

**ABERDEEN NEWS**

By **DOROTHY McNEILL**  
Mrs. Dick Hargett was hostess to the members of the Friday Night Bridge Club in her home on June 20 with two tables at play. After several progressions scores were tallied and high prize awarded to Mrs. Curtis McInnis. The hostess served a sweet course and iced tea at the conclusion of play. Members playing included Mrs. McInnis,

Mrs. Frank McNeill, Mrs. Harry Watson, Mrs. James Muse, Miss Dorothy McNeill, Mrs. Ray Burns, Mrs. Mack Wicker and Mrs. W. K. Marks.  
Mrs. R. M. Caldwell and sons Johnny and Frankie are spending several days this week visiting friends in Raleigh.  
Mrs. J. A. Lawrence returned Saturday after spending last week in New York City.  
Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Hooper on Saturday evening included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Davidson, Mrs. John Fiddner

and grandsons Mac and John. Mr. and Mrs. John McCrimmon and son are vacationing this week in Florida.  
Dr. and Mrs. H. O. Deaton and family of Ft. Worth, Texas are visiting relatives in Aberdeen this week.

Miss Lucy Richardson of Whiteville and Miss Betsy Brewer of Sanford visited in Aberdeen on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Belcher and children of Syracuse, N. Y., were weekend guests of Mrs. J. B. Brigman.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hargett spent last weekend at Lake Waccamaw.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Creeke and Mrs. Beatrix Buchanan are returning home after spending some time with her sister Mrs. W. R. Taylor in Goldsboro.

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Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of Rocky Mount were Sunday guests of Mrs. John McLean.  
John Bowman is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowman in Raeford.

Sgt. and Mrs. Martin Brigman and family have returned to Washington, D. C. after spending several days with relatives.  
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**THEATRES CAROLINA**

Continuing through this Thursday, Friday and Saturday, with a Saturday matinee at 3 at the Carolina Theatre, is the re-issue of the Technicolor production, "Annie Get Your Gun," based on the Irving Berlin stage hit, with Betty Hutton and Howard Keel, supported by Louis Calhern, Edward Arnold, Keenan Wynn and Clinto Sunberg.  
This was "the biggest musical under the sun," which graced the Carolina Theatre just six years ago now.

Coming Sunday through Wednesday, July 29-Aug. 1, with three shows Sunday at 3-7 and 9 and week nights at 8:15, is that heart-warming, appealing comedy-drama peopled with believable characters, "The Catered Affair," based on the TV play by Paddy Chayefsky, of Academy Award winning "Marty" fame, starring Ernest Borgnine, Bette Davis, Debby Reynolds and Barry Fitzgerald.

This latest excursion into the folkways of the Bronx is a moving and hilarious film. It is a story of great heart concerning a taxi cab driver, Borgnine, his wife, Miss Davis, and their daughter, Miss Reynolds, whose plans to get married almost wreck the family, economically and spiritually.

It's not that the parents object to the marriage—they both approve—but when the mother prove—but when the mother wants to give her daughter the kind of catered affair which she herself never had, the fireworks start.

Because of the cost, Borgnine must give up his plans to buy his own cab. Because of the availability of the ballroom, the marriage must be postponed two months, thus denying the impatient couple a chance for the honeymoon. The complications and confusions snowball until it seems the very marriage itself is threatened.

As the somewhat plodding cabbie, Borgnine shows definitely that his Academy Award was no fluke. He is funny, warmhearted and always honest. Miss Reynolds, who may be a much better actress than anyone has ever believed, is just about perfect. Barry Fitzgerald, as the uncle of the family who lives in, plays a broad comedy style that gives pace and punch to the understatement of the others.

Mickey Rooney, who is the new co-star of Francis, the famous talking mule in "Francis in the Haunted House," the Universal-International comedy opening Sunday at the Sunrise theatre, is a firm believer in series films, and he has plenty of reason to believe in them.

Although he has played outstanding roles in many a notable movie production, he realizes himself that his popularity really zoomed to a new high during the years he was starring in the "Andy Hardy" series at M-G-M. He appeared in fourteen of these pictures before the series

was finally ended because he decided that he had become too mature for his role. From first to last these pictures were fantastic money-makers.  
It was this experience, he will tell you, that made him eager to become identified with U-I's popular "Francis" series when the opportunity presented itself.  
"As this is the seventh 'Francis' picture," he remarked one day on the set, "some people may think I'm coming in a little late. I certainly don't think so, however. After all, even after fourteen of them, there's no telling how long the 'Andy Hardy' pictures could have gone on if I hadn't decided that I was getting too old to play a teen-age character."  
"If the quality is sustained, there is really no telling how long a series can last. Once the public has taken a particular set of characters to its heart, these characters seem to be, for all practical purposes, immortal."

Mr. Buchholz, who was accompanied by Mrs. Buchholz to the meeting, has been a leading mem-

ber of the field force since joining the company in 1946.  
He was a member of the Million Dollar Club for 1955 and the Half-Million Dollar Club for 1956.

