



Hollywood Cavalcade

Directed by Lyle W. Nash

WHERE ARE THEY? – Portland, Oregon fans used to contact film player Jack Beutel at 1455 SW Barrow Lane, Portland, 97208 . . . Signe Hasso still lives in Los Angeles and has a new film out soon . . . Dancer Hal LeRoy (yes, the lanky tap dancer of the early sound films) made an appearance last month in Las Vegas. Fans often contact him through the Lambs Club, NYCity . . . A Midwest cinema hobbyist says he believes Lili Damita lives in Fort Dodge, Iowa . . . Eleanor Boardman is reported living in the Santa Barbara area . . . Harry Langdon, Jr., 37, son of the famed silent film funny man, is a much-in-demand Hollywood still photographer.

THE MICHIGAN theatre, Detroit's glittering rococo movie palace and monument of the great movie years, has become a night club.

CLOSEUPS – Rudolph Valentino's custom made 1923 Avions Voisin was auctioned last month . . . Tom Brown appears in the ABC-TV show *General Hospital* . . . Variety says Corinne Griffith put \$10,000. into the George Wallace political pot . . . Alice Terry is feeling fine . . . Bessie Love appears in *Sunday Bloody Sunday* . . . Claire Windsor proudly showed her great-grand children to friends at a recent Hollywood happening.

CHARLIE Chaplin's *Walk of Fame* star is located at 6751 Hollywood Boulevard. Nearby are the stars of Ilka Chase, Ken Maynard, Al Jolson, Richard Barthelmess, Richard Arlen and Frank Albertson.

OLIVIA de Havilland shafts TV this way: "It is slave labor."

WHEN Paramount produced "The American Venus" (1926) they selected Esther Ralston to play the goddess of love and beauty in the film about the Miss America pageant which included Miss America – Faye Lanphier. It was an excellent casting choice. The tall, talented and stately blonde projected charm, beauty and glamour. She was an ideal actress for the scores of films Paramount turned out that were light, frothy, daring and escapist comedy melodrama.

EVER since we started this paragraph parade we've hoped to find ER and have an interview. We did. We got her telephone number by calling information and in seconds there she was with her vibrant, modulated, pleasing voice. She sounded great.

"NO, I have not finished it yet . . . but I am working on it," was her answer to our question about her life story. "The problem is that I've not had enough scandal in my life and the lack of it makes for slow going. My daughter Mary lives nearby, my son Ted is due home from the Asian war and daughter Judy is a recording-and-singing personality in Connecticut."

ER SAID: "I am a lighting consultant. I am qualified to wire, install and advise in the use of home chandeliers. The idea is not new. For years I have been doing home decorating and always was interested in it – even when I was still active in films . . . I love it . . . Oh, yes. Friends may write me at Week's Road, Queensbury, New York 12801. I enjoy hearing from fans and the young people, too."

NEXT MONTH we'll have more of the ER interview and some of her favorite role choices. Meanwhile, she'd love to hear from you.

GAYLORD CARTER, using the 4/36 Simonton Grande Wurlitzer, is adding special musical scores to some Mary Pickford silent classics.

CONTRIBUTIONS, comments and questions will be welcomed to P.O. Box 113, Pasadena, California 91102.

Wurlitzer List

As a result of the article appearing in the last issue, orders for nearly 100 copies of the Wurlitzer List were received by April 25, 1972. From this, it would appear that the minimum requirement will be received within the next few weeks.

Judd Walton reports that the project is now undergoing the final IBM keypunching, hopefully to be completed in 30 to 35 days. There will follow the final proofreading, last minute updating, and final checkout before the actual printing and assembly is undertaken. He is waiting for three more specifications to complete this phase of the publication, one in New York, one in Miami and one in Ellinwood, Kansas.

You are again urged to let Judd know of your intent to purchase a copy of the list. Send no money – just a card to him at the California Farm Bureau Federation, 2855 Telegraph Ave., Berkeley, CA 94705.



Final keypunching of the Wurlitzer list is being completed in the California Farm Bureau Federation's Data Processing Department. The first IBM Computer run will follow immediately. Shown checking the list are from left, Burt Hurch, computer operator; Kathy Fard, programmer and tab operator; Don Baillie, Data Processing supervisor; and Carol Gilman, keypunch operator.