

"Marie Antoinette", Starring Norma Shearer, Opens Craterian Showing

TYRONE POWER HAS IMPORTANT ROLE IN HISTORIC PICTURE

A motion picture that has been creating screen history opens a three day only engagement today at the Craterian Theatre. It is the much-heralded, widely-praised "Marie Antoinette," starring Norma Shearer and Tyrone Power, and being shown here at no raise in admission prices.

With Power as her co-star for the first time, Miss Shearer brings to life the glamorous and fascinating Antoinette, a role she has waited four years to play. Power is cast as Count Axel de Fersen, the man who dared to love a Queen of France.

History has written no more tenderly romantic or grimly tragic episodes than that of the little Hapsburg beauty, whose marriage to Louis, King of France, changed the course of empires. The powerfully dramatic character role of Louis is played by Robert Morley, whose characterization has won him much praise.

The story follows Antoinette's wedding to Louis—a stupid, unattractive, dull, terrified by a marriage he did not want. Denied the love of a husband and friends she could trust, and surrounded by enemies, Antoinette determined to find happiness no matter what it cost. She became the gayest, most extravagant woman in France, giving lavish parties, losing fortunes at the gaming tables and welcoming dangerous flirtations. Then she met Count Fersen. As Queen, Antoinette had to deny the love that finally found her but it was this same love and Fersen's attempts to save Marie Antoinette from the guillotine that provided history's most famous love story.

One of the most spectacular motion pictures ever filmed, "Marie Antoinette" required four years of research and preparation and entailed an unprecedented cast of 132 supporting players with an additional 7,000 extras in the breath-taking spectacle sequences.

Among the prominent names in supporting parts are John Barrymore, Robert Morley, Anita Louise, Joseph Schildkraut, Gladys George, Henry Stephenson, Cora Witherspoon, Barnet Parker, Reginald Gardner and Joseph Calleia.

SHASTA-CASCADE COUNCIL PICKED

Membership of the Jackson county council of the Shasta-Cascade Wonderland association, elected during the recent eighth annual convention in Ashland, are announced from association headquarters here following canvass of votes by Jackson county members of the association.

Jackson county council members elected are: A. H. Bandy, W. A. Gates, C. C. Furnas, Karl L. Jancovich, Larry Schade, S. M. Bullis, E. P. Merrick, Glen L. Fabrick of Medford; Walter H. Levetree, Ashland; and George L. Howard of Diamond Lake.

In accordance with procedure, the 10 members elected at large constitute the nucleus of a larger group to be appointed by the elected members in order to insure council representation from every section of the county.

The first order of the business will be an organization meeting to be held soon, to elect a chairman, secretary, and this county's director on the association's controlling board. Later, the association board will appoint an association councillor to serve on the advisory council to the board of directors.

See Mail Tribune, Want Ads.

"Boys Town" Coming Wednesday



"Boys Town" starring Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney, brings the most colorful, human and exciting of real life stories to the screen, proof again that "truth is stranger than fiction." The picture opens a four-day run Wednesday at the Craterian theatre.

Dedicated to Father Flanagan, inspired founder of the real Boy's Town in Nebraska, and to his splendid work for the homeless, abandoned boys, regardless of race, creed or color, the film production is a stirring drama based on the actual happenings of the past 25 years in the real Boy's Town. Tracy has been given one of the most powerful roles of his brilliant career—the screen counterpart of Father Flanagan. Young Mickey Rooney departs from the harum-scarum Andy Hardy characterizations to play a straight, serious role—that of the wayward Whitey March, who finds a new meaning to life with the boys of Boy's Town, and the kindly thoughtfulness of Father Flanagan.

NEW YORK HARBOR TUGBOATS STRIKE, AS PEACE FAILS

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—(AP)—Seventy-five New York harbor tugboats were idle this morning and union officials declared they would tie up 75 more within a short time, aiming at 100 per cent effectiveness of the strike which began at midnight and may affect the movement of transatlantic freighters and passenger boats.

The strike call, issued by President Joseph P. Ryan of the International Longshoremen's association (A. F. of L.), affected 2,000 workers and followed the collapse of negotiations among the union, operators and Nathan Frankel, labor adviser to Mayor LaGuardia.

