

Variety Keynote of Films Scheduled for This Week-End

A remarkably large variety of films are scheduled for showing on the screens of Lima theatres this week-end, five of which have a comedy background.

On the bill at the Sigma theatre is one of the most mysterious and intriguing films ever to reach the screen of a Lima theatre. That veteran pair of cinematic evil-doers, Sydney Greenstreet and Peter Lorre, join forces with an equally malevolent Geraldine Fitzgerald to portray "Three Strangers" in the new melodrama by that name.

This Ohio theatre is brimming with laughter while "Cinderella Jones" continues its run there. Starting these two who will long be remembered for their performances in "Rhapsody in Blue," Joan Leslie and Robert Alda, the film tells of a girl who inherits a huge sum of money but before claiming it must marry a man with a high IQ. In her quest to find such a man, she overlooks the man she loves, but inevitably returns to him.

Opening a day earlier in order to allow an extra privilege to those who had not seen the picture before, or who wanted to see it again, the film "The Harvey Girls" comes to the State theatre Saturday. Starring Judy Garland and John Hodiak, the picture tells of those brave girls who braved the wilds of the west to bring good food and a part of civilization to those traveling, migrating folks. A couple of films with equal amounts of suspense, comedy and music will open at the Lyric theatre Saturday midnight. "Blonde from Brooklyn" will afford plenty of laughs for the comedy-minded folks while "Tornado in the Saddle" will bring in the thrills of the west.

A story with such great impact that it nearly rocked the nation from its foundation is told in "Black Market Babies" the film currently playing at the Quilna theatre. With Ralph Morgan in the role of the doctor, blackmailed into accepting a position in a maternity home, the film has been greeted by appreciative audiences.

Judy Garland and Robert Walker come to the Majestic theatre Sunday in "The Clock" the beloved story of a soldier on a 48-hour leave and the girl he met, felt in

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ORIO—"Cinderella Jones" with Joan Leslie and Robert Alda.
QUILNA—"Black Market Babies" with Ralph Morgan and Kane Richmond; also "Swing Parade of 1946."
SIGMA—"Three Strangers" with Sydney Greenstreet, Geraldine Fitzgerald and Peter Lorre; also "River Boat Rhythm."
STATE—"The Harvey Girls" with Judy Garland, John Hodiak and Angela Lansbury; also "Terror by Night."
LYRIC—"Flame of the Barbary Coast" with Ann Dvorak and John Wayne; also "Guns of the Law."
ALLEN—"Hoosier Holiday" with Duke Evans, also "Bar 20" with William Boyd and Andy Clyde.
MAJESTIC—"What Next, Corporal Hargrove" with Robert Walker and Keenan Wynn; also "Along Came Jones" with Gary Cooper and Loretta Young.
COMING UP
ORIO—"The Spiral Staircase" due Friday.
QUILNA—"Along the Navajo Trail" and "Hit the Hay" due Friday.
SIGMA—"Blithe Spirit" and "Out of the Depths" due Wednesday.
STATE—"Sailor Takes a Wife" and "Wild Beasts at Bay" due Thursday.
LYRIC—"Blonde from Brooklyn" and "Tornado in the Saddle" due Saturday midnight.
ALLEN—"South of the Rio Grande" and "Dillinger" open Sunday.
MAJESTIC—"The Clock" and "Nothing But Trouble" due Sunday.

love with and married during that short period. The co-feature has Laurel and Hardy in "Nothing But Trouble."



"IT'S LOVE"—Robert Stanton (formerly known as Bob Haymes) and Lynn Merrick are the boy and girl who sing love songs to each other in the new comedy with music, "Blonde from Brooklyn" which features them with Thurston Hall and Mary Treen opening Saturday midnight at the Lyric theatre.



"A WOMAN SCORNED"—Angela Lansbury is jealous over the attentions John Hodiak is showing Judy Garland in this scene from "The Harvey Girls," in technicolor opening Saturday at the State theatre.

LAST DAY
"HOOSIER HOLIDAY"
and
"BAR 20"
ALLEN
STARTS SUNDAY
"DILLINGER"
plus
"Cisco Kid -- South of the Rio Grande"

