

# In Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 30.—Of all the caricaturists I've seen work, balding, pug-nosed Len Ward is my favorite.

Len has brought a new twist to caricatures—he draws them on the wall for everyone to see. Not really on the wall but on an intricate machine which projects every turn of his pencil on the wall like a movie.

It's so much fun that Len is the floor show at the Manhattan Supper Club. Len draws your caricature for a dollar. There's a laugh for everyone in the place with every caricature.

LEN, a one-time accountant in Ontario, Canada, has been drawing caricatures for 12 years. First on the college circuit, then at the El Gaucho night club on Chicago's North Shore and now in L. A.

A lot of things can happen to a caricaturist because, as Len says, "The caricaturist is a ray."

Len remembers the president of an insurance firm who didn't like his caricature and poured a pitcher of water over him; the caddy from the Glenview Naval Air Base in Chicago who didn't like the comic Len did of his lieutenant and socked Len in the jaw.

BUT there are laughs, too. Len remembers a customer named John Barrymore who mugged and quoted Robert Burns while posing. And all bald-headed men, who whisper a wish for hair for a slightly better price.

And drama: "I'll never forget her," Len said. "She was a beautiful blonde. I drew her caricature but she was so lovely I'm afraid I didn't draw a caricature. She tossed me a \$50 bill. They found her the next day—a suicide. There was a note in her purse. It read: 'I can't go on. I'm broke.'"

WALTER HUSTON, as a good-luck charm, was a radio voice in "Key Largo," which his son John directed. Now he'll play the bit role of a banker in John's "Rough Sketch." . . . Lynn Bari and her husband, Sid Luft, are off to New York. Lynn acknowledged that she might do a stage play on one condition. The condition, she explained, was that someone offer her a part.

The feud is still on between Paramount and its suspended star Ray Milland. Ten minutes after Ray checked into the Ojai Valley Inn, his boss, Henry Ginsberg, checked out.

DANNY THOMAS' six-year-old daughter, Teresa, went to school for the first time and the teacher asked the children what they could do—write their name, read, a story, etc. The teacher came to Teresa. "And what can you do, my dear?" she asked. Teresa smiled proudly and said, "I can tell jokes."

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# Color Film Of Byrd Trip Shown Here

**'The Secret Land'**  
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"The Secret Land," a technical-color film account of Admiral Byrd's 1946 Antarctic expedition, was screened yesterday for local Navy officers and members of the press.

Operation Highjump (the code name for this tremendous expedition) was made by the U. S. Navy for the purpose of training men and testing equipment in South Polar weather.

Other aims of the exploration were to map the unknown mass of land around the Pole, to chart the seas surrounding the land and to explore Antarctica for mineral resources.

**Shows Experience**

The entire film documents the experiences of the 4000 men who traveled South with Admiral Byrd. There are several exciting moments, notably the rescue, in seven and one-half minutes, of a man from water so cold that an eight-minute immersion means death.

The camera work is spectacular. As one of the narrators (Robert Montgomery, Robert Taylor and Van Heflin share the chores) says, "Once a man has seen the unbelievable colors of the long Antarctic sunset he can't stay away from this fantastic land." And it is true, because the interplay of hues is fantastic.

"The Secret Land" will be shown at Loew's Theater from Oct. 21 through Navy Day, Oct. 27.

**Civic Season Opens**

The Civic Theater will open its 34th consecutive season tomorrow night with "State of the Union" at the theater, 1847 N. Alabama St.

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"Beauty and the Beast" at 6, 8 and 10:30.  
"A Foreign Affair" with Marlene Dietrich at 12:15, 2:30, 4:45 and 10:30.  
"Lady at Midnight" at 11:10, 2:30, 4:45 and 8:30.

**KEITH'S**  
"Walls of Jericho" with Cornet Wilder, Ann Baxter at 11:20, 2:35, 4:50 and 8:10.  
"Checked Coat" at 1:25, 3:40 and 8:25.  
"Raw Deal" with Dennis O'Keefe, Claire Trevor at 11, 2:40, 4:50 and 10:20.  
"Mine Own Executioner" with Burgess Meredith at 1:02, 4:51 and 8:22.  
"Superman" at 12:44, 4:23 and 8:22.

**LOEW'S**  
"Pittfall" with Elizabeth Scott, Dick Powell at 11, 1:45, 4:25, 7:10 and 10:20.  
"Rusty" with Ted Donaldson at 12:25, 2:11, 5:07 and 8:40.

**Hugh Thompson to Open Matinee Musicals Here**

Hugh Thompson, leading baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Association, will appear in the first Matinee Musical performance of the season at 2 p. m. tomorrow in L. S. Ayres' auditorium.

The program will mark the opening of the 72d season of Matinee Musicals.

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"GUNS OF HATE"  
LAUREL & HARDY  
SANDERS Hugh Beaumont "TOO MANY WINNERS"  
Eddie Dean "STARS OVER TEXAS"  
Patsy "FARDON MY LAMB CHOPS"

**GRANADA**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Red Skelton—Janet Blair  
"Fuller Brush Man"  
Wm. Bishop—Gloria Henry  
"Adventures in Silverado"

**EAST SIDE**  
**HAMILTON**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Shirley Temple—John Wayne  
Henry "FORT APACHE"  
John Emery "LET'S LIVE AGAIN"

**NORTH SIDE**  
**REX**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Edw. G. Robinson—Burt Lancaster  
"ALL MY BONES"  
Al Pearce "MAIN STREET KID"

**PARAMOUNT**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Danny Kaye—Virginia Mayo  
"SECRET LIFE OF WALTER MITTY"  
Michael O'Keefe "RETURN OF WHISTLER"

**Uptown**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
John Carson—Dennis Morgan  
"TIME, PLACE & THE GIRL"  
Sally-Joanne Page  
"MAN EATER OF KUMAON"

**EMERSON**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
John Wayne "SEVEN SINNERS"  
Donald O'Connor "PATRICK THE GREAT"

**THE ULTRA-NEW... CORONET**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Fred MacMurray—Vallie—Frank Sinatra  
"MIRACLE OF THE BELLS"  
Perry Como—Vivian Blaine  
"IF I'M LUCKY"  
MODERN "PUSH-BACK" SEATS

**PARKER**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Jack Carson "APRIL SHOWERS"  
Dana Andrews "IRON CURTAIN"

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**SHERIDAN**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Danny Kaye "KID FROM BROOKLYN"  
"CLOZY HOUSE"  
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**IRVING**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Red Skelton—Janet Blair  
"Fuller Brush Man"  
Betty Hutton—MacDonald Carey  
"DREAM GIRL"

**WEST SIDE**  
**DAISY**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Johnnie Williams—Brenda Joyce  
"TARZAN AND THE MERMAIDS"  
Edward Arnold "BUTTER'S GOLD"

**OLD TRAIL**  
TONITE 5:45 to 6:30  
Red Skelton—Janet Blair  
"Fuller Brush Man"  
Tim Holt "GUNS OF HATE"

**THURSDAY, SEPT. 30, 1948**  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**1. DEATH NOTICES**  
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