# Lima Theatres To Present Programs On New Year's Eve

Quilna Wili l-lave Hellenger Film; Rooney Booked On Ohio Screen; Lyric To Offer Double Bill For Fans

Preparations are being made to entertain celebrants Wednesday evening who prefer to usher in the New Year attending special showings of appropriate holiday films at Lima theatres.

The Quilna theatre program includes the first showing of "Rise and Shine," a Mary Hellinger story starring Jack Oakie, George Murphy, Walter Brennan, Linda Darnell and

Milton Berle, unpacking a basketful of laughs in a campus story. The concluding film is "You Belong to Me," starring Henry Fonda and Barbara Stanwyck in the story of the marriage of playboy and a woman dector.

Hollywood's finest juvenile talent, headed by Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland, arrives at the Ohio theatre Wednesday evening in the new musical, "Babes on Broadway," with a supporting cast including Fay Bainter, Virginia Weidler, Donald Meek and Alexander Wollcott. Showing for the last times Wednesday is "One Foot in Heaven," starring Fredric March and Martha Scott.

New Year's Eve at the Lyric theatre lists "Ice-Capades" appropriate winter film, with James Ellison, Jerry Colonna and Dorothy Lewis in the starring roles of the film featuring the fast-gliding artists of the frozen rink, the lec-Capades company. For an exciting interlude a portion of western excitement is served in "West of

an incentive to Gable to reform.

The lighter side of army life is the subject of the Sigma's army quite inadvertently when Wednesday attraction, "You're in they attempt to sell a vacuum in the cast are Regis Toomey, Army. Cooper and Susanna Foster.

OHIO

musical, "Babes on Broadway."

latter two graduates of the New York musical comedy stage, Rooney and his gang deliver an evebody's time and money.

"Babes on Broadway" is built finish. Dealing with the scores Jackie Cooper and blonde Susanna of youngsters who yearly invade Foster. Broadway to fight for their

dances and song numbers ranging | tures. from such old-timers as George "Yankee Doodle M. Cohan's Dandy" to such brand-new numdestined to sweep the country...

Broadway" that it is hard to single out any one specialty, but a definite highlight of the proceedings are the imitations done by Rooney and Miss Garland — new Richard Mansfield and ending up on New Year's Eve. with "Bombshell from Brazil," in on the fiery Carmen Miranda. personations of Blanche Ring. Fay Templeton and Sarah Bern-

SIGMA

Jimmy Durante, Phil Silvers and Jane Wyman star in new picture, ing its biggest year on the grid-"You're In The Army Now," which iron, football star Jack Oakle goes into the Sigma Wednesday, is sent to live at Professor Don-An all-out for the defense of fun | ald Meck's home. comedy, the new picture promises a real laugh-fest, with Durante a former All-American, and Rayand Silvers pooling their consider- mond Walburn and Ruth Donable talents as comics in the story | nelly, a down-at-the-heel couple of two rookies who are just try- posing as retired educators. Muring to get along. Pretty Jane phy goes for Linda Darnell and Wyman and Regis Toomey carry the romance, and the supporting When Sheldon Leonard wants the Bride, George Meeker, Joseph Sawyer and William Haade. There's pulchritude aplenty in all precautions to protect Oakie,

### Theatre Guide

OHIO-"One Foot in Heaven." QUILNA -"You Belong to Me." SIGMA-"Look Who's Laughing" and "Melody Lane." STATE - "International Squadron" and "Smiling Ghost," LYRIC - "Jungle Man" and "Murder Over New York." COMING UP

OHIO-"Babes on Broadway" commences New Year's Eve. QUILINA - "Rise and Shine" commences New Year's Eve. SIGMA-"You're in the Aimy Now" and "Glamor commence Wednesday, STATE-"Honky Tonk"

mence Wednesday, LYRIC - "Ice Capades" and "West of Pinto Basin" commence Thursday.

'Law of the Tropics" com-

MAJESTIC-"In the Navy" and "Hit Parade of 1941" commence Thursday.

