

LITTLE MARGARET O'BRIEN HEADING CRATERIAN CAST

Charles Laughton, Robert Young Co-Star; "Cover Girl" on Holly Screen.

With a starring trio of Charles Laughton, little Margaret O'Brien and Robert Young, and a story adapted from Oscar Wilde's celebrated tale, "The Canterville Ghost," comes to the Craterian theater today.

It is a whimsical picture, full of delightful humor and warm dramatic situations which all the family can enjoy. Brought up to date by Edwin Harvey Blum in an excellent and exciting script, "The Canterville Ghost" tells of a ghost (played by Laughton) who, because of cowardice in a duel during his life, has been forced to roam the broad halls of his English castle for more than 300 years. Not until one of his descendants performs an act of bravery in his name will he be rid of the curse and able to return to rest forever.

Margaret O'Brien, one of the most talented youngsters in the entire history of the theater and the movies, plays the youngest descendant—Lady Jessica de Canterville, who becomes hostess to a platoon of American Rangers billeted in the old castle during the present war.

The Holly offers Rita Hayworth in "Cover Girl" together with the sparkling hit, "Hi-Ya, Sailor."

14 WACS CITED AT CAMP WHITE

Camp White—Fourteen members of Camp White's WAC detachment were displaying their Good Conduct ribbons with pardonable pride after receiving them at a formal retreat parade Friday evening.

The service ribbon is awarded only to men and women in the service who have maintained a high standard of performance in their duties for at least one year. In accordance with War Department regulations, the ribbon is issued in place of the Good Conduct medal during wartime.

The presentation was made by 1st Lt. Willard G. Maltby, post adjutant; to Sgt. Frances L. Allmendinger, Sgt. Elizabeth P. Campbell, Sgt. Shirley M. Cook, Sgt. Florence M. Ouellette, Cpl. Faith S. Negray, Cpl. Emma R. Graham, Cpl. Margaret E. Malone, Cpl. Ruth F. Sheffer, Pfc. Agonis Dease, Pfc. Helen V. Ulseth, Pfc. Norma W. Lundblad, Pfc. Eleanor H. Neelberg, Pfc. Freda A. Schultz and Pfc. Edna B. Woods.

GIRL ACQUITTED
Mercer, Pa., Sept. 23—(U.P.)—Janice Graham, 21-year-old Mercer county farm girl, was acquitted today of charges that she killed two women and a man on the farm of her employer near here last Oct. 7. The girl had been charged with the slaying of Mrs. Helen Wilson, 48; Mrs. Catherine Wilson, 78, and Robert McKay, 61, a fellow hand on the Everett N. Wilson farm, where she was employed. The women victims were the wife and mother of the farm owner, now a navy seabee.

HONOR NAVY FAMILY
Sausalito, Cal., Sept. 23—(U.P.)—The launching of the navy auxiliary USS Anacostia at Marinship tomorrow at 6 p. m. will honor a distinguished naval family, headed by Rear Adm. Henry F. Burns.

FIRST CANAL
Dedham, Mass.—(U.P.)—The first canal built in America is believed to be Mother Brook in Dedham, constructed before 1640, to carry the waters of the Charles and Neponset rivers into the town.

Closing time for Classified ads 9 a. m.—Too Late to Classify, 12:30 p. m.

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"Bathing Beauty" Due Wednesday



Starting Wednesday at the Craterian a four day performance of fun with Red Skelton, in "Bathing Beauty," a musical

MEDFORD HIGH TO HAVE CAP UNIT IF STUDENTS DESIRE

Medford high school has been approved for a unit in the Civilian Air Patrol organization and City School Superintendent E. H. Hedrick stated Saturday that one may be formed here if students are sufficiently interested. Decision to approve the local high school as a unit followed a conference Wednesday between Hedrick, Lester Harris, principal of the high school and Major Charles T. Haas, executive officer of the Civilian Air Patrol of Portland.

CAP is an auxiliary branch of the army air force but not a part of the army proper. Hedrick explained that the aim of the government, in this connection, is to build a greater interest on the part of the high school students in civilian flying after the war and give as much aid and encouragement to this as possible.

For Boys and Girls
Membership in the unit is open to both boys and girls between the ages and 15 and 18. Several of these units are now in operation in the state.

As a special added attraction on the same program, the Rialto will have "The Eagle vs. The Dragon," an engrossing story of nature that was given prominent mention in the Saturday Evening Post last year. Many interesting highlights on the production of this great epic.

PIONEER PICNIC ASHLAND, SEPT. 28

The 66th anniversary of the annual Pioneer picnic will be observed in the Pioneer building at Lithia Park, Ashland, Thursday, Sept. 28, at which time Frank Van Dyke, Ashland lawyer and state representative, will be speaker.

A picnic will be served in the Elks Temple at noon and those attending will bring a basket lunch. A business meeting will follow in the afternoon. Election of officers will bring the annual session to a close and during the day a musical program is to be presented. Clarence Lane, president, will officiate. The picnic begins at 10:30 a. m.

Railroads carried two and a half times as many troops in the first 20 months after Pearl Harbor as in all of World War I.

through Mr. Harris, the city school superintendent's office stated.

POULTRY CO-OP MEETING CALLED

A meeting in the interest of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry Producers will be held at 8 p. m. in the court house auditorium Wednesday, Sept. 27, it was announced Saturday. The announcement revealed that the local receiving plant for the organization will be in operation soon, both for receiving eggs and selling feeds.

Importance of Wednesday's meeting was stressed, all egg producers, whether members of the association or not, being cordially invited to attend. Prof. Hubert Cosby, head of the Oregon State college poultry department, also G. C. Keeney, general manager of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry Producers, will attend the meeting to discuss the poultry situation in general and the methods and advantages of cooperatives in the marketing of eggs.

FELON FREED TO JOIN ARMY, CLAIM

Sacramento, Sept. 23—(U.P.)—The state adult authority, which fixes the prison terms of convicted criminals, tonight was blasted by a Sacramento department store executive for permitting a man who robbed the store of \$22,500 in 1941 to join the army. Robert Pender, 30, was seen in uniform on a downtown street yesterday, and Folsom prison officials admitted he was paroled Aug. 29 to be inducted. The store executive said the

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report has "demoralized" his staff, including the firm's cashier, who was reported to be near a nervous breakdown because of alleged threats Pender made during his court trial "to get him."

HIGH-PRICED SHEEP
Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 23—(U.P.)—The highest price paid for sheep at auction in the United States was paid today for a 90-pound grand champion South-down sheep belonging to David Boehm. The price was \$11.75 per pound and Boehm received \$1057 for the sale.

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Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 5:30 Saturday afternoon—Please remember.

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