

"Cowboy from Brooklyn" Mixes Melody With Mirth



JUST A LITTLE PRairie FLOWER—Priscilla Lane of the many, many Lanes is queen of the wide-open spaces in the rhythmic, rip-roarin' laugh round-up of the year, "Cowboy from Brooklyn," which opens at the Roxy Theatre Thursday evening.

"Cowboy from Brooklyn," with Dick Powell, Pat O'Brien and Priscilla Lane in the leading roles has been booked for the next feature attraction starting Thursday, announces the management of the Roxy Theatre.

It's the story of hilarious adventures — and misadventures — of a Brooklyn crooner who goes west in order to make good in the east. Blended with the amusing story are charming melodic interludes in which Powell, Miss Lane and several other members of the large and talented cast sing the five new songs written for this production as well as some famous old-time cowboy ballads.

Despite the fact that "Cowboy from Brooklyn" opens in a western locale, it is distinctly not a "western" picture. It is, in fact, the direct antithesis of all westerns, for it takes nothing seriously.

At the outset, Powell is seen as an indigent musician from Brooklyn beating his way to the west coast with two pals. They all get stranded at a Wyoming dude ranch. Daughter and son of the owners of the ranch are Miss Lane and Johnnie "Scat" Davis. There the three musicians get jobs entertaining the guests.

A Broadway theatrical producer, played by Pat O'Brien, comes to the ranch, thinks he has discovered in Powell a "natural" cowboy crooner and rushes him back east, where he wins huge success as a he-man from the wide-open spaces. His deep, dark secret, however, is that he's scared to death of a horse.

When Powell has become familiar on the radio as "Wyoming Steve Gibson," Dick Foran, playing an authentic cowboy with aspirations as a singer, proclaims that "Gibson" is a fake. Foran is motivated by jealousy over Powell's success and over Priscilla's obvious preference for the easterner.

To convince the public that Powell is a genuine cowboy, O'Brien arranges for him to ride a bronco and bulldog a steer at a rodeo at Madison Square Garden. That begins a series of delirious complications which are climaxed—and it would be cheating to tell here how it was managed—with Powell doing precisely what he was advertised to do, O'Brien becoming a candidate for another rest cure, and Priscilla getting her man.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"SACRAMENT" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 8.

The Golden Text was, "The bread of God is he which cometh down from heaven, and giveth life unto the world." (John 6:33).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and blessed it, and brake it, and gave it to the disciples, and said, Take, eat; this is my body. And he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all of it" (Matt. 26:26,27).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following correlative passage from the Christian Science text book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "His true flesh and blood were his Life; and they truly eat his flesh and drink his blood, who partake of that divine Life" (p.25).

Symbol of Immortality
Amaranth (love-lies-bleeding) was used by the Greeks in the early history as a symbol of immortality. To this day it is in use in decorations of churches on Ascension day.

Word "Sport" Long in Use
The word "sport" was in great vogue 150 years ago.

ices where these are lacking. The secretary was instructed to write to each member of our state legislature informing them that the association favors the passing of a bill to exempt from taxation those who are blind, and the unmarried widows of the blind. It was urged that each minister check on pin ball machines in his town and help to do away with them.

It was decided to change the regular meeting date from the first Monday of every month to the third Monday of each other month. The next meeting is to be in North Bend, March 20.

The local associations will appreciate it very much if outlying communities desiring services will get in touch with them, letting their wants be known.

Myrtle Point News

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid met Wednesday of last week at the social parlors of the church, with Mrs. T. D. Guerin and Mrs. Henry Herman as hostesses. On account of the stormy weather and illness, only 14 were present. Mrs. T. G. Sumerlin took the place of the president, Mrs. E. C. Barker and Mrs. Paul Breuer the place of Mrs. R. H. Lemon as secretary. After the business meeting refreshments were served.

Mrs. Charles Bellshaw was called to Powers the last of the week, her father, Dave Carey, being ill with flu. Mr. Carey was 84 years old Sunday, January 8.

Mrs. Agnes Kenyon and daughter, Ann, left Sunday for Alturas, California, where she will spend several weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Paul Tanner.

Miss Marguerite Laird left Monday for Salem, where she will visit for a few days before returning to her home in Berkeley, California.

Mrs. H. A. Schroeder, who was operated on for appendicitis last week in the Mast Hospital, is reported getting along nicely.

