

'Union Pacific' Is at Elsinore

Barbara Stanwyck, McCrea Starred in Epic of West's History

Barbara Stanwyck, in a role completely different from any she has previously attempted, and Joel McCrea, as a character strongly reminiscent of the one he portrayed last season in "Wells Fargo," are co-stars in the romantic leads of "Union Pacific," Cecil B. DeMille's grand-scale interpretation of the building of America's first transcontinental railroad now playing at the Elsinore theatre.

Although the popular Miss Stanwyck has played roles as varied as middle western farm woman, New England factory wench and Park Avenue debutante, her Mollie Monahan in "Union Pacific," marks something totally new in the Stanwyck repertoire. She is a daring, warm-hearted, fiery girl of the west, the daughter of "Dad," first engineer, the postmistress of "end of track" and little sister of the husky railroad builders.

Mollie's romantic interest in "Union Pacific" is one Jeff Butler (played by the handsome McCrea), a brave and reckless trouble-shooter whom the Washington government has assigned to help keep order along the right-of-way. The two meet at "end of track," the gaudy, brawling settlement that moves ever westward with the railroad. Although Indian attacks, corrupt officials and hostile nature can all be dealt with, Mollie and Jeff meet a real difficulty in Dick Allen (Robert Preston), a smooth young western adventurer who has teamed up with a crowd of sharpers to sabotage the railroad.

When the irresponsible Dick goes so far as to help on a train, upon which the "UP" vitally depends, the good-hearted Mollie marries him to save him from the law.

The Arms That Built an Empire



Love-making, building a great railroad, fighting Indians and contending with the hostile forces of nature occupy the arms of Barbara Stanwyck and Joel McCrea, the co-stars and romantic leads of "Union Pacific," story of the first transcontinental railway, playing today at the Elsinore theatre.

'Never Say Die' Is Capitol Show

Martha Raye and Bob Hope Together Again; Andy Devine Featured

Playing together for the fourth time in little more than a year, Bob Hope and Martha Raye return to the screen in a frivolous film farce, "Never Say Die," which is now playing at the Capitol theatre. Bob is cast as a nervous wreck of a millionaire who "enjoys poor health." Martha, as a girl who is escaping from two suitors, finds a husband where she least expects one.

When Hope and Miss Raye meet at an Alpine spa, they realize immediately how much they have in common. For while Hope is being menaced by a much-married widow, Gale Scardgaard, who is crazy about his money, Martha is being forced by her father to marry a Russian prince, Alan Mowbray, even though her heart belongs to the boy back home, Andy Devine.

The Hope-Raye wedding trip is in keeping with the general mad mood of the picture. Devine, arriving unexpectedly, to claim Miss Raye as his bride, does the next best thing and joins the couple on their Alpine honeymoon! Three on a honeymoon is far from any conditions, but with Hope, Raye and Devine as the chief participants, the riot can only be imagined!

The climax comes with the arrival of Martha's father, Miss Sondergaard and Mowbray, all determined to impose their wills on the young couple. After untangling the romantic muddle, Hope fights a burlesque pistol duel with Mowbray, who maintains his honor and is wounded.

Granger's News

SILVERTON—The Silverton Grange home economics club is announcing a quilt, antique and flower show to be held Friday, May 26, in the afternoon and night at the MWA hall. Peter Mada of radio fame is scheduled as afternoon speaker.

Mrs. Luther Hattberg is chairman.

Eastern Star Takes Reces

MILL CITY—Marilyn chapter, OES, met Monday night for the last meeting until September. A dinner was served and initiation was held after which a beautiful degree was given in honor of the past worthy matrons and patrons.

Those introduced and honored were Mrs. Tom Alley, Mrs. Mildred Allen, Mrs. Robert Schroeder, Mrs. A. D. Scott, Mrs. Virginia Hoenig, Miss Daisy Henderson, Mrs. Nina Sparr, Mrs. J. C. Kennell, Tom Allen and A. D. Scott.

TEACHERS MEET

JEFFERSON—Monday night members of the school faculty held a meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Looney. Following the business meeting, Chinese checkers were enjoyed. The group presented Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey with a gift. Miss Gatchell assisted Mrs. Looney.

