Faithfulness Of Young To Old Shown In Lyric Picture

Wishful thinking and happy memories are the substance of the story "Someone to Remember," now playing at the Lyric theatre. The faithfulness of the young to an older person with a young personality is also depicted. "Sleepy Lagoon" starring Judy Canova and featuring Dennis Day is the tale of the trial and tribulations of a young woman mayor whose uncle helps make her government corrupt. Dennis plays a dual role as himself and as the fiance of the young woman politician.

Another "whistling" Red Skelton starring vehicle is now playing at the Ohio. "Whistling in Brooklyn" also features the Brooklyn Dodgers.

One of Don Ameche's greatest and most human roles is the character he portrays in "Happy Land," now screened at the Quilna theatre. Co-billed is "Banjo On My Knee."

Twin horror shows are now offered at the sigma, namely "Dr. Maniac" with Boris Karloff and "Man With 100 Faces."

The State now has as its twin billing "Above Suspicion" and "Victory Thru Airpower."

* * *

OHIO

At least half of shambling "Rags" Ragland's appeal, as one admirer has noted, lies in the fact he invarialby looks as tho he had just lowered himself out of a cocoanut palm. The other half is his ability to mumble bright cracks from a seemingly dull pan. This, in essence, is what makes any funnyman click. In his latest film, "Whistling in Brooklyn," now showing at the Ohio theatre, "Rags" trades gags with Red Skelton, Ann Rutherford and Jean Rogers.

Like many another comic before him, "Rags" pocketed his master's degree as a Merry Andrew from that great, if somewhat dingy prep school of dramatics: burlesque. Eleven years spent swapping quips with straight men and curvaceous cuties furnished him with inexhaustible material for his memory book. Because burlesque routines encompass practically every possible situation, "Rags" is able to jet his way thru any topic.

Russ Morgan and his orchestra are playing the stage of the theatre Monday only.

* * *

LYRIC

Chester Clute who plays an important part in the new Republic picture "Someone to Remember," which is screened at the Lyric theatre, is a veteran of stage and screen.

In his younger days, he was a well known 'song and dance man' and played in a number of musical comedies, going over to Australia to star in the 'down under' version of "Irene."

His recent picture credits include "Star Spangled Rhythm," "Du Barry was a Lady" and "Yankee Doodle Dandy."

Mabel Page enacts the title role in "Someone to Remember," which was directed by Robert Siodmak.

Co-featured is "Sleepy Lagoon."

Theatre Guide

OHIO—"Whistling in Brooklyn"

QUILNA — "Happy Land" and "Banjo On My Knee."

SIGMA — "Dr. Maniac" and "Man With 100 Faces."

STATE—"Above Suspicion" and "Victory Thru Air Power."

LYRIC—"Sleepy Lagoon" and "Someone to Remember."

COMING UP

OHIO—Russ Morgan and his orchestra, Monday, on stage. "Gangway For Tomorrow" on screen.

QUILNA — "What a Woman" coming Friday preview.

SIGMA — "Young Ideas" and "Coastal Command" start Wednesday.

LYRIC — "Old Camp Ground" and "Campus Rhythm" start Thursday.

NAMES DRAWN FOR JURY DUTY

Mercer-co Grand, Petit Venires Ready For New Term

(Special To The Lima News)

CELINA, Dec. 18—Forty names were drawn in the Mercer-co common pleas judge's office by members of the jury commission, Mrs. Pearl E. Smalley and Anthony Kleinhenz, for grand and petit jury duty for the January term of court.

The first 15 names drawn will serve as grand jurors and are as follows: Loy Willrath, Celina Route 1; Mabel Montgomery, Celina; Joseph Deitrich, Rockford Route 3; Francis Kohnen, Celina; Matt Schweiterman, Coldwater; Lester Miller, Rockford Route 1; Otto Mescher, Maria Stein; Otto Steinbrunner, Celina; C. Robert Riley, Celina; Clem Kunk, Maria Stein; Frank E. Hoke, Ft. Recovery; Ben Westgerdes, Ft. Recovery Route 2; Vernon Anselman, Celina; W. C. Skinner, Mendon Route 1; Monica Grimm, Celina.

