

Norma Shearer in Sparkling New Comedy on Screen at Craterian Today

MELVYN DOUGLAS HEADS BRILLIANT SUPPORTING CAST

Gail Patrick, Alan Mowbray In Laugh Hit "We Were Dancing."

Norma Shearer returns to comedy, the medium which made her famous, in "We Were Dancing," which opens today at the Craterian theatre.

Melvyn Douglas appears opposite her, and the supporting cast was chosen for its ability to make people laugh. Among the players are Gail Patrick, Lee Bowman, Marjorie Main, Reginald Owen, Alan Mowbray and Florence Bates.

The new role reveals Miss Shearer as a charming daughter of noble aristocracy as penniless as she is beautiful. Douglas is equally high born and just as broke. They fall in love on sight and she jilts the rich American lawyer, played by Bowman, whose fortune would have brought her family jewels out of hock.

The marriage breaks up on the rocks of adversity, with Bowman as the happy divorcee lawyer about to marry the pretty grass widow. But the two meet again under different circumstances, with Douglas as the artistic decorator commissioned to arrange the new home of the lawyer and his bride.

Now that her former husband has a job, she loves him more than ever and the man of law takes a second jolt in the same place. According to advance descriptions, the film is one long succession of laughs.

Marion Robbins To Join Organization Of Gates Furniture

Marion Robbins, former Medford furniture man, will join the staff of the Gates Furniture store, according to an announcement Saturday by George Gates. Mr. Robbins will assume his new duties as manager of Gates' floor covering department effective April 1. Mrs. Robbins and their son will close their home in Klamath Falls at once and establish residence in this city.

Ginger Rogers in "Roxie Hart" Role



Described as "a low-down picture of a high-class girl," Ginger Rogers' new picture, "Roxie Hart," comes to the Craterian Theatre Wednesday for a four day run. Produced with an eye to laughs, "Roxie Hart" tells of the roaring days in Chicago when a pretty woman could do

no wrong — specially if she knew how to use her wiles on the jury. Adolphe Menjou portrays a shyster lawyer and George Montgomery is the young reporter who falls for Roxie. Others include Lynn Overman, Nigel Bruce, Phil Silvers and Sara Allgood.

Civilian consumption of electricity is being curtailed in Ontario Province, Canada, because of war requirements.

"Body Disappears" Here Tuesday



The adventures of Ellery Queen are continued in the added feature, "A Close Call for Ellery Queen," with William Gargan replacing Ralph Bellamy as the famous sleuth. Margaret Lindsay keeps the role of Nikki Porter, his stooge.

Jimie Durante In Musical Comedy On Program at Rialto

A new comedy team which promises to make laugh history will be introduced to local film fans when "You're In the Army Now" opens a three-day run today at the Rialto theatre. Jimmy Durante, whose comic antics have kept movie, stage and radio audiences in proverbial stitches for a decade or more, and Phil Silvers, straight-faced comedian of stage and recent movie fame, make up the new team. Jane Wyman, the Navy Blues Sextette and Mally Malneck and his famous orchestra provide added laughter with a grand supporting cast.

"You're In the Army Now" tells the hapless adventures that befall Durante and Silvers, who, as the ace salesman for the Whirlaway Vacuum Cleaner company, attempt to sell a vacuum cleaner to a tough recruiting sergeant. In their enthusiasm they sign all the papers he puts in front of them, and shortly the army has two new and very bewildered privates. From then on the fun comes fast and furiously with Durante and Silvers fitting as neatly into army life as two square pegs into two round holes.

"The Gay Falcon," carrying the adventures of the new mystery man into new mystery and excitement, plays as the companion feature with the army comedy. George Sanders plays the "Falcon" and Wendy Barrie plays the little woman who is always one jump behind the minister.

Ashland C-C Drops Celebration Plans

Ashland, March 28.—(Sp.)—Chamber of commerce directors Friday voted to cancel any plans for an Ashland Fourth of July celebration this year.

At the meeting Friday it was pointed out that officials of the western defense command have informed Mgr. Dean Pieper of the chamber that any

Roxy Headliners



Four great stars of the silver screen—Robert Taylor, Joan Crawford, Greer Garson and Herbert Marshall—have starring roles in "When Ladies Meet," comedy which opens a three-day run today at the Roxy Theatre.

plans would be subject to last-minute cancellation, due to the war emergency. Furthermore, the patriotic angle of keeping crowds down to a minimum on the strategic Pacific coast was given full importance.

Ray Marti Leaves For Oakland Post With Western Auto

Charles Pritchett, local Western Auto Supply company manager, announced that Ray M. Marti, the store's outside salesman for the past three years, has been promoted to manager of the furniture department in the Oakland, Calif., store.

Mr. Marti has resided in Medford for the past 10 years and is well known to many Southern Oregon residents. He plans to leave for his new position this week.

Mr. Pritchett also stated that the store's recent extensive remodeling program is progressing rapidly. The store, upon completion, will have nearly double the floor space with a new two-tone tile floor. The interior will be completely redecorated and rearranged to make room for their new home furnishings department, it was learned.

BOMBERS DOOM SKYSCRAPER IN FUTURE PLANS

New York (U.P.)—Because of the bombing airplane and air raids, the era of the skyscraper is over, according to Harvey Corbett, fellow of the American Institute of Architects and designer of many giant structures throughout America.

There will be no more skyscrapers built, he said, because they "are not a necessity from any point of view, and they only cause undue congestion in the streets wherever they are grouped."

This revolutionary view from the man who was chairman of the architectural commission of the century of progress exposition at Chicago and associate architect for the Rockefeller Center development, has a distinctly utilitarian basis.

"Certainly," he said, "in an air raid it is easier to think of people getting down to earth from a five-story building than it is from a 50-story one. I used to be a strong advocate of skyscrapers but I have changed my mind."

"If the bombing airplane is to remain a permanent instru-

ment in war, and history proves that no instrument of war invented by man has ever been given up until man has invented a more terrific one, then I would say that a four or five-story city would be safer and better than one with a lot of skyscrapers such as we build in America."

CASUALTY STATION AT JACKSON SCHOOL NOW

A complete casualty station has been set up at the Jackson school by residents of that area who have organized a civilian defense unit, a spokesman for the group reported yesterday. First aid supplies have been prepared and medical, dental and nursing services arranged for any war emergency.

The group meets at the school at 2 p. m. on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

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