

Operetta To Open at High School

"Babes in Toyland," to be presented by Medford Senior High school students tonight and Saturday night, will be the first operetta to be given at the school in many years. This popular Victor Herbert production is well suited to high school talent and is expected to draw large audiences both nights. Curtain time is 8 p.m. both nights.

The cast includes the high school choir, a selected group of high school students in specialty numbers and an orchestra ensemble to provide instrumental accompaniment.

Many of the tunes from the show are among the most popular of Victor Herbert's compositions, and the settings worked out by faculty members and students of the art department are attractive and unusual.

Costumes were designed and made under the supervision of the home economics department of the school and are both beautiful and colorful.

"Babes in Toyland," a sophisticated adaptation of the story of Mother Goose land and her favorite characters, will provide an evening of delightful entertainment for those who attend. Tickets may be purchased before each performance at the high school.

Society

John Drysdale To Appear With Local Orchestra

John Drysdale, director of orchestras for the Medford public school system, is one of the musicians who will appear in concert with the Philharmonic Society.



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ciety of Southern Oregon on April 15. Mr. Drysdale, who has been with the orchestra since its inception, has served both as a first violinist and violist and this season is also acting as associate conductor.

The concert will be held at 3 p.m. at Medford Senior High school auditorium. This will be the third and final concert of the season for the orchestra.

Mrs. Ralph Matlack, telephone 3-1045, is ticket chairman. No admission will be charged for children under 12 accompanied by parents.

Mr. Drysdale first began the study of the violin at the age of nine with Mrs. Merton Colby when his family lived in Sunnyside, Wash., and during his high school days in that town played in a semi-professional and teachers' orchestra known as the Valley Modern orchestra.

In 1946 he entered the University of Oregon where he studied violin with George Boughton and played in the University of Oregon Symphony orchestra under the direction of Dr. Cykeler. He served as director of orchestras for both grade and high school in Klamath Falls, and during that time played in a string quartet and in the Klamath Falls City orchestra. At Redmond, Ore., he served one year as band director for the Redmond public schools and did considerable solo work in the community. This is Mr. Drysdale's third year in the Medford system.

Mr. Drysdale is married and has two children.

About 42 per cent of the electric energy generated in the world is produced in plants in the United States.

Unusual Glass Harmonica To Be Played in Broadcast

Commemorating this year's 250th anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin and the 200th anniversary of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's birth, organist E. Power Biggs will play a Mozart composition for the glass harmonica invented by Franklin, on the KYJC-CBS Radio broadcast of the New York Philharmonic-Symphony, Sunday, April 8 at 11:30-1:00 p.m.

The Franklin musical harmonica, invented nearly two centuries ago, is based on the old trick of touching the edge of a glass with a dampened finger to produce a musical note. Franklin's instrument lined up glass bowls so that several notes could be played simultaneously by use of a horizontal spindle. Mozart, in the last year of his life, wrote a Quintet for glass harmonica, flute, oboe, violin and cello.

Mr. Briggs will use a modern glass harmonica made by the Corning Glass company. The instrument consists of 37 individually blown bowls, nested within each other on a spindle. Padded keys touching the moistened edges of the revolving bowls produce tones that Franklin termed "incomparably sweet beyond those of any other."

The crystal bowls, spanning three octaves from F below middle C to F above high C, were

mounted on a single spindle and shipped to Herman Schlicker of Buffalo, N. Y. The renowned organ builder completed the task of fitting them with case and keyboard.

Pianist Hazel Scott, motion picture and stage star, Janet Blair, popular singer Merv Griffin and George Tozzi, basso of the Metropolitan Opera company, will present "What's New in Music" on KYJC-CBS Radio's "The Woolworth Hour" Sunday from 1 to 2 p.m.

Miss Scott, famed for her jazz arrangements of classical themes, will play her famous "Bach Boogie-Woogie" and as an unusual feature, will both sing and play the French song "La Ronde." Miss Blair, who replaced Mary Martin in South Pacific, will sing songs from that musical. Merv Griffin will give "live" performances of two of his recent Columbia Record hits. George Tozzi will sing one of his most famous arias, "Il Lacerato Spirito" from Verdi's "Simon Boccanegra" and as a closing hymn, David's "Je Crois Aux Dieux."

