

Grand Bills "Jesse James" Epic

Long Research Made for Film

Tyrone Power Takes Role of Bandit Hero Who Made History

Culminating two years of intensive research and six months of actual filming, Darryl F. Zanuck's production, "Jesse James," 20th Century-Fox's spectacular drama of the nation's most famous outlaw and the turbulent events that gave him to the world, came yesterday, in brilliant technicolor, to the screen of the Grand theatre.

In this epic story of a lawless era we are given a true and stirring picture of the most colorful outlaw that ever lived. For in "Jesse James" the almost legendary figure is portrayed by Tyrone Power exactly as he was—neither all good nor all bad, a brave and tender husband to the girl who married him, a victim of injustice to the simple folk who knew him and, to the people who hated him, an outlaw and a killer.

Tyrone Power, in the title role, gives what can only be described as one of the finest performances of the year. In the last analysis, it is he who makes the character of James such a sympathetic figure in the eyes of the audience. We can think of no actor who could have done it better, or even as well.

Henry Fonda is excellent as Frank James, brother of Jesse, and Nancy Kelly, as Jesse's wife Zee, tops every performance she has given to date. Randolph Scott is splendid in the role of Marshall Wright. Individually brilliant performances are given by every member of an exceptional supporting cast which features Henry Hull, Slim Summerville, J. Edward Bromberg, Brian Donlevy, John Carradine, Donald Meek, John Russell and Jane Darwell. Henry King directed from a screen play by Nunnally Johnson, who was also associate producer of the film.

"Sky Giant" Film Hollywood Show

Romance, aerial exploration, jealousy and father-and-son conflict comprise the quadruple themes of "Sky Giant," RKO Radio's thrilling new drama of modern flying opening today at the Hollywood theatre.

With Richard Dix, Chester Morris and Joan Fontaine in starring roles, and Harry Carey, Paul Guilfoyle and other favorites in the cast, the new offering deals with activities at a big aviation school, at which Carey, a stern disciplinarian, is commander.

Dix is a noted pilot acting as Carey's assistant, and Morris is Carey's son, a student at the school, while Miss Fontaine is the pretty cousin of one of the school instructors.

The romance and jealousy of the story grows out of the rivalry between Dix and Morris over Miss Fontaine. And these, and Morris' strained relations with his father and his friendship with Dix, are all woven into the exciting climax when Dix, Morris and Guilfoyle, flying into the Arctic to map out a new international air route, crack up in the Alaskan wilderness.

Robert Sisk produced the picture from the screen play and original story by Lionel Houser, and Lew Landers directed the offering.

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ELSNORE
Today—Double bill, "Out West with the Hardys" with Mickey Rooney and Lewis Stone and "Fighting Thoroughbreds."
Thursday—Double bill, "Say It in French" with Ray Milland and Olympia Braden and "Fighting Thoroughbreds" with Robert Livingston and June Travis.
CAPITOL
Today—Double bill, Pat O'Brien and Joan Blondell in "Off the Record" and Buck Jones in "Law of the Lawless."
Wednesday—Double bill, "Gambling Ship" with Helen Mack and Robert Wilcox and "Gang Bangers" with Anne Nagel and Robert Kent.

STATE
Today—Double bill, The Ritz Brothers, Ethel Merman and Richard Arlen in "Straight, Place and Show" and Neil Hamilton in "I Married a Spy."
Wednesday—Double bill, Barbara Stanwyck and Herbert Marshall in "Always Goodbye" and "Rob in Hood" with Errol Flynn and Olivia DeHavilland.

HOLLYWOOD
Today—Richard Dix, Chester Morris and Joan Fontaine in "Sky Giant" with Harry Carey and Paul Guilfoyle.
Wednesday—Double bill, "Fight for Your Lady" with John Boles and Ida Lupino and "Dixie Dunbar and William Lundigan in "Freshman Year."
Friday—Double bill, Lynne Overman and Evelyn Keys in "Sons of the Legion" and Bob Bosker in "Fratie Justice."

GRAND
Today—Tyrone Power, Nancy Kelly and Henry Fonda in "Jesse James" all in technicolor.
Saturday—Jane Withers and Leo Carrillo in "The Arizona Wildcat."

"The Hardy Family" Returns



Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone and Cecelia Parker who play the title roles in "Out West with the Hardys," showing today at the Elsinore theatre. On the same bill is "Fighting Thoroughbreds."



