

HENN THEATER IN FOR MUSICALS IN A BIG WAY THIS COMING WEEK

The Henn theater is going in for music in a big way next week and is bringing some of the most outstanding melody makers of the county to please its many patrons.

At the Thursday matinee and on Thursday and Friday nights, Nine Martini, the greatest tenor since the day of the immemorable Caruso, comes to the local theater in his debut in pictures.

It is surprising to find a man that is as musically inclined as is Martini yet more of a polished actor. The young singer who has swayed classical audiences of the world as well as the lovers of lighter music with his inimitable tenor, voice, is a true gift to the girls, and does as sprightly a bit of acting as the screen has yet to witness.

Saturday's matinee and night performance in "Thunder in the Night." Edmund Lowe is cast with the glamorous Karen Morely to fetch out of Hollywood one of the most realistic murder mystery the screen has offered in some time.

The potential murders are lined up for you and your choice is as good as the next mans. But be careful how you place your bets for there's a real kick and surprise in store. It's murder all right—and murder to your nerves.

"Redheads on Parade", another musical with tantalizing tunes and a juggle of wit and dancing is the feature for on'd's matinee aMdnin oayd ure for Monday's matinee and Monday and Tuesday nights performances.

John Boles, the good-looking devil whose voice has stirred more than one good audience beyond a frenzy and who can't make a personal appearance for curtain calls, is starred with the delectable Dixie Lee to add new romance and light-hearted love to the silver screen's musical world.

An the big treat of the week comes when the one and only Ted Lewis brings his rejuvenated band and incomparable music to light in one of the year's current hits, "Here Comes the Band"

But Ted's far from being the only star of this show. All the stars you've ever heard over the radio and brilliant luminaries of the screen and stage come together for one of the most delightful musicals in the screen's career

You'll see Ted rising to new heights as he twirls his high silk hat and play the clarinet as you never it before. And wait until he strikes the chords of that most stirring dance tune ever written for which the show was named after. That's entertainment!

Mr. Henn though, is cutting his own throat by bringing these pictures to the Murphy audience before they even have a chance to gain the approval of the theater-going world. All of these pictures are booked for the big city theater sometime this winter.

"But what's a fella goin' to do", P. J. says, "when he wants to give you the best first."

SUIT

Mr. Fred Ware, made a business trip to Murphy on Monday of this week.

Mr. Haden Hickey visited his sister, Mrs. Enos Mason, at Ducktown, Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Decker, of Letitia, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Bill Crowe.

News reached here late Sunday afternoon that Mr. W. A. Curtis, who

PETRIE HOSPITAL NEWS

Claude Dockery age 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dockery, Unaka, N. C., operated some ten days ago for Acute Appendicitis, has recovered sufficiently to return to his home.

Mr. John Corn, age 72, Blairsville, Ga., who underwent a major operation some days ago, is improving, his many friends will be interested in knowing.

Miss Annie Lou Keenum, Suit, N. C., was operated Friday and has returned home.

Grace Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Moore, Murphy, N. C., Rt. No. 1, underwent an operation for Tonsils and Adenoids a few days ago, and has returned home.

Jewell Johnson, Unaka, N. C., is receiving treatment for a Carbuncle on his neck, and is much improved.

Bill Tanner, Murphy, N. C., Route No. 2, underwent a Tonsil operation a few days ago and has returned home.

Mrs. N. H. Haney, Robbinsville, N. C., was operated a few days ago, and is satisfactorily recovering.

Mrs. O. E. Moore, Route No. 1, Murphy, N. C., was operated Monday and is improving.

James Robinson, age 4, and Jack Robinson, age 10, sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson, Wehuty, N. C., underwent Tonsil and Adenoids operations a few days ago and have returned home.

Mrs. F. E. Garrison, Hayesville, N. C., was operated Monday and is resting more comfortably.

Will Forriester, Murphy, N. C., Rt. No. 2, who was admitted several days ago suffering from injuries received in an accident, has sufficiently recovered to return home.

