

# He's Mine Hit Of "Sing Sinner Sing"

—the kind they sing—are a part of the past. In the present torch songs hold sway for the singing ladies and gentlemen whose love affairs have washed up on them and who are left alone to wail some expert low moans in the child night air. "He's Mine" is the torch song hit of the Majestic picture, "Sing Sinner Sing," which will be shown at the Liberty theatre on Thursday and Friday.

George Waggoner and Howard Jackson, lyricist and composer of "He's Mine," which according to all reports is one of the best numbers and bound to be heard over the air until it becomes almost as familiar as Kate Smith's "Hello Everybody," have both had wide experience in Tin Pan Alley. Waggoner did the tunes for Gloria Swanson's picture, "What A Widow," and more recently he wrote the songs for "The Phantom Broadcast." Howard Jackson is famous as an arranger. He did the musical arrangements for "Ziegfeld Follies," "The George White Scandals," "Earl Carroll Vanities," and some of the favorite musical comedies. Jackson was musical arranger for the famous Vic Young and his orchestra.

## Approves Liberty

As officials of the local labor union, we want to express our appreciation of the action taken by Mr. M. L. Curry, the new manager of the Liberty Theatre. Tuesday evening when he signed a contract to employ only union labor in his theatre. The contract shows that he is a friend of labor and as officials of the union, we want to urge that our members show Mr. Curry and his business every courtesy possible.

W. H. LOVETT,  
President.  
ROBT. W. GOODE,  
Recording Secretary  
Local Union No. 1703.

## F. D. R. EXTENDS BLANKET CODE

Washington, Dec. 20.—President Roosevelt sought to fortify his economic recovery machinery against any let downs today with two moves—the extension of his blanket re-employment agreement and the concentration of the many-faceted units of the national recovery agencies.

The extension for another four months of the re-employment agreement was designed to cover with the temporary codes the estimated 30 per cent of industries which have yet to come in under the NRA permanent set-up. Mr. Roosevelt said that "in the midst of winter and with many persons out of work it is essential that the new year should not bring with it any let down in the recovery program in the trades and industries."

The blanket code or agreement was originally drawn up by the President to serve for industries until they had agreed on and signed with the government permanent codes of fair competition and labor practices. More than 160 such codes have been approved by Mr. Roosevelt to date and he indicated today he expected the remaining codes would come into existence before the four months renewal for the blanket agreement had expired.

The NRA instituted shortly after it began functioning early last summer, a nation-wide census of employers, seeking information to show the increase directly attributable to the national industrial recovery program. This census, handled by the federal census bureau has not yet been completed. With the totals of this count yet to come, it was disclosed today that the government had begun another tally of business, to be completed by February.

## Journal-Papers, North Wilkesboro, N. C. Gentlemen:

I want to express my sincere appreciation for the splendid publicity you have given for the Christmas Cheer work in our city. I thought that your full page ad in your December 11th issue was especially appropriate. The cut which you ran in the December 18th issue will no doubt have its effect in making possible the Christmas Cheer work this year.

I assure you that it is a real source of inspiration to be able to enjoy the splendid cooperation which you have so generously given.

Very truly yours,  
W. D. HALFACRE,  
Chairman Christmas Cheer.

## Gasoline Dealer Goes To School; Tuition Is \$235

Greenville, S. C.—J. S. Greer, Duncan filling station operator, was a sadder but wiser man today after falling victim to an elaborate skin game which cost him \$235.

This, he told officers, was the way he was relieved of the sum: First, a salesman sold him a punchboard—one that pays in cash. Then two men representing themselves as officers showed up and informed him of a plot through which he would be robbed.

The "plot" was this: Several men whom the officers knew possessed the combinations and would appear shortly and relieve him of the value of the board.

"Don't try to stop the men, they are bad eggs," said the suave officers. "But you get in your car and follow them, and we will be waiting at the next town to get them."

The punchboard experts arrived on schedule. They won about \$18 on the board and left. Green followed them. A mile west of the next town he came upon the pseudo-officers.

The self-styled officers then relieved him of his roll at the point of a pistol, and left him beside the road.

## Mrs. Nelson Entertains Her Bridge Club Friday

Mrs. L. M. Nelson was hostess to the members of the Friday bridge club at her home on E street Friday afternoon. A gaily-decked Christmas tree, boughs of holly and red candles made a Yuletide setting for the players at two tables. At the conclusion of play, the hostess with the assistance of her sister, Miss Elizabeth Finley, served delicious refreshments.

