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PLAZA.

Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy will be seen in their new musical comedy film, "Swiss Miss," at the Plaza Theatre next week.

The comedy pair were never funnier than in their guise of mousetrap salesmen who believe that because of the large Swiss output of cheese the Alpine regions will be a fertile field for their endeavours. Their demonstrations with devices of Rube Goldberg pattern constitute many minutes of unadulterated hilarity.

The picture has been given unusually lavish production. As the locale is the Swiss Alps, elaborate scenery and colourful costumes add their part toward making the background authentic and picturesque.

Included in this unusual Laurel and Hardy picture are bell-ringing, flag-throwing, the blowing of the huge wooden Alpen-horn and the amazing variations of yodeling. Musically the picture is of marked significance. Its score incorporates folk tunes of infectious rhythm and vocal melodies that carry rare appeal. Interpreting many of these numbers which have the potentialities of song hits, are Della Lind and Walter Woolf King who share the romantic honours of the picture. Miss Lind is a blonde and beautiful Viennese stage and screen star who is making her American debut in this film.

ROYAL

Walter Huston gives a performance magnificent in its penetrating quality and forceful conviction. Karen Morley, looking more stunning than ever, gives a warm, human touch to her role as the woman in the White House, and the screen newcomer, Franchot Tone, is splendid as the President's secretary. The work of such supporting players as Arthur Byron, Dickie Moore, C. Henry Gordon, David Landau, Samuel Hinds, William Pawley, Jean Parker and Claire Dubrey leaves nothing to be desired, while the direction of Gregory La Cava is at all times as striking and crisp as a newsreel.

"Gabriel Over the White House" will undoubtedly go down in the history of motion pictures as the most sensational piece of film entertainment the world has known. It is one of those rare pictures which strike home!

COLOSSEUM.

"Jezebel," a colourful and exciting romantice drama of the Deep South shortly before the Civil War, will be the feature attraction next Monday at the Colosseum.

Bette Davis is co-starred with Henry Fonda, George Brent and Margaret Lindsay. Other noted and popular players in the cast include Fay Bainter, Donald Crisp, Richard Cromwell, Henry O'Neill, John Litel and Spring Byington.

She is a wilful, spoiled, tempestuous young Dixie belle who achieves the name of the wicked Biblical character Jezebel because she defies Southern tradition. She breaks hearts with dashing unconcern. She smokes, she prefers juleps to sherry—in short she's a modern miss in an old-fashioned setting.

She has two favourite suitors, one a conservative young banker, played by Mr. Fonda, and the other, a handsome young rake, portrayed by Mr. Brent.

The period is that of the great yellow fever scourge in New Orleans in the early 1850's. Costumes, settings, dialogue and all the other atmospheric conditions of that day are said to be faithfully reproduced. Previews consider "Jezebel" tops in 1938 entertainment.

Farewell Concert to Freda Fernandez.

Freda Fernandez, the well-known and talented dancer, who has danced for many deserving charity functions in Cape Town, is leaving shortly to continue her studies in London. A farewell concert to her will be given on Saturday night, July 30th, at the City Hall, in conjunction with the Cape Town Orchestra. Tickets are bookable at Darters.

ALHAMBRA

With Boris Karloff, famed character star, "West of Shanghai," a thrilling melodrama of the oil fields in the interior of North China, is scheduled to be shown next week at the Alhambra Theatre.

Karloff's part this time is far from the "horror" things that he has done in the past. He is a Chinese bandit general, goodhumoured and sympathy-winning. Of course, he has a striking make-up, as might be expected of Karloff. But he'll be frightening no children in this piece; instead, he'll make them laugh.

With the celebrated star in "West of Shanghai" will be seen Beverley Roberts and Sheila Bromley, in the leading feminine roles; Ricardo Cortez, Gordon Oliver and Vladimir Sokoloff, together with a large cast of Chinese players.

The remote interior of North China has seldom if ever before been portrayed on the screen, and the settings of "West of Shanghai," therefore, are pronounced unusual and picturesque. For one scene an entire Chinese hamlet was built and peopled by several hundred extras. With the current situation in China so much in front of the public mind, this picture should prove of great interest.

Vera Kanevska and Paul Breitman.

RETURN VISIT.

After several very successful performances in Johannesburg, the well-known actors Vera Kanevska and Paul Breitman are paying a return visit to Cape Town, where they will produce the musical melodrama "Rachel's Children" at the Zionist Hall on July 9th, 11th and 14th. They will be supported by a strong cast of ten additional artists.