Teatro del Lago

Acres of Free Parking Space in 'No Man's Land' Phones: Wilmette 3980-3981

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 25 (Last times tonight)
(Starts 7:45 & 9:55)

"ROME EXPRESS" Esther Ralston—Conrad Veidt

Harry Langdon Comedy - "The Hitch Hiker" . . . Sportlight . . . News

Fri. & Sat., May 26-27 (Starts Fri. 7:50 & 10:00) (Starts Sat. 2:00-4:10-6:10-8:10 10:10)

"KING OF THE **JUNGLE**"

Buster Crabbe-Francis Dee Our Gang Comedy — "Forgotten Babies" . . . Traveltalk . . . Scrappy Cartoon . . . News

Sun., Mon., Tues., May 28-29-30 (Starts Sun. & Tues. 3:00-5:25-7:40-10:00) (Starts Mon. 7:50-10:00) Special Matinee Tuesday— Memorial Day **Exclusive Showing**



Lee Tracy-Una Merkel and James Gleason Added - Moran & Mack in "The Two Black Crows in Africa" . . . Travelogue . . . Terrytoon Cartoon ... News

Wed. & Thurs., May 31 & June 1 (Starts 7:50 & 10:00)



Comedy-"The Trail of Vince Bar . Screen Souviners . . Oswald Cartoon . . . News

Fri. & Sat., June 2-3



Clyde Beatty—Anita Page Laurel and Hardy Comedy "Twice Two"

> Sun., Mon., Tues., Wed. June 4-5-6-7

"RASPUTIN AND THE EMPRESS"

Ethel, John and Lionel Barrymore

COMING ATTRACTIONS

"From Hell to Heaven" "The Cohens & Kellys in Trouble" 'The White Sister" "Today We Live"

"Gabriel Over the White House" "Bedtime Story"

Faring Forth With The

John Barrymore Is Star in C. H. Film

Topaze! It's not November's birthstone! Neither is it a South American humming bird little known outside of Webster's dictionary.

"Topaez" is simply the name of the leading character portrayed by John Barrymore in the dramatic comedy of that name, coming this Friday and Saturday to Community House.

As the naive and thoroughly honest French schoolmaster who becomes the dupe of some clever and polished rascals and then outwits them at their own game, John Barrymore is said to have an opportunity for comedy even surpassing his "Man From Blankleys" and a chance for characterization equal to anything he has

Myrna Loy plays the heroine, who is as unusual a character as the hero, and others in the cast are Albert Conti, Luis Alberni, Reginald Mason, Jobyna Howland, Jackie Searl and Frank Reicher.

Interesting Discussion Held by Stars of Film

Whether to marry for love, social position or money is discussed by Constance Bennett, Anita Louise, Violet Kemble-Cooper and Gilbert Roland in "Our Betters," RKO-Radio Picture.

Miss Bennett married for love and got social position. Gilbert Roland is for marrying for money and taking love where he finds it.

"Our Betters" is keen satire in the best vein of W. Somerset Maugham, cleverly directed by George Cukor and splendidly acted by an exceptional cast.

AUDIENCE TESTS CLUES

The audience gets a chance to act as sleuths when "The Crime of the Century," mystery drama featuring Stuart Erwin, Wynne Gibson and Frances Dee, is shown. Halfway through the picture there is a oneminute intermission during which the clues are reviewed and the audience can attempt to pick the killer.

TRAVEL WHILE RESTING

Travelogues are a convenient way to get the thrills of distance and remoteness while sitting in a theater. Interesting highlights of strange lands spice these travelogues and provide a lazy-though justifiable-way of getting a liberal education.

Announcing

the Reopening of the

Gay Ballroom

Dempster and Waukegan Rd.

Saturday Evening, May 27

DANCE

with Mel Borchardt's Orchestra

FLOOR SHOW

Don't miss this popular rendezvous. Beer on Draught Reasonable Prices. Plenty Parking Space.

HAYES AND GABLE Reporter Tracy

Give Excellent Portrayals in Mighty Drama, "The White Sister," at Varsity Theater

Helen Hayes and Clark Gable reach new heights in truly great roles as the stars of the poignantly beautiful F. Marion Crawford novel, "The White Sister," to be shown at the Varsity theater, Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, May 26, 27, 28 and 29.

The principals make the most of the possibilities offered by the story. Helen Hayes, buffeted by life, and the supposed death of her Italian officer sweetheart Giovanni (played by Glark Gable), seeks peace as a Catholic White Sister, only to have Giovanni reappear.

