

# Eddie Cantor Scheduled As Guest On "We, The People"

### Three Other Interesting Personalities To Be Heard On Gabriel Heatter's Program At 8 P. M. Tuesday

Eddie Cantor; a doctor who stumbled on a fabulously rich gold mine; a Scot who pushed a wheelbarrow across the continent; and the widow of composer Edward MacDowell are included among the guests whom Gabriel Heatter will interview on "We, The People" Tuesday at 8:00 p. m. over WABC.

"The King's Men" quartet will highlight the musical portion of the Fibber McGee and Molly program on Tuesday at 8:30 p. m. over WEAF with the singing of "With The Wind and the Rain in Your Hair."

Billy Mills' orchestra will swing out with "Bojangles of Harlem," "So Far So Good" and "Night After Night After You." Fibber McGee and Molly will entertain at 7:30 p. m. with fun and more fun.

These ferocious females, Brenda and Cobina will fulfill one of their hearts' desires when they appear as owners of a baseball club on Bob Hope's WEAF program Tuesday at 9:00 p. m.

The story of Thomas Paine and his famous pamphlets, "Common Sense" and "The Crisis," will be dramatized by "Cavalade of America" on Tuesday at 8 p. m. over WJZ with Frank Readick, well-known radio actor, in the role of Paine.

Henry Aldrich loses a model airplane race but wins a friend for life in "The Aldrich Family" episode, over WJZ Tuesday at 7:00 p. m.

"When You Wish Upon a Star" will be contralto Virginia Verrill's tuneful effort to cheer beleaguered brethren of Uncle Walter's Doghouse, Tuesday at 9:30 p. m. over WEAF. Uncle Tom (Wallace) Walter will dramatize the story of another Doghouse inmate, Dudley Wayne, a copy writer with a side-line.

Phi Beta Kappa women face Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One from CST, 2 Hrs. for MT—On Daylight Time One Hour later due to last minute network corrections.

4:30—Jack Armstrong—nbc-wet-east  
4:35—Kitty Kean's Story—nbc-wet-east  
4:40—Bud Barton's Soap—nbc-wet-east  
4:45—Kitty Kean's Story—nbc-wet-east  
4:50—Johnnie's Story—nbc-wet-east  
4:55—The O'Neils, Sketch—nbc-wet-east  
5:00—The O'Neils, Sketch—nbc-wet-east  
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# \$328,990.35 In February Taxes Distributed

(Lima News Bureau)  
KENTON, April 30—A total of \$328,990.35, representing the February tax fund settlement for Hardin-co, was distributed to the various districts of the county today, it was announced by Leo Dirmeier, deputy Hardin-co auditor, who prepared the distribution statement.

Of the total amount \$43,393.63 represented funds from the inheritance tax fund and \$285,596.72 was the amount collected as shown on duplicates.

The distribution was swelled by the inheritance tax of \$43,393.63 which came from three sizeable Ada and Liberty-tp estates. Liberty-tp also benefited from the inheritance tax.

To the state went \$17,640.23; to the county \$59,967.04; for county health \$2,500; for county roads \$911.8; for county ditches \$3,128.64; to Grove cemetery \$1,108.83; as conservancy tax \$45,321.52; and for conservancy levy \$3,471.09; totaling \$134,049.13.

School funds totaling \$69,712.02 were distributed to the school districts of the county as follows: Alger \$7,204.07; Blanchard-Pleasant \$8,503.63; Forest-Jackson \$8,150.83; Hardin Central \$12,991.78; McGuffey-McDonald \$8,732.23; Mt. Victory-Dudley \$7,706.45; Ridgeway-Taylor Creek \$8,482.66; Roundhead \$6,193.54; Washington-Cessna \$7,646.83; total \$69,712.02.

To foreign and exempted districts the following distribution was made: Taylor Creek-Rush Creek \$88.94; McDonald-Belle Center \$1,699.88; Taylor Creek Belle Center \$1,167.94; Dudley-Marion \$1,021.48; Goshen-Wyanot \$381.22; Hale-Marion \$28.21; Kenton \$28,427.88; Ada \$19,670.67; and total \$52,492.52.

