

Music for Today

Portland Players to be Heard Twice on Air Today; Holiday Tunes

By MAXINE BUREN  
Statesman Music Editor

Portland's excellent Symphony orchestra will play on the Standard Hour tonight and also will appear on KOIN in its regular concert. The New York Philharmonic-Symphony schedules a program of Brahms and Beethoven and as an intermission feature, James Fasset will interview Grandma Moses.

Monday music features excerpts from "Hansel and Gretel" and many Christmas pieces.

1:30 on CBS—New York Philharmonic-Symphony, George Szell, conductor, Guionar Novaes, piano soloist. James Fasset interviews "Grandma" Moses.

Symphony No. 3 in F major  
Piano Concerto No. 4 in G major  
3:30 on KOIN—Portland Symphony.

7:00 on KOIN—The Choralists.  
8:30 on KGW—The Standard Hour, with James Sample directing the Portland Symphony orchestra and John May, flutist, a soloist.

Symphonic Sketches:  
Noel  
Christmas Tree: Suite  
Waltz  
March of the Gnomes  
Dance of the Buffoons  
Dance of the Chinese Dolls  
Jacob's Ladder (A Dream)  
The Messiah: Pastoral  
Concerto for Flute and Orchestra  
3rd Movement  
Music Box  
Variations on a Theme by Haydn

Monday programs are:  
5:30 on NBC—THE VOICE OF FIRESTONE orchestra presents a special Christmas program with Eleanor Steber as guest soloist.

Away in a Manger  
Joy to the World  
The First Noel  
The Friendly Beasts  
The Waltz from "Hansel and Gretel"

Alla via from "Exultate Jubilate"  
Danse de la Fee Dragee  
Dance des Mirlitons from "Nutcracker Suite"  
O Little Town of Bethlehem  
Silent Night

Stober, Chorus and studio audience  
8:30 on NBC—The Railroad Hour starring Gordon MacRae.

Carmen Dragon directs the orchestra, with Dorothy Kirsten as guest soloist in Christmas Party, including O Holy Night, Villancico do Navidad (Spanish), I Wander as I Wonder (American), Patapan (French) and Silent Night (German).

9:00 on NBC—The Telephone Hour with the orchestra directed by Donald Voorhees presents a special Christmas program of songs with Mildred Miller as guest soloist.

Group of Christmas Carols  
Miller and Chorus  
What Child is This?  
Hansel and Gretel  
Susy, Little Susy  
Brother, Come and Dance  
The Witches' Ride  
There Stands a Little Man  
Sandman's Song  
The Children's Prayer  
Finale  
Miller, Chorus and Orchestra

Holiday Party at Rich Home

SALEM HEIGHTS—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rich entertained at a "Christmas at Home" party on Thursday evening for their friends and neighbors at their home on W. Salem Heights Ave.

The party was an open house for friends and neighbors to get acquainted.

Assisting Mrs. Rich was Mrs. Dan Zeh and Mrs. Ossie Morton, who poured. Donna Zeh, Ada Hartman and Jakey Rich assisted with the serving. Linda Rich greeted the guests at the door. The house was decorated in Christmas greens.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Loe are leaving Tuesday for Bellingham, Wash. to spend the holidays with members of her family.

"Messiah" Gives Pleasure Annually To Thousands

The Salem Oratorio Society's presentation of "The Messiah" on Sunday December 14, was the outstanding music event of the Christmas season here. This year the production attracted the usual full house at the Salem High School auditorium.

Soloists Jean Handzlik, Anne Kathrens, Ormal Tack and David Johnson were all professional singers, and their work was noticeably superior. Dean Melvin Geist directed the production. Dr. Willis Gates directed the orchestra. Stanley Butler was pianist and Josef Schnelker organist.

This annual musical event gives great pleasure to those who sing as well as those listening at the auditorium and over the air. A rebroadcast is scheduled for a Salem station on Christmas day.

Dances Slated For Weekend

The Town Club's Christmas dinner dance is slated for Saturday night, Dec. 27 at the Marion Hotel. The social hour will be from 8 to 9:30 o'clock with dinner following. Glenn Woodry and his orchestra will play for dancing between 9:30 and 1 o'clock.

The directorate for the dance includes Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wilbur, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kanz and Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Allen.

The Comis Dancing Club will hold a holiday party on Saturday, Dec. 27 at the Mayflower Hall between 9 and 12 o'clock. Esthel Penner and his orchestra will play for dancing. Past presidents of the club will serve as hosts for the cabaret style dance with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bowman heading the directorate.

Here From the South  
Miss Dorothy Hoar arrived in the capital by train Friday night from Los Angeles to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hoar. Miss Hoar is attending the Chouinard Art Institute in Los Angeles. Also joining the Hoar family for the holidays will be their son, Leland, who is attending the University of Oregon Medical School in Portland. He will be home Christmas morning and will be here a week.

