

Romance and Gay Comedy With Thrills at Theatres Today

Popular Team Is at Elsinore

William Powell and Myrna Loy Starred Again in "Double Wedding"

With William Powell and Myrna Loy back in the farcical type of roles which have made them famous as the most amusing co-starring team on the screen, "Double Wedding" is now playing at the Elsinore theatre with the advance reputation of being the dizziest, daffiest and drollest comedy hit to be shown in this vicinity in some time.

This is the setup: Powell is a penniless, happy-go-lucky artist, making his home in a trailer and refusing to take life or anything else seriously. Miss Loy is Margit, owner of a fashionable New York dress shop, a woman too busy to have time for love or any other foolishness. Florence Rice is her younger sister, Irene, with suppressed desires to be a movie star. John Beal is Waldo, whom Miss Loy has chosen to marry her sister.

When Irene meets the fascinating artist she doesn't want to marry Waldo any more. When the artist meets Margit he doesn't want to bother with Irene any more. Poor Margit and Waldo conspire to straighten things out, but before the uproarious climax of the story is reached, everything is more complicated than ever. It is all pure unadulterated farce.

The comedy is enriched by the smartest New York interiors that the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer designers have ever constructed for a picture, and the women will rave over the stunning gowns designed for Miss Loy and Miss Rice by Adrian.

Together with the principals the cast of the new picture includes Jessie Ralph in another of her inimitable dowager roles, Edgar Kennedy as the dumb proprietor of a beer parlor, Sidney Toler, Mary Gordon, Barnett Parker, Katherine Alexander and Priscilla Lawson.

Provide Laughs in Gay Film



Myrna Loy and William Powell, the perfect Mr. and Mrs. team, who provide much merriment and rollicking comedy featured at the Elsinore theatre today.



Van Hefflin as a star football player and Marian Marsh as the charming co-ed are starred in "Saturday's Heroes" opening today at the Capitol theatre.

Loretta Young Star at Grand

Tyrone Power Is Opposite Her in Good Romance Under Miami Moon

Tyrone Power, so ardent, and Loretta Young, so lovely, kiss impulsively under the Miami moon and their love is news again! The exciting sweethearts of "Love Is News" and "Circus Metropolis" care so much that they fall for each other twice in their latest Twentieth Century-Fox picture, "Second Honey-moon," which opened yesterday at the Grand theatre.

In a smart and modern manner, but with a new and deeper feeling, Tyrone and Loretta make merry in the "marry-est" romance of the year, proving that while love at first sight may be romantic, love at second sight is... well, they part in Reno, kiss hearts into doing the damage all over again.

No one in all the world loves a lover like another lover, so Stuart Erwin, as Tyrone's gentleman, tries his darndest to introduce his master to a state of happiness similar to that he has won with pretty Marjorie Weaver. Paradoxically, the valet's romance is the very thing that keeps Tyrone and Loretta apart, for many misgivings spring from this spectacle of innocent bliss. Loretta is sure that Tyrone is interested in Marjorie because she is always near him, not knowing, of course, that it is Stuart Marjorie is after.

There is another couple involved in this enclosed romance: Claire Trevor and J. E. D. Ward Bromberg make a sophisticated pair who find casual amusement in pointing out to Loretta little uncertainties in the "security" of her second marriage to a steadfast, dependable and unimaginative husband played by Lyle Talbot.

'Willie Winkie' Is At State Theatre

Shirley Temple in Great Role; McLaglen Adds Much to Picture

Kipling's colorful characters live glamorously, adventurously and courageously on an untamed frontier in the Twentieth Century-Fox picturization of his famed "Wee Willie Winkie," which opens today at the State theatre, with Shirley Temple and Victor McLaglen in the starring roles.

From the heart of mighty India, where all the world is wild and strange, where the British raj ends at Khyber Pass, in the land of the Bengal Lancers, comes this glorious adventure of the Scottish Highlanders in action and of the little girl who won the right to wear their plaid.