Foreign inheritance tax amounting to a total of \$506.13. It included: Lafayette Corporation, Allen-co, \$56.83; Lima Corporation, Allen-co, \$88.27; Youngstown Corporation, Mahoning-co, \$127.50; Shawnee-tp, Allen-co, \$1.96; Rush Creek-tp, Logan-co, \$39.56; Liberty-tp, Trumbull-co, \$43.16; total \$306.13.

To the townships of Hardin-co was distributed \$30,788.10, as follows: Blanchard \$149.60; Buck \$52.45; Cessna \$51.18; Dudley \$800.79; Goshen \$97.50; Hale \$532.91; Jackson \$871.34; Liberty \$21,323.65; Lynn \$7,06.16; Marion \$1,392.18; McDonald \$11,724.22; Pleasant \$201.54; Roundhead \$556.44; Taylor Creek \$508.32; Washington \$530.25; total \$30,788.10.

To corporations of the county went \$41,612.45 as follows: Dunkirk \$1,421.2; Mt. Victory \$1,091.66; Ridgeway \$634.74; Patterson \$20,471.64; Forest \$2,519.07; Ada \$8,164.13; Alger \$1,530.79; McGuffey \$1,102.50; Kenton \$3,586.21; Kenton sinking fund trustees \$18,561.15; total \$41,612.45; grand total \$328,990.35.

### CINCINNATI FIRST IN FIRE PREVENTION WORK

WASHINGTON, April 30—(UP)—A metal for the best showing among American cities in fire prevention work during 1939 went to Cincinnati, O., today from the U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

Toledo, O., was given an award of merit for cities with 250,000 to 500,000 population in a city and rural health contest sponsored by the chamber.

### TWO DENY ROBBERY

CINCINNATI, April 30—(AP)—Virgil Gaines, 25, and Joseph Harvie, 42, Cincinnati window cleaners, are held today in lieu of \$10,000 bond each after pleading innocent to robbery charges in a \$3,300 holdup at Newport, Ky., last Oct. 7. Elmer E. Byrd, 23, was arrested at Newport on the same charge.

### TWO TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

DELPHOS, April 30—Mrs. Leo Bonifas was removed from her home at Landeck to Lima St. Rita's hospital. Mrs. Mary Moenter was removed from her home here to the same institution. William Kehlley was removed from the hospital to his home here. The removals were made in the Jauman-Kolkmeier invalid coach.

### COMING TO LIMA—SOLDIERS WITHOUT UNIFORMS!

HEROES WITHOUT MEDALS!

Opening Day is Closing Day Thursday, May 2nd. Opening Booster Ball Game, Lima vs. Mansfield at 3 P. M.

### RIGHT NOW—ONE OF THE MOST GLORIOUS STORIES OF ALL TIME

Shirley TEMPLE  
MAURICE MAETERLINCK'S  
"THE BLUE BIRD"  
IN TECHNICOLOR  
—with—  
Eddie COLLINS—Sybil JASON  
—AND MIT NO. 2—  
Otto KRUGER • Ona MUNSON  
in  
"SCANDAL SHEET"  
LYRIC  
10c Till 4 p.m.—4 to 7 p.m. 15c

### RIGHT NOW ADULTS ONLY

20c • Till 11—After 7 P. M. 25c  
MAJESTIC  
True Facts of "Child Marriage"

### EXPOSED!!

Polygamy  
CLURAL WIVES  
OLD WIVES TRADED FOR NEW  
Actually Happened in the U. S.  
—HIT NO. 2—  
ROSCOE TURNER  
in  
"Flight at Midnight"  
15c TILL 6

### Formerly Titled

HITLER  
THE BEAST OF BERLIN  
NOW TITLED  
"GOOSE STEP"  
The Most Discussed Picture Ever Made with  
ROLAND DREW  
STEFFI DUNA

### CRAB ORCHARD

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# Picture Version Of Famous Novel On Screen At Sigma

### "The House Of Seven Gables" Features Fine Cast; Karloff-Lugosi Thriller Second Film On Bill

The famous Hawthorne novel, "The House of Seven Gables," becomes a motion picture treat commencing Wednesday at the Sigma theatre. George Sanders, Margaret Lindsay, Vincent Price, Nan Grey and Dick Foran head an all-star cast. Also commencing Wednesday is the latest Boris Karloff-Bela Lugosi thriller, "Black Friday." Showing for the last times Tuesday is "Of Mice and Men."

