

Charming Deanna Durbin In "Mad About Music" Opening At Craterian

HERBERT MARSHALL WITH GAIL PATRICK IN BRILLIANT CAST

A motion picture that has brought forth more superlatives than any other film of recent years brings Deanna Durbin to the New Craterian theatre today for a three day engagement in "Mad About Music."

The charming 15 year old song star, who won overnight fame with her first picture "Three Smart Girls," and followed that with last year's "100 Men and a Girl," has, through the vital appeal which she radiates, become one of the leading contenders for filmdom's top-ranking position. Her pictures are the top pictures on the studio lot where she works, and are given the best of direction, the finest talent available for supporting casts, and stories that are especially chosen to maintain the prestige and the vast following she has won in such a short period of time.

According to all advance reports, "Mad About Music" is the finest picture this delightful little star has made. It has become a "must see" picture on the lists of every movie critic in the country. For Deanna—unspoiled, natural, with a joy of life that radiates the screen with a brilliance that is found only in rare instances—has, with her smile and voice and aura of innocence, found a welcome spot in the hearts of thousands upon thousands of movie-goers.

In "Mad About Music," she is presented as a student of a girls' school in Switzerland. Her mother, played by Gail Patrick, is a Hollywood movie star who acts glamorous ingenue roles and cannot acknowledge she is a wife. All the other girls at the school have noted fathers, so Deanna invents an explorer dad for herself and tells the girls tall stories about him. Then Herbert Marshall arrives in the Alps, whereupon Deanna adopts him as her daddy and soon has him entangled in her web of fiction, which finally, after many adventures, brings everything to a very satisfactory climax for all.

Among the songs Deanna sings during the course of the picture are "Serenade to the Stars," "Chapel Bells," "I Love to Whistle" (harmonica swingers), and Gounod's "Ave Maria," which she sings with the Vienna Boys' Choir.

Jackie Cooper Has Role Rialto Drama In Rialto Stars

Characters familiar to life in the New York tenements move through the gripping story of "Boy Of The Streets," thrilling new successor to "Dead End" and starring Jackie Cooper in his first grown-up role. The picture heads the double bill opening a three day run at the Rialto theatre today. Maureen O'Connor and Kathleen Burke, the famous panther woman, have leading roles opposite the young star.

There is Chuck Brennan, boy gang leader, enacted by Cooper, and his father, Fog Horn Brennan who, posing as a big shot in ward politics, turns out to be a very little shot indeed, greatly to the disappointment of his son, who thinks he is a hero. The role of "Spike," a negro friend, is taken by Paul White, popular comic of radio and screen. Miss O'Connor has the role of Nora, friend and young sweetheart of Cooper who gets her job in a night club to keep her from going to the orphanage after her mother collapses from ill-nourishment. Frank Malo, actually born and raised in the East Side slum districts of Brooklyn, falls naturally into the role of the gang-leader opposing Chuck Brennan's gang.

With nothing behind him, young Brennan does a right-about-face after his father lets him down, and with a thrilling climax in store, brings the picture to a close with the best of results. Laid but not least is Bourke, the finest cop who gives young Chuck the break that puts him on the upward path. Marjorie Main, mother of Humphrey Bogart in "Dead End," has the role of Cooper's mother in the film.

"Love, Honor and Behave," an engaging comedy about young married life, and co-starring two popular young players, Wayne Morris and Priscilla Lane, is scheduled as the companion feature with "Boy Of The Streets," adding a lighter side to the seriousness of the slum-drama.

The story of "Love, Honor and Behave" is taken from the widely read Saturday Evening Post story and deals with two young divorcees.

The Mason and Dixon line was located from an airplane in 1936. One out of every 33 Australians plays golf, according to an estimate published in Melbourne.



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Charlie McCarthy In Coming Hit



When Charlie looks in, love files out the window. Charlie McCarthy, who with Edgar Bergen, has become the comedy sensation of the show world, is the kibitzer de-luxe whenever Edgar tries to get romantic with pretty Andrea Leeds in the all-in-Technicolor musical "Goldwyn Pol-

LEGION JUNIORS SHOW GUN SKILL

An interesting demonstration by members of the Legion Juniors Rifle club will be one of the highlights of the program to be presented at the next meeting of Medford Post of the American Legion, which will take place at the Armory Tuesday night. Capt. Shelby Tuttle will be in charge of the demonstration, which will include actual firing at targets by the youthful marksmen. A talk on Junior Baseball by Austin Prazier, president

of the Medford Baseball association will be another interesting feature of the meeting to which all Legionnaires are invited, whether members of Medford Post or not.