Mrs. W. W. Deyoe is confined to her bed this week with a heart attack. She is reported improving. Her daughter, Mrs. William Jacobson, of North Bend, staying with her.

Word was received here last week of the death of Elder Paul Iverson at his home in Cottage Grove. Mr. Iverson had been bedfast for over two years. He was a former resident of Myrtle Point.

Mrs. Earl Adams entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening in honor of her husband's birthday. Cards were enjoyed until a late hour when refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Guerin, Mrs. Agnes Kenyon, Ray Bentham, Mrs. Wm. Jacobson, Mr.

and Mrs. Elton Smidt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ocheltree, Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Higenbotam, Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, of Eugene, are visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. Eva Bunch and sister, Mrs. Lowell Bothwell.

Mrs. Frank Tripp underwent an operation at the Mast Hospital Thursday. She is reported getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pahl returned home from a business and pleasure trip to San Francisco last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosslow have as their guest this week Miss Della Rosslow, of Spokane, Wash.

Miss Margaret Chase has accepted a position as school teacher in the union high school at Enterprise in eastern Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Bond returned home Thursday from a several days' stay in Portland on a pleasure and business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Powerie have as their guest, Mrs. Geo. Cerr, of Portland.

Mrs. Roy Wisely returned to her home at Sheridan, Oregon, after a few days' stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Rouse returned home from a month's stay in eastern Kansas and Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lamb returned home last week from Modesto, California, where they spent the holidays at the home of Mrs. Lamb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zello.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gilkison returned to Port Orford Sunday evening, after spending the week-end in Myrtle Point.

Charley Bellshaw left Sunday afternoon for Sixes river, where he has employment in the Sykes and McNair logging camp.

The Junior Woman's club held its meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Elton Schroeder, with Mrs. Hazel Hanna, Mrs. Harold Carver and Mrs. Schroeder as hostesses. Miss Helen Whitaker, who recently returned from China, gave a very interesting talk on China and the condition of things there. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stinson moved last week to Yachats, Oregon, where Mr. Stinson has work in a logging camp.

Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Mitchelmore returned home from Merrill, Oregon, where they spent the holidays at the home of their son, Rev. L. Mitchelmore.

The report of the Myrtle Point library for the month of December is as follows: 967 books loaned to adults; 366 to children, 18 from the state library, and magazines circulated, 227.

CONSTRUCTION ON BURR BUILDING THIS YEAR

Construction on the building being built by George Burr, local truck dealer and garage man, on Second street between Taylor and Hall, will get underway in earnest soon, he announces.

E. L. Perrott & Son have the contract for the work and they expect to pour cement for the sidewalks and the front in the immediate future. The section of the building fronting on Second street and extending to the middle of the block will be completed this year, Mr. Burr announces, but it may take another year before the other angle of the structure, which will front on Hall street around the city hall will be completed. He hopes to have a first class garage and repair shop for logging operators when the project is completed.

Douglas McLain returned to Los Angeles, California, after a visit at the home of his parents.

Mrs. Belle Bennett went to Gravelford the first of the week to visit at the home of her son, Charles Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rose and family returned to their home at Tulelake, California, after a visit with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCracken have traded their home in Myrtle Point for the Jess Bright farm on the North Fork, near Gravelford.

Chas. Morgan Died At Medford, Dec. 23

Mrs. C. W. Upton, who was up from Lampa creek last week, said that she had received word from Medford that Chas. Morgan, who left here about ten years ago, passed away there on December 23. He had been in poor health for some time and one leg had been amputated several years ago. He was 72 years of age and so far as known leaves only a daughter living in Washington.

Sun and Moon Beliefs

It is quite usual, following classical custom, to regard the sun as having masculine attributes and the moon as having feminine attributes. It is of interest to note, in the Oxford dictionary, that in Old English "moon" was masculine and "sun" was feminine, but since the sixteenth century the classical influence has prevailed. The ancient Greeks and Romans worshiped a sun-god and moon-goddess.

Alabama's First Capital

St. Stephens, not Montgomery, was Alabama's first capital. St. Stephens is Mobile, or Mobile is St. Stephens, to avoid contrary opinion of historians, for while Mobile is not located on the site of the once state capital, the inhabitants of forgotten St. Stephens were the first settlers of Mobile.

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