

# ALCYON THEATER

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NOW SHOWING TODAY AND FRIDAY

EL BRENDEL - EDW. EV. HORTON

## "Six Cylinder Love"

Laurel Hardy Comedy - News - Pictorial

SATURDAY, JULY 25 Bargain Matinee at 2:00

## BIG BUSINESS GIRL

WITH LORETTA YOUNG

RICARDO CORTEZ  
FRANK ALBERTSON

"HEROES OF THE FLAMES" No. 7

News - Comedy



SUNDAY-MONDAY—Sunday continuous 2-11 JULY 26-27

## The MALTESE FALCON

with BEBE DANIELS  
RICARDO CORTEZ

News - Novelty Group - Screen Song  
Act - "Strange As It Seems"



TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY JULY 28-29



## UPPOPS the DEVIL

STUART ERWIN  
CAROL LOMBARD

Lloyd Hamilton Comedy - News - Act.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY JULY 30-31

JOAN CRAWFORD

## "Laughing Sinners"

BOBBY JONES — "THE MASHIE NIBLICK"

News - Comedy



## Cinema Talk

### Chances Taken by Cast Bring Success

Does it pay to take a chance in life?

Every member of the cast of "Up Pops the Devil" says it does—except one.

Skeets Gallagher took two chances in his career. He left college for the vodvil stage. This led to fame on Broadway. He forsook an assured fortune on Broadway for the "breaks" in Hollywood. He got them and is today one of the favorite comedians of fandom.

Stuart Erwin's career was all mapped out for him by his parents. After graduation from the University of California he was to manage the family ranch. But he courted Fortune by leaving college in his sophomore year and joining a theatrical company. It was a chance that spelled success, for he was soon engaged for work in pictures. He is "in" with fans and critics.

Carole Lombard deliberately quit Mack Sennett comedy work more serious roles. The new type of portrayals gave her the start that brought her national prominence.

Lilyan Tashman's first picture roles gave little promise of success. She took a long vacation in Europe and returned fresh for the fray. The next attempt was successful. She plowed right ahead, and today possesses a Paramount contract.

Like Gallagher and Oakie, Norman Foster also deserted a college education in favor of the theatre. It was the right step—for his stage experience got him leading man roles with Paramount.

One member of the cast who never took a chance is Sleep N. Eat, the Negro actor. A participant in a marathon dance, he attracted attention because he could sleep while shuffling around. He was added to the cast of Harold Lloyd's "Feet First." He took no chances and doesn't worry as long as someone comes round with his pay check when due.

### Mystery Is Laid in San Francisco Lair

O. Henry's short story "A Municipal Report" was written to disprove the statement that New York, New Orleans and San Francisco were the only story-towns in the United States. In creating so perfect a romance in prosaic Nashville, he simply demonstrated that any place where human beings are, is a field from which romance may spring.

San Francisco is the locale for the mystifying and thrilling sequences of "The Maltese Falcon," the Warner Bros. picture starring Bebe Daniels. The film is an adaptation of the best-selling novel of the same name by Dashiell Hammett, an ex-Pinkerton man. Miss Daniels plays the part of a daring and wily enchantress who is the head of a noted crime gang.

The supporting cast includes Ricardo Cortez, Dudley Digges, Una Merkel, Robert Elliott, Thelma Todd, Otto Matiesen, Walter Long, J. Farrell MacDonald, Dwight Frye and Agostino Borgato. Roy Del Ruth directed.

### Work Nights Filming "Laughing Sinners"

Shooting schedules were turned topsy-turvy for filming of "Laughing Sinners," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's picturization of the sensational Kenyon Nicholson stage hit, "The Torch Song," starring Joan Crawford.

Since much of the action demanded night and rain scenes, the bulk of the screening was done at night, the company reporting for work at 5 p.m. instead of the usual 8 a.m. Harry Beaumont, who directed the new Crawford picture, alternated the night and day work for the comfort of the cast and crew, Sunday holidays coming as a rest period between the night and day shifts.

Neil Hamilton and Clark Gable share leading man honors in the dramatic feature with the cast including Marjorie Rambeau, Guy Kibbee, Cliff Edwards, Roscoe Karns, Gertrude Short, George Cooper, George F. Marion and Bert Woodruff.

In the picture Miss Crawford plays the part of a cabaret entertainer who leaves the Salvation Army after a bitter love experience, only to backslide into the old life when the man returns to her through a chance meeting.

### "Big Business Girl" Star Is Movie Fan

Loretta Young, First National star, is an ardent movie fan. Between shots on the set at Warner Brothers-First National Studios, where she made "Big Business Girl" under the direction of William A. Seiter, she spent much of her time reading film magazines. Miss Young follows not only the leading ones, but subscribes for many obscure publications from the United States, Canada, Australia, England and France.

She never misses a motion picture and keeps a clipping book into which she pastes every item about herself as well as reviews of her pictures.

In "Big Business Girl," he is supported by Frank Albertson, Ricardo Cortez, Joan Blondell, Dorothy Christy, Nancy Dover, J. C. Nugent and Virginia Sale.

#### WEEKLY MOVIE PROGRAMS

Thursday, July 23	
Six Cylinder Love	Alcyon
Svengali	Deerpath
Friday, July 24	
Svengali	Deerpath
Six Cylinder Love	Alcyon
Saturday, July 25	
Big Business Girl	Alcyon
Tabu	Deerpath
Sunday, July 26	
Laughing Sinners	Deerpath
The Maltese Falcon	Alcyon
Monday, July 27	
The Maltese Falcon	Alcyon
Laughing Sinners	Deerpath
Tuesday, July 28	
Up Pops the Devil	Deerpath
Up Pops the Devil	Alcyon
Wednesday, July 29	
Up Pops the Devil	Alcyon
Up Pops the Devil	Deerpath
Thursday, July 30	
Everything's Rosie	Deerpath
Laughing Sinners	Alcyon
Friday, July 31	
Laughing Sinners	Alcyon
Everything's Rosie	Deerpath