

Famed Trumpet Stylist To Bring Orchestra To Ohio

New Hit Film Showing At Lyric; Quilna Offers Dramatic Picture Of War

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Currently showing at the Sigma is "The Navy Comes Thru," a story which tells of America's fighting men.

Tuesday and Wednesday will be the final days for the showing of "You Can't Escape Forever" at the State.

Attracting huge crowds to the Quilna is "Manila Calling," a story dealing with America's first guerrilla fighters.

Laughter and romance in the face of emergency, in bustling wartime Washington, enliven what is literally the cross section of a woman's soul.

The story revolves about Mrs. Hadley, wealthy socialite, who when the war starts, tries, altho she is not unpatriotic, to live her life as before.

Miss Bainter handles the difficult role, with many delicate shades of characterization, with skill, and Richard Ney, as her son, repeats the fine performance he gave in "Mrs. Miniver."

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Della, whose life up to now has been anything but dull, finds herself virtually a prisoner in "Miniver's Joint," somewhere in Shanghai and involved in another murder plot—this one to do away with Captain Storm and all hands, on the high seas.

How she saves the ship and wins the love of its first mate, and how she finally clears herself of the false charges make thrilling screen fare; in fact, there is nary a tame moment from the opening shot, which neatly disposes of Eddie Kane, in the role of a gang

friend who goes into war work. Edward Arnold is a dominant figure as the government official, and Dorothy Morris, Miles Mander, Halliwell Hobbes and Frances Rafferty are other principals.

When bathtub scenes cause censors to lift a forbidding eyebrow, motion picture producers no longer give up the ghost or the scene. They simply summon the prop man and say something like this: "Think up an 'ethical screening' for the bathing shots, so that the star is seen, yet she isn't seen."

For some reason, the star is always a she. This predicament last arose in 20th Century-Fox's filming of "Girl Trouble," a sprightly romantic lark, starring Don Ameche and Joan Bennett.

The film, too, scene and all, is at the Quilna theatre. Owing to the ingenuity of Director Harold Schuster and his ever-present prop expert, Mr. Schuster got his scene. Miss Bennett bathed, and the cinema overseers washed their hands clean of the whole business.

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"Girl Trouble" features Billie Burke, Frank Craven and Alan Dinehart. It was produced by Robert Bassler from a screen play by Ladislav Fodor and Robert Riley Crutcher.

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VAN WERT MAN LISTED MISSING

(Special To The Lima News) VAN WERT, Dec. 8.—Richard Kik, vice president and general manager of the Spang-Ohio Manufacturing Co., has been notified that his son, Fred, of the U. S. Army, was missing in action somewhere in the southwest Pacific.

The message carried no details other than further information will follow. Kik last heard from his son on Oct. 12, and at that time he was believed to be in the New Guinea battle zone.

Monday afternoon, Kik received another message that his nephew, Clair Earlywine of Grand Rapids, Mich., who was in the same outfit as his son, had been wounded critically in the same battle.

Djerba, off Tunisia, is the largest island on the Mediterranean Barbary coast.

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Twins From Twin Falls To Be Guests Of Ginny Simms

Mary Martin To Appear As Visiting Star Tuesday Night On Duffy's Tavern Program

Sgts. Irvan and Ivan Johnson, twins from Twin Falls, Idaho, now in the Army, will talk to each other via Ginny Simms' broadcast Dec. 8 (WEAF, 8 p. m.)

Jimmie Lunceford and his orchestra will appear on the "Victory Parade of Spotlight Bands" Dec. 8, over WJZ at 9:30 p. m.

Fred Lowery, blind whistler extraordinary on Horace Raul's "Traverse Chest" program, will do the "Song of India Dec. 8 (WEAF, 8:30 p. m.)

With a Western sandwich and a juke-box recording of "Home on the Range" for his inspiration, Ed "Archie" Gardner turns cowboy to acclaim Mary Martin to "Duffy's" when the Texas-born actress visits the program over WJZ on Dec. 8, at 8:30 p. m.

76 HARDIN-COMEN EXAMINED

(Lima News Bureau) KENTON, Dec. 8.—Monday, on the first anniversary of the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, the Hardin-Come selectee service board sent 76 men to Columbus to take final physical examinations.

Those who passed were returned to Kenton for a week's furlough before starting training. In the group were many men who previously had been placed in A-E, and others who had been in deferred classification because of dependents.

The local board in announcing receipt of the new government order deterring all men who have passed their 34th birthday, said that nine of the men had to be deferred Monday because of that regulation.

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EXPERIENCES ON GUADALCANAL ARE RELATED

(Special To The Lima News) ST. MARYS, Dec. 8.—"It was too close for comfort," Pvt. Walter P. Stahl of the U. S. Marines, home from the Solomon Islands, said in describing how a piece of a 1,000 pound bomb struck a tree in low above his head.

Stahl, a former employe of the St. Marys Goodwin, lives at Ohio City. He came to the Marines last May and shortly afterward was on his way to Pearl Harbor where he began his training. From there he was sent to the Solomons as a member of five bomber squadron and saw more than two months of service with the Marines at Guadalcanal. He was with the ground crew.

United States forces are far superior to the Japs, Stahl believes. There was plenty of food and clothing coming thru to the islands when Stahl left for home. He was lucky enough to get a furlough when a plane came in with mail.

able seats, he said. The captain found every fourth name starting from the bottom and Stahl happened to be a fourth. He left the breakfast table on a run, grabbed a few of his possessions and was on his way, leaving the rest of his equipment at Guadalcanal.

DELPHOS POLICE CHIEF WARNS SCHOOL CHILDREN (Lima News Bureau) DELPHOS, Dec. 8.—Police Tuesday issued a stern warning to school children who duck under freight cars at railroad crossings when a train is delayed.

The younger children are more guilty than the older ones according to Police Chief Samuel J. Lank who appealed to the latter to warn the little ones if they see them passing under the cars. Parents also are requested to warn the youngsters of the danger.

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Railroad workers were then busy improving the whole railroad "plant"—terminals, yards, docks and bridges, as well as tracks and equipment. And, for that purpose, an average of \$1,402,000,000 a year was spent.

Now these men are on the job night and day keeping existing equipment rolling. For it takes all of America's 44,300 locomotives, 45,200 passenger cars, and 2,000,000 freight cars—going all the time—to move our war materials, essential consumer goods, service men and other must travelers.

That the increasing demands of wartime transportation have thus been met without confusion or delay is a tribute to these railroad workers. They are doing their job well, with practically no new equipment. What's more, they'll still be on the job when peace comes—to help make this world a better place to live in.

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