Flying at a perilous height which demands their breathing oxygen are Chester Morris and Richard Dix in this scene from "Sky Giant," featured today at the Hollywood theatre.

Broadway Nights

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By AXEL STORM

NEW YORK — DuBose Heyward wrote a book some time ago about a big, strong, slow-thinking negro whose love for his daughter was the one bright spot in a life filled with gin, violence, song, jails and hard labor. He called it "Mamba's Daughter," and for a while it had quite a vogue. But like all books of its kind, it dropped away into bookshelves and was forgotten. Now DuBose and Dorothy Heyward have resurrected it in play form, and with the help of a half dozen colored experts have fashioned a creditable play, "Mamba's Daughter," staged by Guthrie McClintic. The play, which is presently holding forth at the staid old Empire theatre, across the street from the Metropolitan Opera house in the less populated portion of Broadway, below Forty-second street.

"Mamba's Daughter," the play, has some of the weaknesses of "Mamba's Daughter," the book. There's something immensely affecting in the naive and gentle whimsy of the colored people. But when you try to dramatize this whimsy and naivete it backs into pathos. There were traces of it which by now we are sure Mr. McClintic has erased from the play. What the play has done, however, was a great public service to America, to the colored race, and to the theatre. It presented Ethel Waters, a dramatic role, and you'd better hold your hats, because Uncle Axel is going to take you on a hunt for superlatives.

A Contrast
Fraulein Leni Riefenstahl, meridian photographer to Herr Adolf Hitler (she took all the official pictures of the recent Olympic games in Germany) stuck out her tongue at us and said we can't see those pictures because there are Jews in America. We wonder what Fraulein Leni would have said if she had been in the Empire theatre, where a capacity audience stood up and cheered a negro! That's what happened, and never was finer artist cheered in any playhouse.

Ethel Waters came into the public eye through a song called "Stormy Weather" some years ago. She can sing that sort of song to perfection. She can sing negro spirituals to perfection. But in the role of the big, hulking plantation negress she was magnificent. She moved and spoke and sang with that plastic, feline quality which was part of a most difficult role. Her eyes followed the daughter, who loved with such infinite longing, such expressive awe, such childish delight and yet with such superb restraint that there wasn't a question in any mind in the audience that here was an actress who deserved immortality in the theatre.

Ethel Waters Superb
There was a gallantry, an absence of self-pity in the tragic mother who sacrificed all she



Hardy Family Goes Western

Famed Screen Family Is Shown in Wide Spaces of old West

The Hardy family is returning to the screen in another gay comedy "Out West with the Hardys," opening today at the Elsinore theatre.

It all started out innocently enough with a nice little picture titled, "A Family Affair," which honestly pretended to be nothing more than a pleasant 60 minutes of entertainment and gentle laughter with, not at, the great American family. The picture was as homey and comfortable as an old dressing jacket and slippers before the fireplace. In the public mind and memory it struck a familiar and responsive chord, resulting in a surprising demand for more. Thus was born Judge Hardy and his energetic family.

"A Family Affair" did not suggest a series, but it figured prominently in story conferences and recommended a rather picture, "You're Only Young Once," which established the Hardy characters, Lewis Stone as Judge Hardy, Mickey Rooney as Andy, Cecelia Parker as Marian, Fay Holden as Mrs. Hardy and Anna Rutherford as Polly Benedict.

The reception accorded "Judge Hardy's Children" heralded the fact that the Hardys were here to stay. It was topped by "Love Finds Andy Hardy," which paved the way for Rooney's elevation to stardom in "Boys Town." Now the family has embarked on a new adventure in "Out West with the Hardys," and is hailed as the finest and most human "Hardy" picture of all.

Farmers' Meeting Slated at Liberty

LIBERTY—G. W. Kuhlman, professor of the farm management department at Oregon State college will speak to the farmers' night school next Monday night at the Liberty school at 8 o'clock. His subject for discussion will deal with the problems of the farmers in that community, particularly with the farmer who makes only a part of his income from his farm. Mr. Kuhlman will also discuss the enterprises that are best adapted to that community and what are best for the Red Hill soils.

These meetings are sponsored by the farmers of the Liberty community cooperating with the Salem school board and the state board for vocational education and are under the leadership of J. F. Smith, vocational agriculture instructor in the Salem high school. The meetings will continue for the next six weeks and are conducted without charge.

