

Laughs to Predominate in Week's Selection of Theatre Fare

Elsinore Has Musical Film

"Colleen" With All-Star Cast; Powell, Keeler in Leading Roles

"Colleen," Warner Bros. latest musical film, opens at the Elsinore theatre today with an all star cast, including Dick Powell, Ruby Keeler, Jack Oakie, Joan Blondell, Hugh Herbert, Louise Fazenda and a score of other principals as well as a couple of hundred chorus beauties and dancing youths.

The story, written by Robert Lord, is packed with rollicking comedy, romance and a touch of real drama. There is more of a plot than in the ordinary musical and concerns the efforts of Powell to straighten out the business affairs of his wealthy and eccentric uncle, as well as his love scrapes. Incidentally Dick and Miss Keeler go in for some romancing and are all tied up in a score of hilarious entanglements, which are eventually straightened out in a smashing climax.

Draper, the famous interpretative dancer of Broadway, makes his film bow in this picture. He has been the rage of New York, and in this picture, is said to do some of his finest lyric dancing.

The Call Board

GRAND
Today—Will Rogers in "A Connecticut Yankee," special return showing.
Wednesday—Claire Trevor in "Song and Dance Man."
Saturday—"The Country Beyond" with Rochelle Hudson.

ELSINORE
Today—"Colleen" with 8 big stars.
Thursday—Paul Muni in "The Story of Louis Pasteur," and "The House of the Thousand Candles" with Phillip Holmes.

CAPITOL
Today—Double bill, Van Dine's "Garden Murder Case" with Edmund Lowe and "I Found Stella Parish" with Kay Francis.
Tuesday—Double bill, "Three God Fathers" with Chester Morris and Robert Armstrong in "Mystery Man."
Friday—On the stage, Major Bowes amateurs, unit 11. On the screen, "Federal Agent" with Bill Boyd.
Saturday—Double bill, Robin Hood of El Dorado with Warner Baxter and "Seven Keys to Baldpate" with Gene Raymond.

HOLLYWOOD
Today—Warner Oland in "Charley Chan's Secret."
Wednesday—"Kind Lady" with Aline MacMahon.
Friday—Double bill, "Dangerous Waters" with Jack Holt and John Wayne in "Lawless Range."

STATE
Today—Barbara Stanwyck in "Annie Oakley."
Tuesday—Ronald Colman in "The Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo."
Thursday—"The Three Musketeers."
Saturday—Ken Maynard in "Lawless Riders."

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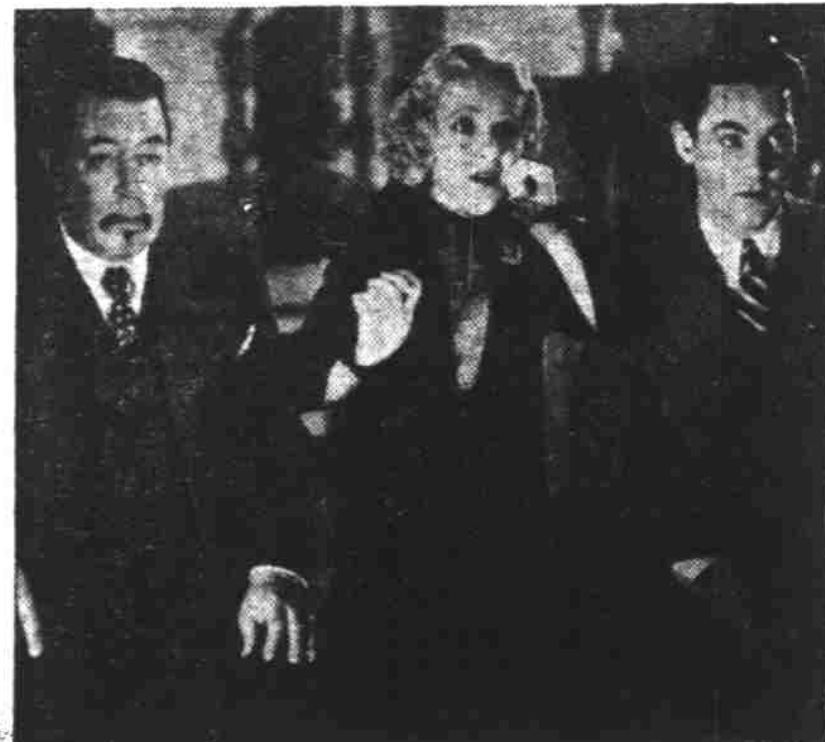
Scintillating Star at Elsinore



Ruby Keeler is co-starred with Dick Powell in "Colleen" at the Elsinore today.



"The Garden Murder Case" boasts two fine feature players, Virginia Bruce and Edmund Lowe.



Warner Oland weaves his wildest web in a house of death in "Charley Chan's Secret," current Hollywood attraction.

Will Rogers Back In Funniest Play

'Connecticut Yankee' Now On at Grand; Story by Mark Twain

For the countless Will Rogers fans who have always maintained that "A Connecticut Yankee" was the greatest of the great comedian's pictures, there is good news in the announcement that 20th Century-Fox have again released that rib-tickling comedy and that it is now at the Grand theatre.

Directed by David Butler, and featuring Myrna Loy and Maureen O'Sullivan in the excellent supporting cast, the picture presents Rogers as a twentieth century Yankee, raising hob in old King Arthur's court.

Mark Twain's delicious satire has been modernized in this version to permit the inclusion of speeches and actions that show the Will Rogers talent at its greatest.