The remaining 25 will serve as petit jurors and are as follows: Raymond Kendall, Celina; Matt Fleck, Celina Route 2; Elmer Fledderjohn, Celina Route 6; Ed Rindler, Chickasaw; Effie Hays, Rockford Route 2; Ilean Martz, Rockford; John Buck, Celina; Ethel Granger, Rockford Route 2; Emanuel Hurless, Rockford; Helen Mersman, Celina; John Pohlman, Maria Stein; Denver Pond, Mendon Route 1; Esther Steve, Coldwater; A. J. Brock, Ft. Recovery; George Pleiman, Celina; C. E. Riley, Celina Route 4; Carl Stalter, Mendon; Ben Schmitmeyer, Jr., Celina Route 6; Jacob Kable, Celina Route 1; Irene Monroe, Celina; Hugo Baker, Celina; Elizabeth May, Ft. Recovery Route 2; James R. Burchfield, Celina; Matilda Zender, Celina, and G. M. Ballinger, Mendon.

TO GIVE CANTATA

ST. MARYS, Dec. 20—Memorial high school choir, under the direction of Miss Emma Kohler, will present the Christmas cantata, "The Babe of Bethlehem," at the high school auditorium Tuesday night. Soloists will be Frederick Noble, Robert Galusha, Ralph Doenges, tenors, Patsy Baxter, soprano, John Morris, baritone, and Helen Wollam, alto.

FOUND FROZEN TO DEATH

ELKINS, W. Va., Dec. 20—(AP)—The frozen body of Daniel Halderman, 32, of Route 2, Dover, O., was found near Pickens, W. Va.

FIRE DESTROYS SUPER MARKET

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 20 — (INS) — Firemen today investigated a $100,000 four-alarm fire that swept thru Albers Super Market, in suburban Bexley, early Sunday.

The blaze, originating in the rear of the building, was discovered by patrons of a nearby lunchroom reported hearing a muffled explosion, Bexley police said.

When firemen first arrived, flames were shooting out of the roof at the rear and had spread thruout the interior of the one-story structure. Shortly after the arrival of fire apparatus a second explosion blew out the large plate glass windows in front of the store, firemen reported.

Fire Chief Clarence Ogborn, after a preliminary investigation, said the fire started near the furnace. He said the second explosion which broke the windows probably resulted from hot gases in a confined area. No one was injured.

POISONOUS BUG

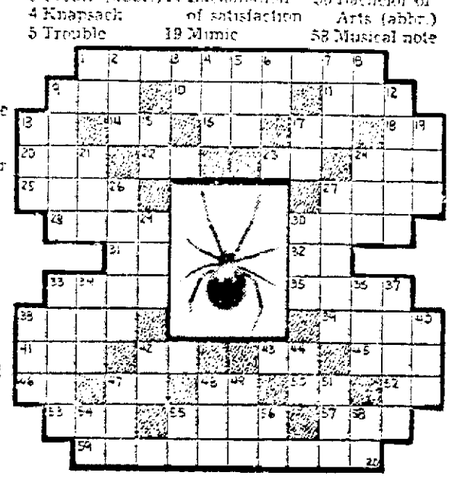
HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured poisonous spider, the
9 Compensate
10 Disturbance
11 Lair
13 Aluminum (symbol)
14 Type measure
16 Tellurium (symbol)
17 Paid notice
18 Livonian river
20 Was seated
22 Measure of area
23 Exclamation
24 Urchin
25 Crystallized water
27 Weedy plant
28 Break
30 Honey producers
31 Negative
32 Upon
33 Stair
35 Small particle
38 Vegetables
39 Propel self through water
41 Auricle
42 Measure of cloth
43 Upward
45 Greek letter
46 Transpose (abbr.)
47 Near
48 Postscript (abbr.)
50 Provided that
52 Erbium (symbol)
53 Soil
55 Operatic solo
57 Arrival
59 Its —— —— is deadly

