Benny's "Rochester" To Be Interviewed By Fred Allen

Gravel-Voiced Comedian Will Celebrate 30 Years In Show Business; Lanny Ross Looks For Missing Heir

Rochester, Jack Benny's dusky lackey whom Fred Allen will interview as his "Person You Didn't Expect to Meet" Wednesday to help celebrate his 30th anniversary in show business, is the 100th such interviewee to appear on the program since Fred started the feature in the fall of 1937.

Joining in the anniversary celebration will be Portland Hoffa, Harry von Zell, the Mighty Allen Art Players, Wynn Murray, the Merry Macs, and Peter Van Steeden and his orchestra at 9 p. m. Wednesday over WEAF.

An unusual duet by that expert twosome, Ginny Simms and Harry Babbitt, will be presented in Kay Kyser's "College of Musical Knowledge" Wednesday at 10 p. m., when they sing Andre Kostelanetz' "On the Isle of May."

Other orchestral highlights of the show will be "Sweetie Pie," "Indian Summer," "Ooh, What You Said," "How High the Moon," "Gaucho Serenade," "Don't Worry 'bout Me," "By the Waters of Minnetonka," "I've Got My Eyes on You," "Say Si Si" and "Good Morning."

On Wednesday evening at 8 Charles Boyer, idol of the films and footlights, faces the WEAF microphone in Manhattan. A brilliant barrage of talent on the Hollywood Playhouse ushers in a radio adaptation of "Shadow Light"—from the facile pen of Octavus Roy Cohen. Lovely Sylvia Sidney, dramatic dynamo of stage and screen will appear with Mr. Boyer in his latest challenge to heartbeats.

Lanny Ross' program has a chance to locate a missing heir provided Lanny can locate a song, tag of which is "Take Me Home Again."

The song was requested by Mary Farrell Mohr, of 15 W. 84th-st. New York City, who hopes it will be heard by her missing sister, Elizabeth Farrell, heiress to several things of value left by her late mother, Mrs. George Farrell. Lanny will sing "Louisiana Hayride," "How High the Moon," "All the Things You Are," and the song the missing woman loved on the program, Wednesday at 7:15 p. m. over WABC. Meanwhile, music researchers are looking for the song, words of which are: "The I roam mid scenes of pleasure, Yet my heart is filled with pain. For a longing sad and tender whispers, Take Me Home Again."

Gracie Allen will give the lowdown on her campaign appearance in Dallas, Texas, before Variety Clubs of America convention on the Burns and Allen program, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. WABC. Ray Noble's orchestra will play "You Darling You" and Frank Parker sings "The Moon as Yellow." Gracie will follow her lowdown with the song "All In Favor Say Aye."

D. W. Griffith, famous Hollywood producer of silent films will teach Ken Murray to make love and Ken will do research on a picture of 1940 if it were produced a million years from now on the Hollywood portion of Star theatre Wednesday, 9 p. m. over WABC. Frances Langford will sing "Say Si Si" and "Last Night's Gardenias" and Kenny Baker will sing "Woodpecker's Song" and "I Love Thee." From New York, Dennis King will recreate for radio, a role which won him international fame when he appears in "Petticoat Fever." Star theatre's dramatic presentation.

An address by Paul V. McNutt, federal security administrator and former high commissioner to the Philippines, will be broadcast over WLW from the dinner highlighting Foreign Trades Week in Cincinnati, Wednesday. The broadcast will be aired at 11:30 p. m.

Dick Todd will sing one of his recently recorded best sellers, "The Singing Hills" as a highlight of Avalon Time, Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. over WEAF. Other musical specials on the show include "Sunday" and "Bugle Call Rag" by Bob Strong's orchestra, and "Angel in Disguise" a new Todd vocal. Don McNeill and Mercedes McCambridge will handle the comedy routine.

