

"Tobacco Road" In Farewell Appearance On Ohio Stage

Comic-Mystery Holds Sigma Spotlight With Thrilling Stories Showing At Lyric And Quilna

The play that was the sensation of Broadway for several seasons, "Tobacco Road," will be presented in a farewell appearance at the Ohio theatre at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Laughter, chills and suspense are liberally sprinkled throughout the comic-mystery film, "The Body Disappears,"

commencing Wednesday at the Sigma theatre with Jeffrey Lynn and Jane Wyman in the starring roles.

The warm, human story of a young girl newspaper reporter, who risks her reputation, and possibly her life, to solve the mysterious disappearances of young, stage-struck girls, is "City of Missing Girls,"

As a war correspondent in bomb-ravaged London, Don Ameche has the starring role of the Quilna film, "Confirm or Deny,"

Ultra-modern comedy with a background of literary bohemianism brings four stars to the screen in "The Feminine Touch,"

"The ghost at the piano" was the simultaneous greeting that passed between John Emery and Pedro de Cordoba when they met for the first time in ten years on the set of "The Corsican Brothers,"

When they had got a laugh off their chests, they explained it to Director Gregory Ratoff and to Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., whom they support in the picture.

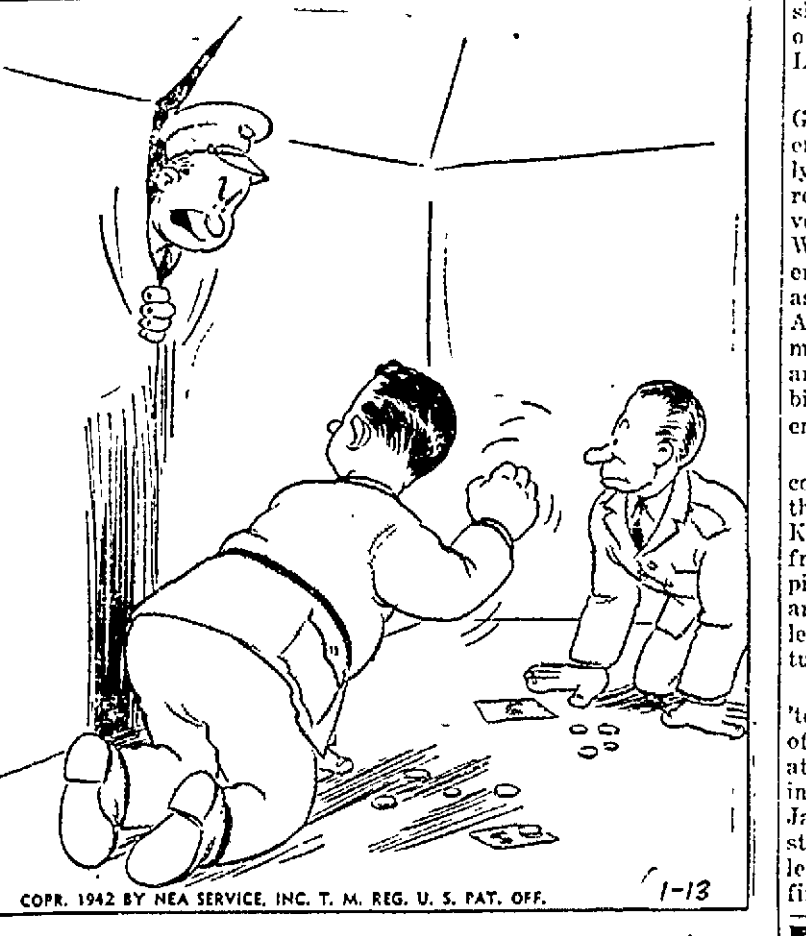
However, de Cordoba couldn't play even as much as a mouth harp so a wire led from the pedals of the instrument on the stage to a light on a piano in the wings.

