

At The La Grande Theatres

"GRAND HOTEL" TO BE AT GRANADA

Famous Picture Road-showed Through Country—Other Films Booked.

PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK AT LA GRANDE THEATRES

The Liberty
 Sunday, Monday: Barbara Stanwyck in "The Purchase Price" with George Brent.
 Tuesday, Wednesday: William Haines in "Are You Listening?" with Madge Evans and Anita Page.
 Thursday, Friday: Norma Shearer in "Private Lives" with Robert Montgomery.

The Granada
 Thursday, Friday: "Grand Hotel" with Greta Garbo, Wallace Beery, Joan Crawford, Lionel Barrymore, John Barrymore, Lewis Stone, Jean Hersholt.

Heading next week's program at the Liberty and Granada theatres is "Grand Hotel," which will be shown at the Granada on Thursday and Friday. This engagement will be the only time the film will be shown in this vicinity this season, it is reported.

This is the first time since the days of "Ben Hur" and "The Big Parade" that any picture has been "roadshowed" nationally on such a large scale. Plans worked out by M-G-M officials for exclusive first runs, twice daily showings of "Grand Hotel" in hundreds of cities throughout the country followed the overwhelming public and press response to the film at its world premiere at the Astor theatre, New York.

The cast of "Grand Hotel" has been termed the most remarkable ever assembled for any screen production. Seven of the leading screen stars head the list—Greta Garbo, John Barrymore, Joan Crawford, Wallace Beery, Lionel Barrymore, Lewis Stone and Jean Hersholt.

In New York City the advance sale of tickets for "Grand Hotel" was the largest in the history of the Astor theatre. As a result of the unprecedented public demand for tickets, seats are now being sold for three months ahead.

Greta Garbo has the part of Grusinskaya, the Russian dancer who falls in love with a pearl-stealing baron (John Barrymore). Lionel Barrymore has the role of Kringlein, the invalid out for a final fling at life. Joan Crawford has the part of the seductive stenographer Plasmichen and Wallace Beery appears as Preysing, the textile magnate.

"The Purchase Price"
 This picture, showing at the Liberty Sunday and Monday, is the story of Joan Gordon, an entertainer at a New York night club, who sickens of the life and tells the proprietor, whose "girl" she is, that she is through with him. She has made up her mind to marry a wealthy young man who has told her he wants to take her out of the night club life. But he gives her up when threatened with dishonor and she flees to Montreal. Then she goes west to marry a man through an arrangement with a matrimonial agency.

Barbara Stanwyck, George Brent, Lyle Talbot, Hardie Albright, Davis Landau, Leila Bennett and others appear in the cast.

"Are You Listening?"
 A radio racket is exposed in "Are You Listening," the Tuesday, Wednesday feature at the Liberty, which dives into the less familiar behind-the-scenes aspects of this industry. The picture is unusual in combining the diverse elements of tragedy, romance and comedy.

Featured players are William Haines, Madge Evans, Joan Marsh, Neil Hamilton, Anita Page and Jean Hersholt.

"Private Lives"
 The ever popular Norma Shearer has the leading role in this picture and with her are two of the leading men of the screen today—Reginald Denny and Robert Montgomery. Una Merrell, Jean Hersholt and George Davis also appear in the cast.

It is a brilliant comedy, based on the Noel Coward hit, which has delighted Manhattan audiences during past theatrical seasons. The story

COMING TO LA GRANDE



GRETA GARBO, JOHN BARRYMORE, JOAN CRAWFORD, WALLACE BEERY and LIONEL BARRYMORE in "GRAND HOTEL"



NORMA SHEARER and ROBERT MONTGOMERY in "PRIVATE LIVES"

concerns the diverting complications which arise when a divorced couple make another try at marriage with fresh partners and find themselves sharing adjoining suites on their second honeymoon.

Baseball Standings

By the Associated Press

COAST LEAGUE		
	W.	L.
Portland	72	48
Hollywood	69	51
San Francisco	62	55
Los Angeles	63	56
Seattle	56	63
Sacramento	55	65
Oakland	52	68
Mission	46	71

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Pittsburgh	59	38
Chicago	52	43
Boston	49	48
Philadelphia	51	50
Brooklyn	49	51
St. Louis	46	50
New York	43	52
Cincinnati	43	59

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.
New York	66	33
Cleveland	58	40
Philadelphia	59	42
Washington	55	44
Detroit	51	44
St. Louis	44	53
Chicago	32	63
Boston	25	71

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

Coast League
 Portland 8, Missions 7.
 Hollywood 6, Seattle 5.
 Los Angeles 20-6, Oakland 6-5.
 Sacramento 8, San Francisco 1.