BEST BETS WEDNESDAY

P. M.

7:00 — Fred Waring Time, WLW.
8:00 — Hollywood Playhouse, WLW.
8:00—Ben Bernie, WJR.
9:00—Fred Allen, WLW.
9:00—Star Theatre, WJR.
10:00—Kay Kyser, WLW.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hr. for CST., 2 Hrs. for MT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to last minute network corrections)

5:45—The O'Neills, Sketch—nbc-weaf
Tom Mix Adventures—nbc-wjz-west
Chas. Sears, Tenor — nbc-blue-west
Scattergood Baines, Serial—cbs-wabc
Little Orphan Annie — mbs-wor east
6:00—Luther-Layman Sing—nbc-weaf
News, Dance Music Orch.—nbc-wjz
News Broadcasting Period—cbs wabc
Billy and Betty repeat—cbs-midwest
Dance Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
6:05—Edwin C. Hill — cbs-wabc-basic
6:15—News and Ed East — weaf only
Malcolm Claire and News — nbc-red
Bill Stern Sports; Ed East—wjz only
Hedda Hopper on Movies—cbs-wabc
Nan Wynn and Her Song—cbs-Dixie
H. Weber Concert Orch.—mbs-chain
6:30—Capt. Healy Stamps—weaf only
The Song Busters — nbc-red-chain
The Serenaders Prog.—nbc-wjz-east
Rud Barton's repeat—nbc blue-west
Elmer Davis Comments—wabc-only
H. V. Kaltenborn Talks — cbs-chain
Harold Turner and Piano—mbs-chain
6:45—Rocky Gordon, Serial—nbc-weaf
Lowell Thomas News—nbc-wjz-basic
Tom Mix repeat—nbc-blue-midwest
European War Broadcast—cbs-wabc
Orphan Annie in repeat—mbs-west
7:00—F. Waring Time—nbc-weaf-east
Easy Aces, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
Amos & Andy, Skit — cbs-wabc-east
Chicago Melody Weavers — cbs-west
Fulton Lewis, Jr., Talk—mbs chain
7:15—Lil' Abner's Sketch — nbc-weaf
Mr. Keen, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
Lanny Ross in Song—cbs-wabc-basic
Wythe Williams, Talk — wor-waab
The Trail Blazers of 1940—mbs-chain
7:30 — Revelers—weaf-kyw-wbz wmal
Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-red-chain
Dancing Music Orchestra —nbc-wjz
Burns and Allen Program—cbs-wabc
Lone Ranger Drama—mbs-wor-east
7:45—Dance Music Orches.—nbc-weaf
Sam Balter on Sports—wkw-wgn-kwk
8:00—Hollywood Playhouse—nbc-weaf
Johnny Present—Program — nbc-wjz
Ben Bernie and Lew Lehr—cbs-wabc
Sheep and Goats Club—mbs-network
8:30—Time for Grandpappy—nbc-weaf
What Would You've Done—nbc-wjz
J. Hershott, Dr. Christian—cbs wabc
Where Are You From? — mbs-chain
8:55—Elmer Davis, News — cbs-wabc
9:00—Fred Allen's Program—nbc-weaf
"Green Hornet," Dramatic—nbc-wjz
Theater of Stars, Variety—cbs wabc
Dance Music Orchestra. — mbs-chain
9:15—Kaye Brinker Sketch—mbs-wor
9:30—Roy Shield's Revue — nbc-wjz
Music from Percy Faith — mbs-wor
10:00—Kay Kyser's College — nbc-weaf
Jewish Passover Prog.—nbc-wjz
Glenn Miller & Orchestra—cbs-wabc
Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
Raymond G. Swing's Talk—mbs-wor
10:15—Public Affairs Talk — cbs-wabc
Music; Irish War News—mbs-wor
10:30—Prairie Folks, Serial — nbc-wjz
Curtis Concert Orchestra — cbs-wabc
Pageant of Melody, Orch.—mbs-wor
11:00—News & Dance—nbc-weaf-east
Fred Waring's repeat—nbc-red-west
News; Dance Music Hour—nbc-wjz
Paul Sullivan News—cbs-wabc-east
Amos and Andy's repeat — cbs-west
Dance Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
A. Mitchell, Answer Man—mbs-west
11:15—Next Step Forward'—nbc-west
Dance Orch. News to 2—cbs & mbs
Lanny Ross, rpt. (15 m.)—cbs-west
11:30—Dancing Music to 1 — nbc-weaf
12:00—P. Sullivan rpt —cbs-midwest
Marriage Club Quiz; Dance—nbc-wjz

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP THE NETWORKS

(Note: Refer to this box for stations of networks indicated after each program item. All programs are carried by key stations and basic chains or groups thereof unless specified.)