"It worked fine for two nights," recalled de Cordoba. "The third night I finished playing, got up and crossed the stage to do a scene with Emery.

"But de Cordoba covered it neatly," added Emery. "He put his hand on his heart, bowed gravely to the piano and brought the house down."

The Sigma theatre's new feature, opening Wednesday, is "The

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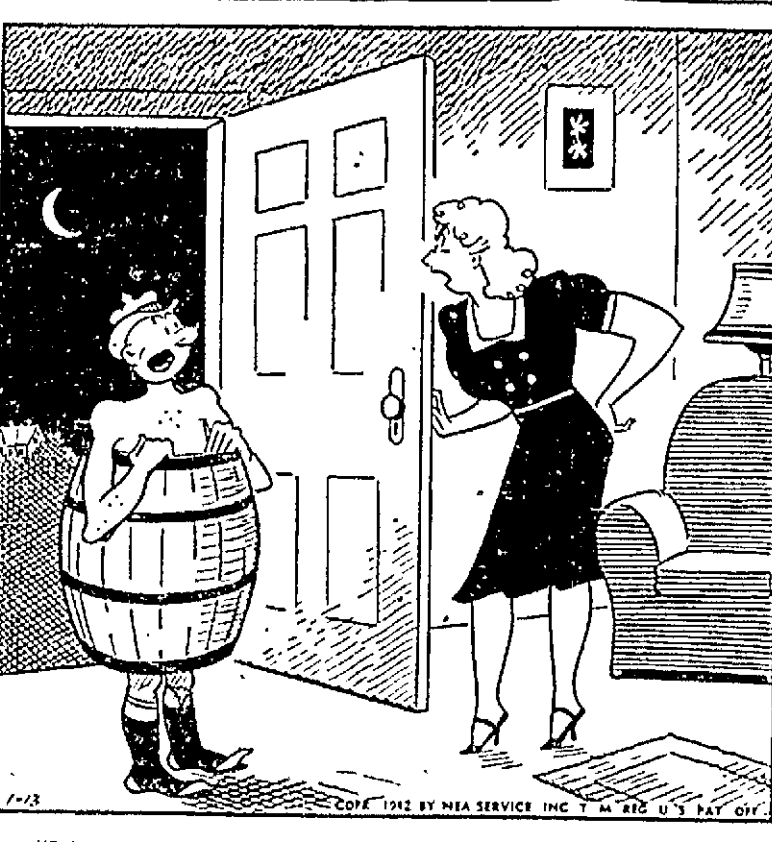
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IN LYRIC FEATURE



Eleanor Hunt and Leon Janney in a scene from the current Lyric film, "Stolen Paradise, a Story of Adolescence."

FUNNY BUSINESS



"It's a blackout, darling—my suit was too loud!"

fashioned an answer in "Confirm or Deny," which is at the Quilna theatre, and it is outstanding entertainment.

It is the story of a Yank ace correspondent who gave his blood, sweat and tears to get the biggest story of his career—only to scrap it for a love that was bigger.

Don Ameche as "Yank" Mitchell, the news-bawk, who had the story that could betray an empire, contributes the finest dramatic role of his long career.

Joan Bennett as "Red" Carson, the gallant fighting English girl, provides the romantic interest that is intensified by the thrilling action of the story.

A supporting cast headed by Roddy McDowall and including John Leder, Raymond Walburn, Arthur Shields and Eric Blone contribute its share to this moving drama of simple men and women fighting for their lives, homes and freedom.

"Cadet Girl," the co-feature, stars Carole Landis with George Montgomery. Featured in the tuneful new hit are John Shepperd, William Tracy and a cast of favorites which includes Janis Carter, Robert Lowery, Basil Walker, Charles Tannen and Chick Chandler.

Since September, 1940, the world has been asking: Did the Nazis attempt an all-out invasion of England? Hollywood has

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The shocking inside story of the link of gold which binds the so-called big city "talent" school to disreputable theatrical booking agencies is revealed in all its shameful manifestations in "City of Missing Girls," which is at the Lyric theatre.

