

"Iron Major" At Hollywood With Musical

Quite a man was the late Major Frank Cavanaugh, whom Pat O'Brien portrays in "The Iron Major," his newest and all-time best picture since "Knutie Rockne all-American."

Everyone agrees that Cavanaugh was an outstanding American, a hero, a great football coach, and a regular guy.

One of the men who knew him best was Ernest La Branche, silver-haired newspaperman from Worcester, Mass., Telegram. La Branche was brought to Hollywood to act as technical advisor on the World War I scenes which form an important sequence in the RKO Radio production.

According to La Branche, Cavanaugh enlisted at 41, when he was married and the father of six, which gave him the nickname of "The Iron Major." Today he has six sons and one daughter serving Uncle Sam. The Cavanaugh strain still holds. "The Iron Major" starts its three-day run on the screen of the Hollywood today.

Bonnie Baker, Frank Fay, Billy Gilbert, Henry King and his orchestra, and Butch and Buddy are all featured in the co-feature "Spotlight Scandals"—a musical comedy in its first run here. Late Pathe news, cartoon, and carefully selected short subject presentations complete the bill at the Hollywood.

Victor Point Man Ill At Home, Is Reported

VICTOR POINT — Clarence Jones is ill at his home with influenza and complications.

J. O. Darby is visiting in central Oregon with his sister, Mrs. J. J. Doerfler at Powell Butte, and his brother, Roy Darby at Ashwood.



Jaana (Dorothy Morris) vainly tries to reject advances of a Nazi officer (Richard Crane) in Columbia's shockingly dramatic film, "None Shall Escape," now playing at the Grand theatre. This is the film which forecasts with prophetic realism the justice to be meted out to Nazi criminals in post-war courts of justice as promised by the Moscow pact.

McAlpin Stitches End Club Season

McALPIN — The McAlpin Stitches club held the last meeting for the year Thursday at the J. C. Krenz home. Meetings will be resumed on November, when Mrs. Mary Ellen Goffin will entertain at her home. Roll call, with "Mother's Day" theme opened the business meeting in the afternoon, with Mrs. A. N. Doerfler presiding. Members worked on an ambulance robe for the Red Cross.

Visitors were Mrs. Phillip Fischer, Mrs. M. M. Gilmour, Mrs. O. W. Humphreys, Mrs. Marion Fischer and Morris, Mrs. Carl Jones and David and Laurel Krenz. Members present were Mrs. Mary Ellen Goffin, Mrs. Albert Mader, Mrs. Byron McElhaney, Mrs. A. L. Eddy, Mrs. J. M. Doerfler, Mrs. A. N. Doerfler,

Big Musical Starts Today At Capitol

The stars are all here! The songs are all here! The laughs are all here! Where? Why, in "The Gang's All Here," the brilliant new technicolor musical triumph which starts today at the Capitol theatre.

Noted for its sensational musical entertainments, 20th Century-Fox has put everything in this new romance-song-comedy fiesta, and the result is a hit that future screen musicals will be measured by.

Starred in the production are Alice Faye, Carmen Miranda, radio's man with the \$64 question, Phil Baker, and the king of swing, Benny Goodman, and his famous orchestra. Backing up this galaxy are many of the screen's most popular favorites. The story has been ingeniously fashioned to provide each and every one of these players opportunities to appear at his peak.

Alice Faye, singer in the famous club New Yorker, meets James Ellison, a soldier spending his last night of leave. Pretending he has no friends in New York, Ellison wins Alice's sympathy and they "do the town" with Alice promising to meet him at the station the next day to say "good-bye."

Ellison's wealthy father, Eugene Pallette, and Edward Everett Horton and Charlotte Greenwood, parents of Ellison's fiancée, Sheila Ryan, throw a big farewell party for him, but he breaks away to meet Alice.

Shipped overseas, Ellison contrives to keep both girls interested. When news comes that he is returning home, his father determines to give him a royal welcome, and hires the entire club New Yorker cast, including Carmen Miranda and Phil Baker, to put on a show at which admission will be by war bond purchase only. Rehearsing the show, Alice and Sheila, each unaware that the other is in love with Ellison, become fast friends.

Ellison's return brings everything to a climax—a climax that is at once hilarious, tuneful, romantic and eye-filling. All ends well, but only after a series of riotous incidents, spectacular musical numbers, and a special Phil Baker "Take-It-Or-Leave-It" program.



Hail! Hail! "The Gang's All Here!" And that's just how preview critics are acclaiming 20th Century-Fox's brilliant new technicolor triumph, the musical that has everything—and everybody—and is due to open today at the Capitol theatre. Starred are Alice Faye, Carmen Miranda, Phil Baker, radio's man with the \$64 question, and Benny Goodman and his famous orchestra.



Fredric March and Alexis Smith, with their screen daughter, portray the great American writer, Mark Twain, and his wife Livy in Warner Bros. "The Adventures of Mark Twain," which is now showing at Warner's Elsinore.

Fredric March Loses Identity In Twain Role

When he finished his movie portrayal of Mark Twain, Fredric March found it necessary to steal a few days in which to become re-acquainted with a chap named Fredric March.

For 12 weeks he saw very little of the March fellow, even in the mirror. He lost track of his personal interests, got behind in his reading and correspondence, and became sadly out of touch with his affairs.

