

# Singing Stars Together Again in Colorful New Musical at Craterian

## NEW ORLEANS IS BACKGROUND FOR MACDONALD-EDDY

Together for the sixth time, in a picture said to surpass even their greatest triumphs on the screen, Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy are at the Craterian Theatre for three days starting today in "New Moon", a story set against the colorful background of early New Orleans.

The plot tells the story of a lady of noble French birth and a man who, masquerading as a bondsman, manages to elude the guillotine by dropping his official title as the Duc de Villiers. His dream of a republican form of government is realized when, cast upon the shores of an island remote from shipping lanes, he sets up a community with the members of his shipwrecked crew and the passengers of the boat, "New Moon", which he and his men had seized on the high seas. The action moves from New Orleans to the island and is replete with many romantic as well as comedy situations.

The varied musical score by Sigmund Romberg is one of the finest ever presented in a MacDonald-Eddy musical. Miss MacDonald's solos include the famous "Lover Come Back to Me," "One Kiss," "Paree," and "Rondelet." Together with Eddy she sings "Wanting You", while the "Largo" number is sung with a choir. Eddy's songs include "Softly As in a Morning Sunrise," "Stout Hearted Men" and "Shoe Shine Song" and a male quartet renders the liting "Marianne".

The supporting cast includes Mary Boland, George Zucco, H. B. Warner, Grant Mitchell and Stanley Fields.

## Ann Sothern in "Gold Rush Maisie" Heads Rialto Bill

From the African jungles of "Congo Maisie," Ann Sothern jumps to the lonesome desert of Arizona in "Gold Rush Maisie," third in the popular series dealing with the laughable and lovable stranded showgirl, which opens for today and tomorrow at the Rialto Theatre. This time Maisie is en route

## New Andy Hardy Film Coming



With golden-voiced Judy Garland in the cast, Mickey Rooney, with the rest of the Hardy clan—Lewis Stone, Fay Holden, Cecilia Parker and Sara Haden—brings the ninth of the popular series, "Andy Hardy Meets Debutante", to the Craterian Wednesday for a four day showing. The story takes them to New York where Andy is faced with a problem very serious to him

to a job as cafe singer in a small Arizona town, when her old jalopy breaks down in the middle of the desert. A young rancher, Bill Anders, gives her overnight shelter only to have her descend upon him again with a whole family of itinerant crop-followers who are prospecting for gold.

Lee Bowman, the young Archduke of "Florian," wins his first male lead as Bill Anders, and Slim Summerville is his comic hired hand, Fred Gubbins, Virginia Weidler as Jubie Davis, daughter of the prospecting family, completes the quartet of principals.

A desert gold strike brings rejoicing and celebration only to result in equal dejection when it turns out to be a fluke, with ore not worth digging for. Then Maisie must start solving problems all over again—and her thousand and one fans will begin one of their most delightful encounters with the popular honky-tonk queen. "Gambling on the High Seas,"

## Not So Tough Now



Recently the screen has seen Marlene Dietrich in a western role and Edward G. Robinson portraying a kindly doctor—so it isn't surprising to learn that the "Dead End" Kids and "Little Tough Guys" have been removed from their New York gutter roles and transplanted to a California ranch in their newest co-starring feature, "You're Not So Tough", which heads the double bill coming to the Rialto Theatre for Tuesday and Wednesday. They are cast as a group of itinerants who live by their wits and, who, in the course of the story encounter every obstacle that met the Joads in "Grapes of Wrath", Henry Armetta and Nan Grey have roles with the popular young stars.

## BETTER WEATHER HITS CORN PRICE

Chicago, Aug. 3.—(P)—Improved weather conditions for the 1940 crop and reports that Argentine dealers are trying to make sales in the east helped to push corn prices here a cent lower today.

Other grains were unsettled by the action of corn, hedging of wheat in connection with expansion of the spring crop movement more than offsetting mill buying. Wheat closed 1/4-1/2 down, September 75 1/4-1/4, December 75 1/4-1/4.

Rains in western sections of

the corn belt, particularly in Iowa and Nebraska, and forecast for showers over the eastern sections where moisture is more urgently needed depressed corn. Export interests expressed belief poor prospects of an early revival in foreign demand for U. S. wheat are not altered by British purchase of 100,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat for the current season. They pointed out that the British bought 50,000,000 bushels only two months ago, none which has been shipped, and large quantities of Australian wheat bought some time ago remain to be delivered. They said the British apparently have contracted for almost a year's requirements from the two members of the empire.

## Gulliver Returns



Adventure and music will lead you away into the land of make believe in the full-length cartoon feature, "Gulliver's Travels", which opens a three day run today at the Roxy Theatre, filmed completely in multi-plane technicolor. The grandest cartoon feature since "Snow White", the new picture takes the giant Gulliver into Lilliput Land and the strangest adventure ever written. The unusual film features eight song hits including "It's A Hap-Hap-Happy Day", "All's Well", "Faithful

Forever" and "Bluebirds in the Moonlight". "Ma! He's Making Eyes at Me", featuring Tom Brown and Constance Moore, plays as the companion feature with the cartoon feature.

## MINOR GAINS IN WALL ST. STOCKS

New York, Aug. 3.—(P)—The stock market today edged out of a fair-sized recovery week with minor gains and losses about evenly split. Reluctance of speculative forces to expand positions also was blamed on the desire for more light on the forward business picture and the national tax problem with which congress is wrestling. Some nervousness was in evidence as the result of increasing British-Japanese tension. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was unchanged at

42.9 but on the week held a net advance of 1.4 points. Transfers amounted to 121,960 shares against the 22-year low a week ago of 83,220. The day's price stalemate was exemplified by the fact that, of 366 individual issues traded, 122 were up, 116 down and 128 unchanged. U. S. Steel and Bethlehem slipped as next week's mill operations were expected to show a small drop due to suspensions of blast furnaces in a number of plants for repairs. Brazil has an area some 250,000 square miles larger than that of the United States.

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