HOLLYWOOD 15
Today - Monday
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Continuance Performance
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BOBBY BREEN
with
LEO CARRILLO
FRANK MURPHY
and
The Higgins Family
James Gleason
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Added - News and Cartoons



One man's mate is another man's poison in "Never Say Die," which opens today at the Capitol theatre with Bob Hope, Martha Raye and Andy Devine topping the cast. Also featured is "Frontier Pony Express," and Lone Ranger.

Paul Robeson and Henry Wilcoxon pictured in a scene from "Dark Sands" featured at the State theatre today. On the same program is "Barefoot Boy," with Jackie Moran and Ralph Morgan.

Sweet Potatoes To Be Grown Here

SCOTT'S MILLS—Several people from Scott's Mills ordered sweet potato plants; also some tomato plants from Texas. The success of their venture will be watched with interest. Strawberry growers in the Crooked Finger district are putting the finishing touches on their fields before harvest begins. Indications are that the crop will be up to the usual standard.

Commencement Is Held, W. Stayton

WEST STAYTON—Commencement was held at the West Stayton school Thursday night. Rex Putnam, state superintendent of public instruction, gave the address. The program: Processional, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Milas; "Cradle Song," primary grades; class history, Alice Dickman; class will, Helen Bartos; "Amaryllis," girls' chorus; class prophecy, Keith Wilkinson; valedictory, Theodore Lacy; piano solo, Alice Dickman; address, Rex Putnam; presentation of diplomas, J. L. Goss, chairman of the school board; recessional. The class roll: Theodore Lacy, Keith Wilkinson, George Swales, Robert Stubb, Loyd Fox, Helen Dickman, Marie Ficks, Alice Bartos.

Depleted Supplies Hold Barley Firm

PORTLAND, May 13.—(AP)—Light markets held barley quotations in the northwest steady to firm in the past week, the U. S. department of agriculture said. Supplies of malting quality barley from the west were virtually depleted and total receipts of all types here since last July 1 reached only 451 cars against 752 a year ago. Corn was firmer while oats were steady and unchanged with eastern Oregon and Washington shippers supplying most of the coast terminal needs for oats.

DARK SANDS
with
ROBESON WILCOXON
Today & Monday
BAREFOOT BOY
with
Jackie Moran
Today & Monday
STATE

Ralph Bellamy Star at Grand

Chester Morris Featured Also in Strong Play, "Blind Alley"

A thrillingly dramatic story of a psychiatrist who matched his wits against a murderer's blazing gun, Columbia's "Blind Alley" yesterday opened at the Grand theatre to prove a virtual bombshell of highly charged realism. On the same bill is Jesse Matthews in "Climbing High."

Bobby Breen Star at the Hollywood

Strong Cast, Lively new Music Add to Appeal of 'Fisherman's Wharf'

Bobby Breen's latest photoplay, "Fisherman's Wharf," showing now at the Hollywood theatre, is enhanced with a picturesque background, a thorough story and a supporting cast of seven of Hollywood's most capable performers. Added to this is the music of Victor Young and Frank Churchill.

The locale of the story is colorful Fisherman's Wharf of San Francisco and the storybook city itself—that part of the metropolis that isn't on the map; the things of the city that guide books only hint at! The San Francisco of cable cars that whisk you up sunny terraced streets on a bell-ringing excursion over the hills. The pale blue boaters of Fisherman's Wharf and the nets that are mended on Sundays and the owl-eyed sea bass that come from the nets.

The story itself is a rare one for these days! It is a simple tale of a boy and his father and their great companionship, a companionship that even an intriguing pretty woman could not break. It is a tale of whimsical humor, of fine-threaded pathos and of simple folk. The settings, for the most part, are out of this world, the picture of San Francisco Bay, the famous Golden Gate bridge and the open sea as backgrounds.

'Penny for Luck' Grows to \$6 as Gypsy Does Job

MONMOUTH—A. F. Huber, local real estate agent, was relieved of \$6 by a Gypsy woman Tuesday. The woman entered his office on Main street and he immediately picked up his half open wallet from a desk. A penny dropped to the floor and the Gypsy begged for the penny "for luck." He told her to take the penny and get out. As she stooped to retrieve the copper a dime fell to the floor. She begged then for the dime. "All right, take it and get out!" he roared.

