Majority of Shows Hilarious

STAGE-TO-MOVIES EPIC AT ELSINORE

Pageant of Entertainment History is Unusual; Many Stars Seen

Alice Brady, Jackie Cooper, Jimmy Durante, Frank Morgan, Fay Templeton, Madge Evans—brilliant names of Broadway and Hollywood—are on parade at the Elsinore theatre, when "Broadway to Hollywood," spectacular cavalcade of the theatre, is now showing.

The great Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer pageant of the stage, tells the story of three generations of troupers; the rise of vaudeville and the untimate decline of vaudeville in favor of the motion picture.

The dramatic climax shows five hundred dancers in the largest talking-picture set ever built.

Alice Brady and Frank Morgan play the original dancing team, progressing from youth to old age in superb characterizations. Jackie Cooper scores in the role of the young "hoofer," and Eddie Quillan gives a splendid impersonation of the grandson who becomes a famous Hollywood star. "Schnozzle" Durante makes his every appearance side-splitting, as usual, and the romantic interludes are ably handled by Madge Evans and Russell Hardie.

WILL CONSIDER GERVAIS BUDGET

GERVAIS, Oct. 14. — A meeting of the taxpayers of the city of Gervais is called for October 16 at 7:30 at the city hall to vote on the budget for next year. The budget calls for $3887.

A meeting for high school district No. 1 is called for October 28 at 8 o'clock for the purpose of discussing the budget for next year and voting on same. This budget calls for $17,706.68, for maintaining the school for the present year.

Cash Position of Silverton Bank is Showing Nice Gain

SILVERTON, Oct. 14 — The First National Bank of Silverton, which closed its doors a year ago, Aug. 1, has issued a periodic quarterly statement.

In making the statement, Lloyd Kelley, receiver, drew attention to the fact that the $20,000 RFC loan had now been paid in full, and that the cash position had increased from $4,753.54 in the statement as of June 30 to $13,904.56. Regarding collection there had been only a slight gain over last quarter, but Mr. Kelley said he looked for an increase hereafter.

Jack Buchanan is the man, but who is the blond—wife or secretary? Scene from "Yes, Mr. Brown," today at the State.

Scene from "Trailing the Killer," fast-moving animal film made in the Pacific northwest wilds, now showing at the Hollywood on a double bill.

ROLLICKING COMEDY AT STATE THEATRE

Now that the peak of the depression has passed, farce particplarly seems to be the order of the day, for people the world over are demanding the luxury of laughter. And laughter slightly tinged with insanity, at that.

"Yes, Mr. Brown," Jack Buchanan's latest United Artists picture, is based upon this new demand. Its comedy situations are based upon a slightly made premise, one having no consideration whatever with the realities of life. It will have its premiere at the State theatre on Sunday.

The story concerns a happy-go-lucky manager of a toy manufactory, who, in trying to curry favor with his chief, gets into an awful jam and has to prevail upon his secretary to pose as his wife. The resulting situations bring on a perilous web of deecit, but one which results in a lively romp.

As a background to the farcical context of the story, Buchanan and his cast indulge in some of the most tuneful music ever written for the screen. Most of the prominent members of the cast are good singers, too.

Mrs. McCarter Acts As Club President

BRUSH COLLEGE, Oct. 14. — The first meeting of the autumn season for the Brush College Helpers was held at the home of Mrs. Charles McCarter here Thursday. Mrs. Fred Olsen was elected president of the club at the last meeting but declined to serve, so Mrs. Charles McCarter, vice-president will serve until election next month. Mrs. Oliver Whitney, past president, conducted devotionals followed by the flag salute by the group and short business meeting. Committees for the year will be appointed by the incoming president at the November meeting, to be held at the home Mrs. F. C. Ewing. Special guests Thursday were Mrs. W. D. Henry of Zena and Mrs. J. W .Edgar of Orchard Heights.

Swegle Club Has First Fall Meet

SWEGLE, Oct. 14.—The Swegle community club held its first meeting Friday night and elected officers as follows: President, W. Biggerstaff; vice-president, Mrs. Margaret Grewell; secretary, Ruth West; treasurer, Mrs. R. A. West; sergeant-at-arms, Dana Marshall. The next meeting will be held the first Friday in November.

Avadee Thomas fell over a lawn mower and shattered the bone in her right arm so badly that she had to be taken to the Deaconess hospital to have it cared for. This is the second time she has broken her arm in the last few months.

'PADDY, NEXT BEST THING' HELD OVER

Run at Grand Theatre Will End Wednesday; Stars Have Good Roles

Janet Gaynor and Warner Baxter are together again for the first time since they were seen in "Daddy Long Legs," in their latest picture for Fox Film, "Paddy, the Next Best Thing," which is continuing its highly successful run at the Grand theatre. It will end Wednesday night.