NBC-WEAF (RED): Basic—East: weaf wfbr wnac wben wtam wwj wtic kyw wcae wesh wjar wgy wre wdel wtag wtbg wjac weeu wraw wsnd; **Midwest:** wmaq who wire wdaf wtmj kstp wow ksd; **South:** wmbg wsb wbrc wjdx wmc wsmb wfaa wbap kprc kark wky woai ktbs kvoo; **Mountain:** koa kdyl

NBC-WJZ (BLUE): Basic — East: wjz wbal wbz wicc webr whk wxyz wtil kdka wean wham wbza wsyr wmal waby wieu wtjn wnbc wmff; **Midwest:** wmt wenr wls kso wowo wren wten kwcr well wkem wfdf wibm wjln kowh kma ksej; **South:** wrtd kfdm kgko kxyz ktnk waga kjbo wsgn kths wmps wdsu; **Mountain:** kvod klo kuta

NBC OPTIONAL STATIONS operate either RED or BLUE—**East:** waan wrdo wlbz wlw wsai wcol wing wkbo wgal wfea wbow wbra work whiz cmx cbf cbm cfcf cgi; **Midwest:** webc wgbf wgl wood wiba kysm kroc welo ksoo kfam kans wcfl kfyr wday koam kgbx; **South:** wgky wels wblk wtar wise wtma wsoc wis wfbc wptf kjrc wink wfod wfla wsun kgne wapo kris wrol wala wcoa krgv wave wsm wsav; **Mountain:** koh kghl kido kgir kpfa ksei kfti koh-ktsm kghb

CBS-WABC: BASIC — East: wabc woko wcoa weei wgr wkbw wcky wgar wdrc wcau wjas wpro wfbl wjsv; **Midwest:** wbbm krnt wfbm kmbc kfab whas kmox. **OTHER STATIONS: East:** wadc wabi wnbf wbns, whio wjr wesg whp ckac wgan wboc wkaq wgbi wmas wnbx cfrb wibx whry wore wkbn; **Midwest:** woc wkbb wdal weoa wind wtaq wmfg kwbh kglo wisn wcco kcil wmbd wsbt wdwr whib kfh wnax; **South:** waim wwnc wgst wrdw wapi wcsc wchs wbt wdod wrbl krld wdnc wmmn wbig kirh wmbr wnox klra wmaz wrec wcoc wqam wsfa wlac wwl koma wdbo wpar wrva wdbj wtas wioc kwkh wdnc ktul wjno wwva kwft wsjs; **Mountain:** kggm kvor klz kfbb kovo kov ksl kvsf ktuc

MBS-WOR-WGN—BASIC; wor wgn wrok cklw whk wclo wahy wsay weny wbnx wfil wbal wol wcva wcae wlw wkrc wbko wral wair wjej wstp wsoc wlap wsix wgrc wcmi; **New England:** wicc wtht watr wspr wfea waab wsad wnhh wbal wcou wbrk wsyb; **Midwest:** wibb kwk wdgy webc wdsm kso wmt koil kfor whb ktsw kggf ksal kvgb kfbl; **South:** ktok kada kcrc komc kbix kgff kjfz kbrc know kbst wrr kxyz kgkl kabc krry kpac ktem wcmc waco; **Mountain:** kfel kfka. (Note: Some MBS stations also in other chains.)

THEY'RE GOING TO VISIT YOU TONIGHT

The Whites will be on the air with Nathaniel Shilkret and his famous Recording Orchestra.