Answer to Previous Puzzle

VERTICAL

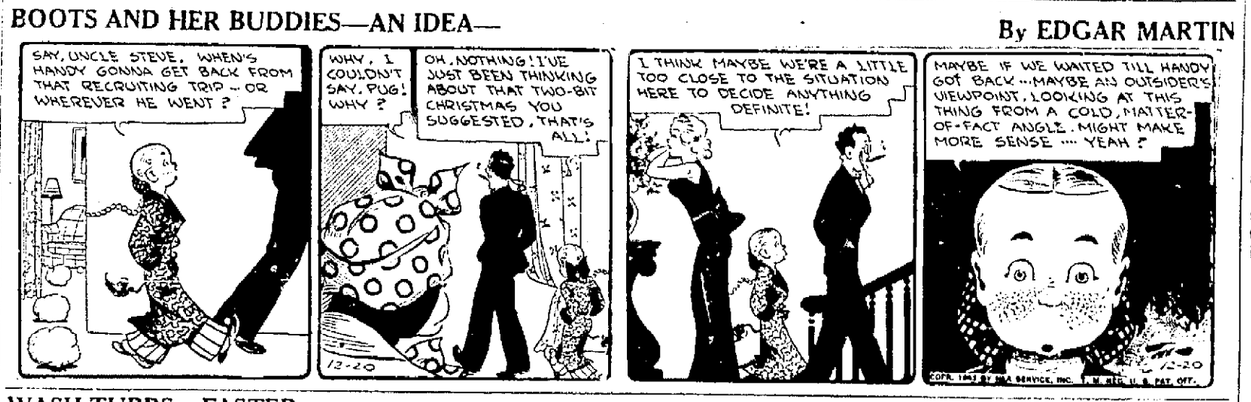
1 Barium (symbol)
2 Luxurious
3 Credit (abbr.)
4 Knapsack
5 Trouble
6 That one
7 Unusual
8 Us
9 Programs
12 Appellations
13 Donkey
15 Mother
17 Exclamation of satisfaction
19 Mimic
21 2000 pounds
24 Anger
26 Pales
27 Canvas shelters
29 Sharp sound
30 Snake
33 Withers
34 Paving substance
36 Be indebted
37 Church headdress
38 Cares
40 Spoil
42 And (Latin)
44 Jumbled type
47 Excitement
48 Foe
49 Iniquity
51 Obese
54 Opera (abbr.)
55 Lake
56 Bachelor of Arts (abbr.)
58 Musical note



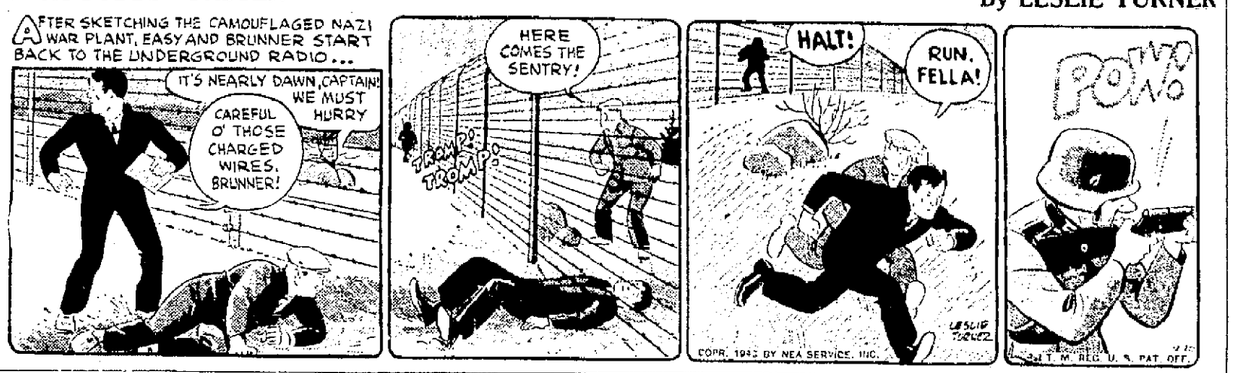
OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR HOOPLE

