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Musical Notes By LAWRENCE HUBERT

 This column did not appear last week for the simple reason that the writer was too busy getting ready for the Normal school concert to give much thought to the doings of the other musicalminded personages around town. Excuse please!

· Speaking of concerts, the one given by Robert Dodge certainly pleased the audience who had gathered to hear him. He sang with good taste and had perfect command of his voice at all times. His pianist, Mrs. Rosa Dodge Galey, did a good job at the piano. As far as my part of the program was concerned, suffice it to say that I managed to work up good 'ole' fashioned sweat before it was over but between the drip, drip, of perspiration I could perceive that Flossie Thompson, my pianist, was putting up a mighty fine exhibition of accompanying. Many people have the idea that a soloist does it all but his accompanist can make or break his performance.

• Mrs. H. S. Aikens' string quartet which is composed of Mary Roberson, Frances Aikens, Paul Icenhower and Andrew Johnson, is to appear at the Christmas program to be given at the high school. This ought to add a nice touch to the program as string quartets are the ultra, ultra, when it comes to class in the musical world. The members are a nice group of performers and Mrs. Alkens knows her way around musically so the results should Jackson who capably filled the Thompson, Ruth Hardy, La Verne be A-1.

· The Ashland Orchestral society is keeping rather busy this week. A radio program was played Tuesday evening and the results were gratifying to the members, many of whom made their debut over the air waves in that concert.

Thursday evening the orchestra played the incidental music for the Normal school production of "The Late Christopher Bean." In this appearance we were without . The "Waltz Queens," Ashland's Curler and Dr. Marcus Woods. of work at the Elks memorial



Appropriate Setting for Beauty

Jean and Martha Shintani posed in a setting of chrysanthemums a the Garfield park conservatory in Chicago. The two little Japanese girls are friends of the Japanese consul at Chicago.

Roberson, Alicia Applegate,

The musicians in this town have Florence Hubert, Margaret Milcooperated wonderfully in helping hoan and Laurence Hubert directput this orchestra over and speak- ing. ing of cooperation, it is worthy of note that both the "Ashland girl with a great bouquet of flow-Miner" and the "Ashland Tidings" have come to the front and gave the hall to the orchestra in the of Curry county. unstined support to the musical near future. Now watch things activities of this city. Both are hum. You know how those "waltz to be thanked for their stand on given" parties are-quite elaborthis matter.

the services of both Dewey Van all-girl orchestra, did a swell bit younger set is concerned. busy that evening and relinquish- Sparr at the cello. Otherwise the Me.

school orchestra it started something. Some sort of recognition should be given those students who are in there year in and year out plugging along at rehearsals and doing the best they can for their school.

It takes as much school spirit to buck a lot of black notes on a music staff as it does to buck the line on the gridiron and the school should admit it. It would mean better turnouts and a lot less grief for Director Ward Croft if the students had something to earn as well as learn!

• Mr. C. Weaver, teacher at the Junior high school, has written the words and the music for the Christmas cantata to be given at his school in the near future. Reports say it is good. Now all he has to do is to take part in the cantata itself-that would be versatility with a vengeance.

· "America" first was sung pub licly on the 4th of July, 1832, by school children of Boston in the Park street church. The manuscript is in the library of Harard university and was written by Samuel Smith, a Baptist minister.

CODA: Madam Schumann-Heink once sang a concert in Detroit with Gabrilowitch conducting. As she left her seat to go through the narrow aisle that led to the platform her none too frail figure found the going difficult. "Go sideways," Gabrilowitch suggested.

"Sideways Ernestine! Mein Gott," replied the stout singer, "I haff no sideways!"

FIREBUG GETS SENTENCE

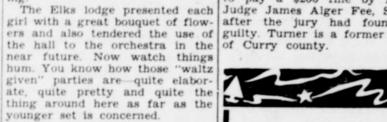
Because he was alleged to have set one of the fires in the Bandon area this autumn, J. H. Turner was sentenced to six months in a federal road camp and forced to pay a \$200 fine by Federal Judge James Alger Fee, Sunday, after the jury had found him

ate, quite pretty and quite the

thing around here as far as the Favorite tunes: Mrs. Margaret

Van Curler, our trumpeter, had services last Sunday. They played Mills of the Junior high school a date to deliver a Christmas tree beautifully. I think it was the says her favorite is Kreisler's faor something to someone, some best job they ever put up and mous "Caprice Viennors," while place down south. Rather indefin- I believe that those present felt Leslie Kincaid must have been ite but he swears that it's the the same way about it. Chester dreaming of someone because he truth. Dr. Marcus Wood was also Woods substituted for Phyllis chose "The Waltz You Saved for

ed his chair as concert master of rostrum read as follows: Jean . When "Musical Notes" came out the clarinet section to Virgil Claycomb, Mary Roberson, Flossie flat-footed for letters for the high



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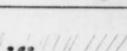
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