ON THE SCREEN AT THE NEW LYCEUM

Lon Chaney holds tiny actress Janet Ann Gallow in one of the chilling scenes in Universal's "The Ghost of Frankenstein," which comes on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, May 7, 8, 9 to the New Lyceum Theatre.

With Bill Elliott and Tex Ritter co-starred, Columbia brings "Roaring Frontiers" to the New Lyceum on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 30, May 1 and 2 as part of a double feature show.

Told against the turbulent background of lawless frontiers, the new Elliott-Ritter thriller is set in outlaw-ridden Goldfield, where Tex is forced into hiding when he attempts to clean up the political knavery which brings immunity to the renegades. Wild Bill, as a United States Marshal, arersts and returns him to town, to stand trial for the killing of the sheriff, and attempts to see to it that a fair trial is given.

Marshal and prisoner swing into gun-flaming action when they discover that the men who framed the evidence which might convict Tex are equally eager to prevent his coming to trial . . . they'd just as soon lynch him out of hand! In the ensuing battle, Tex is wounded and both men are forced to flee. They uncover the real killer, and go after him when he seeks sanctuary with the political gang leader who runs the town.

The swift action of "Roaring Frontiers", under the astute direction of Lambert Hillyer, is said to reach splendid new heights of excitement with the gun-smoking climax, and, according to advance reports, lovely Ruth Ford, a newcomer to the screen, provides delightful romantic interludes.

Its climax an impressive presentation of "Ballad for Americans," popular patriotic song hit, "Born to Sing" presents a cast of youthful singing, dancing and acting prodigies, including several "discoveries," in a streamlined blend of harmony and drama. The picture, with Virginia Weidler, Ray McDonald and Leo Gorcey heading the cast, is coming to the New Lyceum Theatre, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 30, May 1, 2, as part of a double feature show.

The story concerns the daughter of a composer, played by Miss Weidler, whose father's music has been stolen by a Broadway producer. She enlists the aid of a group of youngsters, headed by Ray McDonald, who, in attempting to obtain justice for the composer, get into police difficulties, escape from a patrol wagon with a racketeer, and while hiding from the police, set out to produce the composer's show before its Broadway presentation, to prove its authorship.

Colorful Climax

The climax of the show is "Ballad for Americans," presented as a musical spectacle with a huge chorus depicting every element in American life, with Douglas McPhail, youthful baritone, as soloist.

Other musical numbers include "I'll Love Ya," sung by Beverly Hudson, new singing discovery; "Here I Am, Eight Years Old," sung by Daria Hood of "Our Gang" fame and a "Quiz Kid" chorus; "Two A. M.," principal love melody, sung by Virginia Weidler and Ray McDonald, with a dancing interpolation; and "I Hate the Conga," comedy number by Beverly Hudson and Gorcey.

There are certainly no priorities on laughter as you're sure to find out when you go to the New Lyceum Theatre on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 4, 5, 6, where Warner Bros.' howling hit, "The Male Animal," starts its local run. It has everything that makes for one grand comedy— gags, comic situations, breezy dialogue and plenty of romance. And what's more, it has the finest cast of this season's crop of laugh hits.

In the leading roles are lovely Olivia de Havilland as the wife of a college professor, and Henry Fonda as her husband, a fellow who is soft-spoken but firm. The film combines wild comedy with plausibility in a story of a professor who simply can't get exctied about the coming 'big game' and his wife who has too fond a memory for a certain former football hero.

As if there wasn't enough to worry about, Fonda's sister-in-law, Patricia, played by charming Joan Leslie, is in love with fiery college newspaper editor (Herbert Anderson's role) who writes an editorial praising Fonda for his intended reading of a speech which is frowned upon by the heads of the University.

On top of this, Jack Carson, in the role of the aforementioned ex-football hero, comes in for the University's big game, and incidentally to see his old pal, Fonda. (Of course Olivia was the furthest thing from his mind.) But she gets that romantic look about her and keeps talking about the good old days when she and Carson used to have so much fun, so Fonda knows that theer's more trouble ahead. But he finds a solution which is the roaring climax of the film.

