

Major Bowes' Talent in Stage Presentation at Craterian Theatre Today

CONTINUOUS SHOWS AT CRATERIAN FOR BOWES' RADIO ACTS

Today the people of Medford will have the opportunity to see in person, on the stage of the Craterian theater, the amateurs whose ability and talent, when first displayed on the Major Bowes Amateur hour over NBC, resulted in their being chosen for further recognition in traveling units now touring the country.

The Major Bowes' Amateurs on tour for today only, is a unit consisting of nine acts, personally assembled for this particular troupe by the major himself. They include a novelty musical foursome, singers, impersonator, pianist, an xylophone artist, a novelty act with musical glasses, and others.

On the screen, Carl Brisson, Arline Judge, Mady Christians and William Frawley will be featured in "Ship Cafe."

Due to the tremendous amount of interest being evidenced throughout the valley for this show, the Craterian has announced its schedule for today only will be on continuous basis. The doors will be opened at 12:30 and the show will start promptly at 1:00 o'clock. Patrons are advised to attend the matinee shows, if possible, to avoid the crowds at night.

LANDING FIELDS EVERY 20 MILES PLAN OF JACOBS

Aviation will not attain its maximum possibilities until the country is dotted with adequately marked landing fields spaced ten or twenty miles apart.

This is the view of Albert R. Jacobs, executive vice-president and chief engineer of the Jacobs Aircraft Engine company of Posttown, Pa., who today left for Los Angeles from municipal airport here several days because of adverse weather conditions in California.

Mr. Jacobs was returning from Seattle which he flew from Los Angeles, where he attended the national aircraft show. He was accompanied by Mrs. Marjory Bowman, prominent racing pilot and wife of Les Bowman, Waco factory representative in southern California. Mrs. Bowman has several friends here and last summer spent three months at the "Gilliland ranch in Prospect. She has several trophies for her speed flying.

Mr. Jacobs was flying his Waco four-place cabin ship which has a cruising speed of 140 miles an hour. It is powered by a 285 horsepower radial engine latest product of the Jacobs factory.

"With a system of landing fields spaced about ten or twenty miles apart flying would become so safe as to encourage the purchase of airplanes for private use," Mr. Jacobs said.

"A person would then feel safe in going aloft," he related, "knowing that he would never be more than ten miles or so from an adequate landing field. If weather became bad, he could turn back to the nearest field. At an altitude of 2000 feet he could always glide to a field in case of engine or any other trouble."

"As it is now if some minor engine trouble develops the pilot must keep going, searching for a landing place and aggravating the defect until it becomes serious. Then the pilot is liable to become panicky and that invariably means a crash-up."

Mr. Jacobs spoke highly of the municipal airport and was pleased to know that modernization plans are being carried forward.

"That is what the Medford has an excellent layout, with plenty of room for expansion, and I hope the plan for improvements will be approved."

Mr. Jacobs said he had enjoyed his stay here and was especially gratified by the excellence of the weather and ground service available at the municipal airport.

PHOENIX H. E. CLUB TO MEET ON WEDNESDAY

PHOENIX, Feb. 15.—(Sp.)—Home Economic club of the Phoenix grange will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Denzer, Sr. on Wednesday of this week. This is an all-day meeting with covered dish lunch at noon. All members of the club and ladies of the Grange are urged to attend.

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Opera Star in Craterian Picture



On Roxy Screen



Clark Gable portrays the part of Jack Thornton in the picture "Call of the Wild," starting a three-day run at the Roxy theater today. Others in the cast include Loretta Young, Jack Oakie, Reginald Owen and Buck, the dog, who was trained especially for his role in the picture.

SWEPPER BOOSTS DELUGE COUNCIL

At its meeting February 4 the city council opened two bids on a new street sweeper, submitted by the Austin-Western Road Machinery company and the Loggers and Contractors Machinery company, agents for the Elgin sweeper.

The two bids were found to be identical, whereupon the councilmen, the two company agents present and the spectators enjoyed a significant laugh. The matter was referred to the streets and roads committee consisting of Larry Schade, J. P. Fliegel and W. W. Allen, who were asked to report their recommendations at the next council meeting.

It was then that Fred W. Scheffel, city superintendent, and each member of the streets and roads committee have been receiving each day a letter signed by Don G. Irion of the Loggers and Contractors Machinery company. Each letter recites one feature of outstanding excellence the Elgin sweeper is supposed to possess. The letters have been delivered daily by a Western Union messenger.

It was assumed that Mr. Irion left a batch of letters at the Western Union office, one to be delivered daily until the next council meeting on Tuesday. Mr. Irion also left a handsome, descriptive book with Mr. Scheffel and the committee members.

Asked if the novel plan of education had influenced him any, Mr. Fliegel replied: "I don't think so. I am interested in the history of the two sweepers, their accomplishments, their records for efficiency and durability and their distinctive features. But I don't think the letters have made any impression on me one way or the other. The question will be decided solely by its merits."