TONIGHT AT STATION
8 P. M. WLOK
Presented by
The Metropolitan Bank of Lima, Ohio

DUE ON STAGE AT OHIO

Judy and Connie Garland, pictured above, constitute the only sister team in the outstanding new stage hit "Egyptian Follies" which will appear here Friday and Saturday at the Ohio theatre on its coast-to-coast tour.

BEAVERDAM

BEAVERDAM, April 24 — Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Stirn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Krouse of Akron.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ludwig of Lafayette, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ludwig and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bogart and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Varoel called on Rev. L. G. Davis at his home near Van Wert Sunday night. Rev. Davis is recovering from a serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Bowers of Payne, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Bowers on Sunday.

George Troxel of Lima spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Troxel.

The mother and daughter banquet sponsored each year by the Missionary society of the Methodist church will be held on May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Ransbottom of Kansas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Young for a few weeks.

Mrs. G. I. Andrews was called to Leipsic on Friday due to the death of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Earl Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wing of Columbus Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Francia Williams and Nancy Jane Williams were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams.

The first and second grade, accompanied by their teachers, Mable Hesser and Marcella Neuenschwander, were taken to Lima by bus this week and attended "Pinocchio."

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Fulton of Lima visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clausing on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lippincott of Lima and Mrs. Lucretia Lippincott of Bluffton were Sunday callers of Mrs. Emma Vinson.

Mrs. Rose Amstutz is convalescing from a recent illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Best.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Thomas of Detroit, spent Wednesday at the J. M. Thomas home.

Celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lewis had as dinner guests Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Lewis and daughter, Mrs. Nellie Ackerman and daughter of Lorain, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Neuenshwander of Lima, Mrs. Esther Lombard and sons Joe and Bud.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Arthur, Ada Rowland, Hattie Younkman and Irene Reams attended the district conference of the Methodist churches at Kenton on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wagner of Lima were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Yoakam.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Young, Mrs. Blanche Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Ransbottom, Miss Helen Conrad, Ed Fett, Mrs. Carrie Durkee, Ruth Durkee, attended the funeral of Mrs. Earl Andrews at Leipsic Sunday afternoon.

Elnora Hall was hostess to the Leisure Hour club at her home Monday evening. In the games Helen Yant was high and Jeanette Mosier low. Attending were Cora Younkman, Beulah Michael, Rachael Stirn, Fairy Arnold, Ruth Paul, Madaline Smith, Helen Yant, Georgia Ellenberger, Mary Lacock, Carrie Barber and Jeanette Mosier of Columbus Grove.

DRIVER FINED

Upon his plea of guilty to a charge of operating his car with insufficient brakes, Leon J. Huffine, of Willshire, was fined $2.50 and costs Tuesday by John O. Bowden, Van Wert justice of peace. Lima outpost patrolmen arrested the driver.

BRIDGE SAGS

FINDLAY, April 24 — Sheriff Lyle A. Harvitt today was investigating the possible cause of damage to a 33-foot bridge over Rocky Ford creek in northern Hancock-co, which was closed.

JURY DECREES LIFE SENTENCE AT CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI, O., April 24 — (INS)—Walter F. Whitaker, 29, today faced a mandatory life sentence in the penitentiary after being convicted by a jury of six men and six women of the first-degree murder of Patrolman Julius Mayer, Jr.

A recommendation of mercy saved Whitaker from the electric chair. He was charged with fatally shooting Mayer as the patrolman attempted to apprehend him after the robbery of an auto supply store.

The jury deliberated more than 10 hours before reaching a verdict.

LAFAYETTE

LAFAYETTE, April 24 — Mrs. Calvin Early and daughter Janice have returned to their home here after spending the past two weeks in Florida.