Miss Rowena Mills, Murphy N. C., underwent a Tonsil operation yesterday and is resting comfortably.

G. Johnson, Murphy, N. C., Route No. 1, has returned home after undergoing Tonsillectomy.

Fencil Material

Graphite for pencils is mixed with clay and other materials—the more clay used, the harder the pencil.

has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Earl Mason, at Ducktown, was in a very serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Payne and grandson, Harold Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McNabb and son, were the dinner guests of Mrs. J. M. McNabb and family Sunday.

Messrs. Ray Ingram, and Ernest Crowe, motored to Murphy Monday.

Mr. Boman Harris, of the Hot House section, called at Rev. E. A. Beavers on special business Monday.

Mrs. Creed Stiles, visited her father, Mr. Carl Standridge, at Shady Grove Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McNabb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hickey at Wehuty.

Mr. Orvall Allen, spent the weekend here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Allen.

Miss Gladys Dye, left last Sunday for Gastonia.

We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter in our community. They moved to the old home place of the Picklesimer heirs.

Mr. George Stiles, of Letitia, passed through this section last week.

Miss Annie Lou Keenum, underwent a head operation at the Petrie Hospital last week.

FATHER FORGETS

Listen, son, I am saying this as you lie asleep, one little paw crumpled under your cheek and the blond curls stickily wet on your damp forehead. I have stolen into your room alone. Just a few minutes ago, as I was reading my paper in the library, a stifling wave of remorse swept over me. Guiltily I came to your bedside.

There are things I was thinking, son: I had been cross to you. I had scolded you as you were dressing for school because you gave your face merely a dab with a towel. I took you to task for not cleaning your shoes. I called out angrily when you threw some of your things on the floor.

At breakfast I found fault too. You spilled things. You gulped down your food. You put your elbows on the table. You spread butter too thick on your bread. And as you started off to play and I made for my train, you turned and waved a hand and called, "Good-bye, Daddy" and I frowned, and said in reply, "Hold your shoulders back."

Then it began all over again in the late afternoon. As I came up the road I spied, you, down on your knees, playing marbles. There were holes in your stockings. I humiliated you before your boy friends by marching you ahead of me to the house. Stockings were expensive—and if you had to buy them you would be more careful. Imagine that, son, from a father.

Do you remember, later, when I was reading in the library how you came in, timidly, with a sort of hurt look in your eyes? When I glanced up over my paper, impatient at the interruption, you hesitated at the door. "What is it you want? I snapped. You said nothing, but ran across in one tempestuous plunge, and threw your arms around my neck and kissed me, and your small arms tightened with an affection that God had set blooming in your heart and which even neglected could not wither. And then you were gone, pattering up the stairs.

Well, son, it was shortly that my paper slipped from my hands and a terrible sickening fear came over me. What has habit been doing to me? The habit of finding fault, or reprimanding—this was my reward to you for being a boy. It was not that I did not love you; it was not that I measuring you by the yardstick of my expected too much of youth. It was own years.

And there was so much that was good and fine and true in your character. The little heart of you was as big as the dawn itself over the wide hills. This was shown by your spontaneous impulse to rush in and kiss me goodnight. Nothing else matters tonight, son, I have come to your bedside in the darkness, and I have knelt there ashamed.

It is a feeble atonement; I knew you would not understand these things if I told them to you during your waking hours. But tomorrow I will be a real daddy. I will chum with you, and suffer when you suffer, and laugh when you laugh. I will bite my tongue when impatient words come. I will keep saying as if it were a ritual: "He is nothing but a boy—a little boy."

I am afraid I have visualized you as a man. Yet as I see you now, son, crumpled and weary in your cot, I see that you are still a baby. Yesterday you were in your mother's arms, your head on her shoulder. I have asked too much, too much.—Mountain Star.

FALSE CONFESSIONS

While there is no doubt that a large percentage of murderers and other criminals escape the punishment they deserve, the number of innocent persons who are convicted, some of whom are put to death, is perhaps greater than is generally supposed.

