

Abbott and Costello Eye New Boxoffice Record

But Abbott and Lou Costello, the most fabulous money-making comedy team ever to step before a mo-

tion picture camera, have made up their minds to establish a film mark that will stand forever in Hollywood's record book.

They're going to stay at their cinematic comedy until their aggregate boxoffice gross has reached the one hundred million dollar level.

The popular comedians are now starring in their 27th comedy, Universal-International's "Comin' Round the Mountain," opening Sunday at the Dunn Theatre. A wild shooting hillbilly feud is the background for the new laugh film which marks the screen debut of Dorothy Shay, The Park Avenue Hillbilly.

"The figure might sound out of line," says Bud and Lou, "but it really isn't. During the past ten-and-a-half years we've brought in \$72,000,000 at the boxoffice. We believe we'll hit our goal within the next five years."

Two of their previous films, "Buck Privates" and "Abbott and Costello Meet Frankenstein" have already passed the \$4,000,000 mark in boxoffice figures and many of their earlier comedies are playing theatres throughout the country for the sixth and seventh times.

"People just live to laugh," the boys believe. "We've never tried to teach them psychology, geography or civics. Our pictures are strictly for the folks who like to settle down in a movie house and let their hair down."

Let others tickle their thinking with sophistication, we're selling laughs aimed at the belt buckle."

Kirby Grant, Shaye Cogan, Joe Sawyer, Glenn Strange and Ida Moore are featured in "Comin' Round the Mountain," directed by Charles Lamont and produced by Howard Christie.



Lou Costello takes a hillbilly bride, Shaye Cogan, as his comedy co-star, Bud Abbott, serves as best man in this highlight scene from Universal-International's new comedy hit, "Comin' Round the Mountain" for Sawyer, Dorothy Shay, The Park Avenue Hillbilly, and Kirby Grant, left to right, head the large supporting cast of "Comin' Round the Mountain," directed by Charles Lamont and produced by Howard Christie.

Benson Social Items

MISS MARY LOUISE BRITTON WEDS JUNIUS ARLANDO MORGAN

The marriage of Miss Mary Louise Britton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gray C. Britton of Ahsokie and Junius Arlando Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rom H. Morgan of Benson took place at 5 o'clock in the morning at the Baptist church near Ahsokie. The vows were pledged before Rev. Lonnie Sasser who used the double ring ceremony.

Decorations in the church were white gladioli and gypsophylla with a background of pine. Branched candelabra with cathedral candles were placed at intervals among the floral decorations.

Mrs. Otis Corbett rendered a program of spiritual music and accompanied Buddy Prim soloist of Rocky Mount who sang Because I Love Thee, and as a benediction, The Lord's Prayer.

Given in marriage by her father the bride was attired in a ballerina length gown of white Chantilly lace which featured a portrait neckline embellished with a trim of tulle and seed pearls. The basque bodice was trimmed with small buttons and the sleeves ended in calla lily points over the wrists. The bouffant skirt was worn over crinoline. Her brief veil of French tulle fell from a Mary Queen of Scots bonnet, fashioned of lace and edged with full and she carried a white satin bound prayer book on which rested a white purple throated orchid from which cascaded a shower of white satin streamers.

Miss Ernestine Vinson was maid of honor and wore a ballerina length gown of lilac net over tulle and white lace bodice with crushed tulle and falling into a bustle back with bouffant skirt. She wore a plaited tulle bandeau with pouff and mitts and carried a lace fan centered with yellow asters from which extended a number of satin streamers in yellow.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Doris Morgan Lowery, sister of the bride groom, of Richmond, Va., Mrs. Carolyn Brinkley of Ahsokie, Miss Jo Ann Britton of Richmond, Va., cousins of the bride, and Mrs. Linda Vinson of West Field. They wore mint green gowns identical in style to that of the honor attendant and plaited bandeaus and mitts. Their lace fans were centered with pink asters from which fell a shower of pink streamers.

Little Miss Mexie Parker, flower girl, wore a gown of lilac net over tulle and carried a basket of mixed flower petals.

Pvt. Henry E. Morgan of Camp Rucker, Ala. attended his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Merle Vaughn of Ahsokie, John David Snipes of Raleigh, cousins of the bride, Charles Whittington, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, of Dunn, and Ralph E. Medlin of Benson.

Mrs. Britton, mother of the bride, wore a gown of lilac net over tulle and carried a basket of mixed flower petals.

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Miss Morgan is a rising sophomore at Meredith College.

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Saturday • DUNN • Sun. - Mon. Double Feature

CHARLES STARRETT in "Laramie"

WEAVER BROS. in "Shepard Of The Ozark"

Also AYON MAN VS. SUPERMAN COLOR CARTOON

Coming Soon: "THE FROGMEN" Best Of The Sailmen

Also DOROTHY SHAY in "COMIN' ROUND THE MOUNTAIN"

Ridgway Gets Ridgway

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But one of the shortest 8th Army communique of the war reported only partial action along the remainder of the 100-mile front.

Field dispatches said optimism over the chances of peace was replacing skepticism among Allied troops. They were talking about "when" a cease-fire would come rather than "if."

Admiral Forrest P. Sherman, Chief of Naval Operations, stopped off in Tokyo on his way back from the Korean front and conferred with Ridgway. He will leave for Washington this week-end.

Some other part of the world. Lovett said present U. S. government goals are low in view of the world tension and Americans should "dig in" and carry it through as rapidly as possible.

In general, he said, the military manpower situation is good. The armed services, he said, have increased their strength from 1,469,000 to 3,250,000 men since outbreak of the Korean War.