"The Male Animal," which had a very successful run on the Broadway stage, was written by James Thurber and Elliott Nugent and adapted for the screen by Julius and Philip Epstein and Stephen Morehouse Avery. Mr. Nugent also handled the direction of the production.

TRAFFIC DEATHS IN COUNTIES DROP IN MARCH

In the face of the necessity for harnassing all the nation's energies and resources to the war effort, Maryland witnessed 1723 motor vehicle accidents in March 16% more than occurred in February, 1942, and 8% more than in March, 1941. These accidents exacted a toll of 38 fatalities and 852 personal injuries. It is somewhat encouraging to note that the number of deaths has dropped 27% from last month's record. This is due entirely to the 41% reduction in county traffic deaths. There were 22 fatalities in the 23 counties of the State. Prince George's County experienced 5, the largest number for a single county. Frederick County's record dropped from February's unusually high number of 8 to 2. These county deaths resulted chiefly from two types of accidents—motor vehicle in collision with another motor vehicle, and motor vehicle in collision with a pedestrian. Of the 22 county deaths only 40 occurred in urban centers: 1 each in Salisbury, Dundalk, Berwyn and Essex. This is a striking reduction from the February record of 16 fatalities in urban centers located in the counties. The other 16 county fatalities took place in rural areas.

In sharp contrast to the county decrease in fatalities, Baltimore City experienced 16 traffic deaths, 1 more than last month, and 3 more than in March, 1941. Twelve of these deaths resulted from a motor vehicle striking a pedestrian.

Although there were fewer fatalities this month, for the State as a whole, there was an increase in the total number of accidents, and in the number of persons injured—in the entire State, in the counties, in Baltimore City, and in both urban and rural areas. Baltimore City experienced 138 more motor vehicle accidents and 80 more persons were injured than in February. Baltimore County's record shows an increase of 25 accidents and 28 injuries. Harford and Howard counties, however, had noticeable decreases. Several urban centers located in the counties contributed to the unfavorable county records. These were Annapolis, which had 11 more accidents than last month; Bethesda, with 10 more; Essex, with 5 more; and Salisbury with 4 more. Favorable reductions occurred at Hagerstown and Halethorpe.

The evidence for Baltimore City and its environs—more accidents, more persons killed, more persons injured—indicates clearly that there exists the greatest traffic hazard in the State. At the same time, Baltimore is the center of huge war time production which must not be hampered by traffic accidents, which take their toll in manpower and property.

Every motorist is requested to cooperate 100% with Governor O'Conor's Campaign to reduce speeds to a maximum of 40 M. P. H.; conserving tires, gasoline, life and property, for our all out struggle against the Axis.

More Men Killed

A study of the American Automobile association disclosed that 7 out of 10 persons killed in automobile accidents are men and that two out of three persons are over 40 years old.

Newspaper for Insane

A newspaper written by and for inmates of an insane asylum is the "Mauer Ohling," published in the Asylum of Mauer near Vienna. Its readers and compositors and staff are all inmates.

MANY VISITORS IN AND AROUND MILLINGTON

The attractive home of the late Mrs. John T. Slaughter, in Millington, was sold at public sale last Saturday, April 25th. It was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. McCosh Walls.

Mr. and Mrs. Browne Duling, of Marcus Hook, Pa., visited relatives in town on Sunday last.

Mrs. Edward Kauffman and two children, of near Westminster, Md., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Comegys.

Miss Myrtle Gartown, of Townsend, Del., spent Monday with Miss Carolyn Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Pennington, of Baltimore, and Miss Martha Pennington, of Lenardo, N. J., were guest of Mrs. Liston Pennington, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kesler Farrow, of Harrington, Del., were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Jones.

Mrs. Mary McGuire, of Wilmington, Del., died suddenly on Monday night at her home. Mrs. McGuire was the daughter of Mrs. Sarah C. Harris, of Millington formerly, now resides in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Spencer Stevens, of Baltimore, Md., spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Charles S. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Paswater and son, Richard, of Wilmington, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noland Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis George and children, of near Elkton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Noland Robinson.