Percy Faith will conduct the Woolworth orchestra and chorus in his latest record success "We All Need Love," "Moritot" from the "Three Penny Opera" and one of his new Latin American arrangements, "Picharada."

Father of Grace Has Advice For Other Men in Same Spot

By ELIZABETH TOOMEY United Press Correspondent Aboard the S.S. Constitution at Sea—(U.P.)—John B. Kelly, the father of The Bride, doubts whether many other men will find themselves in a spot like his but, if they do, he has a word of advice:

"Stay out of the way and do exactly as you're told."

Millionaire Kelly, a handsome, gregarious man with a keen sense of humor, is practicing what he preaches aboard this liner carrying his daughter and the wedding party to Monte Carlo. He spends much of his time off in a corner playing gin rummy with three other over-shadowed men.

The 66-year-old former Olympic rowing champ detached

himself for a few minutes to give some comments about the uproar over the marriage of his daughter, Grace, to Monaco's Prince Rainier.

"Well, as a matter of fact," he said, "I don't like weddings. I don't know exactly why, but I just don't like funerals or weddings."

"And," he said, with a grin, "this is certainly no ordinary wedding."

Mr. Kelly already has walked down the aisle with his two other daughters, Peggy and Liz Ann, and he said he had worked out a formula.

"I just tell them, 'Look, I'll give you this kind of wedding,' and then I let them make all the plans from there. But I must admit I don't think anybody could be in training for a wedding like this one."

Mr. Kelly likes his son-in-law to be and believes the marriage will be a happy one.

"There's one thing you can say about Grace," he said proudly. "When she makes friends, she keeps them. I've only given her one bit of fatherly advice on her future as a princess. I just tell her to be herself."

He explained why the Kellys agreed so readily to have the wedding in Monaco, although a girl traditionally is married in her own home town.

"Her mother didn't know where to begin planning this wedding," he said. "When Liz Ann got married and Grace was a bridesmaid they had to call out the police to hold back the crowds. We found out then what it means to have a celebrity in the family. And as long as Grace was going to live in Monaco we decided it would be all right to let them have the wedding."

The former bricklayer, who is head of the commission running Philadelphia's Fairmount park, 10 times the size of Monaco, joked that he was polishing up his continental manners but otherwise was keeping in the background.

"Turn it all over to your wife," he said. "Stay out of the way as much as possible. Don't have anything to do with selecting the clothes and do exactly as you're told."

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Films on Program For Lodge Tonight

Films will be shown at a meeting of Weatanka council, Degree of Pochontas, set for tonight at Redman hall, Apple street. The business meeting is set for 7:30 p.m. with the films, to be shown by Chief Werder of the Navy recruiting staff, to follow.

The program committee, Mrs. James Wicker, Mrs. Carl Ludwig and Roland Wicker, urges all members of the lodge to attend, and to invite friends to see the Navy films.

NEW TV FOR RENO

Salem — (U.P.) W. Gordon Allen announced yesterday that he and Sheldon Anderson of Tulare, Calif., had purchased a construction permit for Reno television station KAKJ on Channel 4.

Coming Marriage of Grace Kelly, Prince Target of Ribbing by London Newspapers

London — (U.P.) — Old Europe finds it so hard to believe a royal marriage can be a genuine love affair that it is giving the wedding of Grace Kelly and Prince Rainier a not-so-gentle ribbing.

Or maybe that's not the reason. After all, the British like to think of the union of their Elizabeth and Philip as true love.

But whatever's behind it, the good-natured comments and jokes that might have been expected for such a romance have been replaced by criticism with some stinging in it.

Wouldn't Attend

"What wedding gift would you give Miss Kelly if you were invited to the ceremony?" asked a

quizmaster on a London radio show.

Three of the panelists said they wouldn't bother to go. The fourth scolded Grace and Rainier for all the ballyhoo. The fifth said acidly:

"Would it be impolite to suggest a cradle?"

The theme that Monaco is less interested in the bride than the heir the bride must produce to keep it a tax-free monarchy is frequently mentioned. But even in Britain the first duty of any ruler, male or female, is to insure succession to the throne.

The London Sunday newspaper, The People, complained that although the British people "don't care a hoot" about the romance, the BBC is going to give it six hours of television time.