The story of "City of Missing Girls," which, in many of its highly entertaining phases, is sensationally intimate and boldly diverting, revolves around the campaign of a veteran police detective (H. B. Warner), a girl newspaper reporter, (Astrid Allwyn), and a young assistant district attorney (John Archer), to ferret out the human monster behind the disappearance and murders of a number of the big town's most beautiful and talented feminine youngsters.

The trail leads this trio, all of course, by separate routes, to the theatrical "academy" operated by King Peterson (Philip Van Zandt) from which the ambitious girl pupils, once their purses are empty, are sent to entertain yodels in lesser night clubs on faraway turnpikes.

A vivid picture of the difficult teen age, "Stolen Paradise, a Story of Adolescence," is also playing at the Lyric theatre. Co-starring in this Monogram picture are Leon Janney and Eleanor Hunt. The story tells of the adolescent problems of youth when he meets the first woman in his life.

Experiences Of Commandos To Be Told By Correspondent

Willkie And LaGuardia Will Be Heard From Annual Dinner Of U. S. Conference Of Mayors

The tactics behind England's courageous Commandos, the little band of soldiers who raid the coast of occupied France to capture Nazi officers, will be told by Bruce Thomas, when the foreign correspondent appears on "We, the People," Tuesday over WABC at 9:00 p. m.

Wendell L. Willkie and Mayor Fiorello La Guardia of New York, speaking at the annual dinner of the United States Conference of Mayors, will be heard thruout the United States Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. over WJZ.

Bob Hope will renew an interrupted conversation with Billie Burke Tuesday, when the flattery screen star comes back to his program for her first visit of 1942 at 10 p. m. over WEAF.

Altho life has returned to normal in Wistful Vista after a hectic holiday season, Fibber McGee is unable to put the brakes on his own exuberance. It will take the combined efforts of Molly, the Old Timer and Mrs. Abigail Uppington to disentangle the McGee affairs during Fibber's outburst Tuesday, at 9:30 p. m., over WEAF.

"Adive to the Lovelorn, or How Other Guys Get Dates with Pretty Girls and Why Can't I Have Their Luck" is the theme of Red Skelton's program Tuesday at 10:30 p. m., over WEAF.

Memoirs of murder scenes in Graecie Allen's starring picture, "Mr. and Mrs. North," will give George a severe case of the "horrors" on the Burns and Allen broadcast, Tuesday, at 7:30 p. m. over WEAF.

Mary Gordon, "Aunt Mary" to Horace Heidt and his Musical Knights will pay her fourth visit to the "Treasure Chest" music and quiz session Tuesday at 8:30 p. m. over WEAF.

ASHLEY FAIR IN DELAWARE CO GOES TO OPEN THE SEASON WITH AN EXHIBITION JULY 15-18. The Putnam-Alten Independent fair at Columbus Grove has applied for the latest date, Dec. 16-18.

Most fairs will be a week later this year because the basic date, Labor Day Sept. 7, falls on its latest possible date.

JAP BOMBING VICTIM ANXIOUS TO GET BACK

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 13.—(AP)—John Hill of Youngstown, a ship's cook who was injured in the Japanese attack upon Pearl Harbor, said today that he was anxious to get back to active duty and "get revenge."

Hill, who is spending a week's furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, was injured in an explosion the last three minutes of the attack. He has been in the Navy 11 years and this is his first visit home in two years.

VAN WERT'S CORONER FILES ANNUAL REPORT

(Special To The Lima News) VAN WERT, Jan. 13.—Dr. E. J. Alspaugh of Willsboro, coroner, investigated 36 cases during the past year in which persons died of violent deaths. Fifty per cent of the deaths investigated were due to heart ailments.

