

Home on Leave
Pvt. Matthews Slinger has completed his basic training at Fort Leonard Wood in Missouri and is home on a 14-day leave. He will be stationed at the hospital in Fort Carson, Colo. He is the son of Mrs. Martin Ripper of 7617 Cavell, Garden City, City.



JAMES STEWART is coming soon to the Terrace Theatre in his 6th starring role as a widower Virginia farmer with six sons and a daughter who tries to keep his family out of the Civil War in "Shenandoah."

DOWNTOWN PARADE
FRI. AUG. 27
8 P.M.
MICHIGAN STATE FAIR
AUG. 27-SEPT. 6
DETROIT

Wally Roberts GOING UP 'CURTAIN'

By WALLY ROBERTS
"Pickwick" the British musical, at the Fisher, has charm, warmth, and occasionally many funny moments. Biggest problem with this expensively-mounted import is that it is so very, very British.

For years folks have indicated that there might be a difference in the British sense of humor and the American comic manner. After seeing "Pickwick" old Wally says such a difference exists. The differences surely must be in the amount of humor necessary to make a person laugh.

In "Pickwick" the humor is laid on broadly with a trowel. If you don't get it the first time they will repeat it until you do. The British are known for their reserve their reluctant nature, their sense of dignity. To make them laugh is usually quite a task.

Consequently, Harry Secombe in the lead part of Sam Pickwick works so hard most of the evening that he is as far old Wally was concerned much of a situation became oh... so weary.

You might gather from these disparaging remarks that "Pickwick" is a great bore. Not at all. "Pickwick" does have that charm I mentioned earlier. It is beautifully costumed, scenery swings in and around with great ease, dancers float through the air with the greatest of ease, and Harry Secombe does "If I Were the King" magnificently.

The courtroom scene and the bedroom scene will give "Pickwick" a fighting chance on Broadway. These two scenes are not new, but they are put to a bit long. If five minutes were cut out of each, I'd say they would be just right for the Broadway crowd.

The heavy hand of Peter Coo, the director, and star Harry Secombe are too evident in those two delightful scenes. But of these talented gentlemen need to realize that their creative work can stand some curbing.

Earlier this month I compared "Pickwick" to "Oliver" the first successful Dickens musical. Most of the same back-of-the-scenes people worked on both shows. Old Wally found "Pickwick" to be the most enjoyable show, but at the same time I would hasten to add that the audience at the Fisher did not reflect my taste. They appeared to be "lost" much of the time. The English accent is thicker in "Pickwick." The cute children found in "Oliver" are missing.

The musical score of "Oliver" contained more memorable music. "I'll Never Be Lonely Again" the big ballad in "Pickwick," goes nowhere. "A Bit of a Character" is an excellent patter song done by a most likable character called Jingles. Antonio Rodgers dances the song. It's really his execution of the song that makes it seem great. Once you hear the theater, you forget it completely.

In fact, if it weren't for "If I Ruled the World," "Pickwick" would not have any songs worth recalling.

Yet when you see the show,



THE EXPLOSIVE ERA of Jean Harlow, once Hollywood's platinum blond bombshell, is recalled by Angela Lansbury, Rat Vallone and Carroll Baker in the title role in Joseph E. Levine's "Harlow" now showing at the State Theatre, the Algiers Drive in the Mai Kai, The Regent Theatre, and the Dearborn Drive in.

Annual Used Book Sale Slated for September

The 13th annual Used Book Sale sponsored by the Farmington Branch of the American Association of University Women is scheduled for Sept. 23, 24, and 25 at the Old National Bank of Detroit Building, at the corner of Grand River and Farmington Rds. in Farmington.

The sale benefits the AAUW's Fellowship Program and the Farmington Library. AAUW has long been a supporter of the Farmington Library. It was instrumental in organizing The Farmington Friends of the Library and has supported every movement to secure sufficient funds for library operation.

Ten percent of all the funds collected at the book sale go to the library for the acquisition of new books. Collection of books for the sale has been a continuing project of the Farmington AAUW members. Books, periodicals, maps, and white elephants are needed.

Books may be donated by the box or by the handful either by dropping them in

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Plymouth Antique Mart To Feature 21 Dealers

Thursday, Sept. 9, will be "move in" day for antique dealers from Farmington and Livonia and 17 others from Michigan and Ohio.
They will be moving into the Grange Building and the Community Building on Union Street in Plymouth for the Three-Day Antique Mart.
Members of the Plymouth Symphony League, sponsors of the show, will be on hand

Clover Mites Are Nuisance In Summer

A common pest is the tiny, red clover mite that congregates by the thousands on sunny sides of the house after leaving their winter homes.
They don't do much damage but they are a nuisance, entering homes through cracks and swarming on walls and furniture.
Don't suck them up in vacuum cleaners. They are easily crushed and make unsightly stains.
To prevent infestations, spray their feeding places in grass and shrubbery near the house and outside lower walls and foundations with Kelthane or chlorobenzilate.
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