When comedian Bob Hope and crooner Bing Crosby become rivals for the hand of Dorothy Lamour, real entertainment results as in "Road to Singapore" now at the Ohio

Theatre Guide  
OHIO—"The Road to Singapore."  
SIGMA—"Of Mice and Men."  
STATE—"Destry Rides Again" and "Ma, He's Making Eyes at Me."  
LYRIC—"Scandal Sheet" and "The Blue Bird."  
MAJESTIC—"Scandal Sheet" and "Flight at Midnight."  
QUILNA—Closed for remodeling.

### COMING UP

OHIO—"Tobacco Road" on stage Saturday.  
SIGMA—"House of Seven Gables" and "Black Friday" commence Wednesday.  
STATE—"Tower of London" and "Escape to Paradise" commence Thursday.  
LYRIC—"Goose Step" and "Convicted Wagon Days" commence Thursday.  
MAJESTIC—"Smuggled Cargo" and "Captain Fury" commence Friday.

A famous fantasy, "The Blue Bird" is now being shown at the Lyric theatre, with the cast headed by stars including Shirley Temple, Spring Byington, Nigel Bruce, Gale Sondergaard and Eddie Collins. Also showing is "Scandal Sheet," a turbulent drama of tabloid headlines, with Otto Kruger, Ona Munson and Edward Norris starred.

Superlative performances by James Stewart and Marlene Dietrich make the State feature, "Destry Rides Again," one of the best western films of the year. The supporting cast includes Charles Winninger, Mischa Auer, Brian Donley, Uma Merkel and Gene Hervey. Tom Brown and Constance Moore are starred in the co-feature romantic drama, "Ma, He's Making Eyes at Me."

A daring revelation of an existing cult is shown in the Majestic feature, "Polygamy" which is co-featured with "Flight at Midnight."

### OHIO

"Costumes \$12."  
That was one of the items on the original production cost sheet of "Tobacco Road."

It probably represents a new low in the outfitting of a Broadway stage play. And most of that sum included the expressage for a bundle of clothing from a plantation in Louisiana.

When "Tobacco Road", which Jack Barton and his associates will present at the Ohio theatre next Saturday for two performances, meantime and night, first went into rehearsal, Jack Kirkland, its author, wrote a friend who owns a plantation in Louisiana; "We want some authentic costumes. Can you secure any from your tenant farmers?"

Within a week came back a lot of dilapidated, filthy clothing. Kirkland took one look at the garments and sent them to be sterilized and cleaned. When they were returned they were ragged and torn but free from germs. Then they were smugged with dirt again and given to the players to wear.

All the costumes used in the New York and touring productions of "Tobacco Road" have been secured this way. They are the actual clothes worn by the poor whites of the South on the back country plantations. The owners are glad to part with them for small amounts in order to buy fresh garments.

"Of course we could have duplicates made," says Kirkland, "but if we did they would be sure to look like costumes. So we prefer to buy the originals. Now we order several sets at a time as the clothes are always wearing out. In fact, Dick Lee, our stage manager, carries a sewing kit as

### OHIO THE DRAMATIC EVENT OF MANY YEARS—NOT A PICTURE

ONE DAY ONLY—MAT. AND EVE. NEXT SAT., MAY 4  
MATINEE 2:30—NIGHT 9:15  
"TOBACCO ROAD" 7th Year on Broadway  
with JOHN BARTON  
LOOK AT THESE SENSATIONAL PRICES!  
Night: 55c, 80c, \$1.10, \$1.65 (Tax Inc.)  
Matinee: 50c, 75c, \$1.10, All Seats Reserved.  
Box Office Open 11 A. M. To 10 P. M. Phone Main 7011  
Eve. Show 9:15

### STARTING TOMORROW AT 1 P. M.

## TWO GIANT THRILL HITS!

NIGHTS OF MURDER! NIGHTMARES OF TERROR!  
THE GREATEST DOUBLE-SHOCK SHOW EVER PRESENTED!

