

THURSDAY

Paramount Week Brings Promise Of Great Forthcoming Pictures

As a fitting epilogue to the brilliant Greater Movie Season of 1925, and ushered in by the splendor and gorgeousness and the fine quality of entertainment which marked the season, comes Paramount Week.

Paramount Week, an annual event celebrated by the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, which opens Sunday, Sept. 6, and continues for seven days, is a most timely institution—for it is in the nature of a promise of Paramount quality in its motion picture product for the coming fall and winter seasons—a promise that the same quality of product which distinguished Greater Movie Season will be offered, not only for that week, but on during the months to come.

Back Up Promise The promise is backed up by the announcement of its pictures and the stars and directors who made them and the leading authors and playwrights who prepared the stories and plays from which they are being adapted.

Among the offerings for Paramount Week are some of the most notable productions which have ever borne the famous trademark. These include Richard Dix in "The Lucky Devil"; Cecil B. DeMille's "The Ten Commandments"; "The Trouble With Wives," featuring Adolphe Menjou and Florence Vidor; Irvin Whitte's "Rugged Water," with Lois Wilson, Warner Baxter and Wallace Berry; James Cruze's "Beggar on Horseback"; Alan Dwan's production, "Night Life of New York," with Ernest Torrence, Dorothy Gish and Rod LaRoque; "In the Name of Love," with Ricardo Cortez, Greta Nissen, Wallace Berry and Raymond Hatton; "The Street of Forgotten Men," a Herbert Brenon production.

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tion, with Percy Marmont, Neil Hamilton and Mary Brian; and Sidney Olcott's "Not So Long Ago," featuring Betty Bronson, Ricardo Cortez, and other stars.

Paramount Week is an occasion for the announcement by Famous Players-Lasky Corporation of the signing of several new stars and featured players to be seen in current and forthcoming production. Notable among these are Gilda Gray, the famous shimmy dancer who recently broke all records at the Metropolitan and other theatres during her tour of the country; Florenz Ziegfeld, who will make a picture for Paramount release, glorifying the American girl; the famous Berry brothers, Noah and Wallace; Thomas Meighan, who has just signed a new contract to make Paramount pictures for several years to come; Raymond Hatton, sterling character actor; Raymond Griffith, who will make Paramount pictures exclusively; Adolphe Menjou, to a long-term contract; Douglas MacLean, whose future productions will bear the Paramount trademark; Harold Lloyd, now recognized as the king of comedians, now engaged in making his first picture for Paramount release; Bebe Daniels, to a new contract; Warner Baxter, and other noted players.

Sign New Directors Equally brilliant is the list of directors and the new stories and plays which have been purchased and are being prepared for adaptation to the screen via Paramount. Notable among the latter is "The Wanderer," just completed, which, in view of advance criticisms, may make new wonderful laurels for the stars, director, and producing organization. The grandeur, beauty and heart-compelling interest of this one production alone is worthy of special mention, according to its producers and critics. Among its featured players is beautiful and talented Greta Nissen, the Danish discovery of Jesse L. Lasky, whom the producer has boldly prophesied will be, in less than six months, one of the leading scintillants of the silver sheet.

Gloria Swanson and Pola Negri, the recognized queens of the screen, are numbered among Paramount luminaries in forthcoming pictures.

Of special significance is the announcement of the signing of D. W. Griffith, long recognized as one of the greatest geniuses of the screen. Henceforth Mr. Griffith will make pictures exclusively for Paramount release.

Children Will Show in Revue At the Torrance

'Klever Kiddies' Booked at Theatre for Friday Night

Manager Anderson of the Torrance Theatre has secured another treat for the amusement lovers of Torrance and vicinity. It is the "Klever Kiddies Revue," and is composed of 20 well known kiddies of Torrance, Lomita and Wilmington, pupils of the Richards-Martin School of Dancing in Wilmington. Several of these "baby stars" have appeared from time to time on the regular Friday night amateur programs, but Mr. Anderson says the "Klever Kiddies Revue" is big enough to stand by itself, so he is going to present it as a special added attraction Saturday night, in addition to Douglas Fairbanks in "His Majesty, the American."

Guests Saturday evening of Mrs. Mary Ann Phillips of Miller street were Capt. and Mrs. S. N. Dancy and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Zeller, of Redondo Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnes of Flower street.

