

Amusements

FOX GRANADA

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FRIDAY-SATURDAY MAY 9-10
S. S. VAN DINE'S
'The Benson Murder Case'
With WILLIAM POWELL
Stan Laurel—Oliver Hardy
In "BLOTTO"

SUNDAY ONLY MAY 11
KEN MAYNARD
In His Latest Action Thriller
"Mountain Justice"

MONDAY-TUESDAY, MAY 12-13 (2 FEATURES)
BEBE DANIELS in
"LOVE COMES ALONG"
—And—
"THEY LEARNED ABOUT WOMEN"
With GUS VAN and JOE SCHENCK

WED., THURS. AND FRI. MAY 14-15-16
'Light of Western Stars'

Richard Arlen and Mary Brian In Western Film at Redondo



Richard Arlen and Mary Brian in a scene from Paramount's production of Zane Grey's story, "The Light of Western Stars," coming to the Fox Redondo Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, May 14 and 15.

How would you like to see and hear Maurice Chevalier and Evelyn Brent in a slap-stick Lubitsch sketch which tells all about the "Apache dance"? Or Buddy Rogers and Lillian Roth in a bright, new, catchy-singing-love act? Or the dialog that would ensue were Philo Vance, Sherlock Holmes, Sergeant Heath and Dr. Fu Manchu to gather at the killing of Jack Oakie?

These are only a few of the hilarious, enjoyable moments, some in Technicolor, which will set audiences applauding at the Fox Redondo Theatre, where "Paramount on Parade" will play Monday and Tuesday.

Richard Arlen sings in his second Western role in "The Light of Western Stars," and his voice, like Gary Cooper's, has that masculine huskiness which goes with the adventuresome bravado of the plainsmen. Arlen, in the opening sequence of the picture, which will show at the Fox Redondo Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, is heard in a cowboy chant, accompanied by an harmonicon and a jews-harp.

"Bugs" Baer, whose bright quips reach many thousands of newspaper readers daily, makes his debut as a screen writer with "They Learned About Women." Van and Schenck's first feature talkie, which will play Sunday at the Fox Redondo Theatre as a new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer offering.

FOX PLAZA TO CHANGE BILLS 4 TIMES WEEK

Vaudeville on Saturday With Single Day Run of Film, Is New Plan at Hawthorne Theatre

With the week commencing Sunday, May 11, Fox Plaza Theatre, Hawthorne, is putting a different schedule of program changes into effect. Programs will be changed four times weekly, i. e., Sundays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Saturday will be a single day change the picture program together with the Vaudeville show playing the one day only.



WILLIAM POWELL
In the Paramount Picture
"The Benson Murder Case"

Torrance School Notes

Evening High
Mrs. Stella Young has taken over the English classes at the evening high school, replacing Mrs. Lois Lingenfelter-Engel who has resigned.

Miss Ada Chase, art teacher, will speak next Monday night before the Garden Club at the American Legion clubhouse, on the use of color and the arrangement of flowers as decorations.

MURDER CASE FILM SHOWING AT GRANADA

"Young Eagles" starring Charles (Buddy) Rogers and Jean Arthur, plays at the Fox Granada Theatre in Wilmington for the last time tonight. This thrilling epic of the air is crammed with astounding feats, dare-devil stunts and mighty drama. It's Buddy Rogers' greatest since "Wings." Don't miss it. A comedy, act and Metrophone News



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JUNGLE VISITOR
CAPE TOWN (UP)—Alfred Morton, waking from a nightmare, was greeted by a lion that walked out from under his bed in a Rhodesian farm house, but was satisfied with killing an ox, a calf, and three dogs and did not attack Morton.

POOR MAIL CARRIER
WISBECH, England (UP)—A postage stamp addressed to Charles Hannum was delivered blank to the postman's coat, and Hannum was able to collect a wage he had made the previous evening.

TORRANCE THEATRE

LAST SHOWING TODAY
"Under A Texas Moon"
Warner Bros. Vitaphone
Natural Color Picture

FRIDAY, SATURDAY MAY 9-10
CONRAD NAGEL in
"The Ship From Shanghai"
All-Talking

SUNDAY, MONDAY MAY 11-12
BUSTER KEATON in
"FREE AND EASY"
All-Talking Comedy

TUES., WED., THURS. MAY 13-14-15
JOAN CRAWFORD in
"MONTANA MOON"
All-Talking

FOX PLAZA

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FRI. MAY 9
CHARLES (BUDDY) ROGERS
in
"YOUNG EAGLES"
The director of "WINGS," Wm. Wellman, captures anew the romantic glamour of America's war birds.

