

College Students Present Christmas Vespers Program

Ashland—A capacity audience of more than 600 persons filled the ballroom of Britt Student center Sunday afternoon to hear the annual Christmas Vespers concert presented by the Southern Oregon choir under the direction of Oscar C. Bjorlie. The choir was assisted this year for the first time by the Chamber Ensemble, directed by Audrey Bartlett.

The Ensemble, composed of six violins, one viola, and two cellos, opened the program with four Renaissance dances and a group of traditional carols. The group played with excellent intonation and tone quality and displayed a vitalized, energetic style that was refreshing to the listener.

The choir entered singing its traditional processional "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" and followed with four selections including Bach's "Break Forth, O Beautiful Heavenly Light," Jungst's "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," which employed the delightful effect of an echo chorus stationed in the rear of the room; "Follow That Star" by Davenport; and Pergolesi's lovely "Glory To God in the Highest."

The middle section of the program was made up of selections by a sextet, the Madrigal Group, and a quartet.

The concert was concluded by another group of choir selections. The high point of this group was the "Negro Bell Carol" by James, which featured the lovely mezzo soprano voice of Lynn Ferrell, a freshman from Klamath Falls.

Following the final selection, the choir led the audience out of doors for the annual ceremony of the lighting of the Wayne Wells tree. Following a few words from Dr. Arthur Taylor, the lights on the tree were turned on and everyone sang "Silent Night."

It was a most enjoyable afternoon, proving once again the effectiveness of this traditional program and the well-deserved reputation for fine singing enjoyed by the Southern Oregon College choir.—H.C.

Royal Wedding Soon; Said Marriage of Love

(Editor's note: When on September 16 a formal announcement disclosed that Baudouin, the young king of the Belgians, would marry Dona Fabiola de Mora y Aragon, all followers of royal doings were surprised. All asked, who is Dona Fabiola? The following two dispatches provide a closeup of the serious-minded young woman who on December 15 will become Queen of the Belgians.)

By CHINA ALTMAN United Press International

The Spanish girl who on December 15 will become Queen of the Belgians lived 32 years without having a serious beau — so far as is known.

Her first suitor was King Baudouin, the most eligible and one of the wealthiest monarchs in Europe.

When Dona Fabiola de Mora y Aragon met Baudouin she was a shy, gentle girl who never wore makeup, would not appear in a bathing suit and wore dresses at least 10 years too old for herself.

Today she is still the same girl, with the addition of a soft pink lipstick.

And December 15 she will marry her first love, the king, in a ceremony of Old World splendor and the New World glitter of thousands of flashbulbs and the television floodlights.

The mothers of socialites and princesses throughout Europe have been shaking their heads ever since the engagement was announced September 16.

How did she do it?

At tongue-wagging sessions over the teacups they have asked "Why did Baudouin choose her? She is not a fashion plate. She is older than he is (at 32, by two years.) She is self-conscious and inhibited."

The key to the riddle seems obvious.

The girl Baudouin selected to be his wife and queen of his people is — in temperament and attitudes — almost a carbon copy of the king himself.

Both are shy, devoutly religious, serious-minded, and unspectacular in appearance, speech or manner. Both have a deep sense of duty.

On the less serious side, both are fond of driving sports cars, swimming and playing tennis.

If these are not reasons

enough for the mamas meeting over their teacups, they can consider this — Baudouin found in Fabiola qualities which were not often apparent in the princesses and heiresses he had been meeting since he became monarch eight years ago.

These were an overwhelming goodness and gentleness. Also, as one of the king's aides said, "The girl has character."

There have been several differing accounts about how the king met Fabiola for the first time. But Baudouin, in a decision that seems surprisingly romantic in such a dow-to-earth person, has said the "how" is a secret he will keep for his children.

Suffice it to say, they met. There is no doubt they fell in love. In Brussels a spokesman for the royal family said firmly that it will be a marriage of love.

