

HUNDREDS OF YOUNG SINGERS FOUND IN HUNT FOR TALENT



RADIO AUDITION MEDAL



MADAM LOUISE HOMER



MRS. EDGAR STILLMAN KELLEY



A. ATWATER KENT

TEN young American singers—presumably the best in the country—will face the microphone at Station WEAF in New York City early in December to sing for fame and fortune. They will be the finalists in the National Radio Audition of the Atwater Kent Foundation of Philadelphia.

This nation-wide quest for radio voices has already revealed hundreds of young singers of promise, who have entered the contests eagerly because the auditions offer them recognition at home and a chance to compete for prizes aggregating \$17,500. Distinctive figures are sponsoring the undertaking as a National Audition Committee. They are Madam Louise Homer, the Metropolitan Opera star; Mrs. Edgar Stillman Kelley, president of the National Federation of Music Clubs; Edward W. Bok, former editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, and Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, wife of the world-famous New York banker and music patron.

Winners of state auditions—one boy and one girl—receive silver medals and are taken to their district auditions at the expense of the Foundation to compete with young singers from their neighboring states. Winners of each of the five district auditions—one young man and one young woman in each—receive gold medals and are



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taken to New York by the Atwater Kent Foundation for the finals, which will be broadcast over a national network of stations. The awards for these will be as follows:

- Winners of first place—one young man and one young woman—will each receive \$5,000 cash and two years' tuition in a musical conservatory.
- Winners of second place will each receive \$2,000 cash and one year's tuition.
- Winners of third place will each receive \$1,000 and one year's tuition.
- Winners of fourth place will each receive \$500.

TOWN AND VICINITY

In From Dexter—Warren Higgins of Dexter was a visitor here Monday.

Marcola Man Here—Lee Hill of Marcola was a visitor here Saturday.

Drive to Jasper—Mr. and Mrs. Neil Pollard drove to Jasper Sunday.

Marcola Man In—J. W. Wade of Marcola was a visitor in town Friday.

Here From Oakridge—C. J. Hill of Oakridge was an out-of-town visitor here Friday.

Drives From Grove—Mrs. Adie Fogle of Cottage Grove was in Springfield on business Saturday.

Walterville People Here—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Meyer of Walterville were visitors here Saturday.

Come From Goshen—Mrs. W. L. Arnold of Goshen was among out-of-town visitors here late last week.

Visit Collins Here—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parrish of Lorane were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Collins.

Wending Resident Here—Mrs. C. Neet of Wending came down to Springfield Monday.

Oakridge Woman Here—Mrs. Veri Thayer of Oakridge was a Springfield visitor Saturday of last week.

Cole in Town—Mark Cole transacted business here Saturday. He lives at Garden Way.

Drives to Grove—Dwight Kessey motored to Cottage Grove and Harrisburg Sunday.

Here From Creswell—Mrs. F. E. Roberts of Creswell paid Springfield a visit Friday.

Pengra Man In—F. W. Richardson of Pengra, was a Springfield visitor late last week.

Returns From Portland—Neil Pollard returned late last week following a trip to Portland.

Mrs. Burdick In—Mrs. F. A. Burdick of Vida was a Springfield visitor Sunday.

Jack Queen in Town—Jack Queen of Marcola was here on business last week.

Here From Jasper—C. F. Franklin of Jasper paid Springfield a visit Saturday.

Returns to Portland—Charles Jordan returned to Portland Tuesday evening after a few days' visit with relatives and friends here.

Resort Owners Here—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kuhn, who operate the Cascade Resort on the McKenzie highway,

were among out-of-town visitors here Friday.

Mrs. Pilcher Here—Mrs. W. H. Pilcher of Creswell visited Springfield Monday.

Mrs. Montgomery Operated On—Mrs. Sam Montgomery underwent an operation at the Pacific Christian hospital Saturday morning. Latest reports were that she was improving satisfactorily.

Return to Seattle—George H. Coffin and Mrs. Elizabeth Bouckaert, who have been visiting for some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morgan, left yesterday morning for their home at Seattle. Mr. Coffin is an uncle and Mrs. Bouckaert a cousin of Mrs. Morgan.

Mitchell Here From Grove—James Mitchell, who has been working for some time at Cottage Grove for Gray's store, visited his parents here Sunday.

Baby Daughter Born—A baby daughter was born Sunday morning at the Pacific Christian hospital to Mr. and Mrs. G. J. DeVos.

CALL FOR SCHOOL WARRANTS—Springfield, Oregon, Dec. 8, 1927.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that School district No. 19, of Lane County, Oregon, will pay at the office of the District Clerk at his residence on West D street, house No. 369, School warrants up to and including No. 1992. Interest ceases after December 10th, 1927.

Signed
R. W. SMITH, District Clerk,
Springfield, Oregon. D-8

All Set for the Holiday Cleaning—New Modern Cleaning Plant—One Day Service. J. E. Lindsey, 240 Main. D. 8-15-22.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR LANE COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of A. C. Schoonover, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Lane county administratrix of the estate of A. C. Schoonover, deceased, and having qualified, notice is hereby given to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to present them, as required by law, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Louisa Schoonover at 434 Miner Building, Eugene, Oregon.
Date of first publication hereof, the 8th day of December, 1927.

LOUISA SCHOONOVER, Administratrix of the Estate of A. C. Schoonover deceased.
SMITH & EVANS, Attorneys for Administratrix, 434-5-6 Miner Bldg., Eugene, Oregon.
D 8-15-23-29.

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'Sway the Money Goes
"What became of that portable garage of yours?"
"I tied the dog to it the other day, and a cat came by."

Frish—"Do you notice any improvement, Professor, since last week?"
Professor—"Yes, now that you call my attention to it, I think your hair is parted."

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