

Brilliant Cast In Craterian Picture With Background Of Navy Life

ANNAPOLIS STORY WITH GRID GAMES IN CURRENT SHOW

With the current football season needing only the annual "bowl" games in various parts of the country to bring the year's fever to a climax, it is fitting that the finest football picture—yet with football as incidental to the main story—of this year should be at the New Craterian theater today, where it opens a three-day showing. It is "Navy Blue and Gold," with an Army-Navy game as the climactic thrill to a series of gridiron adventures that have Robert Young, James Stewart and Tom Brown as the three midshipmen players.

Also in featured roles in the huge cast are Lionel Barrymore, Florence Rice, Paul Kelly, Billie Burke, Barnett Parker, Frank Albertson, Samuel S. Hinds and many other screen favorites. Famous gridiron stars, headed by "Cotton" Warburton, play in the numerous football sequences. Yet football, as thrilling as it is, takes up but part of the story, credited by many men as the finest Annapolis story to reach the screen. Young, Stewart and Brown portray three cadets from different parts of life: Young, a brilliant but lazy full-back whose football prowess has been paying his way through a southern university; Stewart as an ordinary seaman who manages to pass the test for entrance to the academy; Brown as the son of rich and socially prominent New York folk. Both Young and Stewart fall in love with Brown's sister, Florence Rice, and it is this rivalry that brings on much of the drama and no little of the comedy with which the picture abounds. Many scenes of the film were actually made at Annapolis.

As added attraction on the program, the Craterian has two exceptional outstanding subjects, "The Romance of Radium," with the usual wise-cracking Pete Smith and with the wonderment of the drama he discovered in the production of this fascinating subject. The other attraction is the fourth issue of "The March of Time," of unusual interest to everyone. For one subject it deals with the human heart, the newly discovered causes of heart diseases—children's "growing pains," social diseases, artery inflammation, the kidneys—and how science is learning to control this greatest single cause of death today. The girl showing to-day at the Rialto theater, "Madame X," one of the most celebrated and heart-stabbing dramas the world has ever known, with the much lauded Gladys George in the title role and such stellar favorites as Warren William, John Beal, Reginald Owen and Henry Daniell in the supporting cast, heads the twin bill. Kay Francis in "Confession" adds to the program's glory.

Gladys George Has Lead in "Madame X" On Rialto Program

One of the finest double feature attractions to ever be shown in Medford opens a three-day showing to-day at the Rialto theater, "Madame X," one of the most celebrated and heart-stabbing dramas the world has ever known, with the much lauded Gladys George in the title role and such stellar favorites as Warren William, John Beal, Reginald Owen and Henry Daniell in the supporting cast, heads the twin bill. Kay Francis in "Confession" adds to the program's glory.

The story of "Madame X" centers about the turbulent career of a woman who deserts her husband and son when she is falsely accused of murder. As she shifts from one part of the world to another her gradual degradation follows until, as an old harridan, she is put under pressure to blackmail her husband. In defense she is forced to kill her extortionist and it is at the celebrated trial which follows that she is defended by her own son, now grown to manhood and unaware of her identity.

"Confession" is a story of a one-time great grand opera singer, reduced to cabaret jobs, who learns that the man who betrayed her years previously now has the same sort of designs upon her young daughter, shows Kay Francis in an entirely different light than has hitherto been her lot, and is an exceptionally strong feature to share twin bill honors.

Included in the supporting cast are Ian Hunter, Basil Rathbone, Jane Bryan, Donald Crisp and Mary Maguire.

BERKELEY, Cal.—(UP)—The old Athenian school of peripatetic philosophers soon may be succeeded by the trailer school. Dean Guy S. Millberry of the school of dentistry has been obliged to purchase a trailer to meet the constant demands made on him for lectures.

CARLSBAD, N. M.—(UP)—A greater number of persons, representing the United States and 20 territories and foreign countries, visited the Carlsbad Caverns national park during the first eight months of this year than for all of 1936, the previous high mark, the national park service announced.

GIVE Fuller FULLER BRUSHES
Ask for free demonstration and low holiday prices without obligation. Only 18 shopping days until Christmas.
E. J. NEUMANN
Local Dealer P. O. Box 900
Phone 733-J, Medford

"The Barrier" Coming Wednesday



Rex Beach's stories of the great Northwest have been favorites of all generations for many years and one of the most popular has been "The Barrier." Starting Wednesday at the New Craterian theater, this thrilling adventure in the days of the epic gold rush of '98 brings to the screen the pictorial grandeur with which the north abounds, against which has been set the story of the romance between the Mountie and the little

NEW TIE-UP NIGH, COAST SHIPPING

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—(P)—Possibility of a tieup of coastwise shipping involving 90 vessels of Pacific coast steam schooner operators was admitted today by Ralph W. Myers, president of the Shipowners of the Pacific.

The tieup was threatened by a break between the operators and the sailors' and marine firemen's unions over a \$4.20 expense account. Myer announced suspension of a working agreement with the two unions after the sailors failed to furnish a crew for the Seattle schooner, James Griffiths, which had been tied up at Con Pedro since Tuesday.

