

Ticket Sales Fast For Harmony Event Singers Informed

Tickets are selling rapidly for the "Harmony Jamboree" which will be given here March 22, it was reported last night at a meeting of the Medford chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America.

There is a possibility that next year's performance will have a two-day run, rather than only one day, it was said.

A number of new quartets have signified their intention of participating in the event, members were told. One quartet, the "Agony Four" from Corvallis, has not given definite word as yet, because they are appearing on a television show in San Francisco. They were favorites with last year's audience.

Quartets which last week said they will be here include the "Bell Tones" of Bellingham, Wash., the "Chords of Portland," the "Postal Notes," of Roseburg, the "Four by Four," from Crescent City, Calif., and the entire chorus of the Brookings, Ore., chapter.

Accept Bids Several new members were accepted at the meeting, bringing the total membership up to 41, the largest enrollment the chapter has had.

Two local quartets, the "Pear City Four" and the "Three Notes" will sing over the regular SPEBSQSA program on KYJC at 5:45 p. m. Friday.

During World War II the bituminous coal industry supplied the country with half of its total fuel and energy requirements.

Nebraska's name came from the Ojibwa Indian word for "flat water."

On The Side

By E. V. Durling

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When lovely woman wants a favor And finds too late, that man won't bend. What earthly circumstances can save her From disappointment in the end? The only thing to bring him over, The last experiment to try, Whether a husband or a lover, If he have feeling is to cry. —Phoebe Cary

(The tear technique of softening up a husband is a mid-Victorian idea and no longer used by experienced wives. The "war of nerves" angle has been substituted. Our Horses & Women experts are assembling a few helpful hints for harassed husbands designed to be used as a defense against the all too powerful "war of nerves" technique practiced by many clever wives.)

To hand a birth announcement to Mr. and Mrs. Jim London. I am referring, of course, to the great wrestling genius and his lovely bride. The new arrival, born February 2, has been named Ileana Christine London. Her birthdate comes under the sign of Aquarius. The way to handle an Aquarius child is to let her follow her natural inclinations on what sort of career she would like to follow. Don't try to make her take up some activity you think would be better for her. Or so say the stargazers.

Passing By Arthur "Bugs" Baer. Another of the innumerable fellows of infinite jest born in Philadelphia. One of a family of 14 children. He is, in my opinion, one of the three leading original wits of the present day. Other two are Jimmie Durante and Georgie Jessel. Mr. Baer is a very versatile fellow. Among his accomplishments is that of songwriter. He is the author of that touching ballad titled "When I Am With You I'm Lonesome."

Shimpei Shirai. Publisher of the Tokio newspaper that is equivalent to our Racing Form. Population of Tokio includes many intense horseplayers. Track attendance frequently hits the 60,000 mark. Pari-mutuel system of wagering is used.

Bachelorettes In the interests of those of our bachelorette clients who are having difficulty in acquiring a matrimonial mate, this department spares no effort to obtain the best husband hunting information available. According to that indefatigable traveler, the charming Eleanor Early, the island of Aruba in the Dutch West Indies is packed with eligible bachelors—young, good-looking, high-salaried American bachelors who are employed in the oil refining industry in Aruba. Single women who go to Aruba as office workers are immediately confronted with a wide choice of eligible matrimonial material. Aruba is seven hours by plane from Miami, Fla.

Famous First Thomas Edison was 23 years old when he sold his first invention. It was a stock ticker. He received \$40,000 for it. At that time the dollar would buy three times as much as now and there was no income tax.

Asking Queries from clients. Q. I claim "Toots" Shor, the very successful midtown Manhattan restaurateur, was once a bar-

tender at Billy Lohff's Tavern. Right? A. Mr. Shor was the head waiter at Lohff's. Also doubled as bouncer if any of the clientele became inclined to disturb the peace of the establishment. Q. Was Irving Berlin once known as "The Ragtime Kid"? A. Not that I know of. The original "Ragtime Kid" was a pianist named S. Brunson Campbell. Came by the nickname naturally. When he acquired it he was only 15 years old but an accomplished cafe pianist specializing in ragtime. His teacher was the great Scott Joplin. Incidentally, Joplin's celebrated number, "The Maple Leaf Rag," was named after a night spot called the Maple Leaf club in Sedalia, Mo.

Asides Among the accomplishments of Winston Churchill, British prime minister, is bricklaying. Knows enough about it to have passed the test required for a union card. . . . Note Eddie Stanley referred to as "the greatest lead-off man of all time." Guess the fellow who wrote that never saw "Wee Willie" Keeler or Heine "Bottle-Bat" Groh. . . . An expert on Scotch whisky, a Scotsman by birth, says that type of liquor is nothing like as strong as it is used to be. He appears quite depressed about it. I have noticed that too and I am no expert on the subject.