Chinese Party Held As Auxiliary Benefit

SILVERTON—A Chinese party at the H. D. Long home Tuesday night furnished extra proceeds for the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary treasury. Assistant hostesses to Mrs. Long were Mrs. Frank Fierst, Mrs. George Seaford and Mrs. L. Devericks. Decorations were oriental and the hostesses were costumed in native oriental gowns. Hop Ching was the amusement.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Omar Halvorsen, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Gladwin Haring, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Devericks, Miss Jean Day, Ed Svarverli, Mrs. Jack Iversen.

Ericksens Return From Son's Wedding

SALEM HEIGHTS—Dean and Mrs. F. M. Erickson returned Thursday night from California. They visited at Oakland and attended the wedding of their son, Herbert, to Miss Evelyn Kleithley, at her home at Kelseyville, Calif. Miss Kleithley comes from a pioneer family who have resided in the Kelseyville community for 75 years.

After a wedding trip Erickson will be transferred to the California Packing company plant at Sacramento as assistant manager.

Slate Special Meetings

HUBBARD—The Congregational church will hold a series of special meetings beginning Monday night, February 6. Rev. Ralph G. Kleen, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Woodburn, will be the guest speaker at these meetings. The public is invited.

Crazy Ritzes Are On State Program

Damon Runyan Is Author of Screwy Screen Play for Film Zanies

Damon Runyan's "Straight, Place and Show," the Ritz Brothers' new starring picture for 20th Century-Fox, which opens today at the State theatre, with Richard Arlen, Ethel Merman, Phyllis Brooks, George Barbier and Willie Best lending spirited support.

The story opens at one of our big race tracks, and before you can say "Ho-yo Hysteria!" they're off—and we don't mean the horses!

Betting their shorts on a bang-tail named Playboy, the Ritzes are even more surprised than the horse when he romps in a winner. They decide to keep betting on Playboy until they have enough to retire on. Richard Arlen, however, gambles his happiness with lovely Phyllis Brooks on the chance that Playboy won't win another race in three months. Jealous because he believes Phyllis cares more for Playboy, whom she owns, than for him, Richard promises that if Playboy wins he "will build him a stable right off the bedroom." If Playboy loses, Arlen is to become the new owner.

Playboy loses and Arlen turns him over to the Ritz Brothers, who plan to enter him in the big sweepstakes. When Phyllis learns of this she breaks off her engagement to Arlen and tries to buy Playboy. But the Ritzes have promised not to sell him. In order to raise the entry fee, and incidentally to insure Playboy's winning, the Ritzes engage in some tall and hilarious promoting on the eve of the big race.

Natt Promoted to Camp Commander

CAMP MILL CITY — Lieut. Theodore M. Natt, junior officer of Camp Silver Creek Falls, has been promoted to camp commander of Camp Mill City. He is a graduate of the University of Oregon.

Lieutenant Philip M. Cook, former commander of Camp Mill City, has been promoted to a position as instructing inspector and assigned to duty at the Vancouver Barracks headquarters.

Captains Garrett and Smith inspected the camp last week and authorized an additional barrack to be erected in order to allow enough cubic feet of air to each enrollee in his sleeping quarters.

Kirkham Presides At Amateur Hour

HUBBARD—A large and attentive audience gathered at the Hubbard gym to enjoy the amateur program Wednesday night sponsored by the Varsity "H" club of the Hubbard school. Art Kirkham of KOIN was master of ceremonies.

The program included numbers on the accordion, harmonica, violin, piano, guitar and saxophone; readings, skits and tumbling. Receiving prizes were Andrew Yoder, Arlyn and Joan Birkholts for the grade school; Nina Graves and the Cook sisters for the high school.

Prizes for those not connected with the school went to the Debra brothers and Rev. J. S. Van Winkle.

Coughs and Colds Studied by Women

OAK POINT — Independence Rural Woman's club held a no-host 1 o'clock luncheon Wednesday at the home of Mrs. C. C. Comstock. The regular club meeting of Tuesday was postponed to Wednesday on account of the funeral of Miss Irma Graber, the Graber family having lived in this community for several years.

Mrs. Grove Peterson read magazine articles on care of coughs and colds and care of infantile paralysis. Invited guests were Mrs. H. L. Davis, Miss Florence Titus and Mrs. Guy Griswold of Otis. Mrs. Stephen Van Horten, president, will be the hostess February 14.

