

Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN RADIO
By VIRGINIA VALE

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

FILM DAILY recently made public the results of its second annual poll of newspaper, magazine and radio motion picture critics, to determine "Filmdom's Famous Fives" for 1942. First place went to Gary Cooper for his work in "The Pride of the Yankees" and to Greer Garson on the strength of her performance in "Mrs. Miniver." Walter Pidgeon got second and third in the masculine line-up, Frederic March fourth and Monty Wooley fifth place. Joan Fontaine came in second among the girls for "Suspicion," Bette Davis followed her with "Now, Voyager," Katharine Hepburn and Teresa Wright finish the list.

Back in 1934, when Anne Shirley was known as Dawn O'Day, she appeared with Ginger Rogers in a picture called "Finishing School." Now she'll work with Ginger again, in



ANNE SHIRLEY

"The Gibson Girl," based on the romance of Charles Dana Gibson and his wife. Anne's come along far enough in the meantime to rate a top role in this picture, which will be produced in Technicolor.

Incidentally, Ginger Rogers deserves a few laurels for following in Bette Davis' footsteps and letting herself be photographed as a gawky, unglamorous youngster in "The Major and the Minor." Proved that, though her face may not always be pretty, it can't help being interesting. Which is more than can be said for some of our screen stars, who'd be lost without makeup.

Bill Goodwin's been hot-footing it from stage to stage on the Paramount lot lately; he's playing in his second and third pictures simultaneously. They're "No Time for Love" and "Henry Aldrich Gets Glamour"; not bad for a newcomer!

Three former screen stars—Sally Eilers, Leila Hyams and Eileen Percy—demonstrate approved first aid methods in Metro's new short, "In Which We Serve." They're all qualified Red Cross teachers.

In "A Night to Remember" the cops come into their own. Director Richard Wallace didn't have them wear derby hats or big shoes, or be so dumb that the picture's stars outsmarted them; in fact, Wallace claims that he and the writer had to work hard to keep the officers from solving the crime before Brian Aherne and Loretta Young did. High time the sleuths were made human!

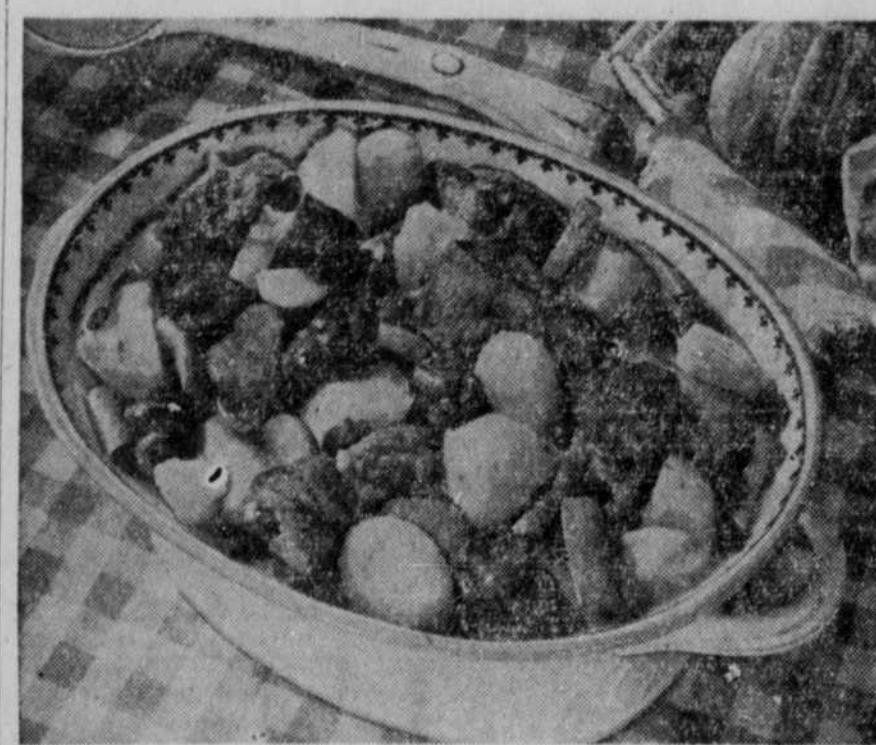
The role in the stage version of "Lady in the Dark" that made Hollywood producers clamor for Victor Mature goes to Jon Hall in the movie version of the play—he won't have to do much but stand around and hear the girls talk about how handsome he is. The leading role is Ginger Rogers' (she seems to bob up all through this column!) and she'll have a chance to sing, dance and act.

This month's March of Time is entitled "The Navy and the Nation." It tells the story of the U. S. Navy and the job it is doing to deliver the fighting goods to the fighting men, and tells, as well, the story of American men and women in war industry, doing their part of the navy's job for victory. Actual battle scenes, taken from a convoy, show an attack on a U-boat.