Following the Legion session there will be a short business meeting of the "40 et 8" Society. Post Commander Don Newbury urges a large turnout of local members for both meetings.

The coffee tree is native to Africa, but today the Latin American republics furnish four-fifths of the world's coffee, and although the cocoa tree is native to South America, most of the world's supply now comes from Africa.

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

Sally Eilers In Wednesday Show



Departing from their usual characterization in comedy-drama, Sally Eilers and Anne Shirley depict the feminine leads in "Condemned Women," coming to the Rialto theatre for Wednesday and Thursday as the added feature with "Island In The Sky." "Condemned Women" deals with the regeneration of a woman

prisoner who finds happiness in the behind-the-bars romance with the prison's physician, played by Louis Hayward.

Gloria Stuart and Michael Whalen are co-starring in "Island In The Sky," with Paul Kelly and June Storey in support.

MYSTERY ARTIST VISITS FIREMEN

Mystery pervaded fire headquarters last night and the heads were searching for Snow White.

Some unidentified but clever cartoonist and versifier slipped one over on the seven professionals of the department. The firemen each found a cartoon of the seven dwarfs, with an appropriate verse, pinned to their beds.

But Snow White was missing. The boys thought perhaps Chief Roy Elliott drew Snow White but the genial chief appeared to know nothing about the matter.

Besides looking for the fabled lassie, the five fellows were also trying to find out who did the cartooning and versifying.

ROTARY TO HEAR ADVERTISING HEAD

Mac Wilkins, one of the most prominent advertising executives of the northwest and head of a Portland and Seattle advertising agency which bears his name, will be the feature speaker at next Tuesday's luncheon meeting of the Medford Rotary club. The meeting will be held in the basement banquet hall of the Hotel Medford.

Roxy Romance



Gary Cooper and lovely Frances Dee carry the major love interest in "Souls At Sea," the amazing romance lifted from one of the most glamorous pages of American history, which plays at the Roxy theatre today and tomorrow only. George Raft co-stars opposite Cooper. Other members of the cast include Harry Carey, Henry Wilcoxon, Olympe Branda and Joseph Schildkraut.

ST. HELENS BANS FORTIFIED WINE

ST. HELENS, April 16.—(AP)—The sale of fortified wine in the city of St. Helens will be prohibited after June 1 on an action of the city council. The sale of this type of beverage was blamed for many misdemeanors and its removal from the counters of St. Helens business establishments will be a move to clear the town of many minor offenses, the council said.

A fine up to \$250 will be levied against any merchant found selling the fortified wine after June 1.

Use Mail Tribune Want Ads.

DE SOUZA DETAILS PLANS, PURPOSES OF AIRMAIL WEEK

Principal object of national airmail week May 15 to 21 is to acquaint the public with the benefits of airmail services, especially in the matter of speed and low cost, it was explained yesterday by Postmaster Frank DeSouza.

"While the domestic rate is only six cents per ounce or fraction thereof, the actual cost of sending an airmail letter is merely three cents for the reason that an ordinary letter costs three cents," Mr. DeSouza pointed out. "The additional service of transporting the letter by airmail is therefore only three cents. So far as foreign service is concerned, there was recently a reduction in airmail rates."

"Matter sent by airmail may be registered, insured and dispatched by C. O. D. In order to provide for additional promptness in delivery, use should be made of special delivery airmail stamps. Special delivery airmail is delivered as soon as it is received at postoffices of destination if the addressee resides within the district for which special delivery service is provided. Special delivery is especially desired when the airmail arrives too late for regular delivery over the week-end.

"To receive the benefits of airmail service, it is not necessary to live in cities having airmail ports. Airmail from communities not having commercial mail plane service is dispatched by train to the nearest airport city where it enters the regular airmail service.

"Volume of airmail in Medford and surrounding cities has been steadily increasing since the service was in-

stituted on September 16, 1925. "We are especially urging all patrons of southern Oregon to test the benefits of airmail service during national airmail week. We expect to operate a special airmail service on one day of the week between Medford and other western Oregon cities."

Bert Alexander To Organize Orchestra For Valley Dances

Bert M. Alexander, well known San Francisco musician, has established his residence in this city and is forming an orchestra which will be known as Alexander's Swing Time band. The new band will feature music for all occasions, new and modern, and will arrange specialties for dancing parties.

Bert Alexander has appeared in leading dance bands of the Palace Hotel, Hawaiian Village and John's Rendezvous of San Francisco and has had long experience in the musical field.

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