Don't Look Now...

but... it's all a matter of where you stand. Mrs. Jeryme English, our society editor, in describing the Christmas greens show decorations said that the fir hedge which divided old from new sections of the show was colored Shocking Pink, while the report from Lillie Madsen, Garden Editor, called it Strawberry Red. Though the Foods editor refrained from a report at the time, we think she should add her opinion, she thinks it was Hot Tamale color with Creole Sauce.

Very much missed... There'll be something very important missing this year—the Christmas tree that cheerfully brightened the courthouse lawn for so many years. But then, many of us are missing the old pleasures these days. Looking for the clock atop the old courthouse, strolling underneath the trees that were along Court and Summer streets and enjoying the sight of pioneer architecture. But then Salem must be an up-and-coming industrial city and we must not

be sentimental. Time enough for bemoaning destruction of old things when they are all gone and appreciation of history dawns even on progressive civic leaders.

Caring the joint... A well known Salem matron, was wandering around the bank, suddenly she heard a voice at her shoulder, "Don't try it now, Grammy," the voice said, "there's too many people around."

Stubborn case... Wish they wouldn't write "pull" on the store door and distract our attention from pushing the thing. Now if they'd put "use own judgment" we might sometimes pull the door instead of pushing it, when it should be visa versa.

Colorful, at least... someday we will find a new place for the shoe polish other than beside the jar of night cream on the dressing table top. Maybe dark brown sheets and pillow cases are the answer...  
Maxine Buren

Garden Club Has Party

SALEM HEIGHTS—Mrs. Paul Burger entertained the South Hills Garden Club of Salem Heights on Tuesday evening at their Christmas party at her home on E. Ewald Ave. Mrs. L. A. Clinker was the assisting hostess.

The group discussed the recent flower shows and sang Christmas carols with Mrs. Hugh Kelley at the piano. Twenty-two members played Santa Claus to their secret pal by revealing their identity. New secret pals will be selected in January.

Mrs. Fred Lasater of Walls Walls arrived in Salem Saturday to spend Christmas week at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Coburn Grabenhorst.

FOUR CORNERS—A son, Gary Merle, was born December 15 at the Salem Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ramsdell (Hazel Eggleston). He weighed six pounds and fourteen ounces and has a brother, David. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Eggleston, Four Corners, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ramsdell, Newport, and a great-grandmother, Mrs. Jean H. Matthieu of Salem. The Ramsdells, whose home is in Newport, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Eggleston, and will remain through the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Prime are entertaining their grandsons, Bill and Frank III until Tuesday night. The children are sons of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Prime Jr., of Eugene. They all will spend Christmas day in Eugene.

Crocketts to Arrive

Arriving in Salem today for the holidays will be Lt. and Mrs. David Crockett (Georgie Ann Oberbauer), who are driving north from San Francisco. Lt. Crockett is now stationed at the Presidio. They will divide their holiday visit at the homes of their parents, Mrs. Therese Crockett, and with Mr. and Mrs. George Oberbauer in Portland. Mrs. Crockett will be the honor attendant at the wedding of Miss Joselyn Davison and Richard Scandling on Friday night.

Girl Born to Lougharys

From Eugene comes news of the birth of a little girl, Kathleen Claire, to Mr. and Mrs. John Loughary (Josephine Caughell) on Thursday, Dec. 18. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Caughell and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loughary of Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Highbarger entertained for the Christmas party of the Swegle Community Builders club at their Birchwood dr. home Saturday night. Pinochle was played by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jipp, Mrs. Arthur Masters, Mrs. Fred Smalley, Mr. and Mrs. George Shull, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hofsted and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Blackburn.

Holiday Calendar...

- December 21 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirk, Miss Janet Kirk, open house, 2905 S. 12th St., 3 to 7 p.m.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huggins at home, 743 Stewart St., 2 to 5 p.m.  
Mr. and Mrs. Otto J. Wilson Christmas coffee, 2405 S. Cottage St., 7 to 9 p.m.  
Dr. and Mrs. Max Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Allman Todd at home, Route 3, 6 to 9 p.m.  
Mr. and Mrs. John S. Lohead, open house, 1050 Pall Drive, 4 p.m. on.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce golden wedding reception at A. W. McKillop home, 4125 Liberty Road, 2 to 5 p.m.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brady Jr. open house, 920 Leslie St., 5 to 9 p.m.  
Prof. and Mrs. Stanley Butler open house, 245 Hansen Ave., 3 to 6 p.m.
- December 22 Mrs. Arthur Atherton Christmas coffee, 206 E. Browning Ave., 10 a.m. to noon.  
Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Moreland and Dr. and Mrs. Merle Brown open house, 615 Ben Lomand Drive, 7 to 11 p.m.
- December 25 Justice and Mrs. James T. Brand Christmas morning coffee, 741 Kingwood Drive, 9 a.m. to noon.
- December 26 Jocelyn Davis-Richard Scandling wedding, First Presbyterian Church, 8:30 p.m.  
Mr. and Mrs. George C. Huggins Jr. open house, 1343 S. Liberty St., 4 to 6 p.m.
- December 27 Cosmos Club holiday dance, Mayflower Hall. Frances Baum-Edward Ragozzino wedding, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 5 p.m.  
Mario Ogle-John Loftis wedding, First Congregational Church, 8 p.m.  
Town Club Christmas dinner dance, Marion Hotel. Mrs. Dean K. Brooks and daughters, Denise, India and Ulista, mother-daughter holiday tea, 3 to 5 p.m.
- December 28 Mr. and Mrs. Harland Brock and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Miller at home, Bluff Ave., 4 to 7 p.m.
- December 29 Kappa Kappa Gamma holiday tea at Charles Mills home, 685 Boice St.  
Junior Catholic Daughters winter formal, Catholic Center.
- December 30 Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Taylor at home, 1819 D St., 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.
- January 1 Mrs. E. H. Kennedy open house, 2705 Bluff St., 4 to 7 p.m.