But fate was with the Gypsy. Huber dropped an important paper from the purse, and while stooping to pick it up, the Gypsy said: "I'll put the penny back and keep the dime." A little later, counting his cash, he found \$6 in bills missing. Two \$5 bills were still in the purse.

Warning Is Given On Estimate Sheet

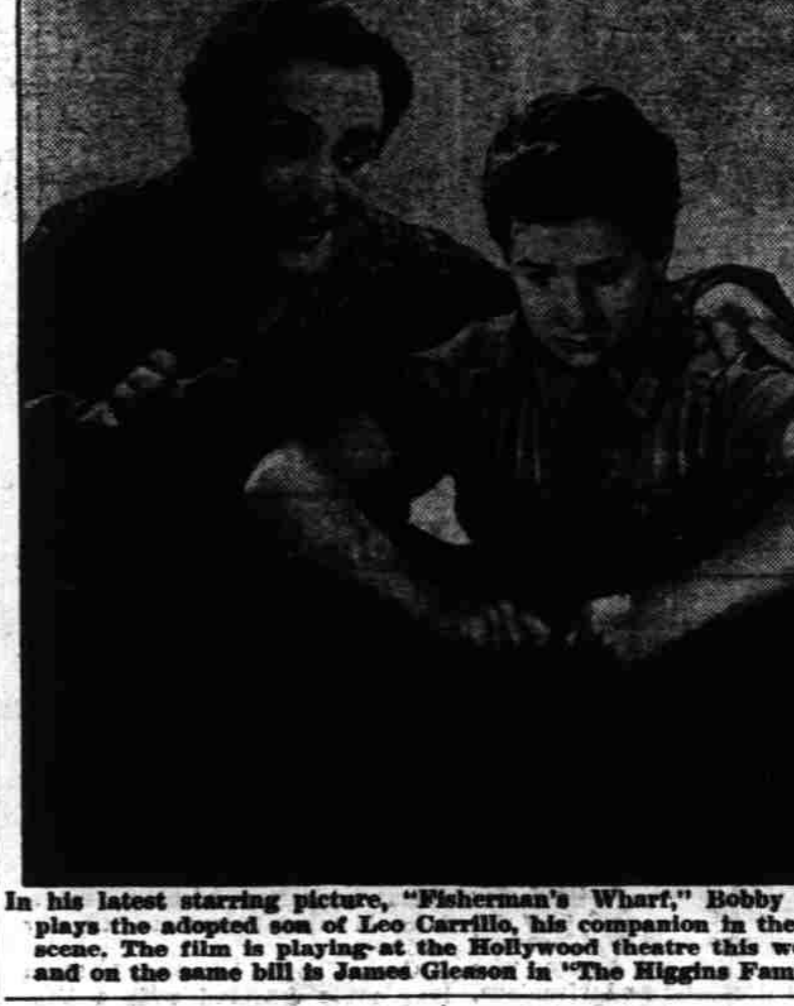
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Lovely Star in 'Climbing High'



Here is a new portrait of Jessie Matthews, star of "Climbing High," starring Michael Redgrave and playing at the Grand theatre today. On the same bill is Chester Morris and Ralph Bellamy in "Blind Alley."



In his latest starring picture, "Fisherman's Wharf," Bobby Breen plays the adopted son of Leo Carrillo, his companion in the above scene. The film is playing at the Hollywood theatre this weekend and on the same bill is James Gleason in "The Higgins Family."

Graduates Enjoy Jaunt to Coast

AUMSVILLE—The senior class enjoyed a picnic Wednesday at the coast, this being one of the traditional senior events. The schedule of school-end activities here also includes: Wednesday, May 17, Junior entertainment for seniors, skating party and tour of state institutions in Salem. Sunday, May 21, baccalaureate at 8 p. m., high school gym, with Rev. D. P. Huckabee of West Salem the speaker and invocation by T. C. Mountain. Thursday, May 25, Aumsville high school commencement, 3 p. m., at gym, with Dr. A. S. Jensen, Oregon College of Education at Monmouth, speaker. Agnes Snoddy, class valedictorian.