American League
 Washington 10, St. Louis 6.
 Cleveland 4, New York 3.
 Chicago 4, Boston 3.

National League
 Pittsburgh 4, New York 3.
 Brooklyn 7, St. Louis 4.
 Philadelphia 5, Cincinnati 2.

Only games.

HARRY M. ADAMS DIES

BERKELEY, Cal., July 29 (AP)—Harry M. Adams, retired president of the Western Pacific railroad, died here today. He had suffered from heart trouble several years. He was 65 years old.

Olympic Athletes Begin Competition on Sunday

PORTLAND TAKES FOURTH STRAIGHT

Hollywood Also Wins, so Beavers' Three-Game Lead Remains Same.

By the Associated Press
 Portland needed ten innings to beat the Missions 8 to 7 after the Reds tied the game at seven-all in the ninth, scoring two runs by means of a homer and a double. Batteries: Missions, H. Pilette, R. Osborne, Lieber and Hofmann; Portland, Shellenback and Bassler. Seattle, Sheltenback and Bassler. Seattle, Sheltenback and Bassler.

Los Angeles ran away from the Oaks to win 20 to 6 in the first game of a double bill Friday night, and took the second, 8 to 5 after a three-run rally in the seventh. In the opener the Angels made 17 hits off three Oakland pitchers and were aided by five visitors' errors. Emil Malibo, Oakland outfielder, was called in to pitch in the first game. He had a perfect evening at bat, getting seven straight hits. Batteries: First game, Oakland, A. Walsh, Fieber, Malibo and Le Veque; Smith; Los Angeles, Stitzer and Campbell; second game, Joiner, Ludolph and Le Veque; Moncrief and Cronin.

Sacramento's Senators made it three games out of four from the Seals by winning 8 to 1, aided by seven San Francisco errors and several wild throws. Flynn kept the Seals well in check, holding them scoreless after the second inning, while Stine and Simon on the mound for San Francisco got poor support in their attempts to stop the Sacramento barrage.

BIGGEST SHOW ON EARTH IS OPENED

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modern era in 1896 at Athens. Greece, by Baron Pierre de Coubertin of France, who foresaw a political career in order that he might devote his life to the furtherance of sports.

MANY SPORTS NOW

In the ancient games, athletes competed in only a few sports. The modern games include many. Competitions at Los Angeles will be held in the following:

Weightlifting, fencing, track and field, wrestling, field hockey, cycling, pentathlon, yachting, swimming, demonstration lacrosse, gymnastics, boxing, rowing, equestrian sports, demonstration American football and shooting.

Also, twenty-three nations will compete in fine arts during the games, which includes paintings and prints, sculpture and architectural projects.

Although not Olympic events, American football and lacrosse will be demonstrated by skilled players. The football match will be played between two teams from six of America's greatest colleges.

The west will be represented by players from California, Stanford and Southern California universities. Players from Yale, Harvard and Princeton will represent the east.

The lacrosse tournament will be played between teams from Canada, Great Britain and the United States.

Although nine stadia, with a combined seating capacity of 350,000 persons, will be used during the games, the hub of Olympic events will be in Olympic stadium, the largest structure of its kind in the world.

The stadium was erected at a cost of \$1,700,000 and seats 105,000 persons. Swimming, weightlifting, boxing, fencing, wrestling and cycling events will be held in the other stadia.

Yachting races will be staged off Los Angeles harbor; the equestrian sports on the grounds of a local country club, and the shooting events at the Los Angeles police department's \$25,000 pistol range.

Season tickets to the various events range from \$9 to \$22. Tickets

for individual events are priced from \$1 to \$3. Through the sale of tickets, officials of the games expect to break even on the cost of constructing the stadia and Olympic village.

EXPECT MILLION GATE

One million persons are expected to view the competitions. Because of the large number of sports, it will be impossible for one person to witness all the events. On the sixth day of the games, simultaneous competitions will be held in six sports.