SAT. MAY 10
As the added attraction for Saturday only
5 ACTS OF FANCHON & MARCO VAUDEVILLE

SUN. MAY 11
THE INIMITABLE COMEDIAN
BUSTER KEATON in
"Free and Easy"
ALL STARS! ALL LAUGHS!
The cast of this Laughfest includes: Karl Dane, Lionel Barrymore, William Haines, Anita Page, Trilix Friganza and others of equal note. The "Revival" added attraction for Monday night only will be

MON. MAY 12
BILL HART in
"TUMBLE WEEDS"

TUES. AND WED. MAY 13-14
WILLIAM POWELL
S. S. Van Dine's Thriller
"The Benson Murder Case"

THURS. AND FRI. MAY 15-16
RAMON NOVARRO
DEVIL-MAY-CARE

Commencing week of Sunday, May 11th, programs will be changed on Sundays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Saturday will be a single day picture program with Vaudeville. The "Revival" Day has been changed from Tuesday to Monday each week.

Please Note Policy Changes

Prices Every Day Except Saturday Eve.—10c-30c-40c

Joan Crawford and Cowboys Here Next Week in "Montana Moon"

Joan Crawford, usually associated with society drawing rooms and flapper boarding schools will be seen in a new environment in "Montana Moon," her latest Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer offering which will be shown Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 14, 15 and 16, at the Torrance Theatre.

For this production was made on a cattle ranch in the San Jacinto Mountains, 200 miles north of Los Angeles where Miss Crawford, together with her director, Malcolm St. Clair and a supporting cast which included John Mack Brown, Dorothy Sebastian, Ricardo Cortez, Benny Rubin, Cliff Edwards, Karl Dane and Lloyd Ingraham established location headquarters.

Four well-known song writers collaborated on the musical hits. Nacio Herb Brown and Arthur Freed who wrote the hits of "The Broadway Melody," contributed three songs to the Metro-Goldwyn production, "Sing a Song of Old Montana," "Happy Cowboy" and "The Moon is Low." Herbert Stothart and Clifford Gray, composer and lyricist of "Devil May Care," wrote two numbers, "Trillin' in Old Montana" and "Montana Call."

An added musical attraction is a chorus of 50 cowpunchers who sing original cowboy ditties and ballads.

The picture is said to be unique in the respect that the majority of its extra players were recruited from the staff of cowpunchers on the ranch, whose activities, including the riding of bucking broncos, lassoing of steers, handling of stampedes and other purely Western pursuits were included in the story as part of the general atmospheric detail.

Wagnerian Opera Featured In Interesting Club Program

The members of the Women's Club enjoyed a great treat Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Allen Minot gave a talk on Richard Wagner and his work at Bayreuth. Mrs. Minot called Wagner a reformer of the opera as his methods were so different from the Italian operas.

He was a poet and dramatist as well as a musician and in his younger years he wished to write tragedies as did Shakespeare. At twenty he wrote an opera that was never published. The operas "Rienzi" and the "Flying Dutchman" first brought him into prominence. He was out of Germany for several years and upon his return King Ludwig of Bavaria who was a lover of music made it easier for him. With Mrs. Minot were Mrs. Ann Messervie, piano soloist and accompanist, and Miss Helen Ellsworth, vocalist.

As an opening number of the program, Mrs. Messervie played Liszt's "Lobstrum." Liszt being so closely associated with Wagner as it was through him that it was made possible for Wagner's music to be published. Liszt's daughter, Cosima, was Wagner's second wife. Cosima Wagner died about three weeks ago at the age of ninety-two. Other musical numbers given were "Elsa's Dream" from Tannhauser; song by Miss Ellsworth; and "The Evening Star" from the same opera, played by Mrs. Messervie. Miss Ellsworth sang, "The Cry of the Valkyries" and Mrs. Messervie played the "Magic Fire" from "Die Walkure."

Mrs. Minot complimented the Torrance Women's Club as being the first club to ask for a Wagnerian program. All of them wanting the luncheon speaker was Celeste Grunn, daughter of Homer Grunn, who spoke on the Children's

Theatre and the Celeste Grunn Players. Miss Irene Mills of the high school conducted her class in better English after the luncheon.

