

Pearce Gang Plans Special "Welcome Spring" Broadcast

Nancy Carroll And Stanley Ridges Will Be Featured In "Ceiling Zero" For Star Theatre Show

"In the spring, a young man's fancy"—and why should Al Pearce and his gang be any exception? Having thus decided, they will salute the season and use it as the theme of their program on the CBS from 8 to 8:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Pearce as Elmer Blurt, Artie "C. B. Kitzel," Auerbach, Carl Hoff, Blanche Stewart, Mel Blanc and Phil Kramer will concentrate their comedy on the spring theme, while Arlene Harris "Human Chatterbox" monologue will center around a visit to a sick friend.

In the musical department, Hoff will revive one of the late George Gershwin's early successes, "Lady Be Good," and the orchestra will also present the currently popular "Say, Si, Si."

Marie and Her Merry Men will sing their own novel arrangement of the well known concert song "Clavelitos."

"Ceiling Zero," a radio adaptation of the aviation thriller that was a Broadway hit five years, will be the Star Theatre's dramatic production over the CBS network at 9:00 p. m. Wednesday.

Nancy Carroll and Stanley Ridges will be featured in this play, which will be introduced by Burns Mantle, famous dramatic critic. The story deals with the early days of commercial air traffic, and is set in the office of an Eastern airport. The main characters are the manager; a retired pioneer pilot; a younger flier with a scientific training; and a girl. The climactic comes with a spectacular suicide by the older pilot who reports on de-icing equipment while flying to his death.

Fred Allen will a-hunting go when he interviews Captain C. R. W. Knight, said to be the world's outstanding authority on Falconry, as his "Person You Didn't Expect To Meet" Wednesday, at 9:00 p. m. over the NBC-Red network.

An Englishman who in the last year trained falcons for use by the British Army, Captain Knight has been actively engaged in the ancient sport for more than forty years. He has visited the United States each year for lecture tours.

Captain Knight will have a golden eagle with him at the broadcast. Worthly of note is the fact that this will be the first time that Fred Allen has had a bird on the show since the famous Mynah, who wouldn't talk, that he had on for eight consecutive broadcasts several years ago.

Rounding out the hour-long entertainment of mirth and melody will be Portland Hoffa, Harry von Zell, the Mighty Allen Art Players, songstress Wynn Murray, the Merry Maes Swing quartet, and Peter Van Steeden and his Troubadours.

A blow-by-blow description of the 12-round non-title heavyweight bout between Buddy Baer, Maxie's younger brother, and Valentin Campolo, Argentine newcomer, will be broadcast from the ringside at Madison Square Garden Wednesday at 10:00 p. m. over the NBC-Blue Network.

Sam Taub will describe the action, and Bill Steub will comment between rounds.

Campolo, who has fought twice in this country, holds a decision over Arturo Godoy, South American champion who went the distance recently with Joe Louis.

"With the Wind and the Rain in Your Hair," one of the season's newest songs, will be featured by Dick Taylor on "Avalon Time," Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. over the NBC-Red Network.

The chorus will sing "Leavin' on the Ole Top Rail" and Bob Strong's orchestra will play a number of popular numbers. Cliff Arquette, the "Slappy Grappapp," will continue to "worry" with the assistance of Bud Vandover and Don McNeill.

Gracie Allen will answer the fan mail from her political supporters during the weekly Burns and Allen program, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. over CBS. Frank Parker sings "Kathleen Mine." Ray Noble plays an untitled original orchestral number and Gracie sings "Pizzicato Polka."

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20 Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hr. for CST, 2 Hrs. for MT. Changes in program as listed due to possible change of air conditions.

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP THE NETWORKS (Note: Refer to this box for stations which receive indicated after each program item. All programs are carried by key stations and basic channels are listed in parentheses.)

Theatre Guide

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Adventure Themes Found In Two Films On Sigma Screen

"Knights Of The Range" And "Isle Of Destiny" Are Attractions; Hardy Picture Offered At State

"Knights of the Range," at the Sigma starring Russell "Lucky" Hayden, runs the gamut of western thrills—daring horsemanship, thrilling gun fights, gay fiestas, tender romance, all the color that Zaue Grey included in the popular book. "Isle of Destiny," also showing, is a story of adventure among gun runners and U. S. Marines in the South Pacific.

