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CHIMNEY SWIFTS

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If you look up one of these summer evenings and see flying overhead something which looks like a "cigar with wings," just put it down on your life of birds as a Chimney Swift, one of those fascinating little birds which skim through the air, taking insects as they go. The wings seem to tinkle, for the flight is very fast, and you have the impression that the wings are not beating in unison. However, slow motion pictures have shown that the wings do beat together, but that the various parts of each wing may move at different speeds and angles. This adds to the illusion of uneven flight, but it gives great flexibility to the movements of the birds, making it possible for them to follow the exact flight of insects. This unusual movement of the wings with the ability to control each wing feather individually compensates for the (CON'T TO PAGE 10)

HCH RE-SALE AND BAKE SALE SATURDAY, AUGUST 25

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Highlands Community Hospital will hold their Re-Sale and Bake Sale this Saturday, August 25, in Brown's Store Building. This important event is for the benefit of our Community Hospital, and all proceeds will go toward the purchase of new hospital equipment.

Lovely and unusual hand made items will be on sale, both items left over from the Annual Hospital Bazaar and also newly-made articles. On sale in the way of baked goods will be delicious breads, pies, pastries, cakes, baked beans, etc.

So remember the date, Saturday, Aug. 25, and remember our Highlands Community Hospital.

HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY THEATRE PRESENTS "PRIVATE LIVES" NEXT WEEK

The Highlands Community Theatre goes into rehearsal for its fourth and final production of the summer season with a verve after the smash triumph of TEAHOUSE OF THE AUGUST MOON last week. Breaking even the high box office records set by the opening production, THE LITTLE FOXES, TEAHOUSE drew capacity crowds opening and closing nights.

The final production for the season will be Noel Coward's comic classic, PRIVATE LIVES. Opening August 29th, LIVES will be directed by Morton Lewis, his second this summer, (CON'T TO PAGE 11)

THE LAST ISSUE OF THE GALAX NEWS NEXT WEEK

The last issue of the GALAX NEWS will be next week, August 30. That publication will mark the 13th issue for the 1962 season.

\$44,568.15 FOR HCH DRIVE

With a total of 918 contributors, the Hospital Fund Drive amount has reached the sum of \$44,568.15

This week's donors are: William Flowers, Dr/M W. H. Bennett, R. F. Dulany, M/M T. M. Cook, Victor H. Simmers, M/M Richard Beymer, M/M David F. Fusselman, J. C. Railey, Margery Railey, (CON'T TO PAGE 14)

IMPORTANT NOTICE
THEATRE PASSES CANNOT BE ACCEPTED DURING BEN-HUR ENGAGEMENT.

Galax Theatre

Thur-Fri Aug 23-24

Red Buttons-Fabian-Barbara Eden in

"FIVE WEEKS IN A BALLOON"

in Color & CinemaScope

Matinee Thur at 2:30

Thur and Fri Night at 7:30 & 9:30

Feature Approx. 20 Min. After Show Starts

Adm 25¢ & 75¢

Saturday Aug 25

Yul Brynner-Madlyn Rhue-Sal Mineo in

"ESCAPE FROM ZAHRAIN"

in Color & CinemaScope

Matinee at 2:30...Night at 7:30 & 9:30

Feature at Approx. 2:55, 7:55, & 9:55

Adm 25¢ & 60¢

Sun-Mon-Tue-Wed Aug 26-27-28-29

Charlton Heston-Jack Hawkins in

"BEN-HUR"

in Color & CinemaScope

Only one Show Sunday at eight o'clock

Note Earlier Sun Night Time--This is necessary because this Show is 3 Hours and 55 Minutes in Length.

SPECIAL MATINEE TUESDAY AT 2:30

One Show Mon-Tue-Wed Nights at 7:30

Feature Approx. 10 Min. After Show Starts

Adm 25¢ & 75¢

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