

Stirring Coast Guard Movie Coming To Dunn

In presenting "Fighting Coaster and Ella Raines. Guard," action drama of the war. Covering World War II action hero's first sea-going armed force highlights of the U. S. Coast Guard. Republic Studios has contributed Guard on convoy duty and spectacular stirring screen documentaric invasion missions; the picture's long list of service picturesture was directed by Joseph Kane, which pay tribute to the U. S. light-who also served as associate producing forces. The film, which will duceer.

Sunday at the Dunn Theatre, Working in close liaison with stars Brian Donlevy, Forrest Tucker, Coast Guard headquarters in Wash-



A stellar line-up in a stellar show! Here are the principals in M-G-M's eagerly-awaited Technicolor version of "Show Boat," based on the immortal musical play by Jerome Kern and Oscar Hammerstein, II, and opening this Sunday at the Stewart Theatre for four days. From left to right, Kathryn Grayson as Magnolia, Howard Keel as Gaylord Ravenal, Ava Gardner as Julie, Joe E. Brown as Cap'n Andy, Agnes Moorehead as Parthy, and Robert Sterling as Stephen Baker. The big musical was directed by George Sidney and was produced by Arthur Freed.

"Show Boat" Will Open Sunday At Stewart Theater

One of the greatest entertainments of all time will be brought to the Stewart Theatre Sunday in "Show Boat," M-G-M's magnificent Technicolor version of the immortal Jerome Kern-Oscar Hammerstein II musical play, which has run up a record number of performances in its original Broadway presentation and in subsequent revivals.

As his bride for a year of love, and luxury in Chicago. But the honeymoon ends when Ravenal's gambling blood reasserts itself and the happy couple find themselves destitute. Magnolia returns to her family's show boat and Ravenal strikes out for points West and this information during production is not until years later, when a chance happening informs Ravenal that he is a father, that the pair are again reconciled. Less happy is the fate of the beautiful singer, Julie LaVerne, who goes

rapidly downhill when the tragic secret of her life is discovered.

Of all the screen roles Kathryn Grayson has played, the part of the impetuous and romantic Magnolia suits her most perfectly. She is delightful as the innocent girl who awakens to her first love and she reveals a remarkable dramatic talent in the later sequences in which she faces the loss of her husband, Howard Keel, the gambling Ravenal, also has a made-to-order role in which he is able to swagger and sing to his heart's

Thousands Of

(Continued From Page One) known Catholic priest, to be announced later.

Plans for the event were furthered at a meeting of military officers held here last night.

GENERALS TO ATTEND
Three general officers have already accepted invitations to attend. They are: Lt. Gen. R. B. Leonard of Fort Bragg, Maj. Gen. Thomas Hickey, commanding general of the 82nd Airborne Division; and Maj. Gen. Crump Garvin, commanding general of the 301st Logistical Command.

The following committees were announced today by Father McCarthy:

Reception committee: Lt. Col. James Brophy of Richmond, Va., headquarters commandant of Third ASOM; Lt. Col. Kendall Hackney of Richmond, 327th QM; Lt. Col. Andrew Rominecki of Philadelphia, 443rd QM; Major William Fidell of Philadelphia, also of the 443rd;



FORREST TUCKER stars as Bill Bourk in Republic's inspiring story of America's oldest sea-going branch of the armed forces, "Fighting Coast Guard," which will open Sunday at the Dunn Theatre.

Major William Fyners and Lt. Joseph O'Neil, also of Philadelphia.

Lt. Col. Joe Talbot of Philadelphia and Captain Hunter Haines of the 301st will have charge of publicity.

First aid groups will be conducted by Captain Robert Qun of the 30th Field Hospital and Cpl. Pauline Bellis of Philadelphia.

Ushers will be under the direction of Major William Fyners, Lt. Col. Andrew Rominecki, Maj. Alfred Diblek of Topeka, Kan., and Maj. Daniel Lenton of the 4th QM will be in charge of the grounds.

Traffic will be in charge of Major John Secor of New York, 301st Logistical Command, and Lt. George Gracy of Nashville, Tenn. Members of the 349th Port Company will erect the altar.

CENTER VIEW
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Theater

Children Under 12 Admitted Free
Box office opens at 7:15 p. m. — Show starts at 7:45

SATURDAY
"The Lawless"
MacDonald Carey
Gail Russell
—also—
"Western Courage"
Tex Williams
TUES. - WED.

SUNDAY - MONDAY
"Roseanna McCoy"
In
Farley Granger
Charles Hickford
Raymond Massey
THURSDAY
CHARLES LAUGHTON
FRANÇOIS TONIC
SURGEON WHEREDITH
ROBERT RUTTON
and the CITY OF PARIS in
"The Mad on the Eiffel Tower"
Photographed in ANSCO COLOR
JEAN WALLACE - PATRICIA ROG and BELITA
FRIDAY
SPY HUNT
Starring
JWARD DUFF - MARTA TOREI
PHILIP FRIEND - ROBERT DOUGLAS
PHILIP BORN - WALTER SLEZAN - KURT KREUGER
A UNIVERSAL INTERNATIONAL PICTURE
Selected Short Subjects
SATURDAY
WAGONMASTER
Starring
BOB JOHNSON - JOANNE DEE
HARRY CAREY, JR. - WARD BOND
Directed by JOHN FORD
Produced by Argyle Pictures Corporation
Distributed by RKO Radio Pictures

STEWART Saturday Double Feature
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Charles Starrett in "Outcast of Black Mesa"
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SHOW BOAT
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ROBERT STERLING - AGNES MOOREHEAD - WILLIAM WARFIELD
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DUNN Saturday — Double Feature
Tim Holt in "Saddle Legion"
Kirby Grant in "Yukon Manhunt"
— Also —
Pirates of The High Seas — Cartoon
* SUN. - MON. - TUES. *
ACTION! In Peace and War!
FIGHTING COAST GUARD
STARRING: BRIAN DONLEVY - FORREST TUCKER - ELLA RAINES

ington, D. C., the studio was able to film location sequences in authentic backgrounds. Hundreds of Coast Guard and Naval personnel appeared in these scenes, which were filmed at the huge amphibious base at Coronado and San Diego, California, and at the U. S. Coast Guard Academy at New London, Connecticut.

HECTIC ADVENTURE
Thrilling sequences were filmed aboard the famous Coast Guard bark-rigged training ship, Eagle, with cameras chronicling the hectic hours, when a furious hurricane interrupted photographing and chased the Eagle back to Boston from Gloucester, Massachusetts.

Many officers and enlisted personnel participating in filming "Fighting Coast Guard" were heroes of important land invasion actions in the Mediterranean and the Pacific during World War II, and actual Defense Department film of specific actions is incorporated into the picture.

Cast and crew went through hazardous operations off the coast of San Diego aboard a group of LCVP's during particularly rough weather.

UNIFORM CHANGES
Approximately 700 Coast Guard uniforms for stars and principals were made by Republic for the film. Donlevy, Tucker, John Russell, William Murphy and Richard Jaeckel had twelve uniform changes each while other cast principals had from four to six. Of course, extensive research went into the classifying of Coast Guard and Naval insignia and the accurate use of

HARNETT Today and Saturday
"TARKAN'S PEEL"
Also
Color Cartoon
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