Miss Tillie Logan, of Baltimore, Md., spent several days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Logan.

Frank Lambert, of Wilmington, Del., visited his grandmother, Mrs. John E. Woodall last week.

ACTIVITIES IN AND AROUND STILL POND

The Officials of Still Pond Methodist Church held their regular meeting Wednesday evening at the parsonage, Rev. Flater, in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Vandegrift, and family of near Wilmington, were Sunday guests of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Harper.

On our birthday list last week, Mrs. J. Carson Greenwood, and Mrs. Kate Ford.

Mrs. Bidwell entertained Friday Mrs. Sterling and mother, Mrs. John Bennett of Church Hill, Queen Anne's County.

Sermon Theme Sunday at the Worship Hour. "The Little Cloud", Scripture Lesson, Joshua 1: 1-11.

Mrs. Harrison Cornelius visited with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Micheal in Baltimore, Wednesday.

Mrs. Ralph Copper was taken to the Kent and Queen Anne's Hospital Tuesday for special treatment. Dr. Smith in attendance.

"The W S C S" had their monthly business and social meeting Tuesday evening, Mrs. J. C. Greenwood, president presiding.

Mr. Galen Clark, of the John M. Clayton, High School, Frankford, Del., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark the week-end.

Mrs. F. B. Harper and daughter, Miss Audrey May Harper, were guests with relatives in Baltimore, Monday.

Mrs. Harry Hendrickson spent the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Roseberry and Harry C. Hendrickson in Princess Anne, Md.

Mr. Nelson Hackett, of Baltimore, visited his mother, Mrs. A. J. Hackett the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis and family, of Delaware, enjoyed several days at their country home "Elmwood Farm", near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fogwell, Jr., of near Galena, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Geary.

Mrs. F. B. Harper, Mrs. Ralph Geary, Mrs. Thomas Mann, were in attendance at the county W. C. T. U. meeting held in Kenedyville, Md., Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Fellows and Bobby are enjoying a trip.

Mrs. Price is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Everett, near Sassafras.

Mrs. Howard Toulson, of Lititz, Pa., visited her home folks here Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Flater were guests with relatives down the shore for several days the past week.

Mrs. F. B. Harper was winner of the C. W. Club blanket last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Copper and Mrs. John Atwell, of Newark, Del., visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Moore and son, Allen, of Chestertown, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ford.

We had a wedding at the parsonage Saturday night. Guess.

HORSE SHOW FOR BENEFIT OF AIR PATROL

The Entertainment Committee of the Wilmington Horse Show, headed by Mrs. Richard Dorsey Morgan today announced that the proceeds of the Dance to be held at the Vicmead Hunt Club on Saturday night, May 23, will go to the Patrol Force now operating under the Delaware Wing of the Civil Air Patrol, a branch of the Office of Civilian Defense.

About two months ago when the Atlantic Coastal sinkings became so serious, the Civil Air Patrol, volunteered its service to set up an experimental "Task Force" to ascertain whether civilian pilots and equipment could be used as an auxiliary to the military forces for "Off Shore Patrol Duty." These experimental Forces have since been credited by Major General Follett Bradley, Commanding the First Air Force of the Eastern Defense Command, with providing "tip-offs" resulting in several sinkings of submarines off our Coast.

In view of these successful results, the operations of two Task Forces have now been extended for an indefinite time.

The Air Patrol has also been instrumental in locating wreckage aiding and directing rescue ships to the scene. Two Forces were set up on temporary basis for two weeks to operate on the Atlantic Seaboard.

Under the command of Wing Commander Holgar Hoiriis of the Delaware Wing of the Civil Air Patrol, Mr. Hugh R. Sharp, Jr., of Wilmington, became Operations Officer and took over the organization of a group of thirty-five young men, as a nucleus for the first of these Task Forces to go on active duty in the United States.

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