

Mary Martin, Franchot Tone, Dick Powell - A Triangle



THREE-CORNERED FUN AND ROMANCE in Paramount's uproarious movie, "True to Life", which is due next Thursday and Friday at the Liberty Theatre, is dished out by Mary Martin, Franchot Tone and Dick Powell with Victory Moore, Mabel Paige and William Demarest lending a neat assist. The film tells the very funny story of a couple of radio writers who got inspiration for a true to life program from an average American family. The picture not only laughs, but music, too.

SOCIETY:

Warner Miller, Entertains
 The Warner Miller, Inc. was honored to a number of her friends during holidays, commencing at three tables at her home in Wilkesboro, Wednesday afternoon. The guests were arranged in a most pleasing manner. The count of cards at the conclusion of play gave Mrs. N. B. Smithy the honor for the highest number of points and Mrs. Laura Johnson received the consolation prize.

Mrs. R. H. Shell Is Bridge Club Hostess
 The members of the Sans Souci club and two additional guests, Mrs. Harry Pearson and Miss Marie Brewer, were delightfully entertained by Mrs. R. H. Shell at her home of C St. Thursday evening. High score and the second high score awards in the game, which was played at two tables, went to Mrs. M. E. McNeill and Miss Zelle Harris. Mrs. Pearson, a former member of the club is now living in Greensboro, and was here for the holidays with relatives. Refreshments followed play.

Gene McNeil Is Host At Dance Tuesday
 Gene McNeil was host to a number of his friends at a dance at the Woman's clubhouse on Trosdon street Tuesday evening. Dancing was enjoyed for sometime and during the evening punch and cookies were served. Chaperones for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McNeill, parents of the host.

Lieut. Ralph Bowman To Wed In California
 Invitations have been received here reading as follows: "Mr. and Mrs. George Frank Yurak request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Nancy Lee, to Ralph Irving Bowman, Lieutenant, United States Army Air Corps, on Sunday, the ninth of January, nineteen hundred and forty-two, at half after six o'clock in the evening, Church of Our Savior, 631 West Olympic Boulevard, Los Angeles, California." Card enclosed "Reception Im-

Social Calendar
 The services of the North Wilkesboro First Methodist church are meeting on Tuesday with the following hostesses:
 Frank Smoot circle, Mrs. P. W. Kesham, 1 p. m.
 Mary Deane circle, Mrs. R. H. Shell, 3:30 p. m.
 Emma Horton circle, at the home of Mrs. J. M. Crawford with Mrs. J. D. Schoefer as associate hostess, 3:30 p. m.
 Franklin circle, Mrs. Murphy Hunt, 7:30 p. m.
 Gardner circle, Mrs. Darwin Smithy, 7:30 p. m.

The Episcopal Auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of Mrs. Joe E. Johnson.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Wilkesboro Methodist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. N. B. Smithy.

The Presbyterian circles are meeting on Tuesday as follows:

- Circle No. 1, Mrs. Lincoln Spainhour, 3:30 p. m.
- Circle No. 2, Mrs. C. L. Gibson, 3:30 p. m.
- Circle No. 3, Mrs. C. C. Faw, 3:30 p. m.
- Circle No. 4, Miss Lucy Finley, 8:30 p. m.
- Circle No. 5, Mrs. Paul Cashion, 8 p. m.
- Circle No. 6, Mrs. J. L. Clements, 8 p. m.

Circles of the North Wilkesboro First Baptist church meeting on Tuesday are as follows:

- Circle No. 1, Mrs. John Kerbaugh, 3 p. m.
- Circle No. 3, Mrs. Tom Caudill, 3 p. m.
- Circle No. 4, Mrs. W. R. Absher, 7:30 p. m.

mediately following ceremony 909 Muirfield Road, Los Angeles California.

Lieutenant Bowman is a son of Mrs. Ralph Bowman, of this city, and the late Mr. Bowman. He is a graduate of the North Wilkesboro high school and attended the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Miss Ruby Pearson Entertains Children
 Miss Ruby Pearson entertained the boys and girls in her class, of which she is teacher in the North Wilkesboro First Methodist Sunday School, at a party at her home in Wilkesboro Friday evening. Miss Pearson directed the children in some games, contests, and bingo in which she gave several awards. Refreshments were served.

Kilby-Redmon Engagement Is Announced
 Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Kilby announce the engagement of their daughter, Thelma Grace, to John Robert Redmon, of North Wilkesboro, son of Mrs. Nonnie Redmon, of Pilot Mountain. The wedding is to be in the early spring.

Miss Frances Bowman Feted
 As a courtesy to Miss Frances Bowman, a bride-elect, Miss Jean Moore was hostess at a delightful party at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ivey Moore, on Eighth street Saturday evening. Two tables were made up for bridge and two tables for rook in an attractive New Year's setting. Refreshments were served buffet style.

Miss Bowman's engagement to Rayford Stroud has been announced by her mother, and Miss Moore presented to the honoree a lovely gift. High score prizes in bridge and rook were won by Miss Helen Phillips and Miss Bowman.

Rhymer-Buelin Vows Revealed
 Corporal Earl Rhymer, who is on maneuvers in Nashville Tenn., spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Rhymer, at Purlean. While here Corporal Rhymer was married to Miss Margaret Buelin, of Elkin, the ceremony taking place at York, S. C.

Corporal Rhymer has returned to Nashville and Mrs. Rhymer returned to Elkin where she holds a position with the Chatham Manufacturing Company.

Mrs. Albert Vestal Entertains Her Club

A delightful club party of the week was given by Mrs. Albert Vestal at her home in Wilkesboro Thursday evening entertaining for the two bridge clubs of which she is a member and some additional guests. Four tables were arranged for play and at the close the hostess served tempting refreshments. The prizes, which were War Stamps, went to Mrs. Edison Norman for high score in the Wilabri club, to Mrs. Charlie Bungarner for high score in the Wilkesboro bridge club, and to Mrs. Robert Johnson amongst the visitors. Mrs. Albert Garwood won the bingo award.

To Sick Bay



All the Jay photos which attracted a U. S. Navy look were in the Pacific recently were shot down after an hour-long battle. A wounded prisoner from an American plane is shown being wheeled to sick bay on the ship.

Four Girls Hostesses At Dance On Friday

An interesting social event was the younger high school boys and girls was the dance given on Friday evening at the Woman's clubhouse on Trosdon street by Miss Margaret Buelin, hostess, assisted by Miss J. M. Buelin, Miss Billy Jo Buelin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Buelin; Miss Corinne Finley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Finley; and Miss Dorothy Smith, wife of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shell. Around forty were present and enjoyed dancing and games until time to welcome in the New Year when the guests engaged in a period of group singing, being accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Zimmerman.

The spacious room of the clubhouse was decorated in a New Year's setting and the guests were given attractive favors. Punch, cookies, and sandwiches were served during the evening by the parents, and Mr. and Mrs. Shell, who were chaperones for the occasion.

Young Bachelors Club Entertains At Dance

The Young Bachelors Association, a newly organized club among the high school boys, gave a dance at the Woman's clubhouse Thursday evening, having as guests a large number of high school boys and girls and the younger college set who were home for the holidays. Dancing was very much

enjoyed and the night during which the refreshments were served. Mrs. Buelin supervised the group. Members of the club are: Miss Golliber, president; J. C. Parkman, secretary; Johnnie Johnson, Dick Underwood, Willie Caudill, Dick P. Smith, Willie Wilson, Thelma Hill, Misses Long, and the club's first vice president, Mrs. Buelin.

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