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ROLAND HAYES SINGS HERE TUESDAY NIGHT WELL KNOWN COUPLE SAID TO BE ESTRANGED

WORLD FAMOUS TENOR HERE

ROLAND HAYES ARRIVES IN
CITY OF ROSES FOR HIS SIXTH
CONCERT IN AUDITORIUM HERE

Press Throughout Country Speaks in Superlatives of
Mr. Hayes' Achievement In His Art — All Portland
Will Honor Noted Singer March 12.

COLORED LIGHTS

By Foster Ongo

Colored lights in colors shining—
Portland streets in colors glow.
Oh, the beauty of these places
Where the Neon colors glow.
On the slope, the big sign "Richfield,"
Down town, "Public Service Place";
"Oregonian" is attractive—
"Journal" shines bright in its face.
"Portland Theatre" is glowing—
And "The Broadway" it does charm—
While "Hippodrome" and "Music Box"
Shine in colors, which are warm!

The other theatres glow brightly,
As does Fourth at Washington;
But for miles of shining brightness,
Old Grand Avenue has won.
I've tried so hard to pick the best—
Even thought to choose Broadway,
But 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 10th and 11th
Are all lit in colors gay.
Y. M. C. A.—its arrow shines—
Most pleasing to behold;
While Chevrolet, high in the street
Shines and glistens like old gold!

I do not know which lights to choose—
Every night I go to see—
But how to win the prize contest,
It surely does puzzle me.
It seems the best way to decide
Is to sit quite still and think.
Now the light which I will mention
Is not green, or blue or pink;
So here's my choice of colored light—
Shining daily on life's way—
Steadily glowing for her people
Is bright Mrs. Cannady!

Footlight Review by Joymakers Club
Monday night, April 8

AUSPLUND DRUG STORE
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PORTLAND, ORE.

Roland Hayes, world famous tenor, arrived in Portland on Thursday morning, looking the very picture of health, and in fine spirits. When met at the depot he stated that he was overwhelmed with joy on being back in Portland once again. He engaged in reminiscences for a brief time—recounting the impressions of his first concert in the city, which was held at the Masonic Temple. He feels



very near to Portland, who, before he became a world-known figure, realized the true worth of his art and himself as an artist.

GUEST OF THE CANNADYS

Mr. Hayes will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cannady at their home in Irvington, until after his concert at the City Auditorium on Tuesday evening, March 12. This will be Mr. Hayes' sixth appearance in Portland, having been presented twice by Mrs. Cannady and four times by Ellison-White.

An artist in the true sense of the word is never really satisfied to rest on laurels already gained. This is decidedly true of Roland Hayes. An average musician will at some point be satisfied with his tone and his phrasing. The musician

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"ARROW TIPS"

By Kits Reid

The Advocate does not necessarily share in Kits Reid's views, but whether we do or not, her opinions are sane, and logical and well worth reading. It is your privilege as well as ours to disagree with Kits and she invites your opinion upon subjects she discusses from time to time in her column.

The newspapers and magazines which are not controlled by gods of "Things as they are" are telling some bitter horrid truths these days. It makes one shudder to read the reports of the terrible things which are happening in this "land of good will". Of course there are various ways of demonstrating that same "good-will".

For instance, it was the Pennsylvania "coal and iron" police in the private pay of the Mellon interests who demonstrated their good will towards their employers in the shocking murder of John Barkoski, a miner, by three of the noble order of brutes hired by the coal interests. Barkoski interferred when the police were brutally beating his brother-in-law. They turned on him and clubbed him over the head with a revolver butt, and while he lay on the floor half-conscious one of the police began to beat him with a poker. Becoming tired of this, two of the policemen jumped up and down on Barkoski crushing in his ribs, puncturing the lungs and crushing consciousness—all in the name of the paternal protection of the coal and iron of Pennsylvania. All in this country over which the red, white and blue banner of liberty waves. And Mellon, the controlling owner of the stock of the companies is secretary of the U. S. Treasury.

Another case of horror is reported by the Crisis in the last number. The story is told by William Pickens, and is an answer to the question of Madeline Naidu, a Hindu woman a friend of the Mahatma Gandhi, and who at one time was the president of the Indian National Congress. The question was "Is it true that they really burn colored people in the United States?" This is the answer as given by Ronie, Mississippi on December 31, 1928. The story of the torturing and burning at the stake of the gasoline saturated form of the Negro, Chas. Shepherd is too fiendish in its cruelty to repeat. It reads like an account of the old heathen orgies of ancient Rome—more it outdoes in cruelty and barbarism, the methods of those old savages. The governor of the state said: "he had neither the time or the money to investigate the case".

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PEARL MITCHELL

Pianist — Coach — Accompanist

Choral Director

announces

Opening of Her New Studio

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SUNDAY MORNING

"TWO WAYS OF LIFE —
WHICH WILL YOU TAKE?"

SUNDAY NIGHT

"THE FIERY SERPENT"

SWEETEST MUSIC IN TOWN . . .

HEARTIEST WELCOME IN TOWN . . .

HAPPIEST WORKERS IN TOWN . . .

DR. CASTON PREACHES

"MISSING LINE" CONTEST PROVES HUGE SUCCESS

"I will Phone You Thru' the Air" contest which we have conducted the past several weeks, has met with an abundance of success. Now that we know our readers are interested in these highly literary contests, we are anxious to continue them.

Articles are coming in pretty rapidly in the Missing Line Contest on the Colored (Neon) lights. Just a little while longer and this part of the contest No. 3 closes. So hurry up and send in your article telling what colored (Neon) lighting please you most and why. Next week we are going to announce a most unique contest in which all will have a part. Just now it is a deep secret but will be revealed just as soon as you send in your answer to No. 3.

This week, we are announcing a little different contest. This is Contest No. 3, for which we offer four prizes for sending in the name of the building, or person or company, which, in your estimation has the best colored (Neon) light display, and give your reason for thinking so—making it brief and snappy.

Have your answers in on or before March 9.

The prizes offered for this contest

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Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends for their words and deeds of sympathy on the death of our beloved husband and cousin, Eddie Cartwright. Especially do we wish to thank Enterprise Lodge, Rev. J. L. Caston and Mr. Roy Garnett.

Mrs. Billie Cartwright, wife
Miss Rebecca Bivens, cousin

Cards announcing the death and funeral service of the late Mrs. Azalia Magdalen Eichelberger have been received by Portland friends. Mrs. Eichelberger, wife of the director of religious Education of the Zion African H. E. Church, died February 28 and was buried from the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion church at Sparta, S. C., Tuesday March 5, at 2 P. M.

Alberta Yvonne Mayo

announces

the opening of a class in
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LOCAL GROUP AIDS KELLOGG PEACE PACT

Says That Mr. Korrell Should Be
Encouraged — Praised
By Writer.

Mr. E. D. Cannady,

Editor of The Advocate,
312 Maclay Building,
Portland, Oregon.

Dear Sir:

When the public sentiment is preponderantly molded in support of any cause, and that cause has for its object the adjustment of the ills of mankind, immeasurable good always follows as a result of that sentiment. Such is the case in the recent ratification by the United States Senate of the Kellogg multi-lateral treaty, which renounces war as a means of settling disputes or misunderstandings among nations. Forty-eight nations, through their plenipotentiaries, have become signatories of this world renowned document.

Subsequent events have proven that this treaty—which is now known as "the instrument of ratification"—is being universally acclaimed