

Light Operas on Today's Program

Melodies from light operas whose tunefulness, gaiety and sparkle match the season will be presented by Robert Rawson at a public concert of recorded music from 3 to 4 p. m. today at the YWCA.

Rawson is considered a local authority on opera and his previous appearance before the regular Sunday afternoon listeners' group was very well received, according to Mrs. A. A. Schramm, chairman of the YWCA young adults group sponsoring the concert series.

Selections from "Robin Hood," "Rob Roy" and "Her Little High-

ness" by DeKoven, "Chimes of Normandy" by Planquett, "Firefly" and "The Vagabond King" by Friml, "Babes in Toyland" by Herbert, "Song of the Plains" by Gershwin and "Pinafore" by Sullivan will be played with comments by Rawson.

This informal session is open to the public and is second to last in the series which will be concluded next Sunday with a concert arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Otto Paulus.

Women of Retary heard members will be entertained at a one o'clock luncheon on Monday at the home of Mrs. Charles Fowler, 750 S. High st. Plans will be made for the annual party in honor of the husbands to be given this month.

Music on Calendar In May

National Music week, May 2 to 9, is being celebrated widely in the United States this year, since 1948 marks the 25th anniversary of its institution.

The Salem branch, Oregon Music Teachers association has fostered music week continuously since 1923 under the leadership of Mrs. Walter Denton, until her death. Under her chairmanship in the city's program and that of the state received national recognition.

A long list of well prepared programs is being planned. The committee in charge is issuing an invitation through the press to churches, to provide inspirational sermons and programs to promote the ministry of good music. Clubs of the city are indicating their plans for Music week programs, Willamette university, Salem high school, Parrish and Leslie junior high schools and all the grade schools will feature music during the week.

Lois Plummer Schmidt, chairman of the Salem Branch, Oregon Music Teachers association is in direct charge of Music week, and has appointed Lena Belle Tartar, chairman, Mrs. Robert Schroeder, Charles Hargrave, Josephine Albert Spaulding and John Schmidt, jr., on the committee.



A portion of the Business and Professional Women's club chorus which will appear on the Salem high stage Tuesday night are: back row left to right: Margaret Maddox, Ida Mae Smith, Effie Aehart, Alma Werstlein, Flora Donnelly, Mildred Newman, Alma Werstline and Doris Schwabbauer; middle row, Mary O'Connor, Hazel Shutt, Grace Sherman, Janet Collier, front row, Eleanor Roberts, Helen Tharalson and Mary Jane Cole. The program is to be an all-Schubert one, and being directed by Jessie Bush Mickelson. Dances are under the direction of Mrs. Paul Hale.

Music Teachers Guests of Fawks

Salem Branch, Oregon Music Teachers association will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. William

Fawk on Monday night at 8 o'clock. The business meeting will include arrangements for Music week and plans for the state contest of Music Teachers association in Portland in May will be discussed. Also on the list for discussion will be the syllabus awards and

Iva F. Turner contest to be held in Salem.

Mrs. Frank Burlingham will sing a group of numbers following the business session and Mr. Fawk will play several numbers on the Hammond organ.

The Etokta Woman's club will be entertained at a dessert luncheon Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stuart Johnson, 1110 N. Winter st., at 1:15 o'clock. Assisting hostesses will be Mesdames H. G. Carl, B. F. Schmoker, Harrison W. Elgin and Glen Larkins. Mrs. Alden Bowes, past president of the League of Women Voters, will be the guest speaker. Her topic will be "Women and Political Effectiveness." Musical numbers will be given by Bernice Klei-hege, soloist, and Ann Gibbens, pianist.

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Recital This Afternoon

Miss Bernice Kleihege, contralto, will be presented in recital this afternoon by Josephine Albert Spaulding at her Fairmount Hill home at 3 o'clock. Miss Ann Gibbons will be the accompanist. Miss Kleihege, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kleihege, is a senior at Salem high school and active in musical circles. A reception will follow the recital.

The program is as follows:

Se tu m'ami Pergolesi
 Chi vuol la zingarella Paisiello
 Ah! mio cor Handel

Che faro senza Euridice from "Orfeo" Gluck

Improvisation Miss Kleihege
 Polichinelle MacDowell
 Ann Gibbens, piano

Da unten im Tale Brahms
 Mein Madel hat ein Rosenmund Brahms
 Der Tod und das Mädchen Schubert
 Miss Kleihege

Three Chinese Mother Goose Rhymes Crut
 Sheep and Lambs Homer
 The Sweet of the Year Salter
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