

Southern Oregon-Orchestra Gives First of Three Concerts

Medford music lovers who attended the first concert for this season of the Philharmonic Society of Southern Oregon yesterday afternoon were well rewarded. This small orchestra, conducted by Richard D. Werner, does credit to southern Oregon and deserved a larger audience than that which attended.

Director Werner opened the program with a Gluck overture, and the major work of the concert, "Symphony in C Major" by Franz Joseph Haydn, was the second number of the afternoon.

This composition provided an opportunity for the orchestra to show how much improvement has been made since the re-organization and last year's concert - improvement which was mentioned by many in the audience.

The violin section is particularly fine, and the entire orchestra appears superior to the original Philharmonic organized by Mr. Werner several years ago.

Mr. Werner, a violinist, was also the solo musician for this opening concert. With John Drysdale, assistant conductor, serving as director for this number, Mr. Werner and the orchestra played "Beethoven's Romance in G Major."

Although better known in southern Oregon as a violin teacher, Mr. Werner is also an accomplished soloist. A sound music education, in the German tradition of thoroughness, combined with his native ability has produced a fine violinist.

Later in the program Mr. Werner played a group of three numbers which were particularly delightful, and these were warmly applauded by the audience. Bruno Pellegri served as accompanist and after hearing the group, this reviewer wondered again why soloists appearing here for Jackson County Civic Music association bother to import accompanists, and not outstanding ones, when such an excellent accompanist is to be found right here in Medford.

The group included "Romance" by Paganini, a Brahms waltz and the especially beautiful "Mazurka de Braura," by Musin. For encores Mr. Werner played "From a Wigwam" by Burleigh, and "From the Canebrake," a Gardner composition.

Following intermission the orchestra played Claude Debussy's "Maid with the Flaxen Hair" and three descriptive numbers by Cecil Burleigh, "Softly Raining," "Pow Wow" and "Winter Fun."

The concert closed with the Son Honor Guest At Birthday Party. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beers were hosts for a dinner December 1 which honored their son, Donald, on his 21st birthday. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sanderson and children, Jerry, Barbara and Mary; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Beers and children, David Lee and Linda, and the hosts.

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Chairmen Report For Red Cross

The monthly meeting of the chairmen of volunteer services for Jackson County chapter of Red Cross was held December 6 at the home of Mrs. Lillian Salade, Central Point, Mrs. John S. Day presided.

Reports of activities were given by Mrs. E. A. Littrell, United Crusade; Mrs. J. W. Burba, blood program; Mrs. R. G. Bardwell, Gray Ladies of Camp White; Mrs. F. C. Preston, motor service; Mrs. T. R. Florey, home nursing; Mrs. Lester Gilman, nursing service; Mrs. Richard Gordon, hospital service.

Mrs. Robert J. Keeney was introduced as the new chairman for home service to replace Mrs. Frank Fairweather who has recently been appointed by Pacific area headquarters to the position of volunteer field representative for Oregon. Mrs. Fairweather reported on her recent meeting in San Francisco where she received a week's training for her new duties.

Mrs. Helen Wilson reported on the managers and executive secretary's conference held in Portland December 2. Twenty-seven chapters of Washington and Oregon were represented.

The business meeting was followed by a buffet luncheon.

Colder Weather Seen for Oregon

Portland — (U.P.) — Colder weather was forecast for Oregon today in the wake of a wind and rain storm that caused some power outages and sent streams rising.

The forecast called for "moderate to substantial" rises in western Oregon streams. Some flooding was expected in the lower reaches of the McKenzie and Santiam rivers with a crest of 18 feet — five over flood stage — expected in the Santiam at Jefferson this afternoon.

Power to the Corbett, Springdale and Bridal Veil areas near Portland was out for about 50 minutes yesterday when a tree was blown across a 12,000-volt power line. Strong winds were reported and Astoria had 2.98 inches of rain in 24 hours.

The state can expect showers with possibility of some snow tomorrow in northwest Oregon and eastern Oregon, the weather man said.

CALENDAR

Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted in writing and deadline for the Sunday edition is 1 p.m. Friday. Deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a.m. of the day of publication and for week day news is 5 p.m. the day before publication.

Monday
6:30 p.m.—Chrysanthemum circle, NOW, annual dinner, Moose hall, 11 Newton st.
7:30 p.m.—Candlelight and Vesper circles of First Presbyterian church, home of Mrs. Ralph Thompson, 18 North Modoc ave.

7:30 p.m.—Butte Falls Parent Teacher association, high school.
7:45 p.m.—Gorsline Missionary circle, First Baptist church, Mrs. Gary Shuler, 17 Corning crt.

8 p.m.—FL club of Olive Rebekah lodge, 2262 Delta Waters rd.