How this whimsical Yankee revolutionizes the business of knighthood, installs bathtubs in

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News and Cartoon

'Annie Oakley' Now at State

Barbara Stanwyck Cast as Famed Character From Buffalo Bill Show

Grouped among the foremost American women of history, Annie Oakley is recreated on the talking screen through the characterization by Barbara Stanwyck in the new attraction at the State theatre, "Annie Oakley."

Annie Oakley was the leading performer in Buffalo Bill's Wild West show. Emerging from a seclude life in the Ohio backwoods, she defeated the world's champion marksman, and evolved into the greatest rifle shot who ever lived, man or woman.

"Annie Oakley" faithfully captures the salient events in the life of the world-renowned gunner. Her romance, her career with Buffalo Bill's arena spectacle, her international tour and command performances before European royalty, all are realistically portrayed in "Annie Oakley."

Miss Stanwyck, who is starred in the title role, is supported by a noteworthy cast, including Preston Foster, Melvyn Douglas, Moroni Olsen who depicts Buffalo Bill, Andy Clyde and Pert Kelton. George Stevens directed this RKO radio picture.

Charley Chan at Hollywood Today

Tricks of Spiritualism Revealed by Oland in Mystery Thriller

The occult powers of spiritualist mediums prove no match for Warner Oland as the famous Chinese detective tracks down a killer and uncovers conspiracy in the most thrilling and adventure-filled of his pictures, "Charley Chan's Secret," which comes today to the Hollywood theatre.

In the course of the story, Chan exposes some of the little known tricks of spiritualists. One is the concealed loud speaker through which "spirit music" is transmitted, and another is the use of violet rays and chemicals to make "ghost" faces appear in the dark.

Directed by Gordon Wiles, this new and fascinating Chan mystery features an all-star supporting cast. Charles Quigley, Rosina La Frence, Henrietta Crozman, Edward Trevor, Astrid, Alwyn and Herbert Mundin are among the players in important roles. Darryl F. Zanuck was in charge of production on "Charley Chan's Secret."

Bowes' Amateurs Coming on Friday

Again Salem is to have an opportunity to see and hear a group of Major Bowes' amateurs—in person. The latest assembly of these nationally famed young artists will be seen one day only at the Capitol theatre on Friday.

These performers, who but a few short weeks ago were unknown to national fame, have been acclaimed by press and public as a new generation of stars in the world of entertainment. The lengthy processes of elimination through which they went to become national winners for Major Bowes places them in the top rank of young American talent.

CAPITOL STARTS TODAY

TWO SMASH FEATURES

S. S. Van Dine's Latest Thriller!

THE DARING EXPLOITS OF PHILO VANCE

The GARDEN Murder Case

MGM's HIT with EDMUND LOWE VIRGINIA BRUCE NAT PENDLETON

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IT'S KAY'S MOST EXCITING ROLE
KAY FRANCIS in
"I FOUND STELLA PARRISH"
INA HUNTER - SYBIL JASON

She Totes a Mean Shotgun



Barbara Stanwyck is delightful in "Annie Oakley" at the State today.



All bedecked in the finery of King Arthur's court you see Will Rogers in the Fox picture, "A Connecticut Yankee" at the Grand today. Myrna Loy has an important role.

Festival Is Planned To Be Held May 8th at Salem Heights School

SALEM HEIGHTS, April 25—Plans are being formulated for the annual May Festival, to be presented by the students of Salem Heights school May 8. This year the festival will be in the form of a one ring circus. Annually the king and queen are chosen from the eighth grade. Those receiving the honor this year are Louise Hansen and Jammie Stewart. Attendees chosen from the lower grade rooms are: Roland Cleveland, Lilly Papelpu, Wendell Trudgeon, Gail Drawson, Allison Jones, Dorothy Ann Saul, Phillip Blankenship and Shirley Burrough.

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NOVELTY
NEWS

Philo Vance Love Story at Capitol

"Garden Murder Case" Is Van Dine's Latest; Thrills Abound

Philo Vance falls in love! That is the high spot—or one of them—in "The Garden Murder Case," latest of S. S. Van Dine's delightful stories of the super-scientific detective.

With Edmund Lowe as Vance, and lovely blonde Virginia Bruce as the object of his affections, the pictureization of the novel opens today at the Capitol theatre.

The story is the latest of S. S. Van Dine's exploits of Philo Vance. It deals with three mysterious murders, each of which appears to be accidental. But Vance refuses to believe them accident, and through his application of scientific criminology during which he subjects himself to active peril, he is finally able to trap the culprit, but with surprising results.

The supporting cast for the two principals is unusually well chosen. Gene Lockhart is fine as an egotistical millionaire who meets a tragic death. H. B. Warner, is a coldly impersonal military man.

Local Choir Sings For North Howell

NORTH HOWELL, April 25—A musical treat was presented to the people of this community last Thursday evening when a group of singers from the German Baptist church in Salem came to the

North Howell community church and repeated their Easter program. This was done as a courtesy to George Schloman, who has long been a member of the men's quartet at that church and whose musical ability is so much appreciated by his fellow workers in both churches.

Old Resident Ill
W. J. Jefferson, pioneer resident of North Howell and a charter member of the local grange, is seriously ill at his home here and is being cared for by his daughter, Mrs. Bernice Summers. W. M. Oddie and Harley Oddie have also been ill during the past week.

Celia and Eleanor Jefferson and Raymond Jefferson went with the Gervais high school glee club last Saturday to Forest Grove, where they participated in the state annual high school music contest.

THE PICTURE YOU WANTED TO SEE AGAIN!

WILL ROGERS
in MARK TWAIN'S
A Connecticut Yankee
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HARRISON FORD
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