

Lyric Rainbow

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Songs From The City

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SCHERZO

Country lanes
are tulip-gay,
and meadows daisy-dripping,
But along city streets
bright bunches of spring
dresses bloom,
and plots of Easter
bonnets lift
vivid heads
on slender stalks.

SONATA

Big houses sit enthroned
on their estates . . .
lonely kings,
Little houses
join hands and sing
"Precious things
come in small parcels. . .
We are Homes."

NOCTURNE

The great city lies
prone
in the darkness,
swathed in his jewels of night-lights
stretching his limbs
to the hills
and flinging
bracelets of lighted bridges
across the dusky arms
of his paramore
the river

"Beauty and The Beast"

I sing my song—wildly, freely—
With head thrown back I stand alone, singing.
My song is of love, and my voice is beauty. Softly,
With warmth, with passion made fine through the
Fierceness of its burning—
I sing—
I sing, and my soul, naked and fragile—
beauty ethereal—
streams forth in a golden paen.
I sing to The Gods—and a Fool
Squatting on his haunches before me
cackles with laughter—
Brown nosed, open mouthed, a Fool sways
And cackles—mirthfully cackles in glee.

LEON B.

Tinted Petals

Wisteria. . . .
soft draped billows of purple blossoms
slowly swaying on our verandah.
Mysterious and gorgeous. . . .
like poetry
the showers of
tinted petals.
As your fragrance. . . . elusive.
Making lavender lace
against the sifted sunlight.
Wisteria. . . .
a symphony of cloud-like mist
spilling its delicate flowers
in tapering mass.
—ELEANOR BURCHTAELL.

Epitaph

Don't pity me;
For, having birth,
I surely must
Return to earth.
—RUTH NEWTON '28

I walk up and down before your door,
Pacing the dark hallway.
Do you hear my footsteps,
tap
tap
tap?
I hope and hope
That you will open the door
And find me going
tap
tap
tap
Along the hall
Outside.
—MARY FITCH.

Surcease

I was distraught with the vast weariness of youth,
Unreasoning pain—
The swelling of great tears within
The press of frantic needs without.
Blindly I battered at the crush of life—
And was assuaged quieted
By fingers of the rain.
—F. J. SHELLEY.

Swift, fleeting, long grey rain clouds
Warriors of the oncoming storm,
Deep thunder in their battle drum
And lightening their swords.
—ELLEN G. McCLELLAN.

The wind with
Dark, long, slender pine needles
Stitching with the thread of golden light
Sewed the vermilion cloth of sunset cloud
A mandarin coat for the Sun God
To greet the Orient in the morning.
—ELLEN G. McCLELLAN.

TENNIS TEAM MEETS HUSKIES ON SATURDAY

Two Lettermen and Three New Men Will Play

In what promises to be one of the
hardest meets of the year, the Uni-
versity of Oregon tennis team will
face the University of Washing-
ton's Huskies on the local courts
next Saturday afternoon.

The varsity, fresh from a week-
end trip to Portland, where they
met defeat at the hands of the
Multnomah clubmen, 6 to 10, but
defeated the Reed college netmen,
4 to 2, are practicing strenuously
for their coming meet.

A dual meet will be held with
Willamette university on the local
courts next Wednesday. If the
varsity defeats the Salemites, they
will be in line for the State-inter-
collegiate championship. The only
other meet they would have to win
would be a return meet with O. A.
C. here, on May 23.

The coming meet with Washing-
ton will be the fourth intercolleg-
iate meet and from all indications
will be no love game. One member
of the University of Washington
team holds the Pacific Coast cham-
pionship in the singles. After the
Aggie meet, the 23, a tournament
will be held under the direction of
Rudolf Ernst, coach, to determine
the three men who will be sent to
Seattle to represent the University
in the coast intercollegiate cham-
pionship to be held there, May 29
and 30.

The Oregon team which faces
the Huskies will be made up of
two lettermen, Harry Meyer, cap-
tain; and George Hayden, and three
new men on the squad this year,
Roy Okerberg, Bill Adams and
George Mead. Five singles and
two double matches will be played.

Oregon's schedule follows:
May 16—Washington (five-man
team) at Eugene.
May 20—Willamette (three-man
team) at Eugene.
May 23—Oregon Aggies (five-
man team) at Eugene.
May 29-30—Coast Conference
championship at Seattle (three-man
team).

ADVANCED MUSIC MAJORS TO GIVE RECITAL MONDAY

The second advanced student re-

ital of the term will be given
Monday evening, May 18, in the
auditorium of the school of music
starting at 8:30 p. m. Many well-
known musicians of the University
will be heard at this time.

DR. H. B. TORREY TO GIVE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

The Good Samaritan hospital of
Portland has chosen Dr. Harry
Beal Torrey to address this year's
graduating class. Dr. Torrey will
leave for Portland today and give
the commencement address tonight.

CLASS TEAMS CHOSEN IN WOMEN'S CANOEING

Delay Caused in Selection Of Frosh Paddlers

Women's class tryouts in canoe-
ing were held Saturday, on the
mill race, when the following teams
were chosen: senior I, Stella Hag-
lund-Viona Pyritz; senior II, Flor-
ence Huntress-Beatrice Tidd; jun-
ior I, Alta Knips-Lucille Perozzi;
junior II, Marie Strube-Helen
Ernst; sophomore I, Myrtle Mast-
Arlene Butler; sophomore, Lela
Horton-Marjorie Horton.

Due to unforeseen circumstances,
all the freshmen candidates were
not able to appear for the tryouts.
This necessitates some delay in the
selection of the freshman team. It
is expected that the choice will be

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made some time this week.
The record time made at the try-
outs Saturday was 8:59. This is
the best time that has been made
by women canoeists on the race,
and is the record time held last
year on Field Day by the champion
team, consisting of Alta Knips and
Lucille Perozzi for the sophomores.
These girls made the trip from the
Anchorage to the old storm sewer
and back, a distance of about half
a mile, with 9:6 as their record,
Saturday. This was the second best
time record made at the tryouts.
Class meets in canoeing will be
scheduled for some part of this
month, it was announced.

PLEDGING ANNOUNCEMENT

Alpha Omicron Pi announces the
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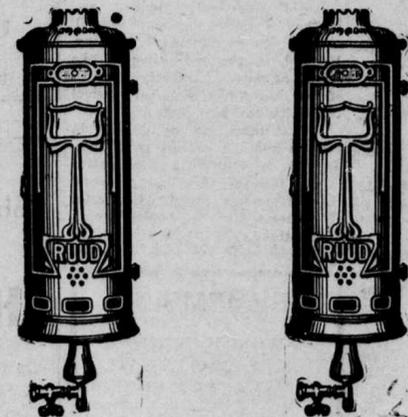
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