in a while for a little while. Between the soporific respectability of Hollywood and the incandescent "wickedness" of New York I could split the year.

Honest sinners are less harmful to the Vrsitina religion than hypocrites.

We'd like to find Utopia, just to hear what the knockers would have to say against the place.

CENTRAL KINGSCLEAR.

Central Kingsclear, N. B., Sept. 20.—A majority of the residents of this place intend visiting the Fredericton Exhibition this week.

Sanford McKeen of Kingsclear was leader in a social service in the United Church on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Hedley Kilburn who scalded her foot two weeks ago is still suffering from the effects of the injury.

The wedding of Miss Josephine Murray eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murray took place last Wednesday, the groom being Mr. Bradford Tompkins of Detroit, Michigan.

Miss Stella Fox is teaching the Bailey Creek school this term.

Lee Mills is on a business trip to Aroostook County, Maine.

A recent caller on friends here was Mrs. Alfred Ballard of Sandyville.

Mrs. Frank Kilburn and children have returned home from visiting friends at Bear Island.

Miss Anna Cliffe of McKinley has charge of our school this term.

Lieut. and Mrs. Harold McGibbon after visiting relatives and friends here left last week for Wolfville N. S., where they are both attending college.

The Misses Retcie Mills and Zella Collicott are attending the Provincial Normal School at Fredericton.

H. A. Jones, traveling salesman passed through here last week.

John Goodine has gone to Houlton, Maine, where he will visit his sister Mrs. David Graham.

Mrs. Norine Young and daughter Katrine who were visiting relatives here have returned to McAdam, N. B., where Mrs. Young is a teacher in one of the schools.

AIMEE SEMPLE M'PHERSON STANDS FOR OLD TIME RELIGION WITH HELL FIRE AND BRIMSTONE

(By Joe Toye in Boston Traveller) What's all this about Aimee Semple McPherson?

Why so much fuss?

If you lived in Los Angeles you'd understand more clearly. Chances are you'd probably be a partisan in one of the most bitter arguments in years.

Los Angeles is all steamed up about Aimee, her kidnapping, her "persecution" and the denunciation of her.

"A vamp in vestments!" some call her.

"A modern martyr!" her followers retort.

And there you are!

Twice Married

Aimee Semple McPherson is 35 years old, good looking, twice married (once divorced), and head of a congregation numbering upwards of 12,000 men, women and children.

Thousands of them treat her as a goddess.

Aimee was born in Ingersoll, Ont., Can., Oct. 9, 1890. Her father was a farmer. Her mother was a Salvation Army worker. Aimee's youth was that of a dairymaid. When she was 17 there was a revival in her town. It was conducted by a young evangelist named Robert Semple. Aimee hit the sawdust trail to the altar. Not long after she went to the altar and became Semple's bride.

They went on a preaching tour across the United States and through Australia and China. Here Semple died. Later a daughter came to Aimee. She named the child Roberta.

Aimee was not yet 20. She came back to this country and preached from coast to coast. It is said that many a time she preached on a soap box, at a street corner.

At 20 she married a business man named Harold McPherson. By him she had a son. But the call of the pulpit was too much for Aimee. She placed her children with her mother and left her husband. She divorced her.

"Miracle Woman"

She went through the South and middle West and preached and handed out flyers in which she called herself "The Great Aimee McPherson" and "The Miracle Woman" and other glowing names.

Aimee was an expert on publicity. At first she won the small town papers. She told of course of the blind and the

halt. She told of bodies cured and souls cured.

At 25 she hit Los Angeles.

She weighed 200.

That was in 1918.

Today she has a \$2,000,000 temple, a \$25,000 broadcasting station and at least 12,000 members in her congregation.

Today she weighs only 140. She took off 60 pounds by a spinach diet and taking epsom salts baths.

Los Angeles, home of new "isms", flocked to Aimee. It is not unusual for streets to be choked with automobile traffic for six blocks about her temple which is called the "Church of the Four Square Gospel." It seats 5300. The Metropolitan Theatre in Boston holds 5000.

Aimee has thick chestnut hair and a splendid figure. Her followers love her. She wears white vestments when she preaches. Aimee is an expert stage manager. She has paid as high as \$700 a single service for costume hire and "atmosphere." She also paid several hundred dollars at one whack for silk underwear.

In one of her services she has the stage set like a sea. Sailors in a lifeboat battle the waves. Lights shot through revolving prisms aid the storm scene. The organ booms and roars like an angry ocean. Women and children shriek. Aimee orates on the stormy, sinful sea of life and urges her listeners to hit the trail.

They do.

Almost every service is one of excitement. There are shrieks and hal-lujahs and hysterics. Hymns are sung to such tunes as "Tipperary" and "John Brown's Body." The congregation rocks with excitement and religious fervor.

Preaches Hell Fire

Aimee blasts theological seminaries. Calls them theological cemeteries. She is for the "old-time religion" with all its hell-fire and brimstone. She teaches damnation for persons who smoke, dance, play cards or read novels. The movies are "pizen" to her, although she uses them to aid in her work.

Into this picture comes "Ma" Kennedy, who is Aimee's mother. In fact "Ma" is very much in the picture. Ma is the works of the business end of Aimee's activities. She handles the money. She is the business manager and a good one. She is stout and 60, and wears her iron-grey hair parted in the middle. She calls her daughter "Sister."

Ma presides over 12 business offices connected with Aimee's work. One of the stenographers recently told a reporter:

"I hate that old slave driver, and I wouldn't stay here a minute except that we all love Sister Aimee so."

Not long ago Aimee made a trip to the Holy Land. Persons close to her say she came back a changed woman, that she appeared to tire of her work. This, however, is merely opinion and conjecture. Before going on the journey, Aimee told her congregation that she would like to make a trip. Promptly they laid \$25,000 on the pulpit.

On May 18, 1926, Aimee disappeared. Word went out that she had been drowned while swimming.

Suspicious persons called attention to the fact that Aimee was an expert swimmer and that she has a press agent known as a "publicity engineer".

But the congregation was loyal.

Ma Kennedy stepped into the breach and offered Aimee's pretty daughter, Roberta, as new priestess. The congregation was shy. Ma changed her tactics.

Agent—How do you like your electric washer?

Lady—Not so good. Every time I got in the thing those paddles knocked me off my feet.

There is enough sympathy in the world to supply the demand, if it were active.

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Wednesday's Race Card Most Attractive Seen Here in Long Time—Guesswork is Favored.

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Guesswork, 2.03 1/4, is strongly favored by the talent to win. Bessie McKlyo, 2.01 1/4, will have her backing from the "Potato Belt" where the horsemen think that she can take the measure of the outsider. El Verso, 2.05 1/4 and Billy Fitch, 2.06 1/4, are ready to make the event a race and either may come in. The sure thing is that every heat will be for blood.

The 2.25 Trot and the 2.16 Trot will also furnish some good racing.

Thursday also will have a fine card, the 2.14 Mixed, Junior Free-for-All and the 2.20 Mixed. The fields are large.

PUBLIC OPINION

CHILDREN'S DAY.

Editor Daily Mail,

Sir—Setting Wednesday as Children's Day at the Exhibition is very commendable, for it allows for the possibility of rain on that day. Now let the Fair people do their part for the kiddies by insisting upon reasonable charges.

Yours truly
ONCE YOUNG.

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52 George and Church Sts.
53 Union and Church Sts.
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56 Lansdowne St. and Waterloo Row.
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