Please Note Are you familiar with the career of Dr. Phineas Parkhurst Quimby of Portland, Me.? He was an extremely interesting man. It was as a patient of Dr. Quimby that Mary Baker Eddy was inspired to write "Science and Health," a book which is second only to the Bible as a best seller. At the age of 40, Mrs. Eddy was a chronic invalid suffering with spinal trouble. She consulted Dr. Quimby in the desperate hope he could cure her where so many others had failed. He did cure her. The manner in which he did it gave Mrs. Eddy the idea for the aforementioned book and for Christian Science.

142 Cases Carried By Juvenile Office

The Jackson county juvenile department carried a total of 142 cases during February, according to its monthly report released today. The figure included 108 cases carried forward from January, 30 assigned during the month and 4 transferred from other jurisdictions, the report said.

The department closed 50 cases in February, 2 were transferred to other jurisdictions and 9 received no service. Ninety were carried into March. Representatives of the juvenile department made 171 visits, held 262 office interviews and conducted 7 court hearings.

Seven juveniles were detained during the month, five in jail and two in their own homes. One juvenile was cared for in the county shelter home and two were sent to McLaren school at Woodburn.



AN EVEN DOZEN—Mrs. Betty Calamusa, 39 (above), after filing for her 12th divorce at Houston, Tex., denied reports that she was trying to establish a new world's record. She says she will be man-hunting again as soon as this divorce becomes final. She still believes that marriage is a wonderful institution.

Boy Hurt When Bike Hits Side of Auto

Michell O'Brien, 8, of 401 East 12th street, was treated and released at Osteopathic hospital early last evening for minor lacerations about the head and back suffered when he hit a car while riding his bicycle, according to his attending physician.

The accident occurred at the corner of 12th street and South Riverside avenue. The car was driven by Mose Alexander Graham, 595 North Main street, Ashland, according to a police report. The youth was taken to the hospital by Conger-Morris ambulance. He is the son of Mrs. Lily O'Brien of the above address.

Police said the youngster's bicycle ran into the car. No citations were issued.

Medford Area Home Will Be Landscaped

A home in the Medford area will be selected this week for use in a landscaping demonstration project to be held here April 10, it was announced today by County Horticultural Agent C. B. Cordy.

The house will be "average" and representative of homes in its vicinity, he said. I. B. Solberg, professor of landscaping at Oregon State college, will superintend the work. Plants, shrubs and supplies will be furnished by the home owner.

Residents interested in having their homes considered for the project were asked to call Cordy.

The Evans Valley home of S. B. Smith will be landscaped on April 11 as part of the same project, Cordy said. The public is invited to watch.

Caviar Yielded by Sturgeons Blasted in Columbia River

Portland—(U.P.)—The state of Oregon Tuesday cracked the Russian caviar "monopoly" with 150 pounds of eggs from eight sturgeons killed in underwater blasts in the Columbia river Saturday.

Engineers at work on the new dam at The Dalles raised 800 pounds of sturgeon from the river and turned them and the valuable roe over to the state game commission for sale to the highest bidder. Table price for caviar is about \$8 a pound.

To Be Sold in Portland The cargo was hauled to Portland by truck Monday by State Patrolman Bob Kramer. It will be sold here and the proceeds turned over to the state.

Largest of the eight sturgeons killed by the dam builders was an old timer that may have been 50 to 60 years old, weighing nearly 600 pounds. She yielded more than two-thirds of the haul of caviar.

Saturday's blast was the first of a series that will rip up the river bottom and send dead fish to the surface as dam construction gets underway.

So forceful is the great Orinoco river in Venezuela that where it flows through the so-called Angostura constriction at Ciudad Bolivar, the channel has been scoured out over the centuries to a depth of 262 feet below sea level.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—FIVE

Rogers Lawsuit Settlement Made

Los Angeles—(U.P.)—A \$1,000,000 libel and slander suit against Mrs. Leila Rogers, mother of actress Ginger Rogers, has been settled out of court for an undisclosed sum.

Attorneys for plaintiff Martin A. Gosch, theatrical producer, said he had received "a satisfactory settlement."

The suit stemmed from statements Mrs. Rogers made during a radio debate concerning the play "Gentleman from Athens." Gosch charged that Mrs. Rogers described the play as following the Communist party line. He said the statements injured him personally and professionally.

Last August 13, Emmett Lavery, writer of the play, was awarded a \$30,000 judgment against Mrs. Rogers and others.

Five-Sided Classroom Gives Better Lighting

Cleveland, O.—(U.P.)—Suburban Cleveland Heights' school officials are considering a newly-designed five-sided classroom for a \$1 million elementary school building.

The extra-sided room, architects said, gives students better and more evenly distributed light.

The pentagon shaped rooms will have glass blocks making up the outside walls which will form points all around the new

structure, giving it a saw-toothed appearance.

Initially, the board of education will build a unit containing 12 classrooms, a kindergarten room and a library which will cost about \$600,000. The rest of the building will be put up in sections later and will ultimately be "L" shaped.

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