## FRESHER LIFE TALKER

Jonesboro, Ga., Dec. 20.—A negro today pleaded guilty to murdering a white woman whose husband, convicted on circumstantial evidence, served four years for the crime, which the law now says he did not commit.

Robert Coleman went to his country home from work in Atlanta on March 4, 1929, and found his 19-year-old wife beaten to death with a poker. Their nine-months-old baby, without food all day, was crying in its crib.

Coleman called police, who said the evidence showed he had killed his wife that morning and "discovered" the body on his return in the afternoon.

A jury believed them, and Coleman went to the chain gang for life.

Four years later Rader Davis, a negro, was picked up on a murder charge. He talked about several slayings, and, officers said, told them Jim Stark, another negro, had confessed to him that he killed Mrs. Coleman.

Stark was arrested and when police announced a confession, Governor Talmadge pardoned Coleman.

Stark later denied the confession. He was tried twice and sentenced to death each time, but the trial judge said "such physical facts" were brought out as to create doubt and granted new trials. He said he was unwilling to sentence Stark to death in view of the fact the law might be making another mistake, but he would accept a plea of guilty at another trial and give Stark life imprisonment.

The negro accepted the proposition today and went to the chain gang.

## CWA VETERANS GET PENSIONS

Washington.—The veterans administration was informed no reduction in pensions for ex-service men on CWA payrolls had been ordered in North Carolina.

The information was forwarded by Regional Manager James S. Pittman from Charlotte in response to a request for data made yesterday by General Frank T. Hines, veterans' administrator, on the basis of news reports that a controversy on the issue was in progress in the state.

The question is the first of its kind to be raised. Regulations enforced at present say veterans on civil service payrolls are not entitled to full pension rights.

Miss Kathleen White, who is teaching at Mooresville, is spending Mr. and Mrs. Joseph White, the holidays with her parents.

## IN SEVEN YEARS

Stanford University, Cal.—For the first time in seven years, the Herbert Hoovers will spend Christmas in their own home here.

The big gray-white house on San Juan hill, which has seen but little of its traveled owners since it was built on the Stanford university campus soon after the war, is abuzz with festive preparations, like other homes of the land. The Yuletide board will see an old-fashioned family reunion about the Christmas turkey, to be carved by the former president.

The Herbert Hoovers, Jr., with their three children, arrived Friday from their southern California home in Sierra Madre, where young Hoover is connected with an aviation company. Allan, the younger son, came Saturday from Fresno.

Mr. Hoover himself, in pink of health and spirits, friends say, smiles frequently these days in his role of citizen and grandfather, who, Christmas mornings in at least one important little mind, probably rates second in precedence to Santa Claus.

For whatever shadowy doubts may trouble Peggy Ann, "seven, going on eight," and six-year-old Peter, they are, not shared by little Joan, 3-1-2, who "believes in Santa Claus, of course!" In her excited thoughts, all rosy-hued with vague and thrilling visions.

making in recent days. But dolls and toys in plenty are tucked away in the big house.

## NOTICE

This is to notify all persons that on or about the 20 day of January, 1934, I will apply to his

Attorney, who was ordered for Larceny and related the City Court of North boro, N. C. on September 1933, and sentenced for months on the State road. This December 22, 1933.

F. J. McDUFFIE,  
Attorney  
1-1-21-pd.  
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The Theatre With the Stars

## A Message To Our Patrons:

This Theatre has been closed for one week . . . Equipping it with Western Electric Sound . . . "The Voice of Action." It has also been redecorated throughout . . . everything for the comfort and convenience of our patrons has been installed. Now we open with this gala Christmas program . . . Each show selected with care . . . To give you the very newest and latest in sound pictures. Come in and enjoy a couple of hours of excellent entertainment.

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With James Dunn, June Knight, Lillian Roth, Cliff Edwards, Lillian Bond, Dorothy Lee, Lona Andre, Charlie "Buddy" Rogers, and 100 gorgeous showgirls and dancers. Also Comedy and News.

Admission 10-25c

Wednesday  
Bargain Day  
10c TO ALL

Aileen Pringle, Alice White, Hale Hamilton in

## "Murder at Midnight"

ALSO COMEDY

Thursday-Friday  
DECEMBER 28-29

Paul Lucas and Ella Hymans in  
"Sing Sinner Sing"

A great drama as thrilling and as modern as tomorrow.

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Admission 10-25c

Saturday  
DECEMBER 30  
Buffalo Bill, Jr., in

## Rawhide Romance

Action galore in a new Western. Breathless action from the word go. Frenzied fights, reckless riding, spectacular stunts, humor.

Paul Lucas, Ella Hymans in  
Admission 10-15c