The report of Dr. Alspaugh follows: accidental which included nine; traffic accidents, 11; suicides, seven; myocarditis, 11; angina pectoris, six; uremic poisoning, one, and cerebral hemorrhage, one.

FIRE DESTROYS MILK

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 13.—(AP)—More than \$50,000 worth of canned milk owned by the federal government was lost in a warehouse fire here. Firemen estimated between 16,000 and 17,000 cases were spoiled.

FUMES KILL MAN

SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 13.—(AP)—Coroner Austin Richards today attributed the death of James Lethcoe, 29, in a rooming house to fumes from a gas heating unit.

DAYTON TAKES HONORS

DAYTON, O., Jan. 13.—(AP)—The honor of being the nation's first city to exceed its quota in the Red Cross, and war relief drive went to Dayton, Chairman John F. Ahlers announced. Nearly three weeks of campaigning put the city \$10,000 over its \$250,000 goal.

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MARY'S LAMB CONTRIBUTING TO WAR WORK

DAYTON, O., Jan. 13.—(AP)—Even Mary's little lamb (grown-up, now, of course) is contributing to America's all-out war effort.

Officials at the Army's Wright field aviation laboratory and experimental station reported that sheepskin now is being used exclusively in the manufacture of winter suits for members of the U. S. air corps.

Frank G. Mason, chief of the parachute and clothing unit of the experimental engineering section said a three-year study of all types of furs—from rabbit to mink—proved sheepskin, or sheep shearing, "the toughest and warmest" as well as the most economical.

In his search for a material for a warm and comfortable aviator's suit, Mason studied the qualities of mildy's expensive furs as well as the cold-proof gab of America's Eskimo.

The wool on the sheepskin was found to be "a naturally perfect insulating system," Mason added. "The only reason the Eskimo doesn't use it is because the sheep is not native of his region."

Consequently, he said, the federal government recently ordered all sheepskins produced in the nation turned over to the army for manufacturing suits for high-altitude pilots.

Civil service examination to create an eligible list for janitors and licensed firemen in public schools and the City of Lima will be held at 7:30 p. m. Monday, Feb. 2 in the study hall, Central high school.

Alvin A. Zurfloh, the board's secretary, made the announcement Tuesday. He emphasized that applicants should have educational qualifications and experience, which in the opinion of the board, is equivalent to a high school education.

Applications must be filed with the secretary no later than 5 p. m. Friday, Jan. 30 at 807 Citizens-bldg. Application blanks may be obtained at the board's offices where detailed information also will be available.

All applicants must be citizens of the United States and have resided in the City of Lima for more than one year, and must not be less than 25 years of age and not have passed their 50th birthday.

All applicants applying for the position of janitor who wish to qualify as licensed firemen shall present their licenses to the secretary at the time of filing their application blank.

CANDLELIGHT SERVICE TO BE CONDUCTED BY CLUB

(Special To The Lima News) WAYNESFIELD, Jan. 13.—A candlelight service, "Your America," will be given by the 14 girls of the senior 4-H club under the direction of Mrs. Jason Brown at the meeting of the Waynesfield P. T. A. Wednesday evening.

Other evening highlights will be a solo by Miss Helen Sprout and the discussing of a Red Cross first aid course.

Members planning the affair include: Mrs. Dorothy Jordan, Mrs. Milie Stanfield, Miss May Davys, Mrs. Minnie Thrush, Mrs. Betty Robertson, Mrs. Avelil Neff, Mrs. Grace Stearns, William J. McConnell, Colby Popple, Fred Snider, Gab. Heilman, John Copeland, Bassett Newland, Dale Bodell and W. R. Meyer.

WILL DISCUSS LAWS

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—County Agent L. C. Holtkamp has announced the third in a series of swine meetings will be held Thursday in the assembly room of the courthouse here. Dr. Allan E. Fogle of the state division of animal industry, will be the principal speaker. He will discuss new marketing laws.

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