

MYRNA LOY & WM. POWELL TOGETHER 'DOUBLE WEDDING'

Errol Flynn And Joan Blondell In New Peoples Film

"The Perfect Specimen," starring Errol Flynn with Joan Blondell playing opposite him is scheduled to play at Peoples Monday-Tuesday. The film shows Errol as being reared by an eccentric and immensely rich grandmother, who wants him to be perfect in every way—as perfect as scores of tutors can make him.

Joan Blondell, curious to get a closeup look at this paragon of whom she has only heard, drives her car through a light fence on his estate, takes her look at him, then drives away.

His curiosity aroused by this stunt, Flynn next day gets an old car, drives to where Joan lives in an adjoining village, and runs his machine through her fence. Then he persuades her to take a ride with him.

A truck driver starts an altercation and Errol—who has been perfected in boxing as in other things—gives him a thorough lacing. Then, told by the mugg that he will lose \$150 by not appearing in the ring at a teamster's picnic, Flynn offers to substitute for him—and does so, knocking out a burly heavyweight much bigger than himself.

The grandmother, missing Errol by this time, sends out an alarm that he has been kidnapped.

How Errol gets out of the jam he is in is very interesting and will be worth anybody's time to see.

William Powell, as an artist whose studio is a trailer, plays the most laugh-provoking role of his amazing career in "Double Wedding," co-starring Myrna Loy, which comes to the Peoples Wednesday-Thursday.

Although Powell has proved himself, as has also Miss Loy, a star of dramatic roles as well as comedy, he has never had a more amusing vehicle than this. Arriving in a city he meets the charming manager of an exclusive gown shop and promptly falls in love with her.

In order to get rid of him, more than for any other reason, she consents to pose for him. That encounter seals her fate, for the man is irresistible. They bring about the double wedding, for in the meanwhile Florence Rice, as Miss Loy's younger sister, already has married John Beal. Neither of the ceremonies comes off, however, until the story complications have provided a wealth of laughs.

The supporting cast is excellent, with Jessie Ralph, Edgar Kennedy, Sidney Toler, Mary Gordon, Barnett Parker, Katharine Alexander and Priscilla Lawson.

One of the spiciest mystery-adventure stories of the season, "Sophie Lang Goes West," comes to the Peoples Friday only, bargain day. Gertrude Michael plays Sophie Lang again in this new thriller, and is lovelier than ever in the part. Probably the cleverest, and certainly the most beautiful of jewel thieves, Sophie Lang's latest picture results in a tremendously exciting film.

A lot of the credit for this picture goes to a fine cast as well as to Miss Michael. A newcomer who is certainly destined for the heights of stardom is Sandra Storme, who plays her first leading dramatic role in "Sophie Lang Goes West." Miss Storme is an able actress, and she belongs in the ranks of the most gorgeous screen stars in the world. Two capable and charming young men play opposite Miss Michael and Miss Storme: Lee Bowman and Larry Crabbe, who both play their parts with infectious enthusiasm.

The story is concerned with Miss Michael, who is forced by the police to leave New York, and jumps aboard a train bound for California.

Local Boy Will Visit Germany On Sea Voyage

Johnnie Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bennett, who recently enlisted in the Merchant Marines, left here Sunday after a visit to his parents. He will leave Norfolk on the "City of Newport News" ship for Baltimore then to London and Germany.

Masquerade Party

Miss Emily Dunning and Charles Davis Jr. entertained a number of their friends at a Halloween Masquerade Party Saturday night at the Woman's Club House from 7:30 till 10:30.

Lovely fall flowers and leaves were used for the decorations. The lighted pumpkins afforded soft lights which spread over the corn shocked in the center of the room. Games and dancing were enjoyed. A special feature of amusement was dancing the "Big Apple" around the shocked corn with figures called by Mr. and Mrs. William Harris.

Miss Victoria Vester won prize for best costume; Raymond Taylor won musicians' prize; Jack Sanders and Francis Fisher won advertisement contest prize.

Mesdames C. W. Davis and B. J. Dunning assisted in serving punch and cookies. About 50 guests were present.

Bill Dunning of Tarboro spent Sunday here with Mrs. Dunning.

TOWN TALK

Miss Ethridge On Pa. Hospital Staff

Miss Nannie Lou Ethridge, who completed a three year course in the Philadelphia General Hospital Training School and graduated with the 1937 class in September, has accepted a position on the Graduate Staff of the Philadelphia General Hospital.

On it she meets Lee Bowman, who protects her from searching policemen. How Bowman succeeds in convincing her to go straight and straight to him also will prove to be very interesting to the patrons Friday.

Gene Autry again returns to his fans in "The Big Show" to be presented Saturday only at Peoples. "Wild West Days" will be added.

ART MIX, COWBOY STAR, APPEARING HERE IN PERSON



Above is Art Mix, western movie star, who appears in person at the Imperial Theatre next Saturday afternoon and night, in addition to the regular picture program. Art has made over 105 western pictures, and will be remembered by Roanoke Rapids audiences for the excellent performance he gave in "Powder Smoke Range," which played at Roanoke Rapids Theatres recently.

Appearing with Mr. Mix at his Roanoke Rapids engagement, is his wonder horse, "Pal," shown inset in above picture. This special engagement affords local western movie fans an extraordinary opportunity to see a real western movie-hero "in the flesh." There will be no advance in admission prices for this feature.

IMPERIAL SATURDAY
Nov. 6th
OWL SHOW (Starts 10:30 P.M.)
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Programs for Week Of November 8

IMPERIAL
MON.-TUES.
Marlene Dietrich-Herbert Marshall
ANGEL
Popeye Cartoon
WED.
Olsen and Johnson
ALL OVER TOWN
THURS.-FRI.
Lew Ayres Mary Carlisle
HOLD 'EM NAVY
"Golf Magic"
SAT.
Weldon Heyburn Jeanne Madden
SEA RACKETEERS
Added: Jungle Menace
OWL SHOW Bob Steele
TRUSTED OUTLAW

PEOPLES
MON.-TUES.
Errol Flynn Joan Blondell
THE PERFECT SPECIMEN
WED.-THURS.
William Powell Myrna Loy
DOUBLE WEDDING
Mickey Mouse Cartoon
FRI.
Gertrude Michael Larry Crabbe
Sophie Lang Goes West
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