The County Benefit club met with Mrs. Ella Watt on Wednesday afternoon. Members present were Mrs. Martha Westphol, Mrs. Bonnie Carter, Mrs. Neva Fisher, Mrs. Belle Bradley, Mrs. Ethel McElwain, Mrs. Helen Greenawalt, Mrs. Inez May, Mrs. Alma Robinson, Mrs. Daisy Ludwig, Mrs. Irene Boyd, Mrs. Frances Stoodt and Mrs. Eda Hall. Guests were Mrs. Bertha Thayer, Mrs. Reva Robinson, Phillip Hall and Larry Stober.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Lippincott and daughter Marilyn were callers of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. May and son Billy on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carman and daughter Jean spent Sunday with relatives at Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hefner and children were Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Luke and daughter at Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lott and son Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Metzger of Lima, and Flossie Copeland of Toledo were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lott and daughter.

The Aloha club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. L. Bierby. Those attending were Mrs. Pete Binkley, Mrs. Inez May, Mrs. Lelia Knoble, Mrs. Hilda Badertscher son Kenneth, Mrs. Gretchen Helser son Lou Gene, Mrs. Rachel Rex son Denny, Mrs. Dorothy Bierly sons Jimmy and Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Roberts, Jennie Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Dorance Thompson, Betty Lou Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Moyer and daughter Janice were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Bessie Guthrie and Mrs. Tillie McGuire.

The Alla club met Friday evening with Mrs. Lois Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rex and son are now living with Mrs. Rex's grandmother, Mrs. Belle Heath until they get their new home finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Snyder and son Ronnie of Lima were Saturday evening guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Snyder and son Ed.

Willard Jennings and son Winston of near Bluffton were Tuesday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fleming and Sunday callers were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fleming.

Cisco Kid Gallops Back As Half Of New Quilna Program

Dual Bill To Be Previewed Wednesday As "Johnny Apollo" Closes; Two Hits Flash On Sigma Screen

Caesar Romero as that dashing caballero, the Cisco Kid, gallops back from the border for new adventures in "Viva Cisco Kid," which will be previewed Wednesday evening at the Quilna theatre. Also slated to commence is "Free, Blonde and 21," starring a bevy of youthful Hollywood beauties. Showing for the last times Wednesday is "Johnny Apollo" starring Tyrone Power and Dorothy Lamour.

Stamped as one of the most unusual of all mystery dramas, "The Invisible Man Returns," is now showing at the Sigma theatre. Vincent Price, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Nan Grey and John Sutton head the cast. Seeking education as their reward to capturing a criminal, Laurel and Hardy, ace comedians, travel to England in "A Chump at Oxford," also at the Sigma.

With Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine Reading a cast of outstanding players and with a story filled with drama, suspense, and mystery, "Rebecca," is the current Ohio attraction. The film version of the mysterious story retains all the drama of the original best-seller novel. Judith Anderson, Gladys Cooper, George Sanders, Reginald Denny and C. Aubrey Smith head the supporting cast.

Eleanor Powell, Fred Astaire and George Murphy, oustanding dancing stars of stage and screen, are starred in the filmusical, "Broadway Melody of 1940," now showing at the State theatre. Elaborate dance creations, duo and trio routines and new musical tunes feature the picture. Also showing is "Framed."

Cary Grant, Ralph Bellamy and Rosalind Russell are starred in the Lyric feature, "His Girl Friday," the hilarious comedy of Hollywood's version of a newspaper romance between a magazine editor and his star female reporter. Randolph Scott, Preston Foster and Margaret Lindsay are co-starred in "20,000 Men a Year," also at the Lyric, a story based on the government's air training course for college students.

* * *

SIGMA

The decorum, dignity and lofty educational standards of British institutions of learning are well known to academic circles, but Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, who are co-starred in the new production, "A Chump at Oxford," will show moviegoers an extra trick or two when they view the new laugh comedy which is now at the Sigma theatre. Laurel and Hardy, the internationally known pair of comics, learned that the English college boys are no different from their American cousins when it comes to hazing and the initation of new students.