"Measured by the fuss that is being made, it might be that Eisenhower's son is marrying Malenkov's daughter," the People said, adding that newspapers should take a lead from the queen who "politely declined to ask one of the royal family to attend the wedding."

No Cause To Complain

"That has upset Prince Rainier," it said. "Still, he has no cause to complain. He is certain of millions worth of free publicity for Monaco that should bring visitors flocking to restore the dwindling finances of his comic-opera kingdom."

London's Socialist Daily Herald printed an article implying that the council of Monaco wouldn't let Rainier marry lovely French actress Gisele Pascal because her father was a vegetable merchant in Cannes, a few miles away. But, it added, although Miss Kelly's father started life as a bricklayer, "that was forgotten when his wealth was remembered."

One fact helping the critics along is the inability—if that is the word—of Europe's crowned heads to attend this marriage. Taking their cue from these leaders, any number of notables will not be among those in the principality for the ceremonies.



A PICTURE PRINCESS—Actress Grace Kelly flashes a dignified smile as she boards the liner SS Constitution in New York for her voyage to Monaco to become the bride of Prince Rainier.

Bridge Club Plans Session Tonight; Announce Winners

Camp White — Camp White Veterans' Bridge club will hold the weekly session tonight at camp.

Mrs. S. W. Alcorn and Mrs. Al Gilhousen scored 196 points last Friday to head north-south players, and in first place for east-west players were Mrs. Josephine Clark and Mrs. M. Hendryx with a score of 199 1/2 points.

Other north-south winners were Mr. and Mrs. Paul McDuffee, second, 182 1/2; Mrs. Lewis Wayburn Sr., and Lewis Wayburn, third, 176 1/2; Howard Boyd and Mrs. William Kennedy, fourth, 173 1/2; Mr. Gilhousen and B. L. Sanderson, fifth, 158 points, fifth.

Additional east-west winners were the Fred Stevens, second, 193 points; Mike Dillon and T. Randall, third, 184; Mrs. Fred Rehling and Walter Grow, fourth, 170; Mrs. Edward Hedden and Mrs. Jack Love, fifth, 168 points.

Edgar Guest, Noted Poet, Has Mild Heart Attack

Detroit — (U.P.) — Edgar A. Guest, internationally known poet of the Detroit Free Press, was recovering from a mild heart attack today at Grace Northwestern hospital.

Guest complained about shortness of breath last night and a fire department rescue squad administered oxygen for a half hour before he was taken to the hospital.

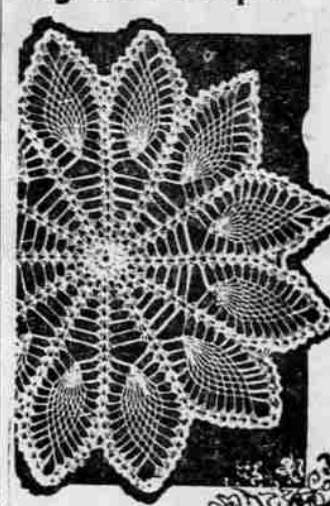
Ike's Nurse Thinks Patient Looks Fine

Washington — (U.P.) — President Eisenhower's nurse while he was recovering from his heart attack thinks her former patient looks "very fine."

Lt. Col. Edyth P. Turner, head nurse at Fitzsimons Army hospital in Denver where the President spent seven weeks last fall, called at the White House yesterday.

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Miss Truman's Fiance Selects Best Man

New York — (U.P.) — Clifton Daniel, who will marry Margaret Truman April 21, yesterday named a boyhood friend and college classmate as his best man.

Daniel said the best man would be John Knox Barrow Jr., Ahsok, N.C., the operator of a lumber mill. Barrow and Daniel, who is an assistant to the foreign editor of the New York Times, grew up on the same street in Zebulon, N.C., where Daniel's parents still live.

They were roommates at the University of North Carolina and fraternity brothers in Phi Delta Theta.

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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.

Friday 6:30 p.m.—Jacksonville IOOF lodge, dinner at Odd Fellows hall.

8 p.m. Faculty Frolics, Eagle Point High school gymnasium.

8 p.m.—Talent High school band, concert in school gymnasium.

8 p.m.—Operetta, Medford Senior High school.

Saturday 2 p.m.—Junior Degree of Honor, home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wilson, 7 Chestnut street.

8 p.m.—Operetta at Medford Senior High school.

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