# ALICE WHITE SILENT FILMSTAR AND HER CHOWS

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1927 ALICE WHITE-SILENT FILM STAR AND HER CHOW CHING-A-LING A REAL ALICE IN WONDERLAND

A few months ago, ALICE WHITE was a script clerk in the studios. She attracted the attention of First National Productions and was signed to a long-term contract to play ingenue roles! Her very first part is with Milton Sills. No wonder she feels like a modern Alice in a movie Wonderland! Her prize-winning Chow, Ching-a-ling, seems happy, too.

THIS TEXT WAS ON THE BACK OF THIS ORIGINAL 8X10 PHOTO ABOVE.
THIS BEAUTY IS IN MY OWN COLLECTION...A VERY SPECIAL TREASURE!!

After leaving school, she became a secretary and "script girl" for director Josef Von Sternberg.

After clashing with Von Sternberg, White left his employment to work for <a href="Charlie Chaplin">Charlie Chaplin</a> (a fellow chow owner), who decided before long to place her in front of the camera. Her bubbly and vivacious persona led to comparisons with <a href="Clara Bow">Clara Bow</a> (also a chow owner), but White's career was slow to progress.



Early 1920's 8×10 original studio photo in the private collection of Sandra Miller Back says Alice White National Star and her prize chow



1927 Alice White as Adraste in The Private Life of Helen of Troy with her chow Ching-A-Ling

lice and her companion Ching-A-Ling on the set of

## Helen of Troy circa 1927



THE PRIVATE LIFE OF HELEN The news clipping above, Taxovertising FIRE PRIVATE LIFE OF HELEN OF TROY shows a cropped version of the photo

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# THESE TWO IMAGES ABOVE AND BELOW COULD BE THE SAME CHOW AT DIFFERENT AGES

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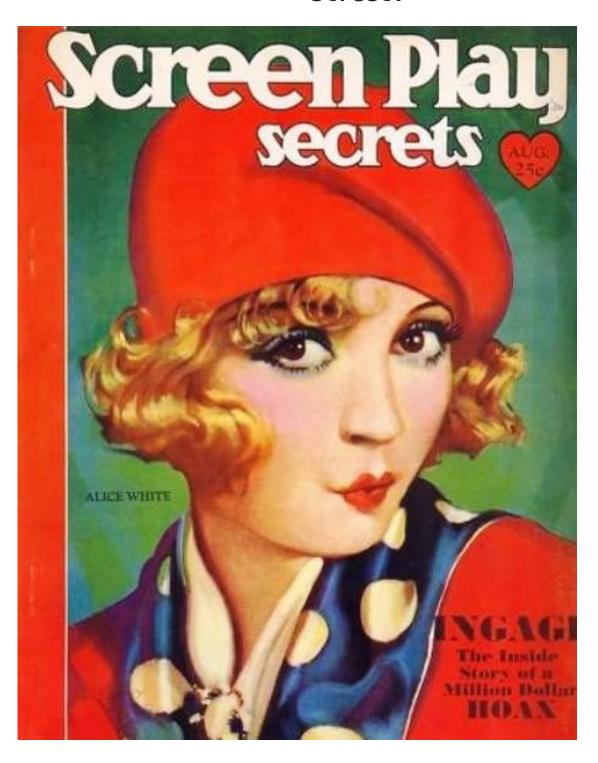
ALICE WHITE 1920'S SILENT FILM STAR After playing a succession of flappers and gold diggers, she attracted the attention of the director and producer Mervyn LeRoy who saw potential in her. Her first sound films included Show Girl (1928) made in the Vitaphone sound-on-disc system, and Show Girl in Hollywood (1930) in the Western Electric sound-on-film process, both released by Warner Brothers and both based on novels by J. P. McEvoy. In these two films, White appeared as "Dixie Dugan".



HERE IS A WONDERFUL PHOTO OF JAMES CAGNEY WITH ALICE WHITE, WHO HAD A GREAT LOVE FOR THE CHOW BREED AS WELL...SEE MY ARTICLE ABOUT JAMES CAGNEY IN THE CELEBRITIES CATEGORY

White has a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame for

her contribution to Motion Pictures, at 1501 Vine Street.



Below find a video of Alice White — Broadway Baby Dolls what an adorable performance