

The Week's Events In Salem Theaters

GUTHRIE BOOKS BIG 'TALKIE' FEATURE

Another big all-talking picture booked by George B. Guthrie, owner and manager of the Elsinore, under the recently announced new policy of bigger and better entertainment, is Richard Dix in his first all-talking picture, "Nothing But The Truth." This production is announced as coming to the Elsinore following the run of "The Rainbow Man," which is now current.

"Nothing But The Truth," is said to be one of the best pictures that Dix has had occasion to appear in. It also furnishes the popular star with an excellent opportunity to display his dramatic and comedy versatility.

This picture is that favorite of farce successes revamped for the screen, filled with the newer and better comedy situations and an adequate trimming of music and dancing.

Dix plays the part of the young man who makes a wager that he can tell nothing but the truth for 24 consecutive hours. He wins the bet after going through a veritable circus of bizarre and uproariously amusing situations. The play is full of rich humor and does not lag for an instant.

Helen Kane, famous phonograph artist, plays a stellar part in the picture, as her famous "baby talk" manner is an agreeable feature of the production.

'DESERT SONG' TO THRILL ITS HEARERS

"The Desert Song," thrilling Riff operetta will be at the Elsinore on Thursday night, June 20. Produced for the coast by Lillian Albertson, "The Desert Song" is repeating here the success it won in the East and abroad. The composer is Sigmund Romberg, who won all hearts with his "Student Prince" score. Oscar Hammerstein II, Otto Harbach and Frank Mandel collaborated on the story.

The production is altogether in keeping with the romantic locale of "The Desert Song"—far-off Morocco, both the desert tents and the spacious palace of the French governor. Cecil Stewart conducts an orchestra of 25, while a chorus of fully 40 male voices roars out the "Riff Riding Song," "Romance," "The Sabre Song," and "It's a Three Other Romberg songs that seldom fail to score a hit with "The Desert Song" audiences.

NEW CAUSE FOR IDLENESS

One of the causes for unemployment in Europe is that our working lives have been prolonged, declares a statistician. At one time, he says, "too old at forty" as the cry throughout the world, but we have now found that we are not too old at 60 or 65.

More than 29,000,000 sheep and lamb skins were tanned in this country last year.

Thrills



This is Nenette Vollen who plays the part of Azuri in the thrilling operetta, "The Desert Song" which comes to the Elsinore on Wednesday, June 26.

Joan, Doug, Jr. Knot Tied



No wonder the recent lovemaking of Joan Crawford and Doug Fairbanks, Jr., seems so real in their latest pictures. Were they not just practicing for this fade-out after their marriage at New York? Everything is hotsy-totsy with them now and Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., admits she is the happiest girl in the world.

FIVE ROOMS FOR PROPS Elaborate Settings Are Used By Doug 'IRON MASK' DRAMATIC

Five rooms were used for the storage of the properties for "The Iron Mask." Douglas Fairbanks' latest picture, which will be the attraction at the Bligh Capitol theater Sunday.

The props ranged in size from the tiny poison ring worn by the mad twin of Louis XIV, to the thousand-gallon wine kegs in the ancient inn. They varied in kind from a life-like doll baby to the warm and practical food served in many scenes.

The properties used in the picture were of two kinds, those designed and built especially for "The Iron Mask," and those rented or borrowed. The priceless antiques and seventeenth century furniture were obtained from art collectors' galleries and museums. The other props were built by the Fairbanks technical department after the designs of M. Maurice Leloir, world famous authority on the seventeenth century.

Club Is Organized By Gervais Women

GERVAIS, June 8.—Ten past Noble Grands of the Rebekah order, met at the home of Mrs. Mary Sawyer recently and organized a Past Noble Grand club. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Minnie Moore, president; Mrs. Dolphine Harris, vice president; Mrs. Anna Dunlavy, secretary; and Mrs. Florence Shields, treasurer. Standing buying committee: Mrs. Jessie Coomler and Mrs. Florence Shields. Refreshment committee: Mrs. Minnie Sigmund and Mrs. Minnie Moore. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Present were the following charter members of the club: Mrs. Florence Shields, Mrs. Ida Schwab, Mrs. Anna Dunlavy, Mrs. Minnie Moore, Mrs. Minnie Sigmund, Mrs. Dolphine Harris, Mrs. Gladys Flitts, Mrs. Jessie Coomler, Mrs. Minnie Alsop, and Mrs. Mary Sawyer.

Mrs. Minnie Sigmund will entertain the club at the next meeting which will be June 15. Plans are being made for sewing and furnishing some supplies for the Odd Fellows home at Portland.

'RAINBOW MAN' IS NEWEST SHOW HERE

The Elsinore Theatre started its new era of bigger and better entertainment with a bang, and capacity crowds were swarming to that playhouse to view the current program.

Eddie Dowling, considered one of Broadway's most popular musical comedy favorites, appears in his first all-talking, singing and dancing picture, entitled, "The Rainbow Man," which is the big spot on the bill.

This picture, which glorifies the minstrel man, has romance, pathos, comedy and action—all of which are intelligently played and sung as part of the plot. Dowling wrote the story, as well as the excellent lyrics, which is one of the bright features in the picture. Marion Nixon, Sam Hardy, and Frankie Darro, furnish Dowling with admirable support.

On the same bill for today only, will be an unusually fine Fanchon and Marco show, "Varieties." This show is an excellent stage performance and is very entertaining.

L. Carlos Meier will offer another of his inimitable organ concerts, which are proving very popular with Salem theatre-goers.

