

Historical Technicolor Film Of Old South Opens Thursday

"Dixie" Comes To Ohio With Bing Crosby And Dorothy Lamour; "Heaven Can Wait" Billed At Quilna

Early Americana comes into its own in Hollywood's technicolor tribute to the song and glory of the old South.

Scheduled to open Friday night at the Quilna is "Heaven Can Wait," a gay, romantic comedy of the naughty, nifty Nineties.

The lyric will present "The Ghost and the Guest," beginning Friday. The picture finds James Dunn and Florence Rice in a country manor that turns out to be peopled with a motley assortment of nuts and gangsters.

Dean Jagger and Mary Brian are captured by Gestapo agents in a west coast town in "I Escaped From the Gestapo," currently at the Sigma.

Opening Friday at the Drive In will be "Silver Queen," with George Brent and Priscilla Lane. Ending Thursday will be "The Bowers Girl," starring Anne Shibley and George Murphy.

The Majestic will present "Madame Spy" and "Journey Into Fear" on Friday.

"Gentlemen, be seated!" says Mr. Interlocutor, and forty (count 'em, forty!) blackfaced comedians take their places in the singing-dancing Technicolor laugh show, "Dixie."

For the benefit of those who never heard of Mr. Interlocutor, one of the most important members of the minstrel show which Paramount, in "Dixie," brings to the screen in gorgeous Technicolor. It proves a perfect vehicle for today's number one minstrel man, Bing Crosby.

Co-starred with Bing is lovely Dorothy Lamour who plays a string house keeper in New Orleans. Bing, as Dan Emmett, famous composer of the song, "Dixie," and the very first of the minstrel men, takes a room in her house where he meets Billy de Wolfe, Lynne Overman and Eddie Foy, Jr. Together with Bing, they form the original Virginia Minstrels.

The picture goes on to tell the story of the rise of the minstrels and Bing's romantic joys and sorrows, the latter divided between Dottie and Marjorie Reynolds, the beautiful blonde who appeared with him in "Holiday Inn."

There are six grand new tunes plus six great old favorites—such as "Dixie," as we said before, conservatively speaking—tastic!

Utilizing his fund of screwball comedy, Milt Gross, famous newspaper cartoonist, has tried his hand at writing for the movies.

The result is a very hilarious film titled "The Ghost and the Guest," starring James Dunn and Florence Rice, in which these two ad honeymoons land in a country manor that turns out to be peopled with a motley assortment of nuts and gangsters. Under most tragic conditions they try to enjoy their honeymoon with most amazing results.

The film comes to the Lyric theatre Friday. "Neath Arizona Skies," also opens Friday.

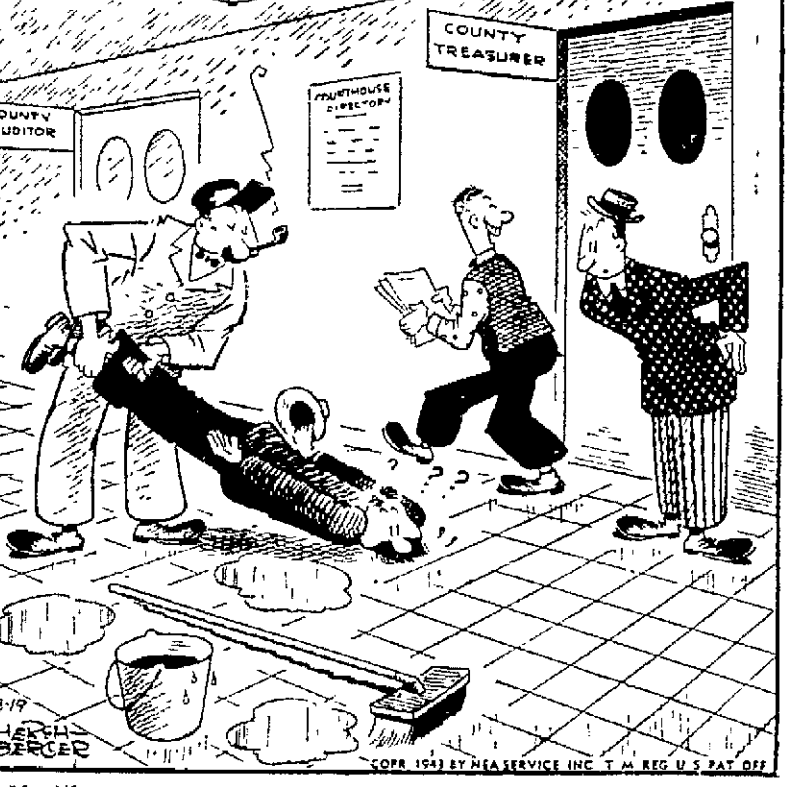
That "Lubitsch touch" has become the "Lubitsch wallop!" That's the word that has preceded "Heaven Can Wait," the new Ernst Lubitsch production, now town and the Quilna theatre, where it is scheduled to open Friday night with Gene Tierney and Don Ameche heading an impressive cast.