OUT OUR WAY By J. R. WILLIAMS

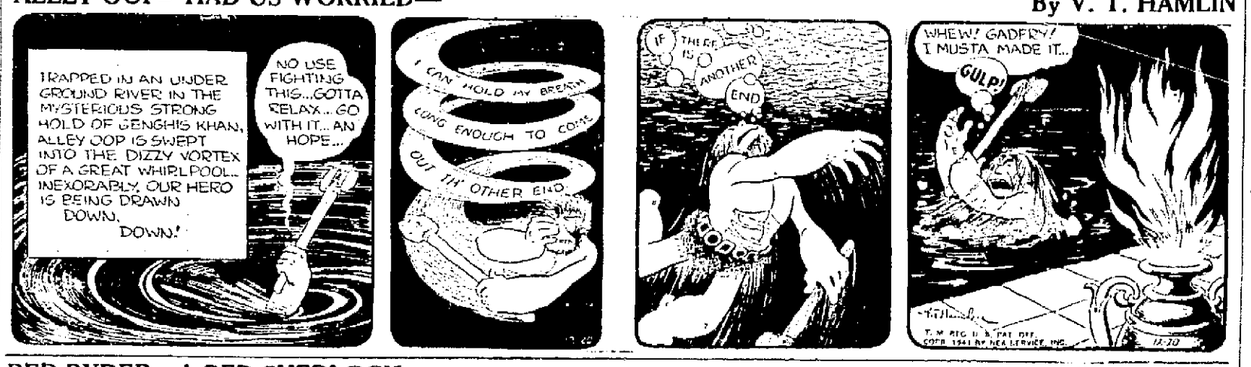
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES—AN IDEA— By EDGAR MARTIN



WASH TUBBS—FASTER— By LESLIE TURNER



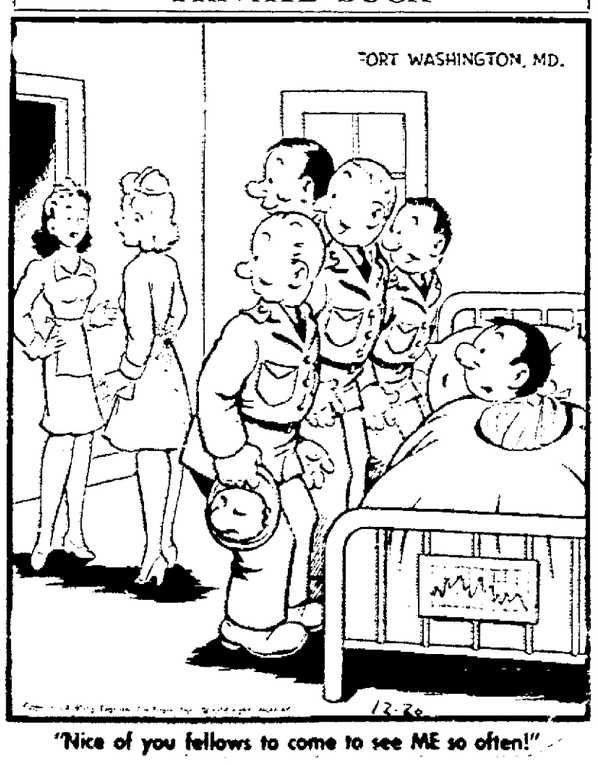
ALLEY OOP—HAD US WORRIED— By V. T. HAMLIN



RED RYDER—A RED SHERLOCK— By FRED HARMAN

POPEYE—QUICKER THAN A WINK!

PRIVATE BUCK



"Nice of you fellows to come to see ME so often!"

Spencerville School News

SPENCERVILLE, Dec. 20 — The December meeting of the local Parent-Teacher Association was held in the grade school. A Christmas program was enjoyed. Mr. Homer Stanley played the organ for singing a medley of Christmas songs. Mrs. Johnson read the Christmas story from the Bible. Miss Wilson gave a talk on what we can do for the Boys Over Seas. Mrs. Hoover read a Christmas story. Mrs. H. H. Hendricks collections during and closing prayer. Mrs. H. H. Hendricks sang "O, Little Town of Bethlehem" was sung by all.