In their excellent interpretation of these two roles, the stars receive fine support from Lewis Stone, Louise Closser Hale and May Robson.

Interesting Comparisons

Persons who saw the silent version of this drama, starring Lillian Gish and Ronald Colman, will be interested in comparing their work with that of Helen Hayes and Clark Gable in the

corresponding roles.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday,
May 30, 31 and June 1, bring another great film to the Varsity theater-"Sweepings," with Lionel Barrymore

as the star.

Persons who sit through this picture without at least one wet eye deserve some kind of prize or other, for the story of a disillusioned father is so simply and touchingly told.

Opens Store in Chicago

Lionel Barrymore comes to Chicago with his wife after the great fire and begins a tiny store which grows into a successful establishment. Barrymore's wife dies, and the children grow up to devote themselves to profligate spending of father's money. How he faces what appears to be sure ruin, makes a great story.

Gloria Stuart, George Meeker, William Gargan and Eric Linden are splendidly convincing as the children. Gregory Ratoff is superb as the faithful old partner.

CAVORT IN CARTOONS

Swanky heroes and heroines, in pen and ink, grace the many animated cartoons which pepper the local screens with amazing and thrilling deeds of valor and villainy. Sometimes these cartoon characters go so far as to burst forth into song-a not unbecoming habit.

LIONS RELISH BEEF

More than 800 pounds of beef was the daily ration of the forty-three lions and tigers used by Clyde Beatty, world's foremost wild animal trainer, during the production of "The Big Cage," the Universal drama.

Eve. from 7:15 Mat. Sat. 2:30

FRIDAY-SATURDAY JOHN BARRYMORE MYRNA LOY

Charlie Chaplin "Easy Street"

Is a Rip-Snorter in Teatro Movie

Russian stoves that smoke, hotels that boast but a single bathroom, imposing vistas of Moscow and the dungeons of the Russian secret police, French plumbing and intricacies of the Ballet Russe figured in the research which went into the filming of "Clear All Wires," talkie version of the Broadway comedy hit, which brings Lee Tracy, Benita Hume, Una Merkel, James Gleason and others to the Teatro del Lago screen, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, May 28, 29 and 30. The Teatro will offer a matinee on Tuesday, Memorial day.

The Bella and Samuel Spewack play depicts the trials and tribulations of a fast-talking newspaper correspondent who steals a chorus girl from his boss, plots a shooting in order to make newspaper headlines, falls into the hands of the Russian secret police and otherwise keeps excitement going at a high pitch. The production was filmed under the direction of George Hill, who previously scored with such talkie hits as "The Big House," "Min and Bill" and "Hell Divers."

Story by Vina Delmar Vina Delmar's "Pick Up" will feature Sylvia Sidney and George Raft at the Teatro del Lago, Wednesday and Thursday, May 31 and June 1.

"Pick Up," produced by B. P. Schulberg for Paramount, is the story of a couple of big-city youngsters thrown together by an unusual trick of 1ate. Sylvia Sidney, after being released from prison, to which she has been sent with her husband, who 'framed" her, finds herself destitute in the city on a rainy night. She seeks shelter in a cab, and soon finds the driver, Raft, to be as deeply in love with her as she becomes with him.

They buy a garage and enjoy prosperity and happiness in the suburbs until . . . Well, anyway, "Pick Up" will unfold an intensely interesting and human story at the Teatro del Lago.

Introducing Buster Crabbe

"King of the Jungle," animal thrilldrama which brings Buster Crabbe, world-champion swimmer, to the screen in the role of the Lion Man, will show at the Teatro del Lago, Friday and Saturday, May 26 and 27.

Crabbe is the central character in a story of animals in their native jungle and in the artificial surroundings of a circus. He is cast as a youth who, orphaned in the jungle at an early age, grows up in company with a pack of lions. Captured and brought to the United States, he becomes head trainer in a circus.

The picture comes to a breathless climax when fire breaks out in the circus, and the maddened animals break loose from their cages and stalk through city streets, leaving behind them a trail of blood and ruin.

On Friday and Saturday, June 2 and 3, the Teatro del Lago presents another fine animal picture, "The Big Cage," featuring Clyde Beatty, considered the world's greatest trainer of wild beasts.

CLARK AND McCULLOUGH

A Clark and McCullough comedy is a real mirth event no matter when shown. The north shore theaters, realizing this fact, are scheduling many comedies enacted by this popular "blues chasing" pair.