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Neumanns Are Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Neuman entertained members and guests of the TPM club at their 38th St. home Thursday night for the club's Christmas party. Cards were played and television programs watched. Refreshments were served at a late hour. Present were Mr. and Mrs. William McKinney, George Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Criswell, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Terrill, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hein, Mr. and Mrs. William Hartley, Mrs. Charles Bottorff, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Brandt and the hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Mankertz and son, Mark, of Portland are spending a few days in the capital at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schneider.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shaw of Medford will arrive in Salem Christmas Eve to be with her parents, the John Carsons. They will go on to Aberdeen Christmas Day to visit Mr. Shaw's parents, returning to Salem the end of the week.

Alice Rundstrom of Salem is a member of the Augsburg College Choir of Minneapolis. A freshman at Augsburg, she is a graduate of Salem Academy High School, and the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Rundstrom of Salem.

SIGMA KAPPAS MEET  
Sigma Kappa alumnae met Thursday night for a no-host dinner and Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Earl Hampton. Mrs. Norman Johnson was co-hostess.

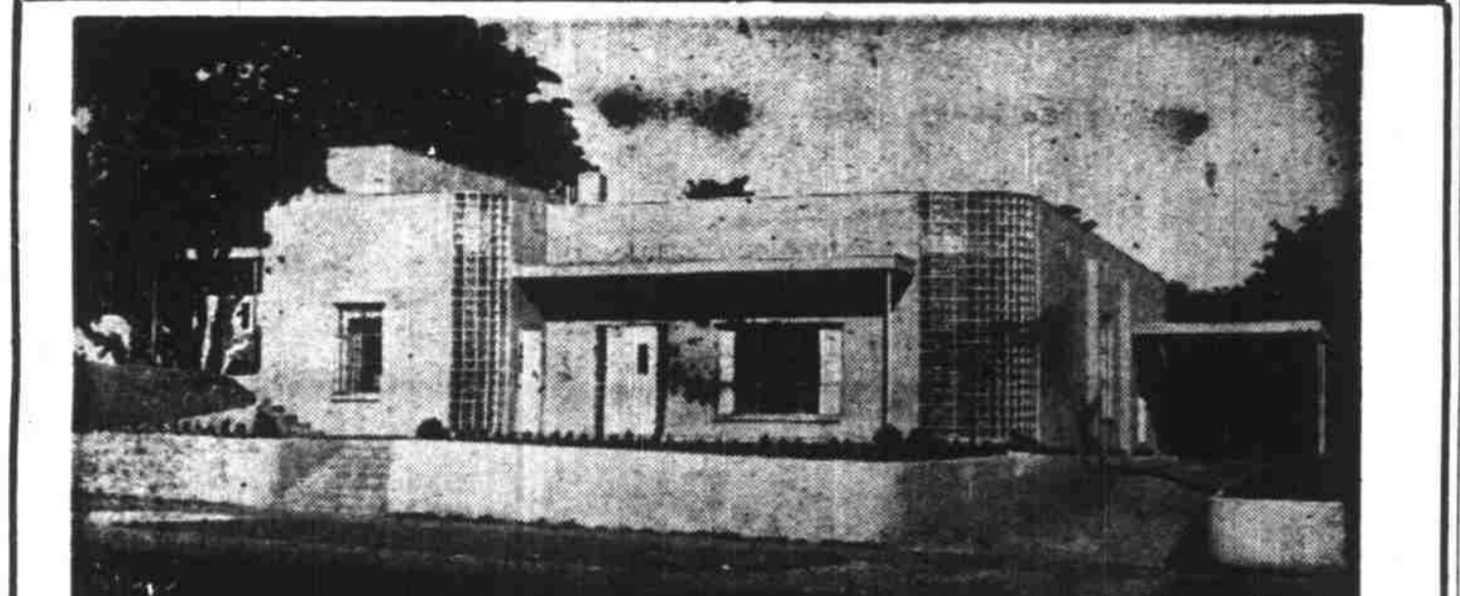
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