• • •

The sophomore and junior high classes will enjoy a Christmas party on Dec. 22nd. The junior high gave a party last night. The senior class will have theirs on Dec. 23rd. The Christmas play, "Santa's Helper" will be given Friday night.

• • •

Mrs. Dorothy Rogers, Red Cross chairman, has received a letter from a Spencerville boy in the service who is stationed in Iceland, thanking the people of Spencerville for the Christmas gifts received last year. The letter was read at the P.-T. A. meeting.

• • •

The fifth grade pupils are collecting for the Red Cross. The fifth grade pupils are the only ones in the school who are participating in the drive. Any contribution will be appreciated. Last year the fifth grade pupils made the highest grade.

• • •

Mrs. Mildred Rockey, senior girls' reserve advisor, has asked the girls to make the county museum interesting if possible. A box of materials from the Ohio museum.

HELD AS GIRL ATTACKER

CINCINNATI, Dec. 20—(AP)—John E. Steinfield, 40, a salesman, was charged with criminal attack in warrants signed by relatives of three attack victims—girls 17, 8 and 6 years old. Detective Chief Clem Merz said Steinfield denied the attacks.

Helen Hayes To Appear On Monday "Cavalcade"

A Christmas miracle play written for our times by the late Stephen Vincent Benet, one of America's most brilliant men of letters, will be repeated on this year's Christmas program of "Cavalcade of America," Monday (WEAF, 7 p. m., EST). Titled "A Child is Born," it has Helen Hayes and Philip Merivale in the principal roles.

Since the Three-Power Parley in Teheran sounded the death knell for Nazi Germany, the terms of the peace table are among the most highly discussed topics among the Allied people. Raymond Clapper, ace news analyst, on Monday at 9 p. m. (EST) over WOR, will speak on an important phase of this problem when he gives his views on "Should Germany Be Broken Up After the War?"

Bing Crosby and Dorothy Lamour in "Dixie," recreating their screen roles, will be Cecil B. DeMille's presentation Monday at 8 p. m. (EST) over WABC.

"The Adventure of the Missing Black Bag" will pit the brain of an ace detective against the cunning of an arch criminal when Sherlock Holmes and Professor Moriarity cross paths on the "Adventures of Sherlock Holmes" mystery series Monday, at 7:30 p. m., EST, over WOR.

Fred Waring's Victory Tunes and Pleasure Time, Monday thru Friday, 7 p. m., EST, will devote the entire week to the favorite Christmas music selected by men in the armed services.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT., 2 Hrs. for MWT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

5:45—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc
Captain Midnight's Sketch—blu-east
American Women, Drama Series—cbs
Serial Series for Kiddies—mbs-basic
6:00—News; Serenade to America—nbc
Children's Dramatic Skit, Daily—blu
Quincy Howe and News Time—cbs
Prayer; Comment on the War—mbs
6:15—Lyn Murray Chorus, Orch.—cbs
Captain Tim Healy, Spy Story—blu
Lanny and Ginger with Songs—mbs
6:30—Jack Armstrong rept.—blu-west
Jed Sullivan and Song Show—cbs
News Time and Volney Hurd—mbs
6:45—Bill Stern and Sports Spot—nbc
Lowell Thomas and News—blu-basic
Capt. Midnight and repeat—blu-west
World News and Commentary—cbs
Repeat of Kiddies Serial—other mbs
7:00—Fred Waring's Time—nbc-basic
Organist; Johnny Morgan Show—blu
"I Love a Mystery," Dramatic—cbs
Fulton Lewis, Jr., Comments—mbs
7:15—War News from the World—nbc
Ed Sullivan Entertains, Guest—cbs
The Johnson Family, a Serial—mbs
7:30—Carol Sisters, a Vocal Trio—nbc
Lone Ranger, Drama of West—blu
Blondie-Dagwood Comedy—cbs-east
Music in the Air Concert—other cbs
The Army Air Forces Program—mbs
7:45—Kaltenborn News Comment—nbc
8:00—The Cavalcade of America—nbc
News Broadcasting Time, Daily—blu
Vox Pop by Parks and Warren—cbs
Sam Balter, War Commentary—mbs
8:15—Lum and Abner Serial Skit—blu
Fulton Lewis News Answers—mbs
8:30—Howard Barlow & Concert—nbc
Blind Date and Arlene Francis—blu
The Gay Nineties Revue—cbs-basic
Sherlock Holmes & Dr. Watson—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—Vinchess Concert & Guests—nbc
Counter-Spy, Drama of the War—blu
The Radio Theater, Guest Stars—cbs
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
9:15—Gracie Fields and Comedy—mbs
9:30—Doc. I. Q. and Quiz Series—nbc
Spotlight Bands, Guest Orches.—blu
Paul Winchell's Jerry, Variety—mbs
9:55—Harry Wismer Sports Time—blu
10:00—Contented Concert Orches.—nbc
Raymond Gram Swing Comment—blu
Screen Guild Players & Guests—cbs
Raymond Clapper Commentary—mbs
10:15—Out of the Shadow, Drama—blu
Education For Freedom, Talks—mbs
10:30—Information Please in Quiz—nbc
The National Radio Forum Talks—blu
Guy Lombardo's Orchestra—cbs-east
Blondie-Dagwood's repeat—cbs-west
Half-Hour for Dancing Music—mbs
11:00—News for 15 minutes—nbc-basic
The Fred Waring repeat—nbc-west
News, Variety, Dance 2 h.—blu & cbs
Comment; Dancing Orchestra—mbs
11:15—Late Variety with News—nbc
11:30—London's Radio Newsreel—mbs
11:45—Dance Music, News 2½ hr.—mbs