# SIGMA

THE MOST AMAZING MONSTER EVER CREATED!  
by day a man of culture—by night a maniac... let loose by a mad scientist who gave him two brains!

FEAR-MURDER-MYSTERY  
Haunted This Doomed House!  
...It's sinister spell cast evil shadows over lives it wrecked!

NATHANIEL HAWTHORNE'S  
"THE HOUSE OF THE SEVEN GABLES"  
with GEORGE SANDERS  
MARGARET LINDSAY  
VINCENT PRICE  
NAN GREY • DICK FORAN

KARLOFF and LUGOSI  
at their fiendish best in  
"BLACK FRIDAY"  
with STANLEY WIGGES  
ANNE NAGEL  
ANNE GUYTINE  
A New Universal Picture

STARTS SATURDAY  
WALLACE BEERY IN "20 MULE TEAM"

STATE NOW!  
A GRAND DOUBLE SHOW!  
DIETRICH STEWART  
DESTRY RIDES AGAIN  
AND THE BUN SONG FEST  
MAI HEE MAKING EYES AT ME  
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daring operation by transplanting part of the brain of a criminal into the brain of a quiet little college professor.

Stanley Ridges, celebrated character actor, plays the difficult role of the professor whose dual brain transforms him at times into a ruthless killer. Like Karloff and Lugosi, who appear as master criminals, Ridges achieves his changes of character entirely by voice and facial expression.

The supporting cast includes such well known players as Anne Nagel, Anne Gwynne, James Craig, Edmund Macdonald, Virginia Brissac, Paul Fix and Ray Bailey.

Another distinction of "Black Friday" is said to be the first scene ever filmed of a player under the influence of hypnotism. Director Arthur Lubin, in a sensational experiment, had Lugosi hypnotized by Manly P. Hall, famous Los Angeles student of occult sciences, who then instructed Lugosi to play a death scene. Lugosi, stuffed in a closet to suffocate, never knew until he was revived from the hypnotic spell how realistically he had "died."

"The House of the Seven Gables," one of the great novels of the American author, Nathaniel Hawthorne is now in film form. The screen dramatization, first ever made of this literary classic, will come to the Sigma theatre Wednesday.

In the leading roles will be seen George Sanders, Margaret Lindsay, Vincent Price, Nan Grey and Dick Foran.

### LYRIC

What may well prove to be the biggest event in the history of the Lyric theatre is Maurice Maeterlinck's "The Blue Bird." This production is a screen masterpiece of sheer entertainment, with a brilliant cast including Shirley Temple, Spring Byington, Nigel Bruce, Gale Sondergaard, Eddie Collins, Svethl Jason, Jessie Ralph, Helen Ericson, Johnny Russell, Laura Hope Crews, Russell Hicks, Cecilia Loftus, Al Shean and Gene Reynolds. "The Blue Bird" is filmed in the new technicolor, which brings to the screen an amazing beauty and fidelity of color hitherto unknown in motion pictures.

Dramatic true story of a ruthless wolf of newspaperdom, "Scandal Sheet" is now at the Lyric theatre to present an action-cramped, suspense-filled story of tabloid journalism which blazes behind the headlines in turbulent action! With Otto Kruger as the relentless publisher of a "Scandal Sheet" which manufactures its own news, the new melodrama moves to the tempo of tomorrow, traveling at break-neck speed to a breath-taking climax!

An Munson is a lovely columnist; Edward Norris a fledgling reporter and Nedda Harrigan the "other" woman. Others in the cast are Don Beddoe, John D. Dixon, Eddie Loughton, Linda Winters, John Tyrrell, Beatrice Blinn and James Craig.

