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Movies of the Month



Brushing aside his mother (Una O'Connor) and her advice to think of himself, the timid school teacher (Charles Laughton) decides to fight in "This Land of Mine" (left). Cheryl Walker and Bill Terry are the kids around whom 40 stars weave the scenes of "Stage Door Canteen" (right).

TITLE	STARS	STORY
Action in the North Atlantic	H. Bogart R. Massey Alan Hale	Heroes in dungarees—Merchant Mariners—get through to Mursk in an authentic thriller.
Assignment in Brittany	Pierre Aumont Susan Peters Richard Whorf	Screen newcomers pile up adventures in surprise hit climaxed by a realistic Commando raid.
China	Loretta Young Alan Ladd Bill Bendix	Tense action-drama in pre-Pearl Harbor Orient provides plenty of thrills, minimum of preaching.
Crash Dive	Tyrone Power Anne Baxter Dana Andrews	Plenty of excitement, with spectacular color photography of life and detail on a U. S. sub.
Desert Victory	The British Eighth Army in Libya	Brutally realistic, but narrated with restraint, front-line shots are most powerful ever exhibited.
Human Comedy	M. Rooney Frank Morgan James Craig	William Saroyan's story of a telegraph delivery boy will delight any audience.
Mission to Moscow	Walter Huston Ann Harding George Tobias	For details of the picture based on Former Ambassador Joseph E. Davies' book, see pages 46-48.
The More the Merrier	Jean Arthur Joel McCrea Chas. Coburn	Washington's housing shortage throws together a threesome and romance sets in forthwith.
Mr. Lucky	Cary Grant Laraine Day Alan Carnay	The rape of Greece by the Axis regenerates a Greek gambler in New York—after lots of action.
My Friend Flicka	R. McDowell P. Foster Rita Johnson	A youngster's love for a colt is the simple and strong theme for a straightforward picture.
Next of Kin	Commandos Nova Pilbeam Mervyn Johns	British training film on Commando raid is so powerful civilians may see it—and they should.
Old Acquaintance	Bette Davis John Loder M. Hopkins	Two female writers fight over a man until both lose—share their tears with those who like them.
The Sky's the Limit	Fred Astaire Joan Leslie Bob Benchley	Romance of a girl photographer ricochets from a Flying Tiger to a publisher—and back again.
Stage Door Canteen	Movie & Stage Actors & Dance Orchestras	Activities in service men's show-place provide background for bit parts by dozens of top stars.
This Land of Mine	Chas. Laughton M. O'Hara Geo. Sanders	Weakling schoolteacher in an invaded land recovers to make his plea for truth and freedom.