

COMEDIES HOLD SPOTLIGHT AT LIMA THEATRES

HARRY JAMES ADDS RHYTHM TO MUSICAL IN OHIO BILLING

Holding the spotlight for the movies this week-end is comedy. Comic pictures are needed more than ever now since we are in war and many of our own families, friends and associates are fighting for the very right to be able to see these types of films. Thrilling action and stirring romance will hold you spellbound thruout every scene of each movie.

Harry James as No. 1 trumpeter is no surprise to anyone and when you hear him play the "Hora Stacato" arranged by Jascha Heifetz, for the violin in "Bathing Beauty" now showing at the Ohio theatre you'll want to emphasize that adjective, No. 1 trumpeter. For your information, the "Hora Stacato" must be played at the rate to 900 notes in 90 seconds.

Henry Kaiser had the key to making ships in 30 days and if you want to see how it is done, see the movie currently featured at the Quilna theatre under the title of "Man From Frisco" and starring Anne Shirley, Michael O'Shea and Gene Lockhart.

To be called a hairy ape is no compliment to anyone, but to William Bendix, star of the movie by the same name, the title seems to fit. As boss of a stoker crew on a freighter, Bendix must be covered with dirt and grime and when a pretty, young, spoiled debutante, played by Susan Hayward comes into the stoker rooms, this name immediately jumps into her mind and as you will notice, she wastes no time in expressing herself. See the "Hairy Ape" now showing at the Sigma theatre.

Carving on the screen of the State theatre are a few ghosts and four angels. "Gildersleeve's Ghost" and "And the Angels Sing" hold the top billing and are guar-

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- OHIO**—"Bathing Beauty"
 - QUILNA**—"Man From Frisco" and "Sing Neighbor Sing"
 - SIGMA**—"Hairy Ape" and "Blind Date"
 - STATE**—"And the Angels Sing" and "Gildersleeve's Ghost"
 - LYRIC**—"Marshal of Gunanoke" and "Racket Man"
 - DRIVE-IN**—"International Squadron"
- COMING UP**
- OHIO**—"In Society" starts Friday
 - QUILNA**—"Bermuda Mystery" and "Ladies of Washington" open Friday
 - SIGMA**—"Machine Gun Mamma" and "Walking Deal" commence Wednesday
 - STATE**—"Two Girls and a Sailor" and "Scarlet Claw" coming Sunday
 - LYRIC**—"Vigilantes Ride" and "Career Girl" due Saturday midnight

anteed to please even the most particular person.

Frances Langford, the girl who toured the European theatre of war with Bob Hope, is playing an engagement at the Lyric theatre Saturday midnight in "Career Girl." Co-featured is "Vigilantes Ride."



STRAIGHT SHOOTIN' WESTERN AT LYRIC—Thrills are plenty in the new action film opening Saturday midnight at the Lyric theatre.



CURRENT HIT AT THE QUILNA—Lulu Belle and Scotty, currently starring in their latest musical comedy, "Sing Neighbor Sing" now showing at the Quilna theatre.

RHUMBA HISTORY IS GIVEN BY LANGFORD ON LYRIC SCREEN

In her own inimitable manner, Frances Langford gives a musical history of the Rhumba in her new starring vehicle, romance-drama, "Career Girl" now showing at the Lyric theatre. Back of Miss Langford's small stunning figure a

chorus of girls give a choreographic history of the famous dance as the star sings "That's How the Rhumba Began." The song was written especially for "Career Girl" by Morey Amsterdam and Tony Romano.

Bill Stern "Detects" On Ellery Queen Mystery

When Ellery Queen solves "The Adventure of the Man Who Wanted Cash" Saturday (WEAF, 7-30 p. m., EWT), Bill Stern, sports announcer and sports authority, will sit in the guest arm chair to detect a play-by-play on clues.

Stern, noted for his "split vision" ability to watch the entire play on the football field, will have the chance to try out his powers on a complicated mystery. It involves:

- a restaurant king who sells out for a million dollars in cash and then disappears.
- Bob Murphy, announcer, will turn actor when Stephen Vincent Benet's "O'Halloran's Luck" is repeated on "Author's Playhouse" Saturday (WEAF 8:30 p. m., EWT).
- Murphy will have the part of Tim, who comes to America to seek his fortune and his sweetheart, Kitty Malone, who finds also a bit of the old country in the person of a leprechaun. Kitty will be played by Geraldine Kay and Rory, the leprechaun, by Charles

Egelston. Homer Heck will direct. Musical instruments will be protagonists on "National Barn Dance" Saturday (WEAF, 9 p. m., EWT) when the Haylofters present music by and about the inanimate members of an orchestra. The Ensemble directed by Glenn Welty presents "Strike Up The Band," "Ghost of the Violin," "Play Fiddle Play" and "Ragtime Violin."

