

### It Isn't The Heat, It's The Phraseology

New York—The weather man is going to break down and tell people what it's all about.

James Osmun, the Government's night meteorologist here, confessed coyly he and fellow locus-pocusers have suspected all along their pronouncements were baffling many people—and they've resolved to reform.

They've spent six months investigating "strained" relations between the weather man and John Citizen, and concluded it's not the humidity, but the terminology—words that mean one thing to the weather man and something else to the man in the street.

"For instance," he said, "we may predict: 'Tomorrow: Fair and warmer' and we'll be right, because the temperature will rise, but the average person will feel cooler because other factors change."

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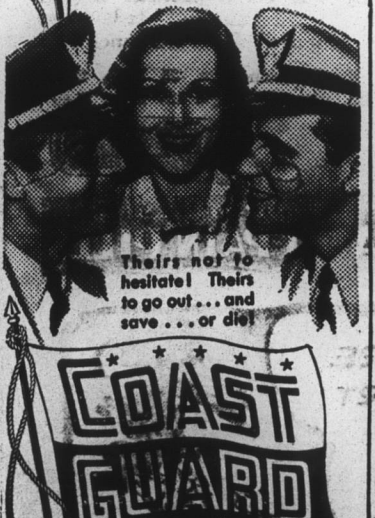
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**DOLLY MADISON**  
THEATRE  
Monday - Tuesday, Aug. 28-29th.

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**COAST GUARD**

Randolph Scott - Frances Dee - Ralph Bellamy

Written by CONNOLLY

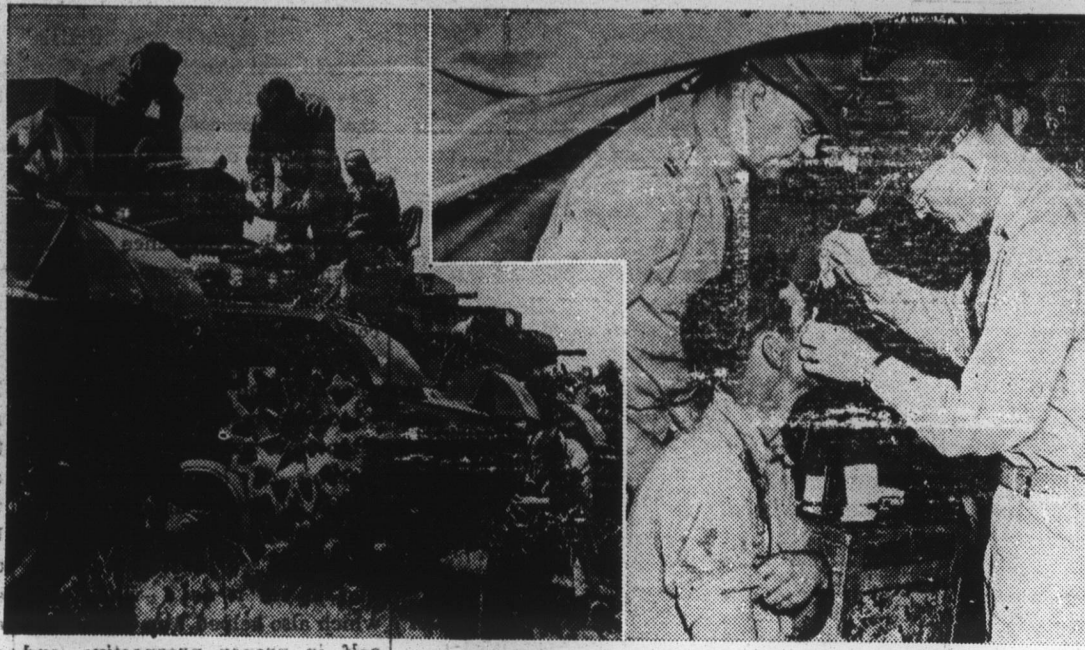
Screen play by Richard Malboin, Albert Duffy, Harry Segall