SENIORS GIVE BENCH TO UNIVERSITY HERE

The senior class of Willamette university leaves as its gift a new concrete senior bench, it was revealed Saturday afternoon at the class day exercises. Announcement of the gift was made by Donald Grant, president of the class, and the acceptance was by Rev. M. A. Marcy of the board of trustees. This bench will replace a bench given by the class of 1913. The old bench has become cracked and broken by the growth of the maple tree around which it was placed.

The senior class will be read by Lela Bell Sanders, class testator, and the class prophecy was revealed by Charles Kaufman and Carol Pratt. Athletic awards were presented by Coach Roy Keene for baseball, track and other spring sports. Forensic awards were presented by Professor Leland Olson and awards for work on the Willamette Collegian were presented by William Smullin, editor of the paper.

ALARM AT WOODBURN WOODBURN, June 8.—An early morning alarm brought the department out to the Leonard Fleishman place Thursday. The Fleishman place, located close between two other residences, was the scene of quite a bit of excitement. The volunteer firemen rushed to the call in hope of saving the other two houses only to find the alarm a false one. One of the neighbors upon seeing the smoke pouring from the windows sent the alarm in and when the gallant heroes in red came and climbed in the upstairs window they found Mrs. Fleishman quite unaware of the excitement. The cause of the whole thing which got the late risers in the community out ahead of schedule was the fumigation lamp burning downstairs.

AL SINGER WINS VALPARISO, Ind., June 8.—(AP)—Mrs. Catherine Cassler of Chicago was charged in a coroner's verdict announced here tonight with having fatally shot Miss Camelia Soutar whose body was found near Nebron, Ind., Decoration day.

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DESERT SONG

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METHODISTS WILL HOLD SCHOOL HERE

Plans for the three weeks daily church school which will open Monday morning, June 10, at the Jason Lee Methodist church are virtually completed. All children between the ages of five and 13 years are invited to attend, the committee announces. The school program will consist of Bible and study classes, games, music and dramatization arranged for the three departments: kindergarten, primary and junior. Registration will be held at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

Instructors for the school are announced as follows: kindergarten department—Mrs. E. C. Miller, Miss Gwendolyn Hubbard, Barbara Barham and Hazel Mason; primary—Miss Beulah Graham, Mariah Voth, Ruth Smith and Mrs. Maria Putnam; junior department—Miss Faith Friday, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Miss Eleanor Henderson and Rev. and Mrs. Harry Gardner. Mrs. Edna Ellis will be supervisor of the school and Miss Gladys Gilbert and Mrs. Clifton Mudd will have charge of the music.

CHILDREN'S DAY TO BE OBSERVED HERE

Children's day will be observed today at the Calvary Baptist church, when the following program will be given: Song, school; prayer by Rev. W. Earl Cochran, pastor; song by primary and kindergarten departments; reading, "Children's Day," by Bobby King; exercise, "Rainbow Gleams" by seven boys; exercise, "Friends Across the Sea," by Elizabeth Welborn, Marie White and Helen Ralph; reading, "God's Promise" by Schuyler Gile; exercise, "Three Good Boys" by Dwayne Blingenheimer, Dudley Blatchley and Stanley Welborn.

Exercise, "Message of the Flowers," by six primary girls; songs, "Night and Day," by primary and beginning pupils; salutes to American and Christian flags, junior

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JUNE 10-11

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Eddie Dowling, Marion Nixon and Frankie Darro in the Sono-Art production, "The Rainbow Man," a Paramount picture.

departments; exercise, "Our Flags" by junior boys; song by the "joy class"; song, "God's Word in the Garden" by intermediate girls. Closing song by the school.

Indian Chief Will Lecture At Store

Chief Little Bison, full blooded Sioux Indian, will lecture on the various tribes that once inhabited the Willamette valley when he appears this week at Miller's store. The chief is widely known as an expert on Indian lore. He is declared to have considerable knowledge of the history and legends of western Oregon as well as other parts of the northwest. A general invitation has been extended to the public to visit Miller's store and hear him lecture.

Two In Physical Education Group Given Diplomas

For the first time in the history of the physical education department at Willamette university, two students are graduating this year with physical education majors. Heretofore, not enough courses in physical education had been offered to constitute a major. Next year, several women majoring in physical education will be graduated, as well as a larger number of men. R. S. Keene, physical director at the university, is head of the department.

Twelve monkeys and a baby bear were recently taken by air from Amsterdam to London.

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Hear the songs which have enraptured the globe

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"Desert Love Song"

"Ho!"

"The Sabre Song"

"One Flower in Your Garden"

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A SONO-ART PRODUCTION

A Paramount ALL-TALKING Picture

40 EMPLOYEES ALL BUT FATALY HURT

SEATTLE, June 8.—(AP)—Miraculously escaping death today, more than 40 employees of the Harrison Dye works fought their way to the open air through lanes of burning clothes when an explosion of gas fumes turned the dry cleaning works into a seething inferno.

E. A. Croucher, secretary of the company, who was standing a few feet from the huge wooden tumbler when it exploded, was knocked to the floor and badly stunned. He groped his way to the street, where he recovered and returned to the burning building to assist workmen to safety. Mrs. Walter Lindberg, 25, was overcome by exhaustion and faint when she reached the street and collapsed. She was recovering at a hospital.

When firemen arrived, they found flames pouring out of the windows and through the roof from where it spread to a large frame apartment next door. The fire in both buildings was quickly extinguished, but not before the dye works had been damaged to the extent of \$30,000.



RICHARD DIX

"Nothing But the Truth"

A Paramount Picture

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