Wally Brown's first screen assignment for RKO, on his long-term contract, will be "Adventures of a Rookie"; it's the first of a new series of feature-length films dealing with American troops in various battle zones of the present war.

ODDS AND ENDS—John Garfield wins the male lead opposite Maureen O'Hara in "The Fallen Sparrow," screen version of a new novel of romance and espionage. Veronica Lake's had to pin up that long hair for her role as an army nurse in "So Proudly We Hail" . . . Bing Crosby smokes six pipes in "Dixie"—and had the new bowls broken in for him on an automic smoke before he started the picture . . . After wearing the uniform of a British WREN in "Commandos Strike at Dawn" Anna Lee bought it and mailed it to her sister, Ruth Winnifred, who is a real WREN on duty in England.

HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Budget That Meat, Serve Delicious Stews
(See Recipes Below)

Stretch That Meat!

Today most of you homemakers find the meat situation actually testing your mettle. In your trips to the butcher's you may find many cuts of meat you haven't used often in the past, and less and less of the cuts you know how to use and that your family has eaten rarely. But those are the meats available for your menus, and thus I'm going to give you some first aid in preparing them.

Fortunately, the cheaper cuts of meat, along with liver and kidneys and the other entrails not included in the meat rationing program are as rich in proteins and minerals as their better known relatives. Cooked correctly, they can become as popular as possible.

"Extend the meat" should become the motto of every family for the duration. The way to do it is to include unrationed cuts plentifully through the menus, use cereals and meat extenders such as oatmeal and bread crumbs on rationed cuts, and substitute fowl and cheese in the menu for steaks and chops as often as possible.

Veal kidneys combine with beef in this especially delightful and nutritious stew—and stretch that beef to serve eight people. It's a colorful main dish with bright carrots and button mushrooms:

*Beef and Kidney Stew. (Serves 6 to 8)

3 veal kidneys
1 pound beef, cut in strips
1 cup sliced carrots
1 cup sliced onion
1 cup cubed potatoes
1 cup sliced or button mushrooms
2 tablespoons worcestershire sauce
1 tablespoon salt
2 tablespoons chopped parsley

Remove skin and fat from kidneys; soak in cold, salted water for 1 hour; cover with cold water; bring slowly to boiling point.

Drain; cut into small pieces. Roll beef strips in flour; brown in hot fat. Add 4 cups stock from kidneys and cook 30 minutes. Add kidneys, vegetables, sauce and salt. Cook 30 minutes. Add parsley. Thicken if desired.

You have done much with liver? Then you know it is a dish of distinction, worthy of being served even on special occasions:

Lynn Says:

The Score Card: Citrus fruits, apples, Hubbard squash or acorn squash offer bargains during the cool crisp months. Include them in your menus.

What to do about those recipes calling for whipped cream? You can use a little of the cream off the top of the bottle, if you chill it well for a day or so, and chill the bowl which you use for whipping . . . and the beaters too. Some of the brands of canned milk will also whip, if they're well chilled, along with the bowl and beaters.

If you're unable to obtain chocolate or cocoa sometimes at the grocer's, use victory type of cookies utilizing honey, corn syrup and the wheat flour for darker cakes.

Inexpensive delicacies to help you on the slender meat-rationed days: boiled, baked tongue with raisin or cranberry sauce; pigs feet; oxtail soup; hocks; brains; tripe with broiled mushrooms.

Schooling Submariners

Submarine work is unglamorous, dangerous and hard, but there is never any lack of volunteers to man the "pig boats" that are giving such a grand account of themselves in the world's seven seas. Underseas sailors must be given highly specialized training before they even set foot aboard a submarine. At the U. S. navy submarine school in New London, Conn., they are given this training. The school teaches the men not only the operations of an underseas craft and her weapons, but also the technique of escape from disabled craft on the ocean floor. These photos show various phases in the training of Uncle Sam's underwater sailors.