Whitey (Duke of Paducah) Ford will report on the high cost of living on the "Grand Ole Opry" Saturday (WEAF, 10:30 p. m., EWT). Roy Acuff, hillbilly singing star and M. C., will speculate on "Things That Might Have Been," and Tommy Magnasson, newcomer to the Opry gang, will do "Black Mountain Blues." The Smoky Mountain boys will offer "Lil Liza Jane," the Old Hickory quartet will present "Tumbling Tumble Weeds," Mack McGarr will mandolin "Gold Slippers" and Rachel and Oswald will sing "Southern Moon." Minnie Pearl, the Grinder's Switch gossip, will be heard in a comedy routine.

FIGHTING PIONEER
HAVERHILL, Mass., Aug. 19 (UPI)—The Hannah Dustin statue on Summer St. here commemorates the heroic Haverhill pioneer who was abducted by Indians in 1697. She escaped with the scalps of 10 of her captors dangling from her belt.

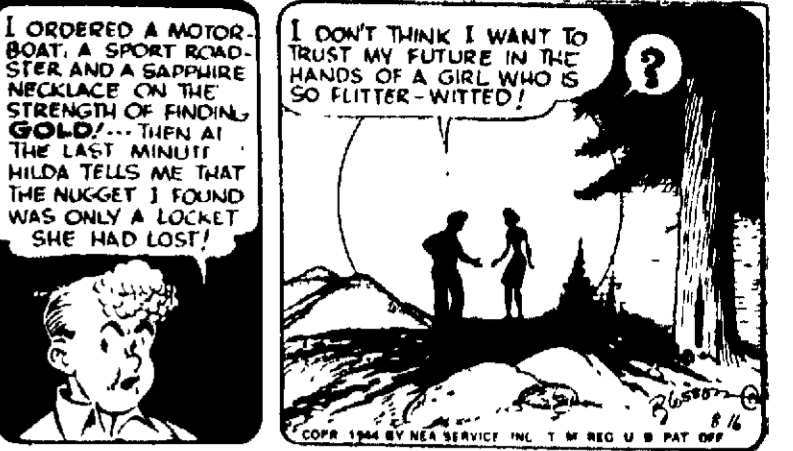
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- 4:15—News and Books in Review—mbs
- 4:30—News Comment: Blue Wave—mbs
- 4:45—Sports Adventures Series—mbs
- 5:00—The News and Sports—mbs
- 5:15—Calling Pan-America in Concert—mbs
- 5:30—You, a "Slingshot" Quiz—mbs
- 5:45—Half Hour for Dancing Music—mbs
- 6:00—Minstrel Melodies by Orch.—mbs
- 6:15—Victory Ball Variety Show—mbs
- 6:30—News, 21 Stars, Army Show—mbs
- 6:45—This is from Halloran Hospital—mbs
- 7:00—Music on Disney, Jingles—mbs
- 7:15—Hospital Nighting, Film—mbs
- 7:30—Fido Condon and Jazz Concert—mbs
- 7:45—Half Hour with Dance Music—mbs
- 8:00—Great Britain Concert—mbs
- 8:15—The Sampson Parade, News—mbs
- 8:30—News, Home Headlines Review—mbs
- 8:45—To Be Announced (20 m.)—mbs
- 9:00—News in Afternoon Variety—mbs
- 9:15—Home News—mbs
- 9:30—Home News—mbs
- 9:45—Home News and Comment—mbs
- 10:00—To Be Announced (20 m.)—mbs
- 10:15—The 21st Century—mbs
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- 11:45—The 21st Century—mbs
- 12:00—The 21st Century—mbs



BLOOD AND GUTS—L.L. Gen. S. Patton, wearing own designed uniforms, grins as he leaves his French headquarters. (NEA Telephone).