LOMITA PERSONS AND PASTIMES

Comings, Goings and Doings of Folks Hereabouts

Mrs. John Waite of Highland avenue spent Friday with her aunt, Mrs. David Schermerhorn, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Luck of 257th street are guests today at the home of their son, L. C. Luck, of Tujunga.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Synott of 256th street were entertained Sunday by Mrs. Tina Heffner of San Pedro.

Mrs. Frank Jordan and daughter Frances, of Palm street, and Miss Opal Edwards, of Weston street, spent part of this week at Catalina.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haworth of Arizona street attended the Moose dance at San Pedro Saturday evening.

Guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clanton of Brethren street were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller of San Pedro.

Recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Linderman were Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, Paul Ducker, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stelgh and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cook attended the Eastern Star dance at Redondo Beach Saturday evening.

Mrs. Amy Dyer of Alhambra was a recent guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Hess of Poppy street.

Mrs. L. V. Marsh of Sun street was a guest last week of her mother, Mrs. Ida Timmons, of Elsinore.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cox of Redondo boulevard were Los Angeles visitors Sunday.

Al Martinson, who is employed on steel construction work at Oxnard, was a weekend visitor at his home on Moon street.

J. H. Beckham and son, N. I. Beckham, attended the ball game in Los Angeles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Crawford and family, of Arizona street, were Los Angeles visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crawford and family, of Bakersfield, are guests of Mrs. Crawford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynden Lowe, of Walnut street.

Lomita Theatre Books Feature Bill Next Week

Together with the regular seven to ten acts of vaudeville every Thursday there will appear this week "Lefty" Flynn, that daredevil screen artist, in one of the best thrillers of the season, "Speed Wild."

Booked for Friday and Saturday are Zasu Pitts, Tom Moore, Lilyan Tashman, and the first real screen appearance of Ann Pennington in the comedy drama, "Pretty Ladies," Sunday, for one day only. "Code of the Wilderness" will be screened, with John Bowers and Alice Calhoun in a story of fair play and square deals according to man-made laws.

Monday brings the regular bigger and better Country Store and Jane Novak and Kenneth Harlan in that wonderful screen, "Two Shall Be Born."

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Lillian and Dorothy Gish will be seen in a Henry King production, a picture that had a long run at Grauman's Egyptian Theatre in Hollywood, "Romola"; and our regular seven to ten acts of preview vaudeville on Thursday.

Social activities have no attraction for Mrs. Ia Danielson MacPhail. She's busy practicing on her new baby grand piano.

Mrs. Hans Anderson and family have returned from a week's vacation at Silverado Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hitch of 263d street have remodeled their garage into a neat little bungalow and have taken up residence in it.

James Wilkinson of Orange street spent part of last week at Catalina, where Mrs. Wilkinson has been employed during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Larson of San Pedro were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cone of 257th street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Coles and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kuschel and family have returned from a vacation at Big Bear.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Synott of 256th street were recent guests of Miss Bessie Yeakle of Los Angeles.

Misses Ethel Haslam and Opal Edwards report an enjoyable week at Idyllwild.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wells of Poppy street and Mr. and Mrs. William Haworth of Arizona street attended the West Coast Theatre in Long Beach Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Clark and family were Redondo Beach visitors Sunday.

Edsel Ford Comments on New Models Now on Display Here

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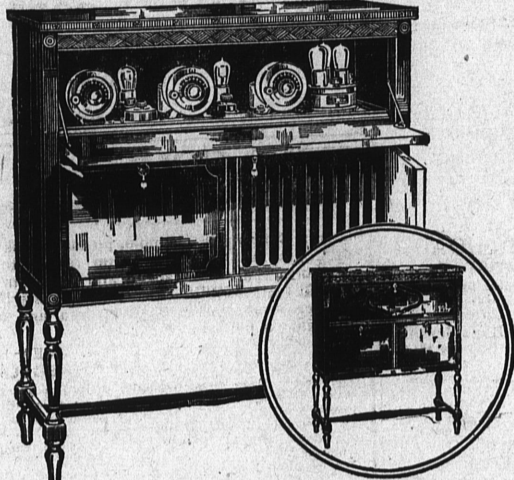
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LOMITA THEATRE FRIDAY-SATURDAY In "PRETTY LADIES" SUNDAY "CODE OF THE WILDERNESS" MONDAY-"COUNTRY STORE" NITE And Jane Novak and Kenneth Harlan In "TWO SHALL BE BORN" TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY Lillian and Dorothy Gish in "ROMOLA." Thursday-Regular 7 to 10 Acts Vaudeville

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