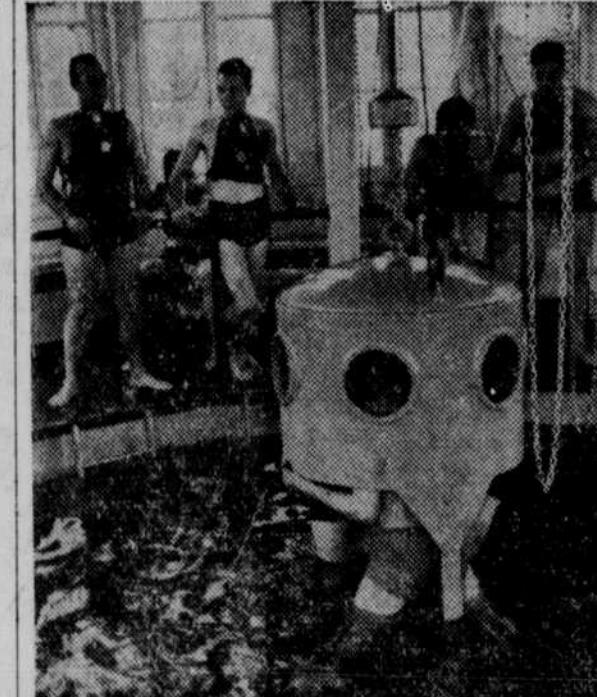


Picture at top shows submarine students working with the Momsen lung in the 100-foot tank at the navy submarine school. Guided by the rope attached to a large cork float, the students rise slowly from the 100-foot level in about two minutes, breathing naturally on the way up and gradually becoming accustomed to lessening pressure.

Right: Here you see a class in session. There is no inattention in classes here, for little thing unlearned may mean the student's life later on.



Technique of escape from a disabled submarine is the same as diving up. At left an instructor sees that the adjustment of the Momsen lung on student is correct, as the man prepares to enter tower for 100-foot rise.



ON THE HOME FRONT With RUTH WYETH SPEARS



type that come apart at the bottom—one side being stitched to the seam allowance of the cover and the other sewn to the couch pad. Next came the stiff cushions to stand up at the back. These were made with an inside core of newspapers tightly bound together with muslin bands and then padded with cotton batting, as shown.

NOTE: Directions for making the hooked rug in this sketch may be found on page 14 of your copy of Book 5. Directions for making the spool table at the left of this sketch are also in that book. The velvet covered frames for the pictures over the couch are in Book 6, which also contains a description of the series of booklets prepared by Mrs. Spears as a service to our readers. Address:

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS
Bedford Hills, New York
Drawer 10
Enclose 10 cents for each book desired.
Name _____
Address _____

St. Joseph ASPIRIN
NONE SURER WORLD'S LARGEST SELLER AT 10¢

Finishing the Foe

In the First World War, Russian airmen often crippled an enemy plane by lowering a weighted cable into its propeller. Today the Soviet fliers frequently finish off a damaged German ship by coming up from behind and sawing off its tail with the blades of their propeller.

Another Job Open for Women

(as well as men)

WOMEN can probably do this job better anyhow, because it is the women of America who raise most of the chicks.

We will pay \$1.50 per 100 to women for men, glad to hire them to who take orders from Illinois Chicks, we will insure 90% of every order for 6 full weeks against death from any cause whatsoever. It makes a real selling advantage, emphasizes extreme livability of our sturdy chicks.

You and your neighbors probably order chicks anyhow. Get the facts. Make and save some money. Choice 12 leading breeds. Competitive prices. Fullorum tested. Rigidly culled. And the best R. O. P. bloodline.

Send postal today for complete details
JIM PARKER'S FARMS & HATCHERY
Dept. 123 — Maree, Illinois

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Rinse out a saucepan with hot water before heating milk and it will not stick to the pan.

When two tumblers stick together, run cold water into the inside glass and set the outer one in warm water for a few minutes.

To remove marks made on paint by scratching matches, rub with a cut lemon.

Keep a nut cracker in a handy drawer to use when opening screw tops on bottles or small cans.

Taffy and other sticky candies can be kept from becoming soft by wrapping each piece in wax paper and storing in a covered tin or glass jar.

Yellowed lace may be whitened by soaking in sour milk or buttermilk.

CLABBER GIRL Baking Powder

• NO RIBBONS, NOW... as cakes baked with Clabber Girl—blue ribbon winners at State and County Fairs—give place to biscuits, waffles and quick breads as Clabber Girl plays its part in millions of homes.

HULMAN & CO. — TERRE HAUTE, IND.
Founded 1848

JANIE.. YOU HAD ME JEALOUS TONIGHT!

TOM: All those brothers of yours... talking up your hot rolls. I didn't have a chance to tell you how swell they were!

JANIE: Silly! They weren't any work, either. They're a new Fleischmann 2-hour kind and full of extra vitamins when you make them with Fleischmann's Yeast.

Folks, be sure you buy Fleischmann's. It's the only yeast that has added Vitamins A and D as well as Vitamins B₁ and G!

I'M FREE! SEND FOR ME FLEISCHMANN'S NEW 40-PAGE BOOK OF 60 GRAND RECIPES. DELICIOUS ROLLS, BREADS, DESSERT BREADS MADE BETTER WITH FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST. SEND FOR ME TODAY!

When you bake with Fleischmann's, all those extra vitamins go right into your breads with no great loss in the oven!

For your free copy, write Standard Brands, Inc., 691 Washington Street, New York, N. Y.