Of the 75 tugs tied up, 15 are used regularly to haul garbage scores for the department of sanitation and eight are engaged in towing coal barges for a power company. Union officials said others were engaged in servicing transatlantic liners and freight boats.

Three transatlantic liners were scheduled to arrive today and five were due to sail. All would require the assistance of harbor tugs. Frankel, balked last night in an effort to stave off the strike for 48 hours pending new conference, asked the labor and operators' committees to meet again today. He also asked Ryan to exempt transatlantic ships from the tie-up.

The Grange

Roxy Ann Grange members are looking forward to a visit from Eagle Point Friday evening, October 21. We know a good program is being planned for the evening's entertainment and urge our members to

Back To Roxy



As the egotistical American athlete who gets his "ears knocked down" when he tries to put on airs for his British schoolmates, Robert Taylor, at the Roxy theatre today and tomorrow in "Yank at Oxford," has one of the best roles of his career.

Maureen O'Sullivan and Vivien Leigh form the feminine attractions with Lionel Barrymore also featured in the film, actually made at historic Oxford.

LIGHT SNOW, RAIN IN KLAMATH AREA

KLAMATH FALLS, Oct. 15.—(AP)—Winter reminded southern Oregon today that it was just around the corner. Light snow covered the hills east of here and cold rain swept the city much to the delight of thousands of duck hunters who found the weather ideal. Snow fell in the Siskiyou above Ashland but travel conditions remained satisfactory.

Regulate Rum, Films

EUGENE, Oct. 15.—(AP)—Resolutions opposing the alcohol traffic, radio advertising of tobacco and supporting prohibition of pinball games and federal supervision of film production were adopted by the Women's Christian Temperance union at the annual state convention here.

Stars Of Medford Movie In Premier Ala Hollywood

With a parade of "stars and cars" of 1938, Medford's own movie, "Runnin' Wild," will be presented Tuesday night for its initial showing, and will be given all the Hollywood "fuss" which is usually given a first night's showing of a picture that features so many "stars" as are included in the Medford movie.

Starting last Thursday afternoon, some 50 people, including the feature cast of the local production, plus the Musical Mountaineers and other entertainers who are featured in the local attraction, assembled at the theatre to be "made-up" in regular movie style, and were given their first instructions in the art of producing motion pictures.

D. W. Baird, long associated with the production of motion pictures, has been in complete charge of the filming here.

"Although," Baird said, "one can hardly expect a super-metropolitan production, such as those produced in Hollywood with hundreds of actors, electricians, technicians, and all that sort of thing, Medford showgoers can expect to see a regular little movie with a plot, fade-ins, fade-outs, dissolves, sound, and in fact, everything that is used in making up a real motion picture play."

The actors are all local people and when one scans the list of the talent being used here, it is a definite indication of the outstanding dramatic and musical talent of Medford—most of them well known through their past accomplishments in Medford theatrically.

Early Friday morning, the entire cast went to the beautiful home of J. H. Owens, where many of the scenes depicting a party, being given by the leading lady (Evelyn Bittner), were filmed. Here the Musical Mountaineers really entertained the cast and the cameraman doing the filming.

Yesterday being "movie day" found the entire cast of players working in the business district, and more than

GUN BLAST HURTS FATHER AND SON

KLAMATH FALLS, Oct. 15.—(AP)—Here's a new way to get hurt hunting.

John Dolen, Sr., taking a second shot at a duck, was astounded to see the side blow out of his shotgun. The flying splinter shattered his thumb and struck his son, nearly severing one of the youth's fingers. The boy was standing 20 feet from his father. Their home is Grants at Barr Prairie on Beaver Creek, a Pass.

Nature Is Grand

COLORADO SPRINGS, Oct. 15.—(AP)—A grade school class adjourned to the woods for a nature study lesson. The pupils sat down on a hollow log. Teacher had just started her discourse when a swarm of hornets emerged from the log. Twenty children are recovering from stings.

Oregon Auto In Crash

EVERETT, Oct. 15.—(AP)—Four persons were injured, two seriously, late this afternoon when cars owned by Albert S. Griffin, Enterprise, Ore., and Bert Reed, Seattle, collided at the intersection of the Pacific highway and the Sitkan cutoff north of here.

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