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I DON'T MIND LETTING HIM LICK ME AS LONG AS YOU PAY ME A BUCK FOR LAYING DOWN! BUT I'VE GOT MY PRIDE! AND IF HE ADVERTISES HIS VICTORIES OVER ME, I'M GONNA UP MY PRICE 50 CENTS!
HECTOR... CAN'T YOU JUST SLUG ME ON THE CHIN, AND TAKE IT OUT IN TRADE?
OH, BOY... WE'VE BEEN LIBERATED!
ARE YOU SURE YOU BROKE THAT ALBUM OF BOOGIE-WOOGIE RECORDINGS?
YEP---THE HOT PLATTERS ARE BURIED HERE!
WELL, LET'S BURY THEM EVEN DEEPER SO THEY'LL NEVER BE EXHUMED!
MR. VOGEL, YOU'RE A PAL!
LARD, NOW WE'RE ON THE HOOK! OH, BROTHER!
HEY, JUNIOR--I WANNA TELL YOU SOMETHING!
COME WITH ME--IT'S TIME FOR YOUR 3 O'CLOCK BOXING LESSON!
YOU GET HECTOR AND BRING HIM TO THE OLD TREE IN OTT'S ORCHARD!
OKAY, I'LL SEE YOU LATER!
WHERE WE GOIN?
OUT TO OTT'S ORCHARD! JUNIOR VOGEL IS WAITING THERE TO PIN YOUR EARS BACK!
WHAT'D YA BRING ME OUT HERE FOR?
WE'RE GOING TO TRY A LITTLE EXPERIMENT, JUNIOR!
HILDA AND I WANNA FIND OUT IF IT'S REALLY POSSIBLE TO KILL TWO WITH ONE STONE!
FOR QUITE SOME TIME I'D BEEN FORCED TO PAY A PRICE FOR HECTOR'S AND JUNIOR'S SILENCE! BUT NOW HE'VE LEARNED THEM NO LONGER--AND SINCE THEY ARE MORTAL ENEMIES, HE HAS ARRANGED A LITTLE MEETING!
HECTOR, THERE'LL BE NO MORE HUSH MONEY FROM ME!
AND, JUNIOR, YOUR FATHER KNOWS ABOUT THE RECORDINGS!
SO OUR BOOKS ARE BALANCED!
AND WE'RE GOING TO LEAVE YOU HERE TO SETTLE YOUR OWN WAR!
AND TO DISCOURAGE ANY POSSIBLE RETREAT, WE'RE GONNA CONFISCATE YOUR MOBILE UNITS!

Q'S AND A'S
Q—What mechanical means does an ice breaker vessel use to step up its efficiency and power?
A—Port and starboard water tanks are filled and the water is pumped back and forth, thus keeping the vessel rocking—boring its way.
Q—How is the German V-1 flying bomb made to nose down at the right time?
A—A "windmill" spins in the nose, and an electric counter records the revolutions. After a

fixed number—gauged to time and distance—the bomb's mechanical steering apparatus reacts.
Q—How many people miss work each day due to illness or other disability?
A—7,000,000.
Q—How much do aircraft carriers cost?
A—Some as little as \$19,000,000, but big ones cost \$60,000,000 to \$70,000,000.
Q—What is a widgeon?
A—A species of wild duck.
Q—Has troublous Java always been a colony of the Dutch?
A—No. The Portuguese settled Java in the 1600's, then came the Dutch, then France and Eng-

land and again the Dutch, who have held the island since 1816, except for Jap occupation.
Q—When was the first rural road paved in the United States?
A—In 1792, when the Philadelphia-Baltimore road was macadamized.
Q—Has Romania paid Russia any reparations due under the recent armistice?
A—Delivered 475,000 or more tons of oil, which formerly went to Germany.
Q—What is Livadia Palace.
A—Yalta, scene of the Big Three conference, usually used for?
A—It's a rest home for Soviet workers, except for one suite of 10 rooms (of a total of 160) pre-

served as a museum of the Czar's luxury.

WLOK LIMA LOG DIAL
P.M. "LIMA TIME" SATURDAY
6:00 144th Anniv. of U. S. Military Academy NRC
6:30 Program Personalities NRC
6:45 Religion in the News NRC
7:00 Our Foreign Policy NRC
7:30 Excursions in Science NRC
7:45 Krantz News NRC
8:00 Life of Riley (P & G Tell) NRC
8:15 Truth or Consequences (P & G Tell) NRC
9:00 National Barn Dance (Alka Seltzer) NRC
9:30 Can You Top This (Palmolive Share Croppers) NRC
10:00 Lady Caters (Colgate Tooth Powder) NRC
10:30 Grand Ole Opry (Prince Albert) NRC
11:00 Lima Women Mills News NRC
11:15 Music From Saratov NRC
11:30 Terrace Room Orchestra NRC
A.M. SUNDAY
8:00 NBC News NRC
8:30 Oregon Rural NRC
8:45 Boone County Neighbors NRC
9:00 Rhythm Ramble NRC
9:15 View in Review NRC
9:30 Words and Music NRC
9:45 Tune Time NRC
10:00 Music From Saratov NRC
10:30 NBC String Trio NRC
11:00 Sunday Morning Melodies NRC
11:45 This Rhythmic Age NRC