The committee is to meet tomorrow noon. The city at present is using an Austin sweeper which has been in service since 1927.

Wins Peace Talk Prize
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 15.—(AP)—First prize in the state peace oratorical conference, sponsored by the Oregon State Forensic League, went to Jesse Leonard of Oregon State college. He won \$50.

HENRY FONDA HAS LEAD IN MUSICAL

Making her bow to screen audiences in "I Dream Too Much" a down-to-earth drama of laughter and heart throbs, playing tomorrow and Tuesday at the Craterian theater, Lily Pons, world renowned opera, concert and radio star, portrays a little French girl who is the victim of her own genius.

Annette Monard, the heroine, possesses a divine voice but the fame its thrusts upon her brings only unhappiness. Her husband, a struggling young composer, is too proud to bask in her reflected glory. And Annette wants nothing more from life than the simple joys of being wife and mother.

With happiness at stake, she evolves an unexpected and brilliant solution to her problem by changing her husband's opera into a musical comedy and making him a success in spite of himself.

Henry Fonda, who has risen to sensational fame with his portrayal in "Farmer Takes a Wife" and "Way Down East," plays the husband, Osgood Perkins and Eric Blore have other principal roles.

In introducing to the film public the glorious voice that has won her recognition as the world's greatest coloratura soprano, Miss Pons sings two grand opera arias, Caro Nome from "Rigoletto," and the Bell Song from "Lakme," as well as four new songs.

Star at Rialto



"Dangerous," the picture that is said to give Bette Davis an even greater opportunity to display her rare dramatic genius than did "Of Human Bondage" and "Border Town," will start a three-day run at the Rialto theater today.

In the picture Miss Davis has a new leading man, Franchot Tone, who will match his wits with her in her everlasting game of smacking men down to their right size.

"Dangerous" is the story of the most brilliant actress of her day, who was loved by many, but who loved only her career and who sacrificed everything and lastly, a fallen idol, she became the object of scorn and slinks into the gutter with drink. She is rescued from her blunder by a young architect, played by Tone, who falls in love with her fascinating ways and wants to marry her. He starts her out in life again by giving up his own career, and for once she sees herself, as she really is, a selfish, egotistical fool.

Others in the cast with this thunderbolt of human emotions are Margaret Lindsay, Alison Skipworth, John Eldredge and Dick Foran.

MILD FLU PERILS TRIAL OF LAMSON

SAN JOSE, Cal., Feb. 15.—(UPI)—Illness among jurors, victims of the epidemic of colds and influenza current in northern California, threatened new delays today in David Lamson's fourth trial on charge of killing his wife Alene.

The latest victim among the 12 jurors and two alternates chosen to determine Lamson's fate was George Davis, San Jose. He was taken to a hospital for treatment of a mild form of influenza.

Doctors expected to have him ready to take his place when the trial resumes Monday.

Several other jurors are suffering from colds while W. A. Riggs, Los Gatos, whose illness a week ago caused a three-day postponement, apparently has recovered.

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Feb. 15.—(AP)—The Marshfield city council voted to accept a bid of \$16,783, entered by the Coos Bay Dredging company, for the construction of a new dock.

FRIENDLY SUIT TO TEST \$10 FEE FOR 'PICK-UPS' FILED

A friendly complaint against the secretary of state, whose office has charge of collecting the fee. The act was passed by the 1935 session of the legislature.

Attorneys for the plaintiff argued that the act was discriminatory against the farmer and against owners of light pick-up trucks in that it assessed them higher for license plates than farmers operating motor trucks of more than 4,000 pounds.

The law previously permitted farmers operating motor trucks for their own use to obtain license rates at half the cost regularly assessed. The new law defines motor trucks as cars having a combined weight of 4,000 pounds or more, and those weighing less than 4,000 pounds must pay the flat \$10 fee with no portion reduced to the farmers.

Attorneys declared that in many instances the heavier trucks paying on a weight basis received license plates for less than \$10, while those operating the lighter cars were not entitled to a reduction.

The act affects about 18,000 truck operators and the case here was watched with considerable interest.

It was this law to which William M. Garie, former Presbyterian minister, residing on Lake creek, protested when arrested and haled into justice court six weeks ago.

Name Blind School Atte SALEM, Ore., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Governor Martin yesterday appointed L. G. Cornwall of Portland as a member of the advisory board of the Oregon blind trades school, to succeed Mrs. R. E. Bondurant of Portland, resigned.

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News

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson of Pomona, Calif., a baby daughter, February 12th, 1936, weighing seven and one-half pounds. Mr. Jackson is the son of Mrs. Will Jackson of Medford and Mrs. Jackson formerly Miss Vivian Standlife of Phoenix, Ore. Mrs. Blackwood, also of Phoenix, is the little girl's great-grandmother.

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