

# LOMITA THEATRE

Admission, 10c and 15c  
Show Opens Promptly at 7:00 P. M.

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, DEC. 29-30  
"RANGER OF THE NORTH"  
COLLEGIANS, "The Fighting Spirit"  
Comedy: "Honeymoon Hospital" and  
GIFT NIGHT!

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31  
"LYING WIVES"  
Comedy: "FIGHTING FOOLS"  
Also, "Felix Monkeys with Magic"

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## "The Gorilla" at Torrance 2 Nights



Charlie Murray and Fred Kelsey as Mulligan and Garity in "The Gorilla"

Comedy is supposed to be close to tragedy. The greatest comedians and critics say the best comedy is that which is mingled with pathos, and if this true then Charlie Murray, who is featured in "The Gorilla," has all the laughs coming to him.

## "Les Miserables" at the Lomita



Scene from "LES MISERABLES" A UNIVERSAL FILM OF FRANCE

The new version of "Les Miserables," which was recently purchased by Universal for the entire world, the Continent excepted, promises to be one of the most stupendous films ever shown, judging from the reports of the press on its premieres Paris, London and New York.

"Les Miserables" is regarded by many people as by far the greatest work by Victor Hugo, and the film, according to Le Matin, "pours out the intense generosity, wide charity, vehement pity and magnificent revolt against 'social damnation'—all that makes Victor Hugo's novel a masterpiece. Humanity is indeed the essence of the film, which will engrave itself on the screens throughout the world—an outstanding fact in our national film production."

"Les Miserables" will be shown at the Lomita theatre Sunday and Monday.

Other attractions at the Lomita are as follows: Thursday and Friday, "Ranger of the North," comedy and gift night; Saturday, "Lying Wives," comedy and Felix; Tuesday and Wednesday, "Sky High Sanders," "The Red Warning," a comedy.



FLOWER GARDENS throughout Southern California are being carefully watched and tutored in order that there may be no shortage of blossoms for the Golden State's great annual mid-winter fete, the Tournament of Roses, which is to be held in Pasadena on January 2nd. Only natural flowers may be used on the floats in the rose parade, and countless thousands of them are required. The picture above shows Oulina Lisk and Peggy Moore in their Pasadena gardens.

## New Year Orpheum Bill Books Stars

The Christian Endeavorers of the Community church presented Miss Mills and Miss Thomas with handsome plaques, as Christmas gifts.

Earl Stirling of Arizona street spent part of the holidays with his aunt, Mrs. El Bruner of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lampert of Weston street attended a reception Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. R. Wardner of Los Angeles. The guests were all former residents of Wabash, Indiana.

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## Famous Comedians at Four Far Apart Points Will Broadcast to Country on the Night of Jan. 4th

Will Rogers, Fred Stone, Paul Whiteman and Al Jolson in four different corners of America will be broadcast to the entire United States by Dodge Brothers for one hour, ten-thirty to eleven thirty, on January fourth in what is the greatest mechanical achievement in radio telephony ever attempted and probably the costliest radio program yet given. The program utilizing the facilities of the National Broadcasting Company and American Telephone and Telegraph Company will be the initial step by Dodge Brothers in an extensive advertising program, heralding the Victory, a new six cylinder motor car embodying entirely new principles of motor construction, it was announced today by Dodge Brothers, Inc., of Detroit.

Will Rogers, as master of ceremonies, will broadcast from Hollywood; Fred Stone from Chicago; Paul Whiteman and his band from New York and Al Jolson from New Orleans in a linkup of 33 broadcasting stations made possible by the most intricate engineering with special telephonic circuits and the use of over 12,000 miles of telephone wire. From an engineering standpoint, according to officials of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, the feat entails the overcoming of tremendous difficulties. Three transcontinental circuits will be utilized, one to serve the 33 broadcasting stations, one to transmit the programs of the various performers to New York where in turn they will be distributed to the broadcasting station circuit, and the third to be used for emergency purposes in case weather conditions affect the second circuit. Hundreds of engineers will be at work on these three lines, both prior to and during the broadcasting. Over 200 men operating broadcasting stations in the hookup will be at work at stations throughout the country. Running parallel with the broadcasting circuits will be thousands of miles of wire lines utilizing telegraphic communications in order to transmit orders to engineers at work along the circuit. Over 30,000 people scattered throughout the United States will tune in on this program, according to the estimate of M. H. Aylesworth, president of the National Broadcasting Company, who stated this event would place the entire nation in a sense in one radio studio. "The four corners of the United States will be a broadcasting studio," said

Mr. Aylesworth.

Mr. Rogers, from one corner in Hollywood, will step before the microphone upon hearing his introduction from New York via the loud speaker. His voice travels by special telephonic circuits from California to New York where it enters the telephonic circuit of the broadcasting stations. In a fraction of a second his voice comes back to him via the air from a local California broadcasting station. The same is applicable to Mr. Jolson in New Orleans, who immediately following his introduction by Mr. Rogers from California which Jolson hears from a nearby receiving set, begins his performance which travels over thousands of miles of special telephonic circuits and comes back to him via the local broadcasting station almost immediately. So the program will be followed out!

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tunnell of Oak street were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Heidt and Mrs. C. Jensen of Baldwin Park.

Mrs. Alex MacPhail, junior past Noble Grand of Trio Rebekah lodge will entertain the retiring suite of officers at luncheon, Tuesday, Jan. 30.

### TIME TABLE

LONG BEACH—LOS ANGELES—HOLLYWOOD  
Motor Coach Line

Lv. Torrance for Moneta, Western City, and Manchester Ave., Los Angeles: A. M. 6:59 except Sunday, 9:39; P. M. 12:34, 2:44, 4:44, 7:44 and 11:34.

Lv. Torrance for Keystone, Davidson City, Watson, and Long Beach:—A. M. 7:46, daily except Sunday; 10:41; P. M. 1:31, 3:31, 5:36, 8:41 and 12:36 A. M.

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