

# ROANOKE RAPIDS THEATERS

## IMPERIAL THEATRE SHOWS "NICE GIRL" ON OPENING DATE

Reopening of the Imperial Theatre, which has been closed for several weeks for remodeling and re-decorating, on Sunday will be marked by the showing of "Nice Girl". Deanna Durbin and Franchot Tone are featured in the picture, which is about the love of a maid for a man — and the trials and tribulations of a first love which does not run too smoothly.

"Dive Bomber", which is reviewed on the opposite page, will be shown at the Imperial on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

"Men of the Timberland" is to be shown at the Imperial on Wednesday of next week, and it is a fast moving action picture starring Richard Arlen and Andy Devine. The setting is laid in the North Woods logging camps where a criminal is attempting a gigantic lumber theft and denuding, illegally, a forest.

"Dick", a ranger, while investigating irregularities in timber cutting permits, uncovers a gigantic theft plot, and in the process of attempting to find the criminals several rangers are killed. Joining forces with "Andy", the leader of the loggers who is unaware of the criminal operations, the ranger solves the crime.

On the stage at the Imperial "Greenwich Village Gambols" is scheduled.

On Thursday and Friday of next week "Sis Hopkins" comes to the Imperial, with Judy Canova and Bob Crosby. There is a lot of real entertainment in the production, which is a field day for Judy Canova whose picture it is, lock, stock and barrel. Too, there is personable Bob Crosby with his band and the harmonious Bobcats.

Judy is taken by her wealthy uncle to live in his menage where she is sandpaper to his snooty wife and daughter. Later goes to college, and, at the dictatorial command of the aunt to get rid of Judy before she shatters the family's social position, off she's sent to the same seat of learning. Her hillbilly manner and dress make her the scapegoat of her fellow femme students, but her genuineness and performing talents win over the whole school. The role of Judy's cousin is played by attractive Susan Hayward.

On Saturday of next week the Imperial offers Charles Starrett in "Thunder Over The Prairies". Added attraction will be "The Spider Returns."

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hawthorne, Mrs. Nora Lee Armstrong, Mrs. J. D. Bailey, Mrs. Lucy Avens, Miss Nora Wright, and Troy Crouch spent the week-end at Ocean View, Va.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Taylor and son, Howard, of Sumter, S. C., visited friends in town last week.

doing her fall buying.

Miss Ruth Warren spent the week-end in Manteo and attended the "Lost Colony".

Miss Hattie Mae Woodruff spent last week in Asheboro with her father, Paul Woodruff.

Jack Gray, of Williamston spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Reynolds spent last week in Columbia with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tarkenton of Roper, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reynolds Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Gray, Jack, Lila Rose and Bobby Gray, of Williamston are visiting relatives in town this week.

W. O. Thompson left Wednesday for Toronto, Canada, where he will visit Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson.

Miss Evelyn Allen of Baltimore

visited Miss Lottie Allen this week.

Misses Doris Harrison and Alma Odell spent Sunday at Nashville.

Misses Ruth and Lottie Allen and Miss Evelyn Allen of Baltimore spent Sunday at Virginia Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Bullock spent the week-end in Norfolk.

Misses Madge and Della Erwin spent their vacation visiting friends in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Max Frank, who has been ill in a hospital in Wilson, is improving.

Troy Parrish of Camp Bragg spent the week-end here.

Thurman Bullock, Jr., and brother, William Bennett, spent last week in Norfolk returning by Seaboard where they are spending this week.

Mrs. Clarence Radcliffe and children, Warren and Ann, Mrs. L. A. Grissom, Misses Mary and Norma Grissom and Mrs. Nora Drewitt spent last week at Belhaven

and Moore's Beach.

Miss Erline Morgan and Joe Robertson, Miss Virgie Lee Arthur and Willard Carlyles attended the tobacco festival in Rocky Mount.

## FBI Is Called In Northampton Draft Board Cases

The Northampton County draft board has decided to turn over to FBI agents the names of three Negro registrants who have either failed to return their questionnaires or left the county without informing the draft board of their new address.

Registrants to be located by the FBI are James Lloyd Lassiter, Rich Square; Charles Swinton, Jackson; and Glover Boone, Potocasi.

## TOWN TALK

(Crowded out last week)

Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant spent the week-end in Emporia, Va.

Miss Sara Thompson has returned to Washington, D. C.

C. E. Matthews spent the week-end in Shelby, and was accompanied home by Mrs. C. E. Matthews, who has been visiting relatives there.

Emmitt Matthews, Jr., has returned from Riverside Military Academy, Gainesville, Ga., where he has been in summer camp.

Miss Nancy Wolhar has returned from a trip to White Horse Ranch, Weavertown, N. Y. and Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Mrs. W. A. Wolhar and Miss Teresa Wolhar spent last week in Wilmington, Del. and Atlantic City, N. J.

Mesdames A. J. Lassiter, Dewey Hursey, J. M. Ingram and Misses Elmyra Jenkins and Elizabeth Butts spent Wednesday afternoon in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. K. Jenkins is spending this week in New York where she is



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10c Admission Matinee & Night 15c

SUN.

Jane Withers-Nancy Kelly  
A Very Young Lady

MON.-TUES.

Lloyd Nolan-Irene Hervey  
MR. DYNAMITE

WED.-THURS.

Alice Faye-Don Ameche  
Carmen Miranda  
THAT NIGHT IN RIO

FRI.-SAT.

Tim McCoy  
Frontier Crusader

Added:

King of the Texas Rangers

# IMPERIAL WEDNESDAY SEPT. 10th

On the stage  
Ed GARDINER presents  
**Greenwich Village Gambols**

The First Stage Show of the Season

On The Screen  
RICHARD ARLEN  
ANDY DEVINE  
MEN of the TIMBERLAND

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**Dr. Pepper**  
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6 BOTTLES FOR 25c

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