In this film, Miss Gaynor and Baxter respond to the popular demand for more pictures in which they are both featured. And the roles they portray are the type which give each of them their greatest opportunities thus far. Miss Gaynor is a young, impish colleen, who adds a strong dash of roguishness to her famous wistfulness and thereby creates a new kind of character for herself. Baxter has the part of a big-hearted fellow who, much as he may try, cannot help falling head over heels for her.

The story centers around the romances of these two persons. At first those romances are separate — Miss Gaynor's for another man, and Baxter's for another girl. But the development of the plot finally does send them to each other and makes them admit their mutual love, even against their will.

The characters that they portray represent two different worlds — one the quaint intimacy of a village on the Irish seacoast, and the other the cosmopolitan life of a much-traveled sportsman. It is this element of difference that is the means for giving this film some of its most distinctive qualities.

Walter Connolly, highly reputed player of the dramatic stage, has a featured role in support of Janet Gaynor and Warner Baxter. Others in the cast include Harvey Stephens, Margaret Lindsay and Mary McCormic, noted prima donna of the Chicago Grand Opera company.

Miss McCormic plays herself in the picture and as Mary McCormic, the singer, visiting the home of the "Adairs" in Ireland, is called upon to sing. It will be the first picture and sound recording — save for a recent screen test — in her career.

'TRAILING KILLER' IS AT HOLLYWOOD

"Trailing the Killer," current feature at the Hollywood theatre, is not merely another "wild animal" picture but a well-knit dramatic story containing every element of drama, heart interest, romance and comedy which abounds in the life of the great American wilds.

Briefly, the story revolves around the dog of a trapper. The dog is, through circumstantial evidence, accused of being a killer and of ravaging the sheep-herders' flocks. The dog's master being found dead, the animal is outlawed and hunted like a wild beast. Taking refuge in the woods the dog mates with a she-wolf and raises a family. The real killer is a snarling, stealthy puma. Attempting to kill one of the dog's pups brings about a deadly conflict between the dog and the puma which ends in terrific fight and the puma's death.

Interwoven in the unrolling of the story are wonderful nature studies, terrific fights between hereditary enemies and the depiction of a dog's undying love for his master.

Francis McDonald, noted photographer will be seen as the trapper, one of five human roles in the cast.

The Call Board . .

ELSINORE
Today — All star cast in "Broadway to Hollywood."
Wednesday — Madge Evans in "Beauty for Sale."
Friday—Kay Francis in "Mary Stevens, M.D."

CAPITOL
Today—Double bill, "A Bedtime Story" and "The Secret of the Blue Room."
Next Saturday and Sunday—Double bill, "The Wrecker" and "Under the Tonto Rim."

GRAND
Today — Janet Gaynor in "Paddy, the Next Best Thing."
Thursday—William Boyd in "Emergency Call."

HOLLYWOOD
Today — Double bill. On stage, California Orange Blossom Beauties plus film "Trailing the Killer."
Wednesday—Arline Judge in "Sensation Hunters."
Friday — Betty Compton in "West of Singapore."

STATE
Today — Jack Buchanan in "Yes, Mr. Brown."
Wednesday—Mary J. Holmes' famous novel, "Lena Rivers."
Saturday night—Eddie Cantor in "Whoopee."

Squirrels in Convention, Theory Held

SILVERTON, Oct. 14. — Page wild life lines! A white squirrel, a bob - tailed squirrel and a disappearing squirrel all gathered together at the point where the city meets the country and West Main street becomes the Waldo Hills road!

The theory has been advanced by Silverton motorists who have seen the phenomena, that perhaps a convention of squirrels is being held there. To sustain their theory they report that hundreds of squirrels, ordinary ones, run rampant in this district. And each convention has its oddites.

Squirrel convention or no convention, motorists going out over Liberty hill in the general direction of the country club, report spyng an absolutely white squirrel at play at the side of the road near the city limits. Hikers in this same neighborhood report seeing a squirrel as free from a tail as a rabbit. These two reports seem to be authentic enough.

The disappearing squirrel proves, upon closer investigation, to be just a clever squirrel with a good act. Said squirrel will run along for a short distance ahead of a car and, bang! It is gone. Investigation reveals a hole, approximately four inches across, going down through the pavement. Its depth cannot be discerned from the surface. It apparently has considerable depth. Its origin is conjecture. Whether or not the squirrels actually made the hole themselves is a subject of dispute among the motorists. That it is an object of puzzlement to the uninitiated is an established fact.