GUY WEIMER TO RUN FOR PUTNAM REPRESENTATIVE

(Lima News Bureau)

OTTAWA, Dec. 18 — Guy E. Weimer of Continental today became a Republican candidate for state representative to the General Assembly from Putnam-co.

Weimer was the first candidate to enter the field for any of the county posts to be filled in 1944. If he qualifies, Weimer will be a candidate in the May Republican primary election.

The candidate has taken a wide interest in Republican politics for many years in Putnam-co. He was an unsuccessful candidate for state representative in 1934 when Julius Scheller, a Democrat, defeated him in the election.

Putnam-co now has no representative as a result of the death recently of Julius S. Ogan who was serving his second term. He also was a Republican.

HOLD EVERYTHING

"I gotta get rid of 'em—they're making a bum outa me!"

NAMED STAFF SERGEANT

BLUFFTON, Dec. 20 — It has been learned that Frederick Herr, stationed at Ft. Lewis, Wash., has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant.

"WHISTLING IN BROOKLYN" will continue its regular run on Tuesday

WARNER BROS. OHIO
• ON OUR STAGE •
TODAY ONLY!
Shows at: 2:00 4:30 7:00 9:30

MCA PRESENTS THE NATIONALLY FAMOUS "MUSIC IN THE MORGAN MANNER"
★
RUSS MORGAN AND HIS ORCHESTRA
★
IN PERSON
SCREEN!
Margo • John Carradine in "GANGWAY FOR TOMORROW"

WARNER BROS. SIGMA
NOW! 2 Shockers

AS A LOVE-CRAZED SCIENTIST... He probed and searched and experimented . . . to discover the hidden secrets of love . . .
BORIS Karloff "Dr. MANIAC"
with ANNA LEE • JOHN LODER
2ND. SHOCKER
"MAN WITH 100 FACES"
Noel Madison, T. Wall

QUILNA THEATRE Prices 1 to 6 30c
MacKinlay KANTOR'S HAPPY LAND
Don AMECHE • Frances DEE • Harry CAREY • Ann RUTHERFORD
— Also —
• BARBARA STANWYCK
• JOEL McCREA
• WALTER BRENNAN
in BANJO on my KNEE

LYRIC TODAY

20c 'til 6 p. m. 25c After 6

ALWAYS 2 BIG HITS!
WARNER BROS. STATE
• NOW SHOWING •
ABOVE Suspicion
—PLUS—2ND BIG HIT—
Walt Disney's Greatest Story! VICTORY THROUGH AIR POWER

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®