Chapter To Hold Christmas Party

Epsilon chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma will hold the annual Christmas party Saturday, December 17, at 2 p.m. at the Red Cross building. Members will exchange gifts they have made.

"A Song in the Night" will be narrated by Miss Dorothy Dymack, and music will be provided by Miss Florence Allen, Mrs. Alice Willis and Mrs. Marie Bjorlie.

Robinsons Hosts For Family Dinner

Yreka — A pre-Christmas family dinner was held at the Clarence Robinson home December 11 for the sisters of Mrs. Robinson and their husbands. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sublett, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Boydston and Miss Blanche Tracy, all of Redding, Calif. Also present was the Robinson's oldest son, Jim, his wife and two daughters, Susan and Celia. The Robinson's son Bill, is in Korea with the armed forces, and his wife and small son live in Mt. Shasta, Calif.

Flavor custard sauce with sauterne wine and you'll have an entirely new taste sensation.



Eighty-one-year old Lylah Tiffany, who for 11 years has supported herself by playing an accordion on the sidewalk outside Carnegie hall, made her Broadway stage debut November 30. In "All the Way Home," an adaptation of the James Agee Pulitzer prize-winning novel, "A Death in the Family" Mrs. Tiffany plays the role of a 102-year-old woman. Mrs. Tiffany, whose own life is story material, landed the role through the recommendation of an actress friend who tried out for the part but was rejected because she was "too ladylike." (UPI Telephoto)

Eighty-Year-Old Actress Finally Gets 'Big Break'

By GAY PAULEY UPI Women's Editor

New York — (UPI) — The big break comes to some actresses overnight. It took 81 years to get around to Mrs. Lylah Tiffany.

Mrs. Tiffany, who has been in and out of show business since she was a teenager, for the last dozen years has been a street musician outside Carnegie hall where nightly she pulled up a chair and her accordion and played for whatever coins passerby wished to give.

Then, last October, producers were looking for someone for the role of a woman of 100-plus years in the play "All the Way Home." An actress friend, who Mrs. Tiffany said was "too ladylike for the part," suggested that Mrs. Tiffany read for the role.

She did, and the producers hired her on the spot.

Now, the stooped little woman with bright eyes and snowy hair is performing for the first time on Broadway and exercising her "white magic" to stay there. "White magic is different from black magic," she explained in an interview. "White magic works for good; black for evil."

The play opened to mixed notices, but a surge in box office business encouraged the producers to keep it running.

"I believe my fortune has changed," said Mrs. Tiffany. "But I'm not worried about myself; I can always make a living. I worry about the rest of the cast."

"I'll just go back to my street corner," she said. "Why New Year's Eve I can make enough to keep me for two or three weeks."

"Now don't you say I beg," the actress instructed. "I play well... people enjoy my music. You know, sometimes members of the New York Philharmonic (Carnegie Hall is its "home") bring me sandwiches."

"Someone said that I leaned over with my head on the accordion just to get sympathy. I don't. It's because sitting so long, I get a back ache and leaning rests me."

Unicycle and Chihuahua

Mrs. Tiffany was born in Columbus, Ohio, in 1879, the daughter of a successful machinery inventor. She said the family often organized its own amateur shows and played the neighboring towns. She was the pianist.

"I once had a scholarship to the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago," she said, "but I never used it. I went west instead with an all-girl orchestra."

Her career included jobs in beauty shops in Mexico City and Cuba, and touring the vaudeville circuit with a professional bicyclist whom she wed in 1902. "He taught me to ride a unicycle with a chihuahua on my head," she said.

When her husband died, she came to New York and played piano and pipe organ in movie theaters. In 1929 she married a shoe salesman named Walter Tiffany; later she took up tea-leaf reading.

Graham-Paull Ceremony Held At Bride's Home

Central Point—The wedding of Miss Charlene C. Paull, daughter of City Administrator and Mrs. Lyle M. Paull, 313 North First street, Central Point, and James E. Graham, Miami, Fla., took place in the Paull home December 2. Sunday's Mail Tribune story incorrectly listed the location of the ceremony.

