

Plenty Of Comedy Provided In Current Movies

Laugh Films Showing At Ohio, Quilna

Outstanding Stars Will Be Found Playing In Pictures Here Sunday

Cesar Romero, Carole Landis and Milton Berle are the stars of the current Quilna film, "A Gentleman at Heart," a story of a racketeer and his comic pal who enter the "art" business and mingle with the cultured gentry. Offered also is "The Perfect Snob," comedy version of rich girl meets poor boy, with Charlie Ruggles, Charlotte Greenwood, Lynn Bari and Cornel Wilde in the leading roles.

A story of Polish "ham" actors, "To Be Or Not To Be," the last film made by Carole Lombard, is the attraction at the Ohio theatre. Jack Benny has one of the outstanding roles of his career in the co-starring part, while a top-notch cast includes Robert Stack, Felix Bressart, Lionel Atwill, Stanley Briggs and Sig Ruman.

Gene Tierney, the girl who is rapidly rising to the top as the most lucious girl of Hollywood, appears with Victor Mature in the Sigma film, "Shanghai Gesture," with Walter Huston, Ona Munson, Phyllis Brooks, Albert Basserman and Maria Ouspenskaya in prominent roles. Co-featured is "Miss Polly," starring Slim Summerville and Zasu Pitts.

Reported to be a giant Conga line of laughs and rhythm, "Two Latins From Manhattan," is currently at the Lyric theatre with Joan Davis, Jinx Falkenburg and Joan Woodbury in the prominent roles.

Errol Flynn and Olivia de Havilland have the starring roles of the State film, "They Died With Their Boots On," an exciting drama with plenty of dash and color woven around the last days of General George Custer, Civil War hero and Indian fighter. Also showing is "Niagara Falls."

Ronald Colman, Madeleine Carroll and Douglas Fairbanks are the leading roles of the Majestic film, "The Prisoner of Zenda," which is co-featured with "Young Dynamite."

Lyric Offers Many Laughs In New Film

"Two Latins from Manhattan," Columbia's uproarious, new film-visual, opened at the Lyric Theatre yesterday with Joan Davis, Jinx Falkenburg and Joan Woodbury playing the leading roles. The story is a hectic laughfest dealing with the adventures of two Broadway show girls impersonating a South American dancing team.

Joan Davis is excellent in her role of night club press agent, responsible for the dizzy stunt, while the Misses Falkenburg and Woodbury delightfully sing and dance their way thru the picture as the showgirls. The music in the film, consisting mainly of torrid rhythmic South American Congas, is further highlighted by a very special rendition of "Daddy," delivered with plenty of "wham!"

As the story opens, Miss Davis persuades her roommates to impersonate a South American dancing team that has failed to show up at her night club. From that point on, the film touches a new high in zany hilarity with the girls tangling with a distraught boy friend, two immigration inspectors, a Spanish-speaking convention and finally the real dancers who put in a belated appearance.

The entire cast is splendid, with Jinx Falkenburg, America's foremost photographers' model, proving that she can sing, dance and act, as well as look beautiful. Of the supporting players, the work of Fortunio Bonanno and Don Beddoe stands out, with Bonanova portraying a suave Latin gentleman, and Beddoe playing a night club owner. Charles Barton directed from an original screen play by Albert Duffy.

FBI MEMBER TO SPEAK
ADA, March 7—Intelligent cooperation with the United States government in war time will be the subject of Hugh J. Pharies of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Cleveland division, when he speaks Thursday evening at 7:30 in Alumnae hall. All members of local organizations, students of the university and public schools are invited to attend the address which is sponsored by the local branch of the American Association of University Women.

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Lima's Better Time Headquarters

ROMANTIC PAIR AT QUILNA

Cesar Romero and Carole Landis are the stars of "A Gentleman at Heart" now at the Quilna theatre.



LYRIC COLOR FILM

"Moon Over Miami," starring Don Ameche and Betty Grable, in full color commences Tuesday at the Lyric theatre.

Romero Plays Leading Role In New Movie

It's part of Hollywood lore that Cesar Romero is the film colony's favorite dancing partner and holds an irreplaceable position in its social life. Although one of the few eligible and much sought-after bachelors, the handsome actor neither runs from women nor after them.

When Romero first played in pictures, he appeared as a great romantic lover. The male contingent of the audience liked his manly personality while the women sighed and gushed over him. In his personal contacts and in his fan mail, the attention paid him by women was tremendous—all of which was very embarrassing to the young rising star.

But since then, Cesar Romero has demonstrated added gifts as an engaging comedian, as he proves again in the role he plays with Carole Landis and Milton Berle in 20th Century-Fox's new romantic-comedy, "A Gentleman at Heart," the film due Sunday at the Quilna theatre. And because of this new twist in his screen personality, Romero has retained the admiration of the women and the respect of the men who buy the tickets.

In his personal life, too, Cesar Romero seems to be the perfect escort and companion; but any questions about prospective matrimony bring only vague, indefinite answers from the suave actor.

But if Romero's current roles are any indication of his future success in films, he'll be more engaged with his career than he will with matrimonial pursuits.