Winners in individual events will be presented medals and diplomas. The nation scoring the highest number of points will be likewise honored. Judges have been selected from each of the competing nations.

On the opening and closing days of the games, spectacular ceremonies will be conducted in Olympic stadium. The competing athletes will stage a gigantic parade on the opening day and take the traditional Olympic oath. The closing ceremony will be featured by making of awards.

The oath the contestants will take follows: "We swear that we will take part in the Olympic games in loyal competition, respecting the regulations which govern them and desirous of participating in them in the true spirit of sportsmanship and for the glory of sport."

The following nations will be represented in the 1932 Olympic games: Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Great Britain, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Holland and Hungary.

India, Irish Free State, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, New Zealand, Norway, Peru, Philippine Islands, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Salvador, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, South Africa, United States, Turkey, Uruguay, Venezuela and Ecuador.

SOVIET RUSSIA IS FORTIFYING

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is preparing to abandon the Chinese Eastern, which is now operating at a big loss. Already the 400-mile stretch from Harbin to Vladivostok has been suspended and operation has been interrupted by floods along the western section from Harbin to Manchuria.

Representatives of French banking interests are here investigating the possibility of buying out the soviet interest in the road.

Apparently believing Japan intends to absorb Manchuria, most of the Russian business firms in Harbin are closing. Within the last two months more than 2,000 soviet citizens returned to Russia from Manchuria on orders from Moscow.

Russians are chartering freight cars in which to transport their families and their belongings en masse to Russia.

Scoured by Chinese bandits and insurgents, cut off from the outside world by mail because of the Chinese postal boycott, Manchuria's commerce is paralyzed and no one denies that she is in a critical plight.

Many foreign and native businessmen are leaving for Southern China. They profess to see little hope for the future in Manchuria. Declaring it as their belief that Japan intends to go ahead with its plans for this part of the world regardless of what the league of nations may do.

THREE FINALS ON BOOKS TOMORROW IN BIG STADIUM

Trials to Be Held in 100 Meter Race, 400 Meter Hurdles and 800 Meter Run Also.

By Alan Gould

(Associated Press Sports Editor)

LOS ANGELES, July 30 (AP)—The tumult and shouting, the oratory and Paavo Nurmi, Finland's banished "martyr" will blend into the background of a record smashing battle for Olympic athletic honors tomorrow.

Gathered from the far corners of the globe, the speed and brawn, skill and endurance of close to 2000 athletes representing 39 nations, will compete in a kaleidoscopic whirl of sporting activity unprecedented in Olympic history. In their wake over a stretch of two unbroken weeks of action in 16 sports, it is confidently expected Father Time and Old Man Distance will be left dizzily contemplating a veritable wreckage of records.

Events Begin Sunday

The main attack on existing standards will be launched Sunday afternoon in the track and field sports, long the blue-ribbon feature of the Olympics.

Six of the grand total of 23 track and field contests will furnish the chief attraction for perhaps 100,000 onlookers in the huge Olympic stadium. Finals will take place in the high jump, shotput and 10,000 meter run, in addition to trials in the 100 meter dash, 400 meter hurdles and 800 meter run.

The shotput world record should be blasted loose by either of the outstanding favorites, Leo Sexton of the United States or Frantisek Douba of Czechoslovakia.

The two series of 100 meter eliminations should indicate clearly just how high America's hopes may be raised in the attempt of Ralph Metcalfe, George Simpson and Eddie Tolan to restore sprinting prestige lost by this country in the last two Olympics.

High Jump a Sweep?
 The high jump should be a sweep for the United States, with either Bobo Van Osdel or George Spitz the victor, and the rugged young sons of Finland, Iso-Hollo and Virtanen, figure to lead the 10,000 meter pack in the absence of their renowned compatriot, Nurmi, barred from the games on charges of professionalism two days ago.

In both the hurdles and 800 meters the American entries figure to make a good showing but they will be up against the keenest sort of competition to survive the preliminaries. Uncle Sam's main hopes may rest on the veteran Morgan Taylor, holder of the 400 meter hurdles record, and Eddie Geunig, the slim national half mile champion.