Life at a frontier army post in India is not too happy for Shirley and her widowed mother June Lang, for her grandfather, C. Aubrey Smith, is a gruff old disciplinarian. The youngster decides that the only way to win the colonel's approval is to become a soldier herself, and her friend, Michael Whalen, a young lieutenant, turns her over for training to the burly sergeant Victor McLaglen who dubs her "Wee Willie Winkie" because of the quaint way she has of screwing up her eyes when she asks questions.

Shirley gets into plenty of trouble at the post, but wins the gratitude of an imprisoned chief, Khoda Khan, when she refuses to let him die in a surprise raid on the post, the proud chieftain is freed, and the border is immediately ablaze with criminal warfare, with McLaglen's life being one of those lost.

Feeling that both Khoda Khan and her grandfather would prefer peace, Shirley takes a desperate step to end the killing, and sets out at night for the Pathan camp. When her departure is discovered, the Highlanders set out grimly for Khyber Pass, graveyard of many a soldier, determined to rescue her or die in the attempt. With lives at stake, Shirley makes one last desperate gesture to save them and restore peace, bringing the picture to a thoroughly thrilling climax.

Assemblies of God to Have Mid-Year Meeting Monday, Turner Church

TURNER—The Assemblies of God church will entertain a mid-year conference at their church Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rankin are home from their month's trip east, making by train to Detroit, Mich., and driving a new car home when they encountered all kinds of weather. His Helen Peets took care of the postoffice in the absence of Postmaster Rankin.

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GRAND Loretta Young in "SECOND HONEYMOON" with Tyrone Power

Young Sweethearts



Tyrone Power and Loretta Young co-starred in a thrilling romance, "Second Honeymoon" featured at the Grand theatre today.



Shirley Temple and Victor McLaglen playing the stellar roles in "Wee Willie Winkie" opening today at the State theatre.

Remarque's Story On at Hollywood

'The Road Back' Cause of Author's Exile; Good Cast Is Provided

Today marks the long awaited opening of Universal's "The Road Back" at the Hollywood theatre for a three day run. The picturization of Erich Maria Remarque's heart rousing novel about conditions in Germany after the war has been six years on the way. The perspective of time has added new values to his story, which are brought into strong relief through the medium of the camera.

Because of what he wrote in "The Road Back," Remarque was called from his native land, so strongly did his book stir national feeling. The author saw the unrest growing, saw the revolution that followed food riots, saw returned soldiers facing the trap of starvation.

Remarque saw the wives whose husbands never came back; saw the sweethearts who did not wait for the return of the men they had promised to marry. He saw turmoil human drama being lived every day. He put into his story, "The Road Back," everything that he saw. He described the emotions of vibrant flesh-and-blood people. The characters were ready to step out of the book and into a movie set.

For six years Universal held the story, until the time was ripe for "The Road Back" to be shown in theatres throughout the country. The cast includes Barbara Read, John King, Richard Cromwell, Slim Summerville, Andy Devine, Louise Fazenda, Noah Berry, Jr., Maurice Murphy, John Emory, Edwina Girdon, Lionel Atwill, Henry Hunter, Larry Blake, Gene Garrick, Greta Gynt, Spring Bryington, Laura Hope Crews, Frank Reicher and Jean Rouverol.

Check Charge Against A. C. Locke Dismissed SILVERTON—A. C. Locke, charged with issuing a check

Advertisement for 'Wee Willie Winkie' featuring Shirley Temple and Victor McLaglen, with Mickey Mouse cartoon.

Vaudeville to Play Capitol

Coast-to-Coast Circuit Offers 5 Acts Each Friday, Saturday

Manager Carl Porter of the Capitol theatre announced Saturday the signing of a contract that will inaugurate a new policy at that popular Salem playhouse. Every Friday and Saturday, according to Porter, the Capitol will present five acts of Greater Coast to Coast vaudeville in conjunction with a fine stage band and the finest in screen fare.