Clark Gable and Lana Turner the Navy Blues Sextette, those six form the starring romatic team of Hollywood lovelies, who got their the State thentie hit, "Honky title from their recent appearance! Tonk," each in the type roles that in the musical "Navy Blues." The carried them to their present girls have deserted the Navy for status in film popularity. Gable the time being, to join the hilaris a swash-buckling gambler who lous goings in "You're In The moves into a town to "take over" Army Now." Matty Maineck and while Miss Turner is cast as a his orchestra are heard and seen young lady from the East offering in the musical sequences of the picture. Durante and Silvers join the

the Army Now," which offers the cleaner to a recruiting sergeant. trio of Jimmy Durante, Phil Sil- Signing what they imagine to be vers and Jane Wyman heading a a bill of sale, they find that, inregiment of roars. Also featured stead, they have enlisted in the in the east are Regis Toomey, Army. Let it not be said that Donald MacBride and the Navy they don't try to succeed as sol-Blues Sextette. Co-featured will diers. They try hard, especially be "Glamour Boy," starring Jackie when they are trying to convince a die-hard cavalry colonel that the tank is superior to the horse, but as rookies they are very good That amazing young man of the vacuum cleaner salesmen. Everyscreen. Mickey Rooney, comes to thing they touch turns to trouble. town Thursday at the Ohio the- of which they are invariably in atre in the most entertaining per- the middle, and each mix-up into of his career in the which they fall is just a little more but the star is kidnaped the portant comedy spot and is alhilarious than the one before night before by Milton Berle Co-starred with Judy Garland. Their attempts to foster the ro- who portrays a character called laughs. and aided by a large supporting mance between the colonel's "Scabiscuit." cast featuring Fay Bainter and daughter and one of the young of- found or the big game will be such younthful song-and-dance ficers leads to the maddest of all lost! How he escapes makes a MARINES SIGN artists as Virginia Weidler, Ray their entanglements and to an all's- hilarious ending to a side-split-McDonald and Richard Quine, the well ending that has a clever and ting comedy.

novel twist. edy romances ever made with audiences have hailed. ning of entertainment worth any- Hollywood as a background, fresh and frisky "Glamour Boy," will also arrive on Wednesday at the for entertainment from start to | Sigma theatre. The film co-stars

Preview critics have pulled out "break" on the stage, it covers a all stops in their praise for "Gla-wide panorama of theatrical life mour Boy." The film pokes sharp both front and backstage, with fun at the film colony, with able Walter Abel giving a terrific its tragedy and humor adroitly Walter Abel giving a terrific balanced by the musical inter-"A.J.." the producer who guides has been weaving spells around reka-st, and Dalton W. Henry, son

QUILNA

Jack Oakie, the All-American bers as "How About You" and chowderhead; George Murphy the "Hoe Down," the latter also in- guy who rescues romance from troducing a new dance which is the rumpus; Walter Brennan, a | grandpa who remances the field: | them are Belita, famed English of the training they will be sent There is so much entertain- Linda Darnell, the loveliest love ment packed into "Babes on interest that ever gave a heart a crowned heads. Vera Hruba, the lift-she sings, too-and Milton Berle, a whinnying Scabiscut, are the fun mad people of Mark Hellinger's "Rise and Shine," the musical comedy which Rooney doing the Harry Lander, dances into the Quilna theatre

Set on a college campus at which he does a brilliant take-off the height of the football season, "Rise and Shine" has sev-Judy also scores with her im- eral new Robin and Rainger songs, dances, girls, laughs and fun. And the story is taken from James Thurber's mad, mad autobiography-"My Life and Hard Times.'

With Clayton College expect-

On the scene comes Murphy, help, her keep Oakie in shape. also includes Donald Mc- football player kept out of the big game, so he can bet in the opposition, Murphy rebels. He takes

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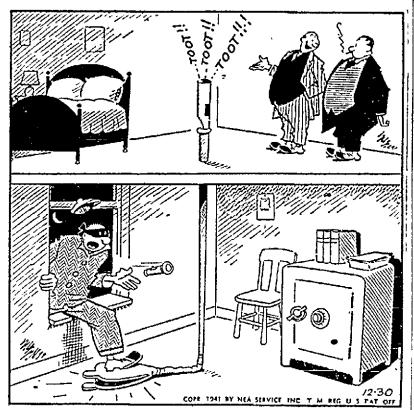