With heaps of rollicking, good old-fashioned complications in the plot, "A Chump at Oxford" tells the story of two street cleaners who inadvertently capture a bank robber. When the bank president offers them a reward, they ask instead that they be sent to the lofty spires of Oxford for an education, which during their misspent youth they happened to skip.

The comics arrive at the university dressed in Eton jackets and they are immediately singled out as the victims of some very elaborate hazing. From theron, the story moves with walloping humor and side-splitting episodes. The heroes continue to be wonderful targets for the rest of the boys at college and what happens to the austere dean when he gets mixed up in the general gayety and frolic provides one of the most humorous episodes in the story.

Among the players listed in the supporting cast are Forrester Harvey, Wilfred Lucas, Forbes Murray, Frank Baker and Eddie Borden.

Action-drama in which the camera records some of the most astounding tricks ever screened is the chief attraction in the mystery-love story, "The Invisible Man Returns," now playing at the Sigma theatre.

Vincent Price, title character, and Nan Grey share the romantic interest. Sir Cedric Hardwicke, John Sutton, Cecil Kellaway and Allan Napier are in the cast.

* * *

QUILNA

The Cisco Kid gallops back from the border with his guns blazing to prove once again he's still the most dashing caballero of them all!

Handsome Cesar Romero, who first played Cisco in "The Cisco Kid and the Lady" is again the colorful O. Henry outlaw barking guns, flashing eyes, romantic heart and all—in "Viva Cisco Kid," which is coming to the Quilna theatre on Wednesday evening.

Cisco is chased by a posse, accused of murder, trapped in a mine cave-in and left for dead by the West's toughest hombre—but it's all in the name of Romance! This time it's lovely Jean Rogers who makes him willing to risk his neck a thousand times for her smile. Cisco's roly poly pal, Gordito is again the tireless companion of all his thrilling adventures. Again played by 235-pound Chris-Pin Martin, Gordito provides plenty of laughs with his lumbering efforts to keep the dashing Cisco from the snares of the senoritas.

As a matter of fact, it is by trusting a black-eyed beauty that Cisco almost puts his neck into a noose in the first scenes of the film. As a result, he swears off the senoritas for all time. But that's before he meets the beautiful damsel in distress, played by Jean Rogers and falls for her as only Cisco can fall.

Also commencing Wednesday evening will be "Free, Blonde and 21."

* * *

OHIO

Against a background of chilling mystery and eeriness, "Rebecca," best-selling novel, is now at the Ohio theatre. "Rebecca" was filmed with Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine in the top starring roles, while the featured supporting cast includes Judith Anderson, George Sanders, Nigel Bruce, C. Aubrey Smith, Reginald Denny and Florence Bates.

The story concerns a young and unsophisticated girl who becomes the bride of the wealthy and socially prominent Maxim de Winter. When they return to live on his vast Tudor estate, Manderley, the second wife learns, to her horror, that her life is being dominated by the past of Rebecca, Maxim's first wife, a very beautiful woman who fascinated all who knew her.

Furthermore, the memory of Rebecca is kept alive by Mrs. Danvers, de Winter's housekeeper, played by Judith Anderson. Mrs. Danvers resents the second Mrs. de Winter and does everything in her power to harrow her. After an elaborate ball given at Manderley, the story moves swiftly to a smash climax, stunning in its surprise, and terrifying in its impact. This scene takes place in an abandoned boat house during the entire sequence, with Olivier and Miss Fontaine entirely alone. The scene lasts about eight minutes on the screen, but because of the care exercised during its filming, it required three days to complete.

Among the unusual settings constructed for the production of "Rebecca" were included London streets, old taverns, a coroner's office and a boathouse facing a wind-swept bay on the coast of Cornwall. The most elaborate set, depicting the Tudor estate known as Manderley, was built as a two-story affair on a stretch of ground that measured 100 to 125 feet.

Every detail of English country life in "Rebecca," down to the last drop of ale used in a country tavern scene is said to be authentic.

* * *

LYRIC

"20,000 Men A Year," the production which was inspired by the intensive national civilian training program of the Civil Aeronautics Authority, is the current Lyric theatre attraction.

