

Teatro del Lago

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**MATINEES SATURDAYS
SUNDAYS and HOLIDAYS**
Open 1:30—Show Starts 2 p. m.
Evenings During Week Doors
Open 6:30—Show Starts 7 p. m.

Adults, 25c Children, 10c

Thurs., May 11 (Last Times Tonight)

"THE SIGN OF THE CROSS"

Fredric March—Claudette Colbert
Charles Laughton
(Starts 7:15; 9:50)
Added—Bing Crosby in "Sing,
Bing, Sing" . . . News

Fri., Sat., May 12-13



(Starts Fri. 7:40; 9:45)
(Starts Sat. 2:00; 4:07; 6:09;
8:11; 10:15)

Added—Betty Boop Cartoon . . .
Pictorial . . . News

Sun., Mon., May 14-15

"SO THIS IS AFRICA"

Wheeler & Woolsey
(Starts Sun. 2; 4; 6; 8; 10)
(Starts Mon. 7:50; 9:50)

Bert Roach-Marie Prevost Comedy
Spotlight . . . Scrappy Cartoon
News

Tues., Wed., May 16-17

MEN Must Fight

A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture

Phillips Holmes—Diana Wynyard
(Starts 7:50; 9:55)
Comedy—"Plumber and the Lady"
Screen Song Cartoon . . .
Travelogue . . . News

Thurs., Fri., May 18-19



Taxi Boys Comedy—"Taxi Barons"
Traveltalk . . . Old Time Movies
News

Sat., May 20

"THE CRIME OF THE CENTURY"

Jean Hersholt—Wynn Gibson
Comedy . . . Baby Burlesque . . .
Mickey Mouse Cartoon . . . News

—Coming Attractions—

"STATE FAIR"

"ROME EXPRESS"

"KING OF THE JUNGLE"

"CLEAR ALL WIRES"

★ Faring Forth With The

Arliss Portrays King Who's Tired of Job

In his recent screen characterizations, George Arliss has been a captain of industry, a world famous banker, a gifted musician, a secretary of the treasury, an East Indian potentate and a prime minister.

His greatest success has been as a prime minister. Now he has moved up a peg in the cinematic social scale. He is a king in his new picture, "The King's Vacation," on the screen at Community House this Friday and Saturday.

In fact it is around his giving up of his kingly prerogatives that the story of "The King's Vacation" is written in a highly humorous vein by Ernest Pascal, with the comedy spiced with delightful romance.

Among the players in support of Mr. Arliss are Dick Powell, Patricia Ellis, Dudley Digges, O. P. Heggie, Marjorie Gaton and Florence Arliss. The screen adaptation was made by Mr. Pascal and Maude T. Howell. John Adolphi directed.

KENILWORTH GIRLS HOSTESS

Elizabeth Nelliger, 322 Kenilworth avenue, entertained at a bridge supper and surprise shower on Thursday of last week. The guests of honor were the two brides-to-be, Mary Karker of Glencoe, and Frances Buck of Evanston. The former was the recipient of a miscellaneous shower, while the latter was showered with hosiery and handkerchiefs. Both young women are members of Miss Nelliger's bridge club and were surprised with the showers instead of finding regular meeting in session.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Ketcham, 611 Abbotsford road, Kenilworth, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bartling, 116 Fuller lane, Winnetka, returned Sunday from a five-day outing at French Lick Springs, Ind. They also attended the Kentucky Derby Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Jones, after an absence in Alabama of about four years, where they have a home, have returned to Wilmette, to be at their home at 921 Thirteenth street.

Mrs. Cornelia Keith, 310 Warwick road, Kenilworth, entertained at luncheon and bridge on Monday, May 8.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Philips, 625 Brier street, Kenilworth, have been on a fishing trip to their summer home in Michigan.

COMMUNITY HOUSE

One block north Winnetka station

FRI.-SAT. MAY 12-13

GEORGE

ARLISS

"THE KING'S VACATION"

Adults 25c Children 10c

Next Friday and Saturday

"42nd STREET"

LAUGH AT TROUBLE

That's What Varsity Patrons Will Do
When They See "Cohens and Kellys"
Friday, Saturday

Strange as it may sound, one of the best ways to forget troubles is to see "The Cohens and Kellys in Trouble" at the Varsity theater this Friday and Saturday, May 12 and 13. George Sidney and Charlie Murray are a great laugh team, while Maureen O'Sullivan also contributes a fine performance.