About 9 per cent of potatoes in the South show cuts and bruises. Modern digging machinery helps reduce the injury.

**CAROLINA THEATRE**  
AIR-CONDITIONED

Betty Hutton, Howard Keel, Louis Calhern  
**"ANNIE GET YOUR GUN"**  
(A Re-Issue in Technicolor)  
THUR.-SAT.—8:15 p.m. Mat. Saturday at 3:00

4 WONDERFUL STARS IN AN EXCITING SLICE OF LIFE!  
M-G-M PRESENTS  
**THE CATERED AFFAIR**

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ERNEST BORGNINE  
DEBBIE REYNOLDS  
BARRY FITZGERALD

SUNDAY-WEDNESDAY, JULY 29 - AUGUST 1  
3 Shows Sunday—3:00 - 7:00 - 9:00  
Week Nights at 8:15 Matinee Wednesday at 3:00

**"THE ANIMAL WORLD"**  
(WarnerColor)  
STARTING THURSDAY NIGHT, AUG. 2nd—8:15

**Buchholz Attending California Meeting**

John F. Buchholz of Southern Pines is attending the third annual agency convention of the United Services Life Insurance Company in Coronado, California, this week.

Mr. Buchholz, who was accompanied by Mrs. Buchholz to the meeting, has been a leading mem-

**FINAL TAX NOTICE**

1955 Unpaid Taxes will be advertised in September and sold first Monday in October.

I am being compelled to collect by garnisheeing wages and rents and attaching personal property.

Please take care of Taxes before September 1st, and save extra costs.

**J. DOUGLAS DAVID,**  
Tax Collector For Moore County

**ABERDEEN THEATRE**  
WIDE Screen  
"Pictures As They Should Be Seen"

Friday, July 27  
ONE show tonight only at 7:15  
**"Guys and Dolls"**  
Marlon Brando - Jean Simmons  
CinemaScope Color

Saturday — Matinee 3:00  
Night 7:00 & 9:00  
**"The Last Outpost"**  
Ronald Reagan, Ronda Fleming  
Cartoons Serial

Monday & Tuesday, July 30-31  
Night 7:15 & 9:15  
**"JUBAL"**  
Glenn Ford, Ernest Borgnine  
CinemaScope Color

Wednesday, Aug. 1  
Night 7:15 & 9:15  
**"The Stratton Story"**  
James Stewart, June Allyson  
Returned by popular demand

Thursday & Friday, Aug. 2-3  
Night 7:15 & 9:15  
**"Rock Around The Clock"**  
BILL HALEY & his COMETS  
The Platters Tony Martinez  
Alan Freed Johnny Johnston  
Freddie Bell

**STARVIEW Drive-In Theatre**  
Between So. Pines-Aberdeen  
INDIVIDUAL SPEAKERS

Friday, Satur., July 27-28  
**"The Tall Men"**  
(In color)  
Clark Gable - Jane Russell

Sunday, Monday, July 29-30  
**"There's No Business Like Show Business"**  
(In color)  
Marilyn Monroe, Donald O'Connor  
Dan Dailey, Ethel Merman

Tues., Wed., July 31 - Aug. 1  
**"A Man Called Peter"**  
(In color)  
Jean Peters - Richard Todd

Thursday, August 2  
**"Bottom of the Bottle"**  
(In color)  
Van Johnson - Joseph Cotten

Friday, Saturday, Aug. 3-4  
**"River of No Return"**  
(In color)  
Robt. Mitchum - Roxy Calhoun

TWO SHOWS NIGHTLY  
SHOW STARTS AT 7:00 P.M.  
Children under 12 in cars Free

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Thursday & Friday, July 26-27  
Walt Disney's  
**"Song of the South"**  
With cartoon and short  
Shows at 3:10 - 4:40 - 6:53 and 9:06  
Sat. July 28—Double Feature  
Scott Brady in  
**"Terror at Midnight"**  
—also—  
Roy Rogers in  
**"Heart of the Golden West"**  
plus cartoon  
Complete shows at 11:00 - 1:26 3:52 - 6:18 and 8:44  
Sunday & Monday, July 29-30  
Mickey Rooney and Virginia Welles  
—in—  
**"Francis In The Haunted House"**  
Latest world news  
Shows Sun. at 1:15 - 2:49 - 4:23 5:57 - 7:31 - 9:05  
Tues., July 31—Double Feature  
Jayne Mansfield in  
**"Female Jungle"**  
—also—  
Richard Denning in  
**"Oklahoma Woman"**  
Plus cartoon  
Complete show at 3:20 - 5:58 and 8:36  
Wed., Aug. 1—Double Feature  
Brian Donlevy in  
**"Ride the Man Down"**  
—also—  
Gordon Scott in  
**"Tarzan's Hidden Jungle"**  
Plus cartoon  
Complete shows at 3:00 - 5:58 and 8:56  
COMING next Thursday and Friday, Aug. 2-3  
Dana Andrews and Rhonda Fleming  
—in—  
**"While The City Sleeps"**

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All Spring and Summer Merchandise  
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