Rugged Team Tussle
 In fact the whole track and field prospect, for eight consecutive days, presents the most rugged sort of a tussle for the Americans in their fight to keep the team championship they have held ever since the Olympics were revived in 1896. What ever may be the margin of the U. S. A. on points at the finish, developed

all along the line, the first place honors will be briskly disrupted.

In advance the United States seems assured of no more than eight gold medals. Finland's inspired little band, aroused by the banishment of Nurmi, will exert every muscle to do as well. Great Britain, Canada, Germany, Japan, Italy and Argentina may also see their flags sent to the topmost victory pole, at least once, before the laurel is placed on the marathon winner next Sunday afternoon, Aug. 7.

As the American sprinters go, so may go the general fortunes of the homebred forces. Triumph in the 100 meters final, Monday, for any one of the American trio over the strong foreign cast, including Percy Williams of Canada, defending champion, and Arthur Jonath of Germany, will go far toward bolstering up the spirit of the entire United States team.

On form, Metcalfe, the sensational Marquette negro and new champion, is the American favorite in both sprints but Eddie Tolan apparently has come up to a racing peak since the final tryouts and will be hard to beat, particularly with his experience taken into account. Simpson has been affected by a cold but he, too, is a seasoned campaigner with a knack of doing his best when the stakes are most important.

Here are the Olympic track and field selections, based on an Associated Press consensus:

100 meter—Tolan, U. S. A.; Metcalfe, U. S. A.; Williams, Canada.
 200 meters—Metcalfe, U. S. A.; Tolan, U. S. A.; Jonath, Germany.
 400 meters—Eastman or Carr, U. S. A.; Rampling, England.
 800 meters—Hamston, England; Seta Martin, France; Geunig, U. S. A.
 1500 meters—Becalli, Italy; Halliwell, U. S. A.; Larva, Finland.
 5000 meters—Lehtinen, Finland; Virtanen, Finland; Hill, U. S. A.
 10,000 meters—Iso-Hollo, Finland; Kusocinski, Poland; Ribas, Argentina.
 3000 meter steeplechase—Iso-Tollo, Finland; McCluskey, U. S. A.; Tiovonen, Finland.
 Marathon—Zabala, Argentina; De Bruyn, Germany; Kyronen, Finland.
 110 meter hurdles—Keller, U. S. A.; Saling, U. S. A.
 400 meter hurdles—Lord Burghley, England; Facelli, Italy; Taylor, U. S. A.
 50,000 meter walk—Frigerio, Italy; Hinkel, U. S. A.; Cieman, Canada.
 400 meter relay—Germany, U. S. A., Canada.
 1600 meter relay—Great Britain, U. S. A., Germany.
 Shotput—Sexton, U. S. A.; Douba, Czechoslovakia; Hirschfeld, Germany.
 Discus—Anderson, U. S. A.; Remeca, Hungary; Jessup, U. S. A.
 Javelin—M. Jarvinen, Finland; Penttila, Finland; Sunde, Norway.
 Hammer—Porhola, Finland; O'Callaghan, Ireland; Conner, U. S. A.
 High jump—Spitz, U. S. A.; Van Osdel, U. S. A.; Johnson, U. S. A.
 Pole vault—Graber, U. S. A.; Miller, U. S. A.; Nishida, Japan.
 Broad jump—Nambu, Japan; Barber, U. S. A.; Cator, Haiti.
 Hop, step and jump—Oshima or Oda, Japan; Bowman, U. S. A.
 Decathlon—A. Jarvinen, Finland; Vrijola, Finland; Bausch, U. S. A.

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By Johnny Farrell (As Told to Arlie McGovern)

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For instance, it used to be felt that no golfer's technique could be perfect if the right elbow was not kept in close to the body during the swing.

We now find, however, from careful study of our star golfers—particularly through the use of motion pictures—that it is impossible to keep the right elbow in such a position without bending the left arm.

Quite naturally we may be guilty of going to the opposite extreme and raising the right elbow too high. This also will ruin a swing.

The point to keep in mind is that the left arm must be straight as it guides the clubhead back slowly along the ground, and the left shoulder must be kept down so that it passes right under the chin.

Keep the right elbow in a comfortable position near the body, but make no effort to hold it in a manner which will restrict the straight left arm.

Motto From Washington

From the neglected sayings of George Washington comes this motto: "I had rather be on my farm than be emperor of the world."—Country Home.

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