During the business session which preceded the program, an invitation from the First Methodist Episcopal Church inviting the members of the club to attend the Mothers' Day services at the church was read. An invitation for the club members to attend the exhibit of the paintings at the Gardena High school was accepted for May 8.

These paintings are those which have been bought by the senior classes of the Gardena High school as a parting gift to the school. As this custom dates only a few years back the school now has a fine collection of paintings.

The Torrance Club is to be one of the hostesses at the bridge luncheon and card party at the federation headquarters in Los Angeles on June 5. It is hoped that a large number of the members of the Torrance Club will attend this party.

Reservations can be made with either Mrs. Frank Sainmons, president, or Mrs. Paul Vonderhage, first vice-president, Thursday evening, May 15. Rabbi Edgar Magrin will speak at the club house. This is the closing number of the lecture course that has been given by the club during the winter. It is considered to be the best number on the course.

May 23 the Country Fair will be held at the clubhouse. On the next club day, May 21, the Bible Section, under Mrs. R. A. Young will meet at 1:00 p. m. at the clubhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lukko of Santa Ana were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Dellinger last week.

and Saturday, May 9 and 10, William Wellman, the director of "Wings," has put forth his very best effort in the production of "Young Eagles"—Buddy Rogers is starred. This is a romantic tale of the air-service in the world war. On Saturday five big acts of Fanchon and Marco vaudeville hold the boards—these acts, as has been the rule, will be accompanied by Manny Harmon and his Band.

Sunday, May 11, starts the new policy of changes and for the two days, Sunday and Monday, the new feature picture will be "Free and Easy," starring the inimitable comedian, Buster Keaton. Buster has surrounded himself with a galaxy of stars in this offering among them Karl Dane, Lionel Barrymore, William Haines, Anita Page, Trilix Friganza and others of equal note. On Monday in addition to the Buster Keaton film, a revival picture will be shown, Bill Hart in "Tumble Weeds." The revival pictures have heretofore been a part of the double program given at the Plaza on Tuesday—hereafter Monday will be Double-bill Revival Day.

For next Tuesday and Wednesday the management booked the S. S. Van Dine thriller—the mystery detective play, "The Benson Murder Case"—William Powell is playing the star role of Vance. Then Thursday and Friday the musical romance that has been drawing such tremendous crowds wherever shown will be seen and heard—"Devil May Care" with Ramon Novarro.

Patrons are continually remarking on the clearness of the sound at the Fox Plaza and the fact that no echoes are heard. Each and every voice is clear and distinct and can be heard all over the house. The sound equipment of the Plaza is the finest that money can buy, namely, Western Electric, and is regularly inspected by competent engineers every week so that only the clearest and finest sound will obtain—here is realism.

Metropolitan Water District To Hold June Meeting Here

An invitation has been extended by the Torrance Chamber of Commerce and the City Council to the Metropolitan Water District to hold its next meeting in Torrance. This is the organization that has been formed to subscribe for water from the Boulder Dam project.

The urgent need of providing some means for a future water supply was explained to directors of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce Monday afternoon by Councilman Steiner and to the City Council by Mayor Dennis Tuesday evening. The next meeting of the Metropolitan Water District will be held early in June and Torrance residents are urged by civic officials to attend this meeting in order to become acquainted with the facts regarding the threatening water shortage in all Southern California communities.

Frank B. Smith, Jr., of Pasadena, was a guest over the week-end of his sister, Alice, Elsa Smith, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene.

William Powell, featured as "Philo Vance" in the "Benson Murder Case"—a Paramount Picture showing at Fox Granada Friday and Saturday.

On this bill also, Friday and Saturday you can watch Philo Vance (William Powell) solve the "Benson Murder Case," one of the most baffling in all criminal annals. It's a thriller! Laurel and Hardy are on the bill also in their latest fun-act, "Blotto." Fox Movietone News, too!

Sunday only—"Mountain Justice" will be shown starring Ken Maynard—Western ace Comedy and Metrophone News also.

Monday and Tuesday—two talking pictures of unusual merit. "They Learned About Women" features Gus Van and Joe Schenck, celebrated vaudeville comedians, with Bessie Love, while "Love Comes Along" stars beautiful Bebe Daniels with Lloyd Hughes in a jolting ensemble of drama, song and color! Fox Movietone News, too!

Zane Grey's "Light of Western Stars" comes to the Fox Granada Theatre Wednesday for a three-day run.

OPENING OF FRED'S Poultry Market No. 2

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