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—LOOKING AHEAD

By MERRILL BLOSSER



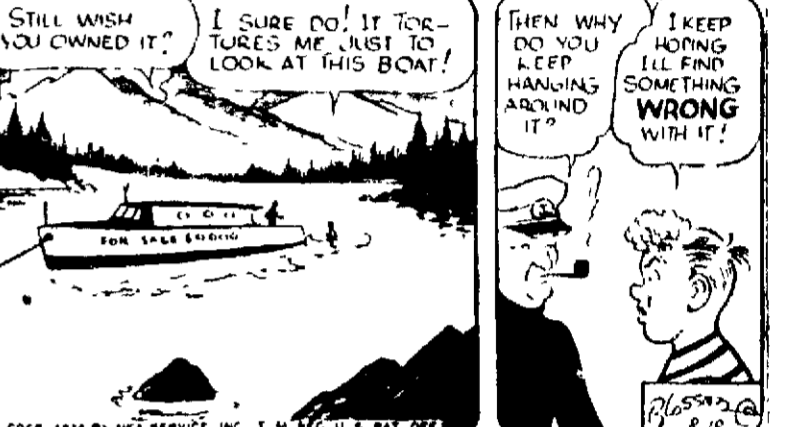
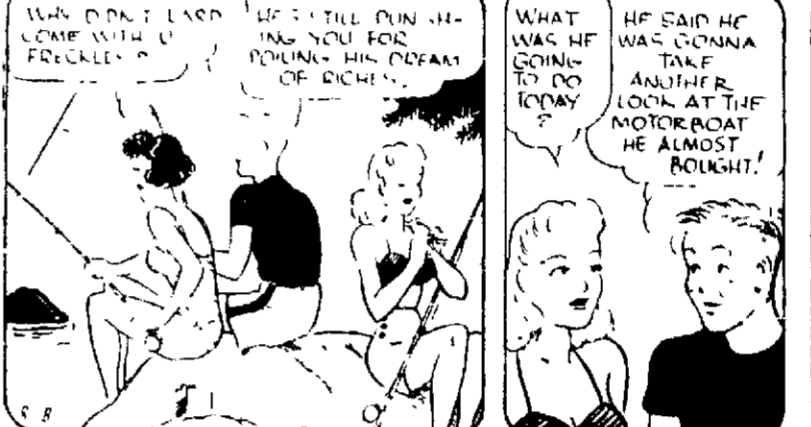
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Pipe Down, Mr. Plumber, Let Science Find Trouble

By FRANK CAREY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—You think scientists are impractical, listen to how Dr. Charles G. Abbot, retired secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, pulled a first—one his plumber. Some of the pipes got plugged up in Abbot's house. The plumber said he would have to hunt for an outlet valve somewhere beneath Abbot's front lawn. He got all set to dig up most of the yard, but Abbot didn't go for the idea. He rigged up a magnetic device out of a jar and a couple of metal rods, wandered about the yard a bit and finally pointed to a spot. "Dig there," he said. The plumber muttered something about "these scientific boobies," but sure enough he found the valve. A small piece of wood was blocking the pipe. The plumber was gleeful. "We gotta dig the whole pipe out now, Doc," he grumbled. "I'll draw up a contract and begin diggin' tomorrow!" Abbot said he'd think it over. The next week the doctor underwent minor surgical operation to have a small growth removed from the inside of his nose. Noting the instrument the surgeon used—a wire-like arrangement with a sharp hook on the end—Abbot got a bright idea. When he got home, he poked

around in his basement and rigged up an instrument on the same principle. Near the hook, he attached a small mirror he borrowed from his wife. Using a flashlight, he got the piece of wood out in jig time. "The plumber was fit to be tied," he recalls, "but that isn't the end of the story. I wrote an article about the incident for a magazine, entitling my story 'Mr. Tech Man Beats the Plumber.' I got \$100 for the story, and since then it's been reprinted a number of times, bringing me royalties!" "That surgical operation cost me \$20—so with the money I saved on a plumber's bill, and the money I got from the story, I guess I did all right on my investment!"

BLIND YOUTH GIVES OPERA

LLOYDELL, Pa., Aug. 19.—(UP)

A keyboard virtuoso at 17, Henry Evancie, blind since birth, presented his own opera, "Slippery Nick, the Giant," at the annual graduation exercises at Western Pennsylvania School for the Blind. The youthful pianist, an honor student, includes in his memorized repertoire the works of Bach, Mozart, Beethoven, Liszt and Handel. The energy in one day's output of U. S. bituminous coal mines could lift 4,190,720 tons one mile up into the air.

ANONYMOUS THANKS

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 19.—(UP) An out-of-town couple found refuge from the famed 1938 hurricane in the Union hospital. Now they have expressed their gratitude by donating a special \$1,500 orthopedic table to the hospital, under the sponsorship of Mr. and Mrs. Anonymous.

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