MADGE EVANS

JIMMY DURANTE

JACKIE COOPER

Three favorites appearing in "Broadway to Hollywood" now on at the Elsinore.

Are Entertained On Anniversary

ZENA, Oct. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Crawford were honor guests at a dinner given to commemorate their 24th wedding anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crawford October 10. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Crawford and Alice, Wilma and Robert Crawford of Zena, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Crawford and daughter Gladys Esther of North Spring Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Crawford and daughter Audrey, Willard Marsh and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crawford, all of Salem.

Iowa in 1932 marketed 27 per cent of all this nation's hogs slaughtered under federal inspection.

"BEDTIME STORY" SEEN AT CAPITOL

Maurice Chevalier and Baby Leroy; "Secret of Blue Room" Other Feature

Maurice Chevalier, debonair as ever, plays a new kind of role in his latest picture "A Bedtime Story," which shows today at the Capitol theatre.

Maurice is the same Paris playboy, carefree and irresponsible, but the "baby" he pursues is a real, genuine one-year-old, and not the 20-year, blonde, feminine type of the past.

Helen Twelvetrees, Edward Everett Horton, Adrienne Ames and Baby Leroy, the Los Angeles youngster who won the role in competition with several thousand other youngsters of his own age, head the cast which supports the French star.

The picture reaches a hilarious climax as Chevalier, accompanied by his entire menage, including the baby, the nurse and the valet, goes to the house of his fiancee for a week-end. The events that follow lose him the fiancee, get him in a jam with another woman, almost lose him Miss Twelvetrees, but ultimately bring matters to a whimsical conclusion.

With no fewer than ten popular stars heading its cast, Universal's lastest thrill-purveyor, "Secret of the Blue Room," is at the Capitol today as the second feature on a double bill.

The stars, Lionel Atwill, Gloria Stuart, Paul Lukas, Edward Arnold, Onslow Stevens, Muriel Kirkland, William Janney, Russell Hopton, Elizabeth Patterson and James Durkin, are the pawns in the gruesome and thrilling game of murder that the well known William Hurlbut story presents, and each in turn, according to the narrative, tries to solve the all-important Blue Room's secret of death.

WILLAMETTE PROF TALKS AT LIBERTY

LIBERTY, Oct. 14. — A good sized crowd attended the first meeting Friday night of the community club. Community singing, led by V. D. Leek, opened the program. Piano numbers were played by Miss Shogren. Dr. V. A. Douglas, head of the Marion county health unit, gave a short talk, telling of the diphtheria problem a number of years ago and its present control.

Dr. A. A. Vazakas of Willamette university, gave an intensely interesting lecture on European affairs. He told of boyhood experiences in Turkey, the lot of Christians in Turkey before the war and the present Turkey. He also stated that learning foreign languages is essential to understanding among nations. He contends that Germany under Hitler has taken a downward step as they are destroying the new impressionistic movement in poetry and literature. Of great interest to all was the statement that world peace is assured and prolonged because the aims and interests of the new Germany are diametrically opposed to those of Italy under Mussolini, and no alliance will be formed for war as has been feared.

Harold Pruitt, president, presided during the business session. A girls' organization came up for dscussion and a committee was appointed to investigate Girl Scouts, Campfire Girls and Girl Reserves and report the details of each at the next meeting. Committee personnel: Mesdames Decatur, Judd, Westenhouse, Williams, Carson, Sargent.

It was voted to divide the club into age groups, each to put on a program for one meeting. Details are left to a committee to be named.

Mrs. Williams was given the matter of putting on a basket social. Harold Judd and Roland Seeger decorated the hall for the evening with beautiful autumn foliage.

Birkenfeld Will be Residence Place of John Larson Family

SILVERTON HILLS, Oct. 14. —Mr. and Mrs. John Larson, who have lived in this community for the past ten years, moved this week to Birkenfeld, near Clatskanie. Their son and daughter, Helen and Dick, accompanied their parents to their new home. Another son, Francis Larson, came down from Birkenfeld to assist in moving.

The Larsons came to the Silverton Hills community from Astoria.

School at Keizer Elects Officers

KEIZER, Oct. 14.—The Keizer school held an assembly of the pupils of the four rooms the past week and held an election of officers: President, Evelyn Melson; vice-president, Mason Furukawa; secretary, Robert Unruh. The meetings will be held semi-monthly hereafter. One meeting given to group singing, the other a varied program given by the pupils.

Lois and Betty Pierce, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pierce, are spending the week end with their grandmother, Mrs. Ella Long, in Albany.

CLUB TO MEET

MACLEAY, Oct. 10. — The October meeting of the Home Economics club will be held at the J. F. C. Tekenburg home Tuesday afternoon instead of at the hall, the usual meeting place.