Shower Is Given For Recent Bride

NORTH SANTIAM—Mrs. Clarence Gavotte and Mrs. Roberta Miller were hostesses Wednesday for a delightful post-nuptial shower in honor of Mrs. Orval Tucker. Those present were Mrs. Orval Tucker, Mrs. Louis Scottfield, Mrs. Hugh Brockway, Mrs. Roy Reeves, Mrs. Farrell, Mrs. Floyd Parker, Mrs. Rella Brockway, Mrs. Albert Lyons, Mrs. Art Morgan, Mrs. Leiland Keithley, Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. Ellen Ford, Miss Rhea Brockway, Miss Lois Reeves, Miss Dorothy Hoffman, Miss Hazel Hoffman and the hostesses.

Mr. Vickers of the American Sunday school union will hold services at the church here Sunday night. The public is invited.

Thrilling Highlights From "Jesse James"



A photographic impression from Darryl F. Zanuck's production, "Jesse James," all in technicolor, now featured at the Grand theatre. Starred in the film are Tyrone Power, a famous outlaw, Henry Fonda, Nancy Kelly and Randolph Scott.



An artist's sketch of the Ritz brothers appearing in another thrilling comedy, "Straight, Place and Show," opening today at the State theatre and featuring Ethel Merman, Richard Arlen and Phyllis Brooks.



Pat O'Brien and Joan Blondell, the star reporters, climax "Off the Record" with a wedding opening today at the Capitol theatre. The second feature is Buck Jones in "Law of the Texas," and Dick Tracy serial.

Sister of D. R. Ruble Passes in California

LINCOLN—D. R. Ruble has received word of the death of his sister, Mrs. Columbia Ruble Maxwell, 88, at Oxnard, Calif., January 20. Surviving also are two daughters and two sons and a sister. Mrs. Florence Wolf, Falls City, Burial was at Walla Walla, Wash., Tuesday. Mrs. Maxwell was a daughter of the late William Ruble and crossed the plains from Missouri in 1855, was born in Barry county, Missouri, July 10, 1851, and married W. M. Maxwell in 1879. They resided for a time in Washington and Idaho where Mr. Maxwell was a salesman for farm implements. They located in Polk county later.

Sewing Club Meets

HAZEL GREEN—The St. Ann country sewing club of the St. Paul de Vincent church held an

Jefferson Students Accorded Honors

JEFFERSON — Miss Roberta Bostwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bostwick of Jefferson, who is attending Northwestern School of Commerce in Portland, has been pledged to Gamma Mu, chapter of Alpha Iota, national honorary society. Miss Bostwick is a 1937 graduate of Jefferson high school.

Another graduate from Jefferson high school to receive high honors is Lee Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wright, a senior in engineering at Oregon State college, was initiated into the Oregon State chapter of Phi Lambda Upsilon, national honor society in chemistry at the initiation held in the Corvallis hotel recently.

Assist Installing Officers of Post

SILVERTON — Legionnaires from the Silvertown post who were in charge of formalities of installing new officers for the Aurora "baby" post of the state, Thursday night, were George Manolis, commander; Sam Lorenzen, vice commander; C. E. Jaqua, adjutant; George Towe, finance officer; F. M. Powell, chaplain, and C. J. Towe, sergeant at arms.

More than 150 guests enjoyed the social hour later in the evening.

ELSNORE
Today - Mon. - Tues. - Wed.
2 Major Features

THE LATEST AND GREATEST OF ALL THE HARDY FAMILY PICTURES!

OUT WEST WITH THE HARDYS
Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone, Cecelia Parker, Fay Holden

- Hit No. 2 -
"Fighting Thoroughbreds"
Ralph Byrd
Mary Carlisle

Continuous Today - 2 to 11

WARRIOR CAPITOL
Today - Mon - Tues Continuous
Today - 2 to 11

"WHAT A SPOT! SCOOPED BY A 'DEAD END' KID!"
"Adopting this dirty-faced angel is bad enough... but taking him on our honeymoon is too much!"

PAT OBRIEN JOAN BLONDELL
"Off the Record"
BOBBY JORDAN

PLUS FEATURE NO. 2
BUCK JONES
"Law of the Texas"

DICK TRACY RETURNS

HOLLYWOOD 15c
TODAY - MONDAY and TUESDAY
CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE TODAY 2 TO 11 P.M.

Starring
RICHARD DIX
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With
HARRY CAREY
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News, Comedy and Popeye Cartoons, "Goonland"

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WOMEN SPIES ARE Worthless! THEY FALL IN LOVE!

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STRAIGHT, PLACE AND SHOW

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