Dr. George C. Roseberry of the Medford First Methodist church officiated. Baskets of white chrysanthemums and red carnations decorated the home for the wedding and family reception which followed.

The bride, who has been employed as a teacher in the Portland schools, chose a red knit suit with black and beige accessories for traveling. Following the rites the couple left on an extended trip through the southwest to Tennessee and Florida. The bridegroom, an aviation structural mechanic first class in the U.S. Navy, will report for duty at Memphis, Tenn., as he recently completed a three months tour of duty in Alaska.

From Tennessee the couple will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Graham, Cocoa Beach, Fla. While there they plan to attend the Orange bowl game January 2 between Navy and the University of Missouri.

The couple plans to live in Memphis for about three years.

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Auxiliary Plans Yule Program

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Jackson County Medical society will hold a Christmas program Wednesday, December 14, at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Earl Lawson, 301 Windsor avenue. Mrs. Edward Sickels will be co-hostess, and dessert will be served. A musical program will follow the refreshments.

Mrs. Lawson and her daughter, De Etta, will entertain with a piano and organ duet. The Medtones, Mrs. Laurel Case, Mrs. John Dellenbach, Mrs. Jack Sanborn, and Mrs. Jack Edson, will sing several songs, and the program will feature a reading by Mrs. John Bradenbury.

Members are reminded to bring \$1 for a coupon book for the veterans at Camp White, and canned goods to be donated to the Red Cross Christmas baskets for the needy.

Court Party

A Christmas party will be given by Roxy Ann court, Order of the Amaranth, Thursday, December 15, at 6:30 p.m. at Medford Masonic temple.

Get-Together Club Plans Party

Get-Together club will meet Friday, December 16, at 1 p.m. for dessert and an afternoon of cards. Friends of members are invited to attend.

Social Events Women's News

Judicial System Revision Subject of League Talk

Revision of Oregon's judicial system was discussed by Frank Van Dyke, Medford attorney, at the December general meeting of Medford League of Women Voters. It was held Saturday at the Red Cross building.

As a member of the interim committee on judicial revision and of the Oregon Bar association committee on judicial revision, Mr. Van Dyke spoke with authority on the problems of the administration of justice. The first major revision of the section of the state constitution dealing with judicial matters occurred in 1910, he said, and this revision consolidated the earlier provisions for the administration of justice into more concise and workable form.

In the main, this revision forms the basis for our present judicial system, according to Mr. Van Dyke. In 1957, the legislature appointed an interim committee to study the courts throughout the state and suggest possible changes.

Material Reviewed

Mr. Van Dyke reviewed the committee's recommendations giving much interesting background material relating to the need for changes in various areas. "The committee was very much gratified," Mr. Van Dyke reported, "that the legislature adopted most of its recommendations. The provision for temporary appointments of judges to the supreme court greatly facilitated the handling of cases. The supreme court, in particular, has made great progress in catching up with a large backlog of cases."

Mr. Van Dyke explained that the committee's suggestions in regard to the appointment of judges had not been adopted by the legislature. "The committee is still hopeful," he said, "of arriving at a method of appointment agreeable both to the legislature and to the great number of lawyers interested in improving the situation in regard to judicial appointments."

Mr. Van Dyke stressed the importance of a strong court system. He mentioned the preamble to the Oregon Constitution which states as its first purpose (providing a Constitution) "to the end that justice be established." Mr. Van Dyke concluded his talk with a quotation from Woodrow Wilson, "So far as the individual is concerned, a constitutional government is as good as its courts; no better, no worse. It keeps its promises or does not keep them in its courts."