CONTINUOUS SHOWS SAT. & SUN.
DOORS OPEN AT 12:30 NOON
TONIGHT ONLY
MAJESTIC
"What Next CORPORA HARGROVE?"
ROBERT WALKER-KEANAN WYNN
Coming SUNDAY
Laurel & Hardy in "Nothing But Trouble"
Judy Garland, Robt. Walker in "The Clock"

LYRIC BIG
Midnight Show
Starts At 11:30 P. M.
SEE SEE SEE
Russell Hayden in "A TORNADO IN THE SADDLE"
"BLONDE FROM BROOKLYN"
"WHO'S GUILTY"

QUILNA
"Your baby belongs to the syndicate!"
JOAN LESLIE and ROBERT ALDA
SZSAKALL
W. Disney's "Knight for a Day"
Musical "Little Witch"—News
STARTS FRIDAY!
DOROTHY MCGUIRE, GREG BRENT
"SPIRAL STAIRCASE"

MONOGRAM presents
SWING PARADE of 1946
GALE STORM - PHIL REGAN
3 STOOGES - CONNIE BOSWELL
LOUIS JORDAN and his Tympany Five
WILL OSBORNE and his Orchestra

Irish Songs To Feature Saturday Radio Programs

There'll be shamrocks and a bit of "ould sod" in the singing of Dick Haymes and Helen Forrest, for it's a grand St. Patrick's Day production number the two are offering on "The Dick Haymes Show" at 8 p. m. Saturday over CBS.

Allan Roberts, top-ranking songwriter, will appear in person as the featured guest on "Tin Pan Alley of the Air" at 5:45 p. m. Saturday over NBC.

In helping celebrate St. Patrick's Day, Victor Hebert's operetta, "Eileen," the locale of which is Ireland, will be presented on the "Chicago Theatre of the Air" at 10 p. m. Saturday over MBS.

Marion Claire, prima donna of the series, will be the singing star, with Morton Lowe, Metropolitan Opera tenor, to be heard in the part of Barry O'Day, Irish rebel leader.

Jack Kirkland, author of that most profitable non-stop stage success, "Tobacco Road," will be out to prove that he knows as much about the psychology of glamorous girls as he does about the characters portrayed in his play, when he appears as male guest on the roundtable of romance "Leave It to the Girls" at 9 p. m. Saturday over MBS.

Kirkland will be matching wits

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SATURDAY, MAR. 16 (Lima Time)
P. M.
2:00—Your Buffalo Host—nbc
2:30—The Baxter Family—nbc
2:50—Ozark Jubilee—nbc
3:00—Assignment Home—nbc
4:00—Doctors At Home—nbc
4:30—Piano Quartet—nbc
5:00—Music of Moments—nbc
5:30—Parade of Sports—nbc
5:45—A. W. Vanderhook—nbc
6:00—Tin Pan Alley—nbc
6:10—Rhapsody in Rockies—nbc
6:30—Clemmy and Nemo—nbc
6:45—People's Platform, a Forum—nbc
7:00—Tin Pan Alley, Repeat—nbc
7:10—Religion in the News—nbc
7:30—Our Foreign Policy—nbc
7:45—Eileen—nbc
8:00—Life of Riley—nbc
8:15—Hector—nbc
8:30—Truth or Consequences—nbc
8:45—Barrymore—nbc
8:55—Five Minutes in News—nbc
9:00—National Barn Dance Show—nbc
9:30—Saturday Night Parade—nbc
9:45—Saturday Night's Serenade—nbc
10:00—Judy Canova—nbc
10:15—Celebrity Club—nbc
10:30—Grand Ole Opry via Radio—nbc
11:00—Variety—nbc
Barn Jamboree—nbc

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"LOVIN' and LAUGHIN' and EVERY THIN"
WARNER'S CINDERELLA JONES
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Tops the thrills and threats of
"The Maltese Falcon"
GREENSTREET FITZGERALD PETER LORRE
Three Strangers
WARNER suspense hit!
2ND BIG HIT
THE SHOW-BOAT'S A-ROCKIN'
RIVERBOAT RHYTHM
LEON ERROL - JOAN NEWTON

STARTS TODAY
"ON THE ATTORNEY TOPEKA FOR THE SANTA FE"
Feature Shows
at 1:00, 2:45, 3:35, 5:30, 6:35, 8:20, 9:25
JUDY GARLAND
IN M-G-M's Technicolor ROMANCE
"The HARVEY GIRLS"
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