

The Lowdown On Campus Distractions

By Alfred Jefferson

Playing at the Guion Hall Theater today and Saturday is the weekly double feature, this time consisting of a couple of good pictures. The first is "Presenting Lily Mars", with Judy Garland, Van Heflin, and two of the nation's best bands—those of Tommy Dorsey and Bob Crosby. It's worth your time just to listen to these orchestras, but the story is plenty good too. Judy really looks her best, and sings better than she has before. Van Heflin plays a theatrical producer completely disgusted with young hopefuls in the acting line (that is, until Judy goes to work on him). He finally breaks down and gives her a part in his latest play, but she doesn't do so well, and he has to take her out. Naturally, this is hard on her morale, but things come out o. k.

"Shantytown", playing on the same bill, is the first picture in which Mary Lee stars, except for a few Gene Autry westerns. She plays the daughter of parents who run a boarding house in the slums of a large city. She is the only one in the family who can solve a pressing problem, so when everything turns out all right, she gets the credit. The story is fair, but not what you would expect a girl like Mary Lee to play in.

The Lowdown: If you haven't seen Judy Garland's best (personal opinion only), you should. "Shantytown" is as good as you can expect for a filler.

For the Saturday night preview and Sunday, at Guion Hall, we are getting second run of "They Died With Their Boots On". Errol Flynn plays General Custer in the true Flynn fashion, and he couldn't have a better wife than Olivia DeHavilland. She is as beautiful as ever, and of course acts the part in a way that can't be beat. There are some very good battle scenes, and a couple of personal fights that are worth watching. This story of Custer's last stand at Little Big Horn is a little touched up, but it makes good entertainment.

The Lowdown: This is a very long picture, lasting over two hours, but there's not a dull moment.

Monday and Tuesday Guion is presenting "Cry Havoc", the story of a group of civilian volunteer nurses on Bataan. Ann Southern and Margaret Sullivan do a good job of playing two women who love the same man. However, you will be especially attracted by Marsha Hunt, who plays one of the earlier arrivals. She just has something that is indescribable, but really swell.

The Lowdown: Don't miss this one. You are guaranteed to like it plenty.

Saturday's double feature at the Campus consists of "Bachelor

Mother" and "Henry Aldrich Haunts a House". Both of these are fair entertainment, but not anything to put out any special effort to see.

Sunday and Monday at the Campus, however, "Cover Girl", a real hit, is showing. This is one of the best pictures Rita Hayworth has ever made. She and Gene Kelly sing "Long Ago and Far Away" like you've never heard it sung before. If you are in the mood to look at some of the prettiest girls in the movies, this is where you can find them. It is the story of the overnight rise to fame of a chorus girl, and of the man she left behind her. Phil Silvers handles most of the comedy, and steals the scene more than once.

The Lowdown: Don't let this one go by. Even if you have never liked Rita Hayworth before, you will this time. She has definitely improved over her other pictures.

150 Ex-Students Enjoy 3 Hour Party

About 150 former students of the Texas A. & M. College, from the class of 1885 to graduates last month, attended the annual stag party given Monday night by the Brazos County A. & M. Club on the American Legion grounds.

The Subsistence Department of the College prepared a calf which had been donated by Carl Wipprecht and a pig given by Joe Loupot, and supplied the necessary trimmings.

There was no set program and no speeches. For about three hours participants enjoyed the comradeship with each other which always has characterized an informal assembly of Texas Aggies and which is no respecter of academic degrees, position or military rank.

Walter Coulter, club president, announced a nominating committee comprising C. W. Crawford, Carl Wipprecht, H. L. Heaton and John M. Lawrence, Jr., and an auditing committee comprising E. G. Smith, Chas. Roeber and George Long. They will report to the next monthly meeting of the organization.

Other officers of the Brazos County A. & M. Club are Jocko Roberts and Fred Hale, vice presidents, and Chas. W. Crawford, secretary-treasurer.

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— BACKWASH —

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filtering through the leaves while I sit on the lakeshore and fish. Sure I know we haven't an Issac Walton equipment but don't you think my line will be good enough. After all—been down here three weeks.

One other little thing, Pop, after one trip to the North Gate I was cleaned. Do you think I need two campaign hats and an overcoat this summer? Some sophomore told

— FOOTBALL —

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sity of Arkansas, S.M.U., Rice Institute, and T.U., will be Southwestern Conference games. Last New Year's Day, the Aggies took on Louisiana State University in the Orange Bowl and it ended with the score 19 to 14 in favor of L. S. U. A. & M. finished the conference race in second place last season.

— FISH —

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tradition, one that only a war could uproot. They were, to freshmen of the old days, as important as senior boots were to the seniors.

They are made of a white cloth, about one-fourth of an inch wide. The fish stripe will be worn at all times, off and on the campus.

me that Texas weather wasn't dependable as I handed him ten dollars for the overcoat in the best of condition. Say, Dad, Does your coat have air-conditioning vents through the collar?

Your son,
Fish Howe

P.S. Say, Pop. I've just been made a Fish Sergeant.

Church Notices

A. & M. METHODIST CHURCH
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Rev. Walton B. Gardner, Pastor-Director
Associates, Abie Jack Adrian and
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Sunday:
Coffee Hour—9:15 a.m.
Church School—9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship—10:50 a.m.
Wesley Foundation—7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Choir Practice—6:45 p.m.
Wesley Fellowship Night and Midweek
Devotional—7:00 p.m.
The A. and M. Methodist Church is one block east of the Post Office at the North Gate. You will be welcome.

THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Corner Twenty-seventh and S. College
F. J. Smythe, Pastor
10:10—A. and M. Servicemen's Sunday
School Class.
11:00—Communion and Sermon.
6:00—Recreation hour on lawn of church.
7:00—Young people's Meeting.
8:00—Sermon and Communion.
A cordial welcome to all to attend any or all of these services. The pastor is eager to help you in any way possible. Telephone 2-2144.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
R. L. Brown, Pastor
C. Roger Bell, Ed. and Music
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
10:50 a.m.—Morning Worship
3:00 p.m.—B. S. U. Council.
4:00 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal
5:00 p.m.—Fellowship
6:00 p.m.—Training Union
7:00 p.m.—Evening worship.
Circle meetings of the W.M.S. Monday at the regular times.
We welcome all students and servicemen to any and all the services of our church. Visit our recreation room.

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