Saturday's meeting climaxed a month's intensive study by League members of revision of Oregon's judicial system. During the next few days, Jackson county legislators will be approached by the Medford League of Women Voters as part of the league's continuing effort to obtain re-

Daughter Born To Californians

Mrs. L. Paul Walker has returned to her home at 2132 Dellwood avenue after spending some time in California with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kerr, Berkeley.

The Kerrs are the parents of a daughter born November 22 and named Laura Diane. Mrs. Kerr is the former Molly Walker. Mr. Kerr, with State Farm Insurance in Berkeley, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Kerr, 486 South Mountain road, Ashland.

While away Mrs. Walker also visited briefly with her other daughters and their husbands. They are Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Mars, San Leandro, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brody, Santa Rosa, Calif.



One of the decorations to be displayed in the home of Mrs. C. E. Kimmel, South B street, Eagle Point, during a tour planned by Eagle Point Garden club Wednesday, December 14, will be this gold foil Christmas tree. The tree, on a lazy Susan base, is trimmed with red glass balls. With boughs of incense cedar, it decorates the entry divider at the Kimmel home. Other homes to be open during the tour are those of Mrs. Steve Wilson, corner of Crater Lake highway and Dutton road; Mrs. Betty Claus, 311 South B street and Mrs. Clarence Davies, corner of Bigham and Antelope roads. The tour is set from 2 to 4:30 p.m. and is open to the public.

Annual Party Set For Women

The annual Christmas luncheon and meeting of Women of Rotary will be at the home of Mrs. Ralph Dippel, 1 Eastwood drive, Wednesday, December 14, at 12:30 p.m.

Members are to exchange small gifts.

Reservations may be made with Mrs. Harvey Fields, Normandy 4-2204. Women are asked to take their own place settings.

Three Parties Set in Tiller

Tiller — Three parties were outlined at Club 227 meeting Friday, December 2. Planned were a farewell party for the Hubert Walkers, who are moving to Middleton, Idaho, a Christmas party for club members on December 23, and a teenage party.

Ralph Stauch asked for the hall December 9 for a cattleman's meeting.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Virgie Lowry.

Calendar

- Calendar notes 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.
- Tuesday:**
- 6:30 p.m. — Golden Link class, First Baptist church.
 - 7:30 p.m. — Bethel 55, International Order of Job's Daughters, Masonic temple.
 - 7:30 p.m. — Nite Lighters Home Extension unit, home of Mrs. F. M. Hogue, 549 Alder st., Central Point.
 - 7:30 p.m. — Pythian club, Pythian hall.
 - 7:45 p.m. — Wilson Park Home Extension unit, home of Mrs. Victor Drew, 514 Fairmont ave., Apartment B.
 - 8 p.m. — Nevita chapter, OES, Central Point Masonic temple.
 - 8 p.m. — Roguette circle, Military Order of Lady Bugs, VFW hall.
- Wednesday:**
- 10:30 a.m. — Medford Home Extension unit, Sant Hall.
 - 10:30 a.m. — Rogue Elk Home Extension unit, home of Mrs. Ken Lacy, 533 Cherry st., Central Point.
 - 11 a.m. — Medford Townsend club, Walker's Dreamland, 415 1/2 East Main st.
 - 12 noon — Jackson County Motor Court association, North's Chuck wagon.
 - 12 noon — Mistletoe club, Girls Community club.
 - 12 noon — Roxy Garden club, home of Mrs. Robert Stokes, 241 Vernada place.
 - 12:30 p.m. — Chapter AA of PEO Sisterhood, home of Mrs. Don B. Whalin, 300 Windsor ave.
 - 1:30 p.m. — Oak Grove Neighborhood club, with Mrs. Clare Shores, 2809 Jacksonville highway.

Women of Moose Announce Events

Coming events of Women of the Moose were announced today.

A business meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 14, at the lodge hall. This will be the only one of the month. Friday, December 16, the women will hold a Christmas party at the hall beginning at 6:30 p.m. with a potluck dinner. Santa Claus will be present to distribute treats for the children.

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