This is true even among some who confess to the crime with which they are charged, particularly in cases where confessions are extorted through "third degree" methods. Several cases have been cited by Robert Cantwell, of the Chicago bar, including the following:

In the Boorne case in Vermont, two brothers confessed to a murder, but the man supposed to have been murdered showed up later, alive and well. In Illinois, three Traylor brothers confessed murdering a man named Fisher, and witnesses testified to having seen the dead body, yet Fisher turned up alive. In the same state a man named Turner was sentenced to death, but secured a new trial and before the second trial could be held the alleged victim returned.

These are only three out of a large number of similar cases cited by Mr. Cantwell, who declares that he has authentic records of no less than 129 persons who confessed and were executed for murders, although their supposed victims were found to be alive afterwards.

Urges That Farmers Grow More Soybeans

"The crying need of most North Carolina soils is for more organic matter.

"Soils need plenty of organic matter to supply plant food, to keep them mellow and friable, and to make crops less subject to drought.

"Organic matter helps the soil absorb moisture and hold it. This checks erosion in rainy weather and keeps the land from drying out rapidly in dry weather.

"Soybeans greatly increase the organic matter in the soil, when plowed under, and this is one of the reasons why I recommend that farmers raise more soybeans," said C. B. Williams, head of the agronomy department at State College.

A good crop of soybeans will produce from one and a quarter to two tons of plant material on each acre. Each ton of soybeans contains as much nitrogen as 300 pounds of nitrate of soda or 200 pounds of sulphate of ammonia.

This is not intended as a plea for laxity in bringing the guilty to justice, but it serves to show the great responsibility which rests up on juries and judges, as well as to emphasize the unreliability of circumstantial evidence, even when accompanied by a confession of guilt, in some cases. It particularly illustrates the frightful injustice of lynching under any circumstances.

LEGAL MATTERS

NORTH CAROLINA,
—CHEROKEE COUNTY.
—IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.
CHEROKEE COUNTY, Plaintiff
vs.
Wm. Johnston Jr., and wife Mrs. Wm. Johnston, Jr., Mrs. R. P. Johnston, Wachovia Bank & Trust Company, Executor of R. P. Johnston, Robert Johnston, and William Johnston, and all other heirs of Wm. Johnston and R. P. Johnston, with their respective wives and husbands, Carolina-Nova Cola Co., a corporation, and all stockholders of Carolina Nova Cola Company, and all other persons claiming any right, title lien or interest in and to the lands hereinafter referred to, Defendants.

By virtue of a decree entered in the above entitled cause by the Clerk of the Superior Court for Cherokee County on Monday, November 11th, 1935 ordering and directing the undersigned commissioner to sell the lands hereinafter described on Monday December 23, 1935 for the purpose of satisfying the taxes due Cherokee County, on said lands for

the years 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931 the undersigned commissioner will on Monday December 23, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. conduct a public outcry, at the Court door in Murphy, all the rights and interest of the above named defendants in the following named Shoal Creek Township, Cherokee County, North Carolina to-wit: Beginning on a hickory tree at the east corner of Grant No. 598 running with said line S. 80 W. poles 250 poles to a stake; thence S. 5 W. 200 poles more or less stake in the District line; thence with the District line and the crooked hickory, corner of No. 44 thence East 55 poles to a stake; thence with that line N. 65 W. ing the Northwest corner of number at 110 poles; one pole S. 20 W. 10 poles to a stake; line of No. 10, thence with line N. 10 E. 180 poles to the ring, supposes to contain 640 but there is excepted two land heretofore sold, one to Allen of forty acres and one to P. Wilson of one hundred more or less.

Said lands being described deed from Thos. J. Cox and Bettie Cox, to Wm. Johnston and R. P. Johnston dated March 1913, and recorded in the Register of Deeds for Cherokee County in book 62, page 312.

Terms of sale, Cash, and said sale will be subject to ratification by the Superior Court of Cherokee County upon report of Commissioner.

Right reserved to reject any bids.

This November 12, 1935.
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