Hailed as a saucy, sparkling story of the naughty, nifty Nineties, "Heaven Can Wait" gives a peek thru the keyhole of what made the gay old days so gay. Sparkling with forbidden adventure and stolen romance, the film reveals what went on after the fall

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March Of Time Returns To Air In Broadcast Thursday

"Should the United States Give Up Its Foreign Military Bases After The War?" Subject For Discussion

In a world where the fate of nations swings with the pendulum each day, and events—tragic, significant, far-reaching—scream for man's attention, the "March of Time" returns to the air with its dramatized news and "people who make the news" Thursday over WEAF at 10:30 p. m. (EWT.)

The screen actress Joan Blondell, the singing stars Connie Haines and Morton Downey and the pugilist-turned-comedian Slapshoe Maxie Rosenbloom are the "Stage Door Canteen" guests for the broadcast on Thursday, at 9:30 p. m., EWT, over Station WABC.

When was the first plane flown from the deck of a ship? Who was the pilot? When did a plane first land on a ship's deck? These famous U. S. Navy "firsts"—and others—will be given dramatic

answers when "Battle Stations," a new series, is presented for the third time Thursday (WEAF, 8:30 p. m., EWT).

Oscar Levant, the "Peck's Bad Boy" of "Information Please," will be on hand at Music hall, on Thursday, at 9 p. m. (EWT) over WEAF, to trade "hon mots" with Bing Crosby.

While Miss Auer buses herself solving the most baffling crimes he can find, Charles Ruggles tackles the even more baffling task of trying to find a suit with all the pie-aw attachments, on Thursday at 8 p. m. (EWT) over Station WEAF.

Fred Brady takes a few lessons in the manly art of self-defense, and ends flat on his back when Fred Brady shows the air on Thursday at 7:30 p. m. (EWT) over Station WEAF.

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ADA

ADA, Aug. 19—Mrs. Joe Breck is spending a week in Indiana with her brother.

Lester McWilliams has returned to Los Angeles, Calif., after visiting a week with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWilliams and family, near Ada.

Mrs. Shimmely and three daughters have returned to Toledo after spending two weeks in Ada with her sister, Mrs. Frank Balish.

Mrs. Eva Ryke of Charleston, W. Va., is now spending two weeks with Mrs. Balish.

Miss Yolanda Willeke is spending the week-end in New York City, visiting Midshipman Harry T. Bozarth, Bozarth, who received his degree in liberal arts from Ohio Northern this spring, is in Naval Training at Columbia university, New York City.

Mrs. Leah Jenkins is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Evan Huber and son, Billy, in St. Marys.

Miss Eileen Neswander, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ehrnsman went to Chicago for the week-end to visit Apprentice Scamlen Glen and Ralph Neiswander. The boys are training at the Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago.

Miss Pat Anspach from Westfield, New Jersey, and Miss Julia Traubhorn of Lima, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jamison and family.

Miss Evelyn Jenkins entertained bridge club at her home Saturday night. Those present were: Mrs. Frederick Mayhew, Mrs. Travis Baker, Mrs. Robert Bushoff, Mrs. Charles Hubbell, Mrs. Scott McCoy, Miss Eloise Marshall, Miss Rachel Harrod, and the hostess.

Cadet Carl J. Jamison is taking his final exams for the month. Three months' training remains. His address is Cadet Carl J. Jamison, Reserve Training School, U. S. C. G. Academy, New London, Conn. CRC-6-43 D5.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Calloway Taubee have received word that the Taubees have arrived safely at Carlsbad N. M., in spite of the fact that they traveled the last thousand miles without a spare tire for either the car or the four-wheeled trailer. Taubee had been a teacher at Ada high school for several years. The last two years he served as principal at the high school.

Taubee was unable to find a home immediately, so he and his family have been living temporarily in the home economics building at the Carlsbad high school. He is hired as a mathematics teacher. Taubee is one of 86 on the faculty. The population of the city has increased from 7,000 to 11,000. A large airfield is located there. The city is likewise the center of a potash mining district.

Harry H. Fackler, grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCleary, is training for naval service. He attended Ada high school until the death of his grandmother and was graduated from Lorain high school last spring. His address is ASUNO, Co. 1083, US NTS, Great Lakes, Ill.

Pfc. Ernest J. Green, formerly of Ada, is now with a parachute outfit in California. His address is Co. B, Platoon 76, Par. Tng. Sch., Camp Gillispie, San Diego, 43, Calif. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Green.

Cpl. Edward A. Dotter is taking an additional three months' training in engineering at Purdue university, West Lafayette, Ind.

Cpl. Bernard Eley has completed a 20-weeks course for high speed radio operators at Kansas City, Mo., and has been enjoying a 9-day furlough with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Eley at Waynesfield with friends here. He left Tuesday evenings for Kansas City where he will receive a new assignment.

Pvt. John Deringer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Deringer has received his transfer from a medical regiment, Camp Bowie, Texas, to the air corps. His new address is A/John W. Deringer, 912th Tng. Gp., Ft. 123 A, AAFTC, BTC No. 9, Miami Beach, Fla.

A/C Robert A. Diekmeyer was graduated from the primary school at Hicks field, Texas, on July 30 and has been sent to Enid, Okla., for basic flight training. He was co-editor of "The Greenhorn," Hicks field class book. His address is Flight A, Brks 5, Army Flying School, Enid, Okla.