### MAJESTIC

In the melting pot that is American, many strange cults have bubbled to the surface, swirled madly across the field of vision of the public eye, and sunk gurgling into oblivion.

What happens to these meteoric, cohesive groupings of strange characters who startle us with their weird gyrations for a time and disappear?

It is probably safe to say that ninety per cent of them re-dissolve themselves into the mass, each individual involved finding new associations among other social groups, and supplying his share of the leaven for the whole.

But what of the other ten per cent which finds rootage in our cosmopolitan soil? What of those who survive the period of publicity and retire sullenly and silently into the backwater communities of our nation, there to incubate and foster their fetishes and theories in secret?

The answers to these may be found in the film, "Polygamy," now showing at the Majestic theatre.

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# ALLEGED WIFE SLAYER IS SENT TO LIMA HOSPITAL

SANDUSKY, April 30—(AP)—Probate Judge John W. Baxter, ordered Philip W. Mischler, 63, accused of killing his wife Mary, committed to the Lima State Hospital for the Criminal Insane today after hearing two physicians testify that Mischler was suffering from paresis.

Mischler contended at a hearing that he could not remember shooting his wife, but talked freely of events leading up to the time of the slaying. After the killing, Mischler pedaled a bicycle to the police station and surrendered.

Water rings on varnished furniture often can be removed by rubbing them with a cloth dipped in camphor. Work quickly and wipe dry with a clean soft cloth. Rub with furniture polish applied on a soft cloth.

### LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Lima, Ohio, at the office of the Mayor, at 1220 East Main Street, at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Standard time on the 15th of May, 1940, for the following:

Four thousand (4000) feet of 2 1/2 inch double picketed cotton rubber tire hose, each hose to be fitted with 2 1/2 inch double forged rubber lug couplings and best quality rubber gaskets, couplings to have the same thread as those now in use in the Lima Fire Department.

One thousand (1000) feet of 1 1/2 inch leader line hose. Said hose to be fitted with brass rocker lug couplings and best quality rubber gaskets, couplings to have the same thread as those now in use in the Lima Fire Department.

Samples of hose to be submitted with each bid, and must have the approval of the Chief of Police, Bureau and all prices of hose shall be quoted in dollars and cents.

The City Engineer reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids, to waive defects in bids, or to accept such bids in whole or in part, in the discretion of the City Engineer, and to the best interest of the City of Lima, Ohio.

Bids for the 1 1/2 inch and the 2 1/2 inch will be considered separate purchases.

F. E. McCLAIN,  
Mayor and Purchasing Agent.  
Apr. 30 May 7

### LEGAL NOTICE

Calvin Strain, who is confined in the Indiana State Reformatory, Pendleton, Indiana, is hereby notified that Gladys Strain has filed her petition against him for divorce and custody of their said child, in Case No. 2008 of the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, and that said cause will be heard by the Court on the 15th day of May, 1940.

GLADYS STRAIN, Plaintiff.  
By J. H. O'Connor, Her Attorney.  
Apr. 29-16-23-30 May 7

### LEGAL NOTICE

To James H. Ruffner, whose residence is unknown and with reasonable diligence cannot be ascertained, notice is hereby given that Ella Lorena Ruffner has filed in the Court of Common Pleas, Allen County, Ohio at Lima, Ohio, her petition for divorce on the grounds of three (3) years willful absence of said James H. Ruffner, being case number 33052 in said court, and that the same will be heard after the 10th day of May, 1940.

ELLA LORENA RUFFNER, Plaintiff.  
By J. H. O'Connor, Her Attorney.  
Apr. 29-16-23-30 May 7

### LEGAL NOTICE

Bids will be received until twelve o'clock noon of the 20th day of May, 1940 by A. N. Wiseley, Clerk of the Board of Education of the Lima City School District, Lima, Ohio, at the office in the Administration Building, on all or any part of fifteen hundred tons (1500) more or less of 2" lump coal. No coaling coal will be considered. Also seven hundred and fifty tons (750) small or less of 2" Nut