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ALHAMBRA.

The Royal Marines Band "Melodians" Concert Party will be presented from to-night at the Alhambra Theatre during the first half of the programme to the new Priestley film "When we are Married." The concert party comprises a combination of 15 outstanding musicians and also includes a ventriloquist, comedians, singers, etc., and there will also be two guest artists—well-known radio personalities—the Barton Sisters. A highlight of the Marines Band will be the presentation of their own special arrangement of "The Warsaw Concerto," and well-known compositions and novelty numbers will also be included in their repertoire.

PLAZA.

"Thousands Cheer," M.G.M.'s new Technicolor musical, whose cast is headed by Kathryn Grayson, Gene Kelly, José Iturbi, Mary Astor, John Boles and Ben Blue, and includes a most spectacular finale, is now playing at the Plaza Theatre. A parade of seven star feature acts has been assembled for a gigantic U.S.O. camp show number. It includes Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland, Red Skelton, Eleanor Powell, Ann Sothorn, Lucille Ball, Marsha Hunt, Frank Morgan, Iturbi,

Connie Gilchrist, Virginia O'Brien and Lena Horne. Kay Kayser and his band, Bob Crosby and his orchestra, and Benny Carter and his orchestra offer the American numbers, while an 80-piece South American orchestra supplies the Latin motif, including a new number composed by Eliseo Crenet of Havana. Included also are many notable dance numbers. The picture presents the glorified camp show to point up the type of entertainment offered the boys in camp.

COLOSSEUM.

Co-starring Jean Arthur, Joel McCrea and Charles Coburn, George Stevens' "The More the Merrier," a Columbia picture, opens at the Colosseum Theatre to-day. It is all about a beautiful Washington secretary who decides to do her share toward relieving the housing shortage in the nation's capital by renting her spare room. Determined to permit only a woman to share her small apartment, Jean Arthur finally gives in to Charles Coburn's persuasive arguments and permits him to rent the room—for only one week. Afraid that things won't work out, Jean's worst fears are realised when Coburn promptly sublets half of his room to Joel McCrea, an engineer in Washington on business. Thus forced to share her kitchen and bath with two strange men, Jean goes through a madcap series of hectic and hilarious moments.

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