The new vaudeville will present the cream of stage talent with only the finest acts of the great vaudeville circuits coming to Salem direct from the Palomar theatre in Seattle, where they jump directly from Chicago. This is the first weekly stage attraction circuit to play the Capitol since the days of the old Orpheum circuit.

More and more interest has been shown throughout the nation in this revival of regular weekly stage vaudeville and bearing this in mind, Manager Porter has obtained the first circuit vaudeville for the west coast in an endeavor to please Salem theatre fans.

The Capitol will play three stage shows on Friday, one matinee and two shows at night, while Saturday will see five shows and a continuous performance from 2 p.m. to 11 p.m.

'Saturday Heroes' Shows at Capitol

Problem of Professional Status of Colleges' Gridmen Tackled

Tackling the problem of whether college football players should frankly admit they are professionals or continue their masquerade as amateurs, "Saturday's Heroes," new RKO Radio film which opens at the Capitol theatre today, is a timely contribution to an interesting topic.

Though the story is mainly concerned with the reaction of a particular player to the system of paying off the athletes in scholarships and dishwashing jobs while the universities build expensive stadiums and libraries from the gross receipts, the picture is humorous, and a charming love story runs concurrently with the principal theme.

Val Webster, played by Van Hefflin, resents the hypocrisy of the routine. Given to augmenting his income by selling speculators the complimentary tickets to games that he and other players receive, Webster breaks into open rebellion when an intimate friend commits suicide after exposure as a "ringer," and when he is dismissed himself for his ticket selling activities.

Marian Marsh, opposite Hefflin, supplies the romantic interest and makes the misunderstandings of the pair a matter of sympathetic interest.

The players include Richard Lane as a sports columnist, Minor Watson as a football coach, George Irving and Charles Trubridge as college deans, and Alan Bruce, Willie Best, Bradley Page, Walter Miller, and Frank Jenks in other important roles.

Aumsville Man Bruised in Fall

AUMSVILLE—Henry Aarhus narrowly escaped serious injury when he fell from the scaffolding at the Christian church where he was reshingling the roof. He was shaken and bruised but was not incapacitated.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Towle were called to Gresham Monday on account of the death of his brother, D. Towle. The funeral was held Wednesday.

The Townsland club will hold its next meeting Monday night at the Christian church at 8 o'clock.

Broadway Nights

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The producer and author of "I'd Rather Be Right," the satire on the Roosevelt administration, have the biggest hit of the season on their hands, yet they have reason to worry.

There's the question of whether too much publicity is endangering the chances this most talked about play in several years has of having the long run that naturally would be expected for it.

With so much attention being given to it in newspapers, magazines and dinner table conversations, its characterizations and witticisms are becoming as well known as radio comedians' jokes, and no surprises or "punch lines" are being left for late comers.

Considering that "I'd Rather Be Right" has no sure-fire hit tunes, nothing outstanding in the way of dances or effects, no notables in its cast except George M. Cohan, (President Roosevelt) and Taylor Holmes (Secretary of Treasury Morgenthau), and only one set, its barbed gags are its attraction.

Morgenthau Chuckled The best of these have already been quoted over and over in the flood of writeups upon which the play was washed into the limelight. Thus what appeared to be an unparalleled publicity coup for John Peter Tooney, able exploitator for Producer Sam H. Harris may prove to be a boomerang.

Incidentally, most commentators have erred in stating that Cohan's is the first characterization of an incumbent president upon the stage. Lew Dockstader made one edition of his minstrel show a hit with his satiristic impersonation of Roosevelt I, and, moreover, played it in Washington while the Rough Rider president was in residence. The president and the White House family attended one performance, and "Teddy" is declared to have expressed his delight to the apprehensive Dockstader, although the women-folk were less pleased.

Roosevelt II has only second-hand information on Cohan's impersonation of him. But Secretary Morgenthau has already seen two performances of Taylor Holmes' "Morgenthau" in New York, and is quoted as saying he wished he could play the part. Your correspondent also saw other New Dealers, notably Jesse Jones, the RFC chairman, bubbling with mirth at the Broadway reflection of the big show in Washington.