Miss Margaret Newton, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Newton, has been accepted for the Women's Army Auxiliary corps. She enlisted in Wheeling where she has been a teacher for a number of years in the physical education department of the public schools. She left that city for Florida last Thursday. Her mother resides in Wheeling, W. Va.

BRICKER BACKS CRIDERSVILLE SCHOOL TO OPEN ON SEPT. 7

CRIDERSVILLE, Aug. 19—The Cridersville school will open on Sept. 7 with a full staff of teachers, it was announced by Carl A. Futchers, executive head.

Teachers include: Mrs. Dorothy Schantz, principal; Rachel Beagle, Mrs. Olive Corwin and Suzanne Gillam, high school, and Mrs. Yvonne Wauben, Donna Stevely, Helen Hall and Mrs. Ho Harshman, elementary grades.

FIVE ARE FINED DELPHOS, Aug. 19—Hugh Roberts and Kenneth Murray were fined \$25 and costs each when arraigned before Mayor W. D. Swihart on charges of operating an automobile while intoxicated.

Henry Stutler, Raymond Stutler of Scott, and Joseph Rome, Landeck, each were fined \$10 and costs on intoxication charges. Those unable to pay the fines, were released on bond, pending payment.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 19—(INS)—The promise of Gov. John W. Bricker to sponsor a concrete program for caring for mental defectives was held today by Cleveland officials following a conference of city, county and state authorities as the result of slayings admitted by psychopathic Henry Heger.

Mayor Frank J. Lausche reported that Governor Bricker, in Cleveland to address a fraternal group, had been given positive assurance that such a program will be drafted to supplement the present state facilities which admittedly are unable to provide institutional care for the mentally ill.

Bricker will meet immediately with State Welfare Director Herbert R. Mooney to consider proposed plans at the meeting, Lausch said.

Cleveland officials specifically recommended that the state lease unused space in the Cleveland City hospital psychopathic building for the housing of potentially-dangerous defective delinquents. Use of the Mansfield state reformatory to care for others will be considered further by state officials, Mooney informed the meeting.

Theatre Guide

OHIO—"Dixie." QUILNA—"Swing Your Partner" and "Shantytown." SIGMA—"Union Pacific" and "I Escaped From the Gestapo." STATE—"Forever and a Day" and "All By Myself." LYRIC—"City Without Men" and "Chatterbox." DRIVE-IN—"The Powers Girl."

COMING UP OHIO—"This is the Army" due Thursday, Aug. 26. QUILNA—"Heaven Can Wait" starts Friday picture. SIGMA—"Bombardier" and "Girls in Chains" begin Saturday.

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was over—and the gas lights went out! Lubitsch, according to those who have previewed the picture, has outdone himself—and in Hollywood the phrase has now been changed to the "Lubitsch wallop!"

The studio did everything in its power to make "Heaven Can Wait" one of the top pictures of the year. Lubitsch had owned the screen rights to the play for years, a play that had been a big European hit under the title of "Birthday." When it became known that the studio was willing to make the picture on the scale the story warranted, Lubitsch put in a call for many of the biggest players in Hollywood—and got them!

Included in the cast are such outstanding actors as Charles Coburn, who enacts the role of the skeptical, fun-loving grandfather, Louis Calhern and Spring Byington as Don's mid-Victorian parents, while Eugene Palette and Marjorie Main play Gene's father and mother, an amusing team of scrapping Kansas City folks. Allyn Joslyn portrays Don's insufferable, immaculate cousin.

TO BE ORDAINED THEN MARRIED

NEW KNOXVILLE, Aug. 19—The 37th son of the Evangelical and Reformed church parish to enter the ministry, Nathan B. Wierwille, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wierwille, will be ordained in the church here Sunday.

The ordination committee is composed of Dr. D. A. Bode, New Knoxville, Ind.; Rev. N. E. Vitz, New Bremen, Ind.; Elder H. C. Kuck, New Knoxville. The new minister-elect, has agreed to serve the Evangelical and Reformed church at Bremen, Ind., after his ordination.

Immediately after he is taken into the ministry Sunday, Rev. Wierwille will lead Miss Elmeda Fledderjohann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August W. Fledderjohann, to the altar, and his brother-in-law, Dr. Koepke of Ft. Wayne, will officiate at his marriage.

PREVUE TONITE After 7:30 See... Chatterbox—City Without Men—Ghost and the Guest—Coast Guard and Black Dragon.

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Ensign Harvey Orwick has been at home for a few days on sick leave.

Jack Rutledge, MM2/c, visited with friends here yesterday, on leave from the Seabees training center in Rhode Island. He expects assignment for overseas service.

Sgt. Nelson McBride is now "somewhere in the Pacific." His new address is Amphibious Force, Pacific Fleet, c/o Fleet P. O., San Diego, Calif.

Pfc. Park E. Elwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer E. Elwood of east of Ada, received a medical discharge from the Army and returned home on July 25. He had been under treatment in Moore general hospital for a month prior to his discharge.

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