As for rearmament, he said some phases of plane and tank production had behind schedule and would be improved.

His announcement came as the United States and its allies moved cautiously toward a conference with the enemy on possible cease-fire terms.

RED MOVE AWAITED It seemed likely, however, that the enemy would have to make the first move. The Reds started the war and the western powers seemed determined to make them bid for a truce.

Ridgway let it be known in Tokyo after a telephone call to Washington that he is "willing to entertain any request for an armistice from the enemy."

His attitude was given reporters by Col. George P. Welch, Ridgway's public information officer, when asked if the supreme commander felt he had the authority to initiate peace talks with Communist commanders in the field.

Gen. Thanks

(Continued From Page One) taken much longer for the Army to have secured on its own. We are glad we could help.

Major General Garvin's letter stated: "Members of my staff have informed me of the splendid way in which you have cooperated with representatives of this command in their preparatory work for Exercise Southern Pine. I am advised that you have given freely of your time and knowledge and have made available much data on the surrounding area. Your generously given assistance has been of great help in the preliminary work connected with the maneuver."

"I want to extend to you my personal thanks for your fine efforts."

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith, and Robert Smith are spending the week in Washington, D. C.

Miss Jerre Denning, student nurse at Duke Hospital, is spending a two weeks' vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Denning.

GOES TO NEW YORK

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SHRUGS OFF QUESTIONS

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Sherman shrugged off questions about a cease-fire at a press conference.

He said they were political and outside his field, but added that if there were no armistice, "then the war goes on."

Asked if the war would go on as before, Sherman replied: "That's a little difficult to predict."

An official spokesman said Ridgway has received no instructions on arrangements for a possible cease-fire, and had no comment to make.

A Seoul dispatch suggested UN and Communist field commanders might decide to meet in the western front no-man's-land city of Kaesong, just south of the 38th Parallel and 35 miles northwest of Seoul.

Fighting on the Korean front centered on the central sector below the enemy stronghold of Kumson, 29 miles north of the 38th Parallel.

UN 8th Army spokesman said UN forces driving through rugged mountains advanced nearly a mile yesterday and were within easy artillery range of Kumson.

The Reds fought back savagely to keep the Allies from the key build-up area. They threw two companies against the Allied lines during the night, but the counter-attack was repulsed.

Mossadegh

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He is the first to go rather than paratroopers alerted on Cyprus. WOULD FLY IN TROOPS The dispatch said there were sufficient aircraft in the area to fly in the battalion with full equipment. Tanks and heavy artillery probably would not be required, it said.

Earlier, Radio Tehran said Iran would complain to the United Nations Security Council if British military forces continued to threaten the nation.

The warning came as the 8,000 British cruiser Mauritius stood off the oil port of Abadan in full view of crowds and Iranian troops gathered on the city beaches.

The cruiser, careful to keep in Iraq waters across the Shatt-el-Arab River from Abadan, guarded nine British tankers unloading their oil.

British forces in Iraq and Cyprus have been alerted for days in the event British lives are endangered in Iran during the take-over of the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company under Iran's oil nationalization program.

No Holiday

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being iced at the Durham and Southern siding to begin receiving perishables. Additional supply units are expected to arrive either Monday or Tuesday.

There are now approximately 2,000 troops stationed in the immediate vicinity of Dunn and thousands of other troops are scattered from north of Dunn through the eastern half of the county and down to Fort Bragg.

Erwin News

Wanda McLaurin and Nancy Dennis spent the week-end in Fayetteville with Mr. and Mrs. Hersey McLaurin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKarezyk and children, Paul, Jr., and Susan, of Allentown, Pa., are visiting Mrs. McKarezyk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sessions.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Whittington and son of Raleigh were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Whittington.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Thoms, Sr., and granddaughters, Sara and Emily Grant Thomas and Elladern Johnson, are spending several weeks at Holden's Beach.

Annual Newspaper Award Is Planned

RALEIGH, June 29 — (AP) — The North Carolina Conference for Social Service today set up an annual award for the newspapermen who makes the greatest contribution toward crime prevention.

A spokesman said \$50 and a citation would be awarded the reporter or editor "who does the most toward stimulating public awareness of factors that lead to juvenile and adult delinquency, to the importance of remedying these

faults." The award will be presented at the annual meeting of the conference, which will be held in Raleigh next month. The best record established was four minutes for a plane to be emptied, reloaded and prepared for takeoff.

influences, and to the need for intelligent rehabilitation of offenders." Serving as judges for the award will be Dr. Lee M. Brooks, University of North Carolina criminologist; Walter Spearman, University journalism professor; and Dr. J. S. Himes, Jr., sociologist at North Carolina College in Durham.

BREAK, BREAK, BREAK BIDDEFORD, Me. — (UP) — Though only five years old, Jimmy Beaulieu has suffered 18 leg fractures. He has broken his right leg 17 times and his left leg once.

HARNETT Today and Saturday RANDOLPH SCOTT SUGARFOOT IN WARRIOR SUITS TECHNICOLOUR ADELE JERGENS - RAYMOND MASSEY S. Z. SAKALL EDWIN MARIN Sport — Donald Duck

SUNDAY LUM AND ABNER in "Bashful Bachelors" Comedy — Cartoon

STEWART SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY What Happens When Girls Leave Home For The First Time! SEE JEANNE CRAIN — DALE ROBERTSON in "Take Care Of My Little Girl" (Color by Technicolor) — Added Joy — Latest News — Color Cartoon

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