Tuesday
10:30 a.m.—Oak Grove Home Extension unit, Mrs. Lyle B. Thurman, 3379 Jacksonville highway.

12:30 p.m.—First Presbyterian church circles, Charity, Mrs. A. A. Ingram, 1513 Terrace dr.; Faith, Mrs. C. Reese Braley, 245 Valley View dr.; Mercy at church, Eighth and Holly sts.; Temple, Mrs. Allen R. Smith, 102 Black Oak dr., and Trinity, Mrs. Gaston Plouff, route 1, box 50, Central Point.

1 p.m.—First Presbyterian church circles, Bethany, Mrs. Richard Alley, 3 Greenway circle; Grace, Mrs. C. H. Wendt, Ross lane, and Hope, Mrs. A. Z. Dean, 1006 South Oakdale ave.

2 p.m.—Sams Valley Christian builders, home of Mrs. Robert Galloway.

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LA Basks in Heat, Winter Holds Grip

By UNITED PRESS
Desert winds made it feel like summer in Los Angeles today, but wintry weather gripped most of the rest of the nation.

The Southern California "heat wave" was wafted in on desert winds which hit gusts of 35 miles per hour in the canyons. The temperature rose to 77 degrees at Los Angeles and more of the same was predicted today.

More warming was expected in the plains and western Midwest, but there was no relief in sight for the vast area farther east.

The temperature dropped to 15 below zero at Grantsburg, Wis., early today and Syracuse, N. Y., measured nine inches of snow on the ground, five inches of it deposited in a 12-hour period. Utica, N. Y., had a four-inch snowfall.

A warm-up in the Pacific Northwest was accompanied by heavy rains which pelted Astoria, Ore., with nearly three inches in 24 hours. Seattle was doused with a 1.37-inch rainfall. In the Southwest, icy high-winds were blamed for one of

Did You Remember Christmas Gift for Your Dog? Some Jim-Dandies Offered

Chicago — (U.P.) — So you've done your Christmas shopping. But did you get something for your dog?

A spot check of department stores and pet shops discloses a wide selection of gifts for man's best friend.

For instance, Marshall Field and Co. offers a custom tailored velvet coat of robin's egg blue, with a genuine mink collar and mink-trimmed pocket. Price \$25.

"This is as close as I ever got to mink," the salesgirl said as she caressed the collar.

For an accessory you might consider a dusty pink velvet collar and leash set with rhinestones, for only \$24.

Also available are rubber galoshes, complete with buckles and straps. These come four to a set, naturally.

Turtle neck sweaters are a

the worst traffic week ends of the year in Oklahoma, with 12 dead counted. High winds overturned a helicopter in Louisiana and the plane's whirling blades killing an oil company worker.

stock item, but in the luxury class there's a nubby tweed topcoat trimmed with brown velvet collar and pocket.

A green plaid wool topcoat for the male dog comes with a matching handkerchief in the pocket.

Many of the coats are reversible. For the lady dog, there's a red and black check for everyday wear. The reversible side is a shocking pink for dress occasions.

Maybe your dog would cherish a terry cloth bathrobe in black and white harlequin pattern. Terry cloth towels come with various breeds pictured on them.

For the dog that strays there's a red raincoat that glows in the dark. Most of the raincoats come with hoods.

Von Lengerke and Antoine offers coats with pockets to hold compasses for lost dogs, or candy bars for friendly dogs.

"We also have a little hat with an ostrich feather," reported Miss Dorothy Terp of the pet department.

But you can't have everything. A woman called one store and asked for rhinestone earrings for her poodle. The store didn't have them.

P.S.: You can get them at Hammacher and Schlemmer in New York, along with a canine perfume called Kennel 5.

Harrison, N. J.—(U.P.)—Frank Murray, a seasonal Santa Claus, is "growing into" his job. When he began his role two years ago he weighed 260 pounds. Now Murray is a 340-pound St. Nick.

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Dead line Sunday Classified is at noon Saturday; 10 a.m. Monday for Monday; other days 5:30 previous day.

'TOMBOY' HURT

El Centro, Calif.—(U.P.)—Pretty Charlene Measures, 17, missed her stage debut as a "tomboy" in a high school play because she broke her finger before curtain time in a neighborhood football game.

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(Schedule of When Santa Can Be Here)

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Sat., Dec. 17th — 2 P.M. to 3:30 P.M. and 7 P.M. to 8:30 P.M.
Sun., Dec. 18th — 2 P.M. to 3:30 P.M. and 7 P.M. to 8:30 P.M.
Dec. 19th — 6:30 P.M. to 8 P.M. • Dec. 21st — 6:30 P.M. to 8 P.M.
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