Randolph Scott, Preston Foster and Margaret Lindsay are featured in this romantic story of the nation's college youth, who are taking to the skies thousands strong—of the men who train them, and the girls who love them.

Mary Healy, Robert Shaw, George Ernest, Jane Darwell, Kane Richmond and Maxie Rosenbloom are also prominently cast in "20,000 Men A Year."

Cary Grant and Ralph Bellamy, the famed comedy combination of "The Awful Truth," are re united for the first time since that memorable film in "His Girl Friday," which is now showing at the Lyric theatre. The new romantic comedy co-stars Grant and Rosalind Russell with Bellamy heading a long list of featured players including Helen Mack, John Qualen, Ernest Truex, Roscoe Karns and Gene Lockhart.

Theatre Guide

OHIO—"Rebecca."
QUILNA—"Johnny Apollo."
SIGMA—"The Invisible Man Returns" and "A Chump at Oxford."
STATE—"Broadway Melody of 1940" and "Framed."
LYRIC—"His Girl Friday" and "20,000 Men a Year."

COMING UP

OHIO—"Road to Singapore" commences Sunday.
QUILNA—"Free, Blonde and 21" and "Viva Cisco Kid" commence Wednesday preview.
SIGMA—"Of Mice and Men" commences Saturday.
STATE—"A Child Is Born" and "Double Alibi" commence Thursday.
LYRIC—"What a Life" and "Battle of the Greed" commence Friday.
MAJESTIC—"Wall Street Cowboy" and "Let Us Live" commence Friday.

WILL PROBATED

WAPAKONETA, April 24 — Will of Henry Vogel, who died three weeks ago at his home in St. Marys, was admitted to record in Auglaize co probate court Tuesday at a hearing held before Judge Harry F. Wattenbrink. The estate, which was not appraised, was bequeathed to his widow, Hattie. The will was dated July 30, 1936, and witnessed by Betty Fissell and David Armstrong.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR TO GIVE PROGRAM HERE

The young people's choir of the Calvary Evangelical and Reformed church will present a musical program at the church Thursday evening under the direction of Millie Sonntag Urfer. Marcella Harman will act as pianist.

The program will be as follows: "List the Cherubic Host," by the choir; "Hollyhocks" and "The Appletree Fairy," Joy Ann Shaffner; "Joy" and "Song of Gladness," Susie Beam; "To a Hill-top," Lewis Pfeiffer; "Landscape" and "Friendship," Katherine Bonfiglio; "To Spring" and "Villanelle," Mary Jane Meads; and a cantata, "Spring Cometh," by the choir.

VILLAGE MAYOR KILLS HIMSELF

MARIETTA, O., April 24—(AP) Mayor William E. Pearson, 46, of the village of Beverly was one of two Washington county suicides recorded today by Coroner R. W. Riggs.

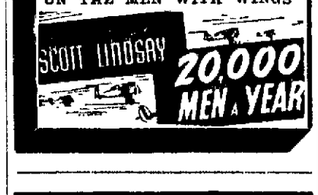
Pearson died yesterday of carbon monoxide fumes from an automobile in his garage. Harold W. Schantz, Marietta truck driver, killed himself with a shotgun, the coroner said.

OHIO MAT. 25c TIL 6
LAST 2 DAYS!
"REBECCA"
with LAURENCE OLIVIER JOAN FONTAINE
2 DAYS ONLY . . . NEXT THURS., FRI. APR. 26, 27

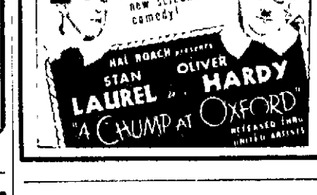
STARTS SUNDAY!
THE HIGHWAY TO HAPPINESS!
ROAD TO SINGAPORE
BING CROSBY · BOB HOPE · DOROTHY LAMOUR