Times Are Changed George Kaufman and Moss Hart, authors of the show, are not unaware of the possible effects of their lines being echoed through the land. They have rewritten some of the show since the performances in Boston and Baltimore upon which correspondents descended by the score to lift extensive quotations. In such revisions, as in the original compositions, Hart does the typing, while Kaufman paces the floor, hitting his nails or toying with books, ash trays or coins and interpolating suggestions. When arguments come up over lines or situations, they eat, Kaufman says Hart eats 10 times a day. Hart doesn't give in as easily as some of Kaufman's other collaborators have, and Hart is Kaufman's favorite collaborator now.

Thanksgiving Will Be Program Motif

HAZEL GREEN—A Thanksgiving program will be given by the school Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock. Parents and friends are invited.

The numbers planned are: Song, "America the Beautiful," by harmonica band and school; "Thanksgiving for Any Child," by advanced pupils; selection, "Nola" by Rhythm band, primary room; solos: piano, Marian Wampler; guitar, Stanley Fukal; accordion, Joe Yada, play "I'd Be Thankful," primary room; song, "Swing the Shining Sickle," advanced room.

The Call Board

GRAND Today—Loretta Young, Tyrone Power, Stuart Erwin and Claire Trevor in "Second Honeymoon." Feature begins, 1:31, 3:33, 5:35, 7:37, 9:39. Wednesday—Ferne Dunne, Cary Grant and Ralph Bellamy in "The Awful Truth."

HOLLYWOOD Today—A great sequel to "All Quiet on the Western Front," "The Road Back" with John King, Richard Cromwell, Slim Summerville and Andy Devine. Wednesday—Donna Reed, Gene Stratton Porter's "Michael O'Halloran" and Jack Holt in "Outlaws of the Orient." Friday—Double bill, Bob Allen in "The Rangers Step In" and "Dangerous Holiday" with Hedia Hopper and big boy Williams.

ELSINORE Today—William Powell and Myrna Loy in "Double Wedding," added attraction, Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy in "Necking Party." Feature starts 2:45, 5:00, 7:24 and 9:30 p.m. Thursday—Errol Flynn and Joan Blondell in "The Perfect Specimen" and Laurel and Hardy in "Beau Hunks."

CAPITOL Today—Double bill, "Saturday's Heroes" with Van Hefflin and Tex Ritter in "Tex Rides with the Boy Scouts." Tuesday—Double bill, Jack Oakie and John Boles in "Fight for Your Lady" and Buck Jones in "Boss of Lonely Valley."

Friday—On the stage, five acts greater coast to coast vaudeville and on the screen, William Gargan in "Some Blondes Are Dangerous."

STATE Today—"Wee Willie Winkie" with Shirley Temple and Victor McLaglen and Mickey Mouse cartoon. Thursday—Eastern circuit vaudeville and "Time Out for Romance" with Claire Trevor and Michael Whalen. Stage shows, 2:40, 7:30, 9:30.

African Movie Scene With Natives

Picturing Battle Nearly Starts Enthusiastic War Proves Too Realistic for Director

The Armistice is signed! No more war! The soldiers shout in Universal's "The Road Back," directed by James Whale from Erich Maria Remarque's novel of the same name which is now playing at the Hollywood theatre.

Pitcher Exhibit Draws Interest Of Club Group

KINGWOOD—At the home of Mrs. E. W. Emmett Tuesday afternoon, a pitcher exhibit featured the meeting of the Laurel Social Hour club. Mrs. Maynard Cochran displayed one which came from Germany and Mrs. G. E. Vowburgh one more than 100 years old, winning the prize in that division.

Mrs. Glenn L. Adams won the prize for the largest collection (18) and also for the largest pitcher. Mrs. C. J. Jackson won the award for the smallest specimen on display. Plans were formulated for the annual Christmas observance, Tuesday, December 21. Mrs. C. E. Willis will be hostess for the next regular meeting, Tuesday, December 7.

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