Lewis Stone, Mickey Rooney and the rest of the Hardy Family are bringing new thrills, heart interest and comedy to audiences at the State theatre where "Judge Hardy and Son," the latest of the series, is now showing.

Parker, daughter of a rancher, falls in love with a gambler, Victory Jory, then deserts him after her father is killed by a rustler. Shortly after taking over the ranch, she falls in with Hayden, a rustler, and sets about converting him to the side of the law.

Her efforts to reform him and Hayden's encounters with Jory who is determined to win Mrs. Parker, even if he has to resort to unscrupulous means, leads the story to a tense, fair denouement.

Other highlights of the picture are provided by Britt Wood, playing the role of the king's Men, those well-known singers, heard in many glorious range songs.

Romance that is alluring and heart thrills "neath a tropical moon, are woven in a poignant drama of the South Pacific in "Isle of Destiny" which features June Lang, Wallace Ford, William Garret and Gilbert Roland, also at the Sigma.

The picture, which has been filmed entirely in color reveals many of the scenic splendors of the tropics of the South Pacific. Katharine DeMille, Harry Woods, Grant Richards, and Tom Dugan are also in the cast.

OHIO The greatest aviation exploit of our day, the intrepid aviation pilot training program of the Civil Aeronautics Authority inspired the thrilling production "20,000 Men a Year."

Combining the talents of the star credited with being Hollywood's most capable actor and the star who is reclaimed the most glamorous woman to reach the screen in more than a decade, "I Take This Woman," now at the Ohio, is considered the perfect piece of motion picture entertainment.

With Spencer Tracy as a skilled physician to whom his profession is his entire life, and Hedy Lamarr as a beautiful New York girl who becomes involved in a romantic problem which every woman will understand, "I Take This Woman," presents a story as human and timely as the pages of your daily newspaper.

Tracy's story will touch every man. Miss Lamarr's will go straight to the hearts of all women, struggling to know just what true love really is. She is a woman driven to despair because the man she loved did not keep his promise. She is caught on the rebound by a great man with a great love, yet cannot be certain that she no longer loves the man who failed her.

And when she finally makes the test of sincere love, her discovery is that which all women are happy to learn. Miss Lamarr finds in "I Take This Woman" an opportunity which will convince the world that she is an actress and not solely a beauty.

Surrounding the two costars is a supporting cast including such stellar personalities as Verree Teasdale, Kent Taylor, Laraine Day, Mona Barrie, Jack Larson, Paul Cavanaugh, Louis Calhern, Frances Drake and Marjorie Main.

SIGMA That two-fisted, high-powered outdoor action romance, Zane Grey's "Knights of the Range," is on the screen of the Sigma theatre, another triumph in this type of entertainment.

Russell "Lucky" Hayden, Victor Jory, Jean Parker, J. Farrell MacDonald and Britt Wood go thru their paces, rustling horses and cattle, shooting it out in desperate encounters while mounted on horse, and pointing along on trail-chases.

Men A Year," now at the Quilna

theatre last night, with Randolph Scott, Preston Foster and Mary Healy in top roles.

Drama, thrills, romance and comedy are deftly welded into this exciting story of the thousands of college boys who are taking to the skies, and of the men who train them.

Executive Producer Sol M. Wurtzel lined up a grand supporting cast headed by Mary Healy, Robert Shaw, George Ernest, Jane Darwell, Kane Richmond and Maxie Rosenblum.

With Edith Fellows, Dorothy Peterson, Clarence Kolb, Ronald Sinclair, and the Little Peppers family portraying the trouble and family members of the Pepper family and their friends, "Five Little Peppers at Home," continues a successful run at the Quilna.

The comedy drama, second one based upon Margaret Sidney's beloved juvenile classic, has been as enthusiastically received as its predecessor, "Five Little Peppers and How They Grew."

LEGAL NOTICE Orlando E. Hovick and Josephine Hovick, trustees of the property of the late Mrs. E. J. Hovick, deceased, do hereby certify that on the 17th day of March, 1940, at the County Court of Allen County, Ohio, the following property was sold to the highest bidder, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 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