Directed by EDWARD LUDWIG

A COLUMBIA PICTURE

Special Morning Show  
Monday 10:30;  
Afternoons Daily 3:15-3:45;  
Admission 10-25c;  
Evenings Daily 7:30-9:15;  
Admission 10-25c;

### Peace-Time Maneuvers Test Army Efficiency



When the United States army began its most extensive peace-time maneuvers at Manassas, Va., recently, these members of the Twenty-eighth tank company of Pennsylvania, left, were kept busy checking over their huge mechanized war steeds. Right: That mock wars have their casualty lists was proved by one private, who reported at the 104th medical regiment offices to receive first aid for an injured eye. The report did not state just how the soldier suffered the injury.

The layman's weather is made up of three elements, Mr. Osmun said—temperature, humidity and air motion—and these have to be interpreted in terms of the individual locality—with the same set of conditions, statistically, you might feel warm in New York, but cold in Denver.

People complain a lot about humidity, but the researchers discovered incidentally high humidity usually goes with a low death rate. They don't know why.

They also found the best day—when you feel cheerful and peppy and your mental and physical processes are at their best—is a warm day, not hot, with a high relative humidity and a light wind.

They call that the "optimum days"—reverting slightly to old habits.

### NEW YORK MILK SHORTAGE

New York City—A strike of milk producers in up-state New York seriously threatened the city's supply, which requires 4,400,000 quarts daily. During the hottest spell in years, when babies needed milk in larger quantities than ever, C. I. O. agitators waylaid milk trucks, beat up drivers, and emptied hundreds of thousands of quarts on the roadside. In some sections kerosene was poured into the milk, and at Hammond, N. Y., New York Central rails were smeared with grease to prevent the movement of milk trains.

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**Palace Theatre**  
Monday - Tuesday, Aug. 28-29th.

*They're partners again... Jane and that care-free Carrillo follow!*



**JANE WITHERS**  
and  
**CHICKEN WAGON FAMILY**

with  
**LEO CARRILLO**  
**MARJORIE WEAVER**  
**SPRING BYINGTON**  
**KANE RICHMOND**

A 20th Century-Fox Picture

Afternoons Daily 3:15-3:45;  
Admission 10-25c;  
Evenings Daily 7:30-9:15;  
Admission 10-30c.

### Motor Horns To Go Beep-Beep In England - Not Wonk-Wonk

London — Motor horns are not the "big noise" they were — there's to be a limit to the volume of sound they make in Britain in future, according to an agreement between the Transport Ministry and manufacturers.

No horns with a loudness exceeding 100 phons (wind tone horns are allowed 105 phons), are to be fitted to new motor vehicles after October 1, neither will they be manufactured nor offered for sale on the home market. This is in line with efforts to make city streets and country roads places of at least relative quiet.

Hours during which motor-horn blowing may take place have already been limited — no one may sound his horn between 11 p. m. and 7:30 a. m. in urban areas—but limitation of the capacity of the motor horn for noise is expected to help lessen the strident sounds of business and leisure hours. Compulsory limitation of the loudness of horns, already under consideration, has been rendered unnecessary by this new agreement, the outcome of negotiations lasting for more than a year. But people these days are not driving "on the horn" nearly as much as they used to; they drive more by sight than by sound, experts say.

The agreement is the second practical result of the report of the Department Committee on

motor noise issued in 1935. The first was an agreement by manufacturers that the standard of quietness for motorcycles and sports cars should be raised. This measure has undoubtedly helped to lessen road traffic noises to a certain extent. People, however, still complain of the amount of noise some motorists make with their cars, and the most effective way of checking this is generally agreed to be by police action. Noise offenses numbered 8,939 out of a total of 572,762 motoring offenses of all kinds last year, compared with 10,703 noise offenses in 1937 out of a total of 579,170.

In its report the Department Committee set up a scale of noises, measured in phons. The upper limit was set at 130 phons. Next to that is the noise one hears close to an airplane engine—110-120 phons. The noise of a pneumatic drill is reckoned at 105-110 phons, a loud motor horn 100-105, 90-95 the interior of a tube train, 60-75 average to loud conversation, and 20-30 the sounds of a quiet country house.

### Jane Wishes - Makes It So

If you wish for anything hard enough, your wish will come true. Jane Withers is an authority

for the fact that the theory works.

Ever since Jane has been a movie star, she has yearned to have Spring Byington, the famous ones Family mother, play her movie Ma.

Jane wished real hard. And now her wish has come true. For Miss Byington plays her mother in "Chicken Wagon Family," the 20th Century-Fox film version of Barry Benefield's famous book, opening tomorrow at the Palace Theatre.

Leo Carrillo plays Jane's screen Daddy again, while others featured in the cast are Marjorie Weaver and Kane Richmond.

(P. S. — Now Jane's wishing for Tyrone Power as her leading man!)

### FREIGHT SPEEDS UP

Washington, D. C. — Railroads have not only speeded up their streamlined passenger trains, but even freight movements have increased their pace. In 1920 an average freight train covered 247 miles a day. Now the same freight will cover 405 miles per day, an increase in speed of 64 per cent.

### LEGAL NOTICES

#### ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Bennie G. Rogers, deceased, late of Person County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of August, 1940 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This August 19th, 1939.  
A. A. Rogers, Administrator of Estate of Bennie G. Rogers.  
8-20-6t

#### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Ancillary Administrator, Cum Testamento Annexo, of the estate of D. W. Owen, late of Halifax County, State of Virginia, this is to notify

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all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to F. C. Owen, attorney for the administrator, at his office in Durham, North Carolina, on or before the 6th day of August, 1940, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate

payment.

This the 4th day of August, 1939.

R. E. Ingram, Ancillary Administrator, Cum Testamento Annexo, of D. W. Owen.  
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### Palace Theatre

**ADVANCE PROGRAM**  
From Monday, Aug. 28 thru Wednesday, Aug. 30

**Motion Pictures Are Your Best Entertainment**

Monday - Tuesday, Aug. 28-29  
Jane Withers with Leo Carrillo - Marjorie Weaver - Spring Byington - Kane Richmond in

"Chicken Wagon Family" Jane and that Carefree Carrillo Fellow are Partners again! There's excitement and romance waiting around the bend!

Unusual Occupations No. 3 (In Color)

Hearst Metrotone News - "News while it is still news."

No Morning Shows; Afternoons daily 3:15-3:45; Admission 10-25c;

Evenings daily 7:30-9:15; Admission 10-30c.

Wednesday, Aug. 30

The Jones Family (Jed Prouty - Spring Byington - Ken Howell - June Carlson - Billy Mahan) in

"The Jones Family In Hollywood"

There's trouble and fun aplenty when your favorite folks take in Movieland—and how they take it over!

Andy Clyde in "Home on the Range"

Morning Show 10:30; afternoon 3:15-3:45; Admission 10-25c; Evening 7:30-9:15. Admission 10-30c.

### Dolly Madison

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"Coast Guard" (First Run)  
From the blazing tropics to the Frozen North — the triumphant story of the service that never sleeps!

Mechanix Illustrated No. 5

Paramount News - "The Eyes and Ears of the World"

Special Morning Show Monday 10:30

Afternoons daily 3:15-3:45; Admission 10-25c;

Evenings daily 7:30-9:15; Admission 10-25c;

Wednesday, Aug. 30

Ralph ("Dick Tracy") Byrd - George Barbier - Kay Sutton - Frank Jenks in


"SOS Tidal Wave" (First Run)

More terrifying than the recent "Broadcast from Mars", the televised flashes of a surging tidal wave bring havoc to a trusting, helpless people!

Travel Talk: "Maderia, Isle of Romance" — Robert Benchley Cartoon: "How to Sublet"

No Morning Show, afternoon 3:15-3:45; Admission 10-25c; Evening 7:30-9:15. Admission 10-25c.

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The placement of the entrance permits the maximum privacy for the living room. The upstairs sleeping quarters are reached through a hallway without the necessity of passing through any downstairs rooms. All rooms on both floors have cross ventilation.