OHIO
Farewell Tour of Famous Stage Play — Not a Picture
One Day Only! Sat., MAY 4th. Mat. 2:30, Eve. 9:15
"TOBACCO ROAD" 7th Year on B'way
with JOHN BARTON
SEATS NOW! BOXOFFICE OPEN 11 A. M. TO 10 P. M.
NIGHT: $1.65. $1.10, 83c, 55c
MATINEE: $1.10, 83c, 55c (Tax Included)
ALL SEATS RESERVED. PHONE MAIN 7044

HERE RIGHT NOW
—2 COLOSSAL HITS 2—
LYRIC
10c till 4 p.m.—1 to 7 p.m. 15c
—Hit No. 1—
Cary Grant • Rosalind Russell
Ralph Bellamy
"HIS GIRL FRIDAY"
And Hit No. 2
TODAY AMERICA'S EYES ARE ON THE MEN WITH WINGS



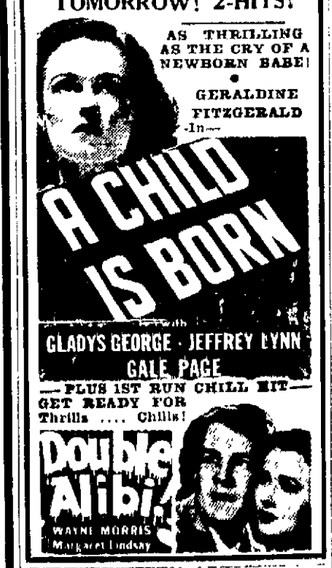
SIGMA 20c til 6 —2— GREAT HITS!
HE'S LOOSE AGAIN! ...A New Fantastic Sensation!!!
THE INVISIBLE MAN RETURNS
Suggested by "The Invisible Man" by H. G. WELLS
with Sir Cedric HARDWICKE
VINCENT PRICE • NAN GREY



COMING SOON TO THRILL ALL LIMA
IT'S GHOSTLY DYNAMITE
This Throbbing Mystery Story Reveals The Working Of The FORTUNE TELLING RACKET

The MYSTIC CIRCLE MURDER
Betty Compson

STATE
ALWAYS 2 FEATURES
LAST DAY 15c TILL 6
Eleanor POWELL, Fred ASTAIRE in "BROADWAY MELODY OF 1940"
Also "FRAMED" With C. MOORE
TOMORROW! 2-HITS!

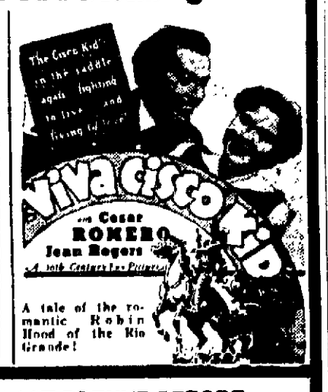


Use News Want Ads

EQUITY
MAIN ST. STORE
Noon Lunches
25¢ 30¢
The Best Food Buy in Lima
At All EQUITY Stores
Plain or Toasted **Sandwiches** 10¢
Delicious Thick **Milkshakes** 10¢
½ Pt. Ice Cream In Each One
All Kinds Hot Soups
EQUITY DAIRY STORES
213 N. Main 803 W. North
443 S. Pine Metcalf at Grand

WELCOME
157th ROTARIANS — District ROTARYANNS
Congress Cafe
• SINCE 1909 •
210 W. Market St. Main 1891
Where You Will Enjoy Fine Foods—Liquors — Wines — Liqueurs and Beers
SPECIAL DINNERS — LUNCHEONS — SANDWICHES
REGULAR MENUS
OPEN 'TIL 2:30 A. M.

• PREVUE TONITE •
"Viva Cisco Kid" 7:15
"Johnny Apollo" 8:25
"Free, Blonde & 21" 9:50
QUILNA
TONITE
20c ..... 1 to 2
25c ..... 2 till 7
30c ..... After 7
• 2 FINE PICTURES •



NOTICE: OUR LAST PREVUE BEFORE WE REMODEL THEATRE

NewspaperARCHIVE®