

Directed by Del Lord. With Vernon Dent, Bud Jamison, Gino Corrado, Bess Flowers, Symona Boniface. The Stooges are icemen who, while delivering their goods up a huge stairway, have a confrontation with a runaway icebox and a man carrying home a birthday cake. The boys then take a job at their customer's house, unbeknownst to them, preparing a party for the hapless man on the stairs...with explosive results! POP GOES THE EASEL (1935)



Directed by Del Lord. With Leo White, Robert Burns, Jack Duffy, Elinor Vandivere and Geneva Mitchell. The Stooges are down and out and a cop is on their tail. (What? Again?) They duck into a studio where they are mistaken for artists. The Boys try everything to stay hidden, but their efforts only lead them to another gigantic melee.

# MERRY MAVERICKS (1951)



Directed by Del Lord. With Bud Jamison, Lois Lindsey, Arthur Henly, Eve Reynolds, Kenneth Harlon, Mildred Harris, Harry Semels, Bert Young. The Stooges arrive, via boxcar, in Hollywood hoping to make it in the movie business ("There must be a couple a hundred guys in Hollywood who don't know anything about making movies, three more ain't gonna make any difference.") Soon, they are mistaken for big-time movie executives. Moe takes over as director of a current production, with Larry and Curly as the stars. Of course, this set up is too good to last.



Directed by Edward Bernds. With Dan Harvey, Mary Martin, Paul Campbell The Boys are mistaken for lawmen in the Old West, and take on the job of keeping Red Morgan and his gang of crooks from stealing money stashed in an old house that is said to be haunted by the ghost of an Indian Chief. The crooks, one of them disguised as the headless ghost, go after the loot, but Shemp has other plans for the bad guys.

Notes adapted from Mitch Shapiro's Three Stooges film synopsis blog.



Saturday, November 24 at 2 & 8 pm only

# Reel... not digital.

# THREE LITTLE PIGSKINS (1934)



Directed by Raymond McCarey. With Lucille Ball, Gertie Green, Phyllis Green, Walter Long, Joe Young, Milt Douglas, Harry Bowen, Lynton Brent, Bud Jamison. A notorious gangster mistakes Moe, Larry and Curly for famous football players, the "Three Horsemen of Boulder Dam" and hires them as ringers to play for his team. Of course, the boys know nothing about playing football and comedy ensues. Watch for Lucille Ball, just beginning her career, getting it in the kisser with a seltzer bottle.

**Did** you know that some of the Three Stooges shorts were filmed within a few miles or even a few blocks of the Alex Theatre? **Jim Pauley**, renowned Three Stooges expert and author of the highly anticipated new book, *"The Three Stooges-Hollywood Filming Locations"* will be giving us a rare, behind-the-scenes look at where boys made some of their greatest shorts. (The book, hot off the presses, will be available for purchase and Jim will be happy to sign a copy for you!)



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