Noted Dead

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 4.—(P)—Ralph Lewis, 65, famed on the stage and silent screen for his characterizations, died here today from a traffic injury he suffered last October 24. He acted the role of the club-footed statesman, "Stoneman" in the "Birth of a Nation."

TODAY and MONDAY
Shows Today 1:45 - 3:30 - 6:45 - 9:00

HIT STARS! HIT TUNES! HIT STORY!
Not takes you behind the scenes of the music of world of RADIO!

PHIL REGAN
FRANK LANGFORD

THE HIT PARADE

ADDED TREATS:
Popeye the Sailor in "My Artistic Temperature" News Hand Read

ROY
Shows Today 1:45 - 3:15 - 6:45 - 9:30
MADAME X 2:00 - 5:00
8:25 - 11:20

Olivia DeHaviland In Rialto Hit



For those who like comedy of the sly, insidious type that works its way gradually into the funnybone and suddenly lets loose with a resounding "bang," the Rialto theater's Wednesday and Thursday attraction, "The Great Garrick," should more than fill the bill. A story of an English actor who on the eve of a contemplated tour of France, finds that his enemies have spread false rumors about him, "The Great Garrick" shows how the lies can be turned into favors by using a sense of humor. Brian Aherne has the title role, with Olivia de Haviland co-starring and Edward Everett Horton, Lionel Atwill and Marie Wilson in support.

AUTO DEATHS IN NOVEMBER LOWER

SALEM, Dec. 4.—(P)—Following October's reduction of eight Oregon traffic fatalities under the October, 1936 figure, November came through with a decrease of 54 fewer persons killed. Secretary of State Snell reported here today.

Twenty-four persons were killed in traffic accidents last month compared with 58 in November, 1936, when an all-time high record was established. "This reduction of 59 per cent in deaths is most encouraging," Snell declared.

Snell said there have been 15 fewer deaths from traffic accidents in 1937 than for the first two months of 1936.

Flavor is more a matter of small than taste.

Day in Congress

(By the Associated Press)
Today

Farm—Senate debates crop control bill; house in recess.

Taxes—House subcommittee studies general revision.

Courts—Senate subcommittee considers nomination of Henry White Edgerton to District of Columbia court of appeals.

Yesterday
Senate and house, debated farm bill.

Must Not Powder
LONDON.—(UP)—Five hundred girls employed at a Mansfield radio factory must not arrive at their work benches with powder or rouge on their faces. Their employer, A. H. Whitley, explaining the ban, said that it was imposed not for practical reasons, but for technical ones.

Luxembourg has an area of 999 square miles.

The effect of a scorpion sting is seldom fatal to human beings.



She Made One Mistake!... AND PAID FOR IT WITH HER SOUL...
TODAY 3 DAYS
Gladys GEORGE
John with Warren **BEAL • WILLIAM**
Reginald OWEN • William HENRY

ALSO
Personal as a Diary... Dramatic as a Bombshell... a Kay you've always loved plus a Kay you've never known before!
KAY Francis in **CONFESSION**
with Basil Rathbone • Ian Hunter

RIALTO
Shows Today 1:45 - 3:15 - 6:45 - 9:30
MADAME X 2:00 - 5:00
8:25 - 11:20
Mat-25c Eve-35c
Kiddies a Dime
CONFESSION at 3:40
7:00 - 9:55

"Hit Parade"



One of the greatest aggregations of big time names is gathered together in "The Hit Parade" at the Rialto theater for today and Monday. Topping the cast are Frances Langford and Phil Regan.

Al Pearce and his Gang, Pick and Pat, Louise Henry, George Givot, Bert Kelton, Ed Brophy, the Gentle Maniacs, Oscar and Elmer, and numerous others.

C.I.O. CHIEFTAIN TO TALK IN TABLOID

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—(AP)—John L. Lewis, chief of the C. I. O. and leader of the industrial union labor movement, is to have a newspaper of his own to reflect his official views on labor.

NORTHWEST NEEDS MORE CITIZENRY

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—(P)—Pointing out the possibilities for industrial development in the northwest through utilization of Bonneville dam power, Dr. E. T. Hodge, federal geologist, told a civic club this section had half the nation's timber, two-fifths of its water power and 18 per cent of the land but only 2.8 per cent of the population. He said it should have ten million people.

Card Readings
Madame A. Mueller, Honest and Reliable with best of references.
721 Sherman Street. Phone 965-J-2
Readings \$1.00.

You'll Stand Up and Cheer!

To the exciting swing of military bands, roaring crowds, thrills of an Army-Navy football game... comes the finest Annapolis story ever filmed—the fun, the drama, the romance of shipmates fighting gloriously for the girl only one could have!

NAVY BLUE AND GOLD

TODAY 3 DAYS!

Cast of Thousands... featuring
ROBERT YOUNG • JAMES STEWART
LIONEL BARRYMORE • FLORENCE RICE • TOM BROWN • BILLIE BURKE • PAUL KELLY

Special Added Treats:
MARCH of TIME
1—THE HUMAN HEART
2—Britain's Gambling Fever
3—Alaska's Salmon War

PETE SMITH'S "Romance of Radium"

THE New CRATERIAN
Shows Today: 1:45-3:30-6:45-9 • Mats-30c Eves-40c Kids-10c