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'Barefoot Boy' Is At State Theatre

Lively Adventure Picture of Strictly American Flavor Presented

Glorifying the American boy as the business of Monogram's "Barefoot Boy," now at the State theatre.

The picture concerns Billy Whitaker, a country boy, who has a gang and a girl and a flair for adventure. The kids spend their time in the happy, normal pursuits of childhood—wishing, swimming, hunting, and investigating the neighborhood haunted house. Into their happy lives comes Kenneth Hale, spoiled city son of John Hale, just released from prison.

Billy's father puts him on his honor to watch out for Kenneth, and show him the meaning of good sportsmanship. But Kenneth, who has called his father a "jailbird" and refused to believe his protestations of innocence, refuses also to accept kindness and fair treatment from Billy, and proceeds to steal his girl and prove himself a nuisance.

Finally Billy must prove his courage against Kenneth's challenge of cowardice, so the two of them, one midnight, enter the haunted house. When eerie noises issue from the ghostly rendezvous, the rest of the gang decide to investigate, and the kids find that their "haunted" house is a photograph hideout.

A thrilling climax ensues as the gangsters discover the kids just when they have found the missing bonds, and are about to clear John Hale.

Woman's Club at Close of Season

MILL CITY—The Mill City Women's club met at the home of Mrs. D. B. Hill with the two Mrs. Frank Taylor and Mrs. Hill as hostesses. The program was in honor of music week. Mrs. Albert Milsap, gave an interesting paper on "The History of Musical Instruments." A story of an opera with photograph music was given by Mrs. D. B. Hill. Miss Breamer of the musical library of Salem gave a talk about the opera, "Aida."

This was the last meeting of the club until fall. A cooking school will be sponsored by the club, the date to be announced later.

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GRAND
Today—Double bill, Chester Morris, Ralph Bellamy and Ann Dvorak in "Blind Alley" and Jessie Matthews in "Climbing High."
Wednesday—Double bill, Michael Whalen and Dolores Costello in "Outside These Walls" and Charles Starrett and The Sons of the Pioneers in "North of the Yukon."
Saturday—Tyronne Power, Alice Faye and Al Jolson in "Rose of Washington Square."
EL SINORE
Today—"Union Pacific" with Barbara Stanwyck and Joel McCrea.
Thursday—Double bill, Bob Burns and Gladys George in "I'm From Missouri," and "Rookie Cop," with Tim Holt.
CAPITOL
Today—Double bill, Martha Raye and Bob Hope in "Never Say Die," and "Frontier Pony Express," with Ray Rogers and Lone Ranger.
Wednesday—Double bill, Douglas Corrigan in "The Flying Irishman" with Paul Kelly and "They Made Me A Criminal," with John Garfield and Ann Sheridan.
Saturday—Double bill, "You Can't Get Away With Murder" with Humphrey Bogart and "The Eagle and the Hawk," with Freddie March and Cary Grant and The Lone Ranger.
HOLLYWOOD
Today—Double bill, Leo Carrillo and Bobby Breen in "Fisherman's Wharf" and James Gleason in "The Higgins Family."
SEATE
Today—Double bill, Paul Robeson, Wallace Ford, Henry Wilcoxon and Princess Kouka in "Dark Sands," and "Barefoot Boy," with Jackie Moran, Marcia Mae Jones and Ralph Morgan.
Tuesday—The strangest film ever made, "Forbidden Adventure," and authentic pictures of China's undeclared war, "China Resists Invasion."
Friday—Claudette Colbert, Fred MacMurray and Robert Young in "The Bride Comes Home," and Martha Raye, Bob Hope and Burns and Allen in "College Swing."

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WEIRD MYSTERY STARTING
'FORBIDDEN ADVENTURE'
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STATE
MARION Community Club To Meet Tuesday Night
MARION—The regular meeting of the community club will be held Tuesday night. A program is being arranged by Harley Libby and others. This is the last meeting of the season.
GO TO SOUTH DAKOTA
SCOTT'S MILLS—Freddie Lousenger and family left for their old home in South Dakota Monday. "Grandpa" Rich, who lived there years ago, accompanied them. Freddie expects to return in September.