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LYRIC

Hollywood has garnered together an impressive troupe of world famous ice skaters and presented Cleveland for final physical exthem in a spectacular skating aminations. film, "lee-Capades," which is scheduled to open Wednesday eve- Hooker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl tals 1,050,256 but without the ning at the Lyric theatre-

Dorothy Lewis heads the cast -the same Dorothy Lewis who These cover a wide latitude of the destinities of Marathon Pic- ultra swank New York supper club crowds in the Iridium Room of the St. Regis hotel for three

> Supporting her are the skaters from the "Ice-Capades" road show which has played to 850,-000 people in 35 cities. Among training period. Upon completion star who has skated before Czecho-Slovakian girl who gained national publicity when 2500 men offered her marriage proposals. Megan Taylor, successor to Sonja Henic for the title of world's champion figure skater, Lois Dworshak, whose jitterbug routing on ice has the whole skating world talking, Red McCarthy, speed champion. Robin Lee, Joe Jackson, Jr., and a host of others who have done much to bring the

Those desiring information about Marine life are requested to contact Sgt. Lunney at Room 8 in the Postoffice basement.

the air.

LODGE PLANS ASSEMBLY DELPHOS, Dec. 30 -Plans are complete for the special assembly of Delphos council, Royal and Select Masters, Tuesday evening, when the Royal and Select Masters degree will be confirmed by art of skating to its present high Findlay lodge, No. 50, in the Mainnacle.

Jerry Colonna is east in an imnearby communities are expected.

Sgt. Thomas B. Lunney of the

local U.S. Marine Corps recruit-

ing office announced Tuesday that

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Thanks to the "Are You A Miss ing Heir<sup>er</sup> radio program, heard Tuesdays, 8 p. m. via WABC, Mrs, Helen Bank Altman, New York City housekeeper, will have pleasant memories of the year N 1941 when she appears on the Missing Heir brondcast, Tuesday, as co-heir to \$12,000 left two years ago by her estranged hus-

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30 Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hours for CST., 2 Hrs. for MT. (Alterations in program as listed due entirely to changes by networks) catterious in program as a tecta due catterly to changes by networks?

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Putton Lewis, Jr. & Comment—mbs 7 15—War News from World—nbc-red Mr. Keen, Dramatle Serial—ale-blue Lemos Ross & Bis Songs—cles-blusic President's Press Conference—mbs 7.30—G. Burns, Gracie Allen—nbc-red Vincent Lenge, & Ottoba—absorbto 7.30—G. Ruins, Gracie Allen—nle-ted Vincent Lopez & Orches—nhe-blue Second Husband, Helen Menken—cly Atthut Hale's News Comment—mbs Juste 8:00—Johnny Presents Orch,—nle-ted The Treasury III Varlety—nbe-blue Are You a Missing Helt' Drama—cly Jack Starr Hunt on Meyleo—inba-blue 8:30—Horace Heldt & Quir—nbe-ted Hob Ruins, Varlety Program—cly Ned Jorden, The Secret Agent—mbs 8:55—Elmer Dayls and Comment—cly 9:00—Rattle of Sexes & Quiz—nbe-ted The Pamous Jury Tritls—nb-blue We the People, Guest Programs—cly Guile Heatter Comment—mbs-bas, 9:15—News of London; Musical—mbs 9:30—Pabler Medice & Mully—nbe-ted NPC Symphony Orchests v—mbs-blue

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\*10.15—Public Affairs Guest Talls—chs
Spotlight Bunds, Dance Tunes—mbs
10:30—Red \*kelton and Co — mbe red
News Comment, T. Steele—she-blue
Juan Arvina & His Song Time—chs
Pulton Lewis, dr on Defense—mbs
10:45—Late Wat News Broadcast—chs
Grand Rapids Schubert Club—mbs
11:00—News for 15 mins—nbe-red-east
Pack Wiring \* repeat—nbe-red-east
Pack Announced (30 mins)—mbs
11:15—Late Variety & News nbe red
11:30—News and Dancing Till 2—mbs

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