Ordinarily, March does not subscribe to the theory that an actor must live a character to bring him to the screen convincingly. He has an idea there's an art called acting which makes that unnecessary.

He, however, found the late Samuel Clemens a most possessive exception to the usual run of characters. From the time he started "The Adventures of Mark Twain," there were only sleeping hours left for the real-life Fredric March.

From six to six as the clock flies the daylight circuit, he was not only required to look like Mark Twain but to talk and think like him. Two, often three hours in the Warner Bros. makeup department each morning erased the last vestiges of Fredric March from his appearance. Eight, frequently nine and sometimes ten, hours of reliving Twain's experiences and speaking in Twain's voice, crowded March out of his thoughts.

In view of the fact that he appears in 419 of the picture's 439 scenes and didn't have a day off while it was in production, this would have been monopolistic enough. But Twain even moved in on his home life.

When her husband started the characterization, Mrs. March suddenly discovered Twain. She bought a complete set of his works and read all of his biographies. When March came home in the evening he found the frau chuckling over the witty writings of the man he'd been playing all day.

When the two children, Penelope and Tony got into the collection and began asking him to read "Tom Sawyer," "Huckleberry Finn" and "The Prince and the Pauper" to them, March gave up the ghost of his own identity. There was nothing left for him but to be a full-time Mark Twain for "the duration."

Colorado Woman Comes to Gates

GATES — Mrs. Ray Salchenberger came last week for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blackburn. She expects to be joined by her husband in a few days and they will make their home in this vicinity. They have resided at Grand Junction, Colo., for the past year. Mrs. Sam Knapp entertained a few small friends at her home Thursday afternoon on the occasion of the tenth birthday of her son, Milton. The guests were Kenneth, Frances and Dorene Cram, and Sandra and Milton Knapp.

Scio Garage Changes Hands

SCIO—The Scio garage, one of the early plants of its kind in this city, conducted by Merle Cyrus and W. A. Brock for many years, was sold to Melvin Sweet and Joseph Darcy this week and they are in possession. Both Sweet and Darcy have been employed for some time by the Leonard & Slate highway construction company. Cyrus and Brock plan to devote most of their time to farming and have leased the John Brock farm of 170 acres near Providence. They will also handle other lands, according to plans.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cannon of Portland were in Scio this week, having been in Lebanon and Mill City on business and pleasure.

Albert Davis was reported improved at a Salem hospital, where his leg injury of 19 months ago is still under treatment.

Fearheller Rites Held on Wednesday

GATES — Graveside funeral service was held May 3 for William Fearheller who died April 29 at the Veterans hospital in Portland.

Mr. Fearheller lived in Gates for several years but the last two years he had lived in Idaho Falls, Idaho. Survivors are his widow, Emma Jost Fearheller; one son, Edward, and relatives in Iowa, California and Idaho.

Burial was in the Fairview cemetery near Gates. He was 49 years old and a world war veteran.

Junior Women Elect Officers

WOODBURN — Evelyn Paulson was elected president of the Junior Women's club; Eleanor Woolley, first vice-president; Ione Scholer, second vice-president; Ione Renn, secretary; Lillian MacGonegal, treasurer; Verena Heer and Agnes Maricle, directors. The election was held Wednesday.

Delegates to the third district convention at St. Helens, May 28 will be Agnes Maricle and Zoa Lowthian. Ione Renn will represent the club in the Music week program.

The program was in charge of Miss Zoa Lowthian, who gave a talk on the "Lure of French Canada." The hostess, Lillian MacGonegal served refreshments.

The club, which has been sponsoring the Camp Fire Girls, voted a scholarship for the summer camp.

A picnic is planned for May 19; installation of the new officers will be held May 31. The senior Women's club members and the Camp Fire Girls are invited.

Cannery Orders New Machinery

SILVERTON — Approximately \$20,000 worth of new machinery has been ordered and is awaited at the Royal Canning company plant in Silverton. This was formerly known as the Silverton Canning company. In the meantime the other machinery is being re-lined and repaired and clean-up work is being done.

Beans will be the first item canned and approximately the same sized pack as put up last year, will be put up by the new owners, according to Percy Palfreyman, cannery manager here. Mrs. Lucile Verbeck has been retained as office manager at the cannery.

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Greenwood FU Gives Scholarship To 4-H Clubs

OAK POINT — Greenwood local, Farmers Union, had its regular meeting Tuesday in Greenwood school house. Mrs. Hugh Rogers acted as secretary. New members taken in were Peter Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Garrison. The local union will give a scholarship to a 4-H club member, to the club summer school at Corvallis. The club member will be selected by the teacher and club leader, in cooperation with the county agent.

Mrs. Joe Rogers, sr., gave a report on the county meeting at Mt. Pisgah, and R. W. Hogg gave a talk on postwar measures.

Pear Crop Hit, Growers Report

HAYESVILLE — The pear crop in this district looks very poor. In some orchards, the cherries appear good, but it is still a little early to make a definite forecast.

Onions, parsnips, beets and spinach grown for seed are in splendid condition. The farmers have no spare time these days. The drying wind makes it necessary to keep cultivating and discing to retain as much moisture in the ground as possible.

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