Charlie Murray as Kelly, in a rash moment in Seattle, marries Jobyna Howland—then, in his tug-boat, he goes places to evade her. But Joby and her pal, Maude Fulton, a pair of die-hard battle-axes, catch up. George Sidney as Cohen is almost trapped by Maude; Andy "Gravel Throat" Devine is framed with Joby.

Roosevelt Pictorial

An important feature of the Friday and Saturday programs will be a pictorial of President Franklin D. Roosevelt, entitled "Roosevelt, the Man of the Hour."

The final chapter of the serial, "Clancy of the Mounted," starring Tom Tyler, will be shown at the Saturday matinee only.

The Barrymores—John, Ethel and Lionel—hold sway at the Varsity theater in the mighty drama, "Rasputin and the Empress," Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 14, 15, 16 and 17.

Irresistible Attraction

This superb blend of tri-Barrymore ability for the first time in screen history is enough to entice any moviegoer to the Varsity theater. Add to this the fact that the picture marks Ethel Barrymore's screen debut in a role exactly suited to her talents—and there's another reason for attending. Then this feast of personal art is rounded out with the excellent performances of Charles Morgan, Diana Wynyard and Tad Alexander.

Ethel Barrymore portrays the regal but timid and anxious Imperial mother; John, the dashing Prince Chegodieff, and Lionel, the sinister, debauched Rasputin.

THOSE TAXI BOYS

"Taxi Barons" is the name of a new Taxi Boys comedy which a north shore theater will soon feature for the sake of bigger and better laughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Keeler of Rockford are visiting their niece, Mrs. Wallace L. Miller of 627 Lake avenue, for a few days. Mrs. Miller entertained at a small informal dinner in their honor Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard C. Wilson of Pelham Manor, N. Y., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burt A. Crowe of 234 Raleigh road, Kenilworth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Bessett Ruf, 236 Cumnor road, Kenilworth, motored last week-end to Dubuque, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. M. Anderson and their two daughters, 1614 Elmwood avenue, spent the last week-end with friends in Bloomington, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bulley, 220 Sheridan road, Kenilworth, spent last week-end at French Lick Springs, Ind.

Lee Tracy Star of War Story at Wilmette Theater

Lee Tracy in one of the finest roles of his spectacular career — that of "Private Jones" — will thrill at the Wilmette theater, Friday and Saturday, May 12 and 13.

This brilliant young actor, who heretofore has been seen in metropolitan roles, dons the olive drab of an American doughboy and offers an entirely new type of war drama, making "Bill Jones," the rebellious soldier, live as no screen soldier has ever lived before in motion pictures.

The plot is new and well woven. The characters are human, and the acting is superb, probably because the cast is of the first order. Tracy with his dynamic personality and ready flow of crackling dialogue deserves first mention.

Gloria Stuart, as the heroine, performs in a winning manner, and Donald Cook is perfectly cast in the sympathetic role of the young lieutenant who tries to make something of his recalcitrant trooper.

More Than a Spectacle

"The Sign of the Cross," which shows at the Wilmette theater, Sunday and Monday, May 14 and 15, is something more than an inspiring spectacle within itself. It is proof of the fact that Cecil B. DeMille, master of this type of entertainment in the silent days, can bend sound to his will, and produce a film of even vaster proportions than in the past. It is further proof of the everlasting appeal of entertainment of a spectacular nature, whether the audience happens to be in Rome's Circus Maximus or in the modern motion picture theater.

The telling of the film's strong story, moreover, has been placed in the hands of an exceptionally talented cast. Fredric March scores as the Roman patrician, Marcus Superbus, who loves a Christian girl; Elissa Landi is lovely as the Christian, Mercia; Claudette Colbert surpasses her every past performance as the wicked Empress Poppaea; Charles Laughton is no less than magnificent as Nero.

"The Sign of the Cross" is a great religious story, a great love story and a great spectacle.

Here's Fine Comedy

"A Lady's Profession," comedy featuring Alison Skipworth, Roland Young and Sari Maritza at the Wilmette theater, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 16 and 17, will be fine entertainment for the entire family.

The picture centers around a couple of penniless Britons, who possess more ancestors than money, and resolve to balance matters by coming to America, where, so they understand, there's more money than ancestors.

"College" of Comedians

In "Hallelujah, I'm a Bum," his picture which comes to the Wilmette theater, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 18, 19 and 20, Al Jolson corralled a cast of Hollywood comedians the like of which has never before been seen in one film production unit.

Harry Langdon, comedy star, was selected for one of the principal roles, and then Chester Conklin and his walrus moustache were signed. Frank Morgan, Broadway stage star, came next, and Tammany Young, who has played both on Broadway and in Hollywood, stepped into the picture, too.