LODGES TO GET NEW QUARTERS

(Lima News Bureau)
OTTAWA, March 7.—Rooms on the second floor of the Dr. Beardsley building on E. Main-st. here are being remodelled for new headquarters for the Masonic and Eastern Star lodges of Ottawa.

Officials of the organizations said today that carpenters have started moving two partitions to provide additional floor space in the middle room which will be used for a lodge and ballroom. They expect to move into the headquarters in about 30 days.

Dedication ceremonies will be held shortly after the lodges occupy their new rooms. They have been meeting in the 1. O. O. F. hall here since moving from the old Masonic Temple the first of this year.

Theatre Guide

OHIO—"To Be Or Not To Be" and "The Perfect Snob" and "A Gentleman at Heart."
QUILNA—"The Perfect Snob" and "A Gentleman at Heart."
SIGMA—"The Shanghai Gesture" and "Miss Polly."
STATE—"They Died With Their Boots On" and "Niagara Falls."
LYRIC—"Two Latins From Manhattan" and "Saucy Smitz Yardbird."
MAJESTIC—"Young Dynamite" and "Prisoner of Zenda."
COMING UP
OHIO—"Ride 'Em Cowboy" commences Saturday.
QUILNA—"A Bed Time Story" and "Harvard Here I Come" commence Friday preview.
SIGMA—"Joe Smith, America" and "This 'O' Luv" commence Wednesday.
STATE—"It Started With Eve" and "New York Town" commence Thursday.
LYRIC—"Moon Over Miami" and "Accent on Love" commence Tuesday.
MAJESTIC—"Sunt in Palm Springs" and "Sheriff of Tombstone" commence Thursday.

COUPLE ENTERTAINS FOR FURLOUGHED SON

(Special To The Lima News)
WAYNESFIELD, March 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Wilson of near Waynesfield entertained at dinner in honor of their son, Private Russell L. Wilson, who is spending a week's furlough at home from Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Present were Miss Helen Harpst of New Hampshire, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Herren, Miss Phyllis Cochran of Lewistown, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Donovan Ellis and family of DeGraff and Lee Bickham of Lima.

INSTITUTE HEADS NAMED
NEW BREMEN, March 7.—Election of officers, held in the closing session of the two-day New Bremen Community institute, resulted in naming of the following: Lloyd J. Laut, president, succeeding Paul Gilbert; Al Huenke, vice president; Henry Kuester, secretary; Arlon Sollenman, treasurer; and Mrs. J. M. Bruggen, hostess.

AMATEUR SHOW
8:30 Tonight
It's Even Better Than Last Sunday

MAJESTIC

17c Till 2 P. M. — Children 10c

Ronald • Douglas COLMAN • FAIRBANKS JR.

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YOUNG DYNAMITE

NORTHERN WILL OPEN WARTIME PLAN ON MONDAY

(Special To The Lima News)
ADA, March 7.—Ohio Northern university will swing into a new war-time schedule with the opening of the spring quarter here Monday. Final examinations for the winter quarter ended Friday.

Under the new program, classes will be held six days each week, effecting a savings of two weeks during the spring term. Another week was saved by eliminating the usual vacation between the winter and spring quarters.

As a result of the speed-up, the annual commencement exercises, originally scheduled for June 7 will be held three weeks earlier on Sunday, May 17, at the close of the spring quarter.

The summer session at Ohio Northern will open June 15. All four colleges of the university—liberal arts, engineering, law, and pharmacy—will be in operation.

The summer session will be divided in two five-week periods, the first ending on July 18, and the second beginning July 21 and ending August 22. Classes will meet six days a week.

OHIO 33c Till 2

NOW!

THE PICTURE EVERYONE WANTS TO SEE!

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COME AND GET US... WE'LL NEVER SURRENDER!

Defiant Defenders of America's First Frontier... the Gallant 7th Regiment!

ERROL FLYNN and OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND

In Gen. Custer's own amazing story

THEY DIED WITH THEIR BOOTS ON

A Story of Ulysses Grant

PLUS HIT NO. 2

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FOOTNOTES NITE LIFE

JUDY'S—Whether it's a short beer, or good song ringing clear, here's the spot for it. Lots of angles are available at Judy's, due to the fiendish ingenuity of the management. Always first with beer and such stuff.

CASTLE FARM—Lima's original showplace for night prowlers. When the boys on furlough or the visiting firemen arrive in the village, they always head for the Farm. The emcee usually "points 'em out with pride" which makes a hit.

ROXY GRILL—Good food and good times headquarters. Just the place in which to air that breakfast or luncheon time argument as there's usually a good number of tablecloth debaters present.

WALDO GRILL—Drinks are made with loving care and the Martinis are built around the largest olives I've ever seen.

HUDSON CAFE—For years this one has been an after-the-party stop in prerequisite. Besides supplying super dandy steak sandwiches, George and The Duke are of the few who know how to whip up a batch of raw sauerkraut and mayonnaise. (For that arid feeling).

STONE'S GRILL—High speed of the bartenders, who also are widely known for their liberal "hands," is the prime feature here. Also for you who like wine, a vast assortment is on file.

COURT CAFE—Highly satisfactory from either a food or drink standpoint. Savagery of the manager also is a fine point to be considered.

ALPINE VILLAGE—A very robust time indeed can be had here. Stubby Williams and his band provide the dance music, if you can find room to dance.

FLORENTINE ROOM—Decidedly decorous in atmosphere—but by no means prissy. Surroundings are bright and shining.

MILANO CAFE—These vital necessities abide here. The precise sauce for the spaghetti. Appropriate bread for same. Proper wares for the dinner course or occasion. That's the Milano.

LOUIE'S NITE CLUB—Don't miss this one, even in case of blackout.

DIXIE NIGHT CLUB—Specializes in the luscious cowboy type of music. Also the sly remarks of one Clyde (Lick). Devotee lend charm to the evening's entertainment.

BARR RAINBOW ROOM—Seems like everything evolves about the music making machine. Meanwhile the bar continues to tend bland drinks so everybody has a jolly time.

NEWYORKER—Excellent color scenic and lighting effects make this N. Man-st. emporium a joy to frequent. Especially if you have a penchant for chicken in a hamper or a brace or good chops. As who hasn't?

STILL VISIBLE

During the Civil War, a federal gunboat, the U. S. S. Sheridan, was wrecked near Rodanthe, N. C. It's boiler may still be seen above the water line there.

SIGMA

NOW!

The Most Exciting Picture You Have Ever Seen!

28c Till 2

THE SHANGHAI GESTURE

Gene Tierney

Zasu Pitts in "MISS POLLY"

Thomas Mitchell Will Star On Arch Oboler's Program

Famous Character Actor To Do "The Way To Go Home" Sunday Night; Musical Comedy Queen To Be Heard

Thomas Mitchell, the screen's beloved character actor, will star in "The Way To Go Home," Arch Oboler's drama of a man who found spiritual contentment in the face of great danger, on Oboler's "Plays for Americans" program Sunday at 4:30 p. m. over WEAF.

Mitchell portrays an American who finds no peace at home. Wealthy, worried and restless, he obeys a homing impulse and flies to Scotland to see the town where his grandfather lived before it is bombed off the map. There where air raids are commonplace, he finds an air of peace, a courageous acceptance of danger, a spiritual contentment that awakens him to the meaning of his life.

Ethel Levey, famous musical comedy star for whom Living Berlin wrote "Alexander's Rag Time Band," will be guest star on "These Good Old Days" to be heard over WJZ Sunday at 8:30 p. m.

Staging their first entertainment for the Leathernecks, Jack Benny and his gang, assisted by Screen Star Joan Bennett, will broadcast from the Marine Base in San Diego (Calif.) Sunday, at 7 p. m. over WEAF.

Ann Sothern of the Maiseis role in the movies has a date with Charlie McCarthy for Sunday, at 8 p. m. over WEAF. Assisting Charlie in receiving the young charmer will be Edgar Bergen, Abbott and Costello and Ray Noble and his orchestra.

The "Fitch Bandwagon" program will really live up to its name Sunday at 7:30 p. m. over WEAF by taking aboard a real band, the "Symphony in Brass" of Edwin Franko Goldman.

When Emcee Tobe Reed begins his questioning of the program's honor guest, he will be able to

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TALL, DARK AND HANDSOME'S BACK!

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with I. Carroll Naish

ALSO

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(Under that great big Honolulu Moon)

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LYNN BARI

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THE PERFECT SNOB

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delve into a life rich with musical accomplishment for Goldman has spent years in bringing music to the masses.

MINSTREL SHOW WILL BE GIVEN TWO EVENINGS

Members of the South High Boosters' organization will present their annual minstrel, under the direction of Alfred H. Reider, assistant music instructor of Lima schools, on March 12 and 13 in the school auditorium at 8 p. m.

According to Al Simmons, producer of the show, a variety of instrumental, vocal, and specialty numbers are being rehearsed.

Outstanding features on the program will be swing music by Howard Bice and his orchestra; solos by Reider and Bob Willower; songs and dances by Marilyn Simmons and Alberta Stombaugh; piano solos by Benny Jones; banjo and guitar duets by Ed Arthur and Carson Robolte; numbers by the South High Boys' Glee club, and South High Boys' quartet, composed of Harold Frymover, Dick Fair, Burdette Vermillion and Dick Conners; and other selections by the Elks' quartet. Chic Foltz will provide music from the orchestra pit.

The end-men will be Gilbert Cist, Walter Warren, Jimmie Lawson, George Williams, Ralph Elvin, and Al Simmons, with Clyde Welty acting as interlocutor.

A patriotic tableaux directed by Frank Hibeck will be presented at the end of the show.

Miss Betty Neese will be the pianist for the production.

Those in charge are: Walter Warren, tickets; Jimmie Lawson, costumes; George Williams, stage; Ralph Elvin, and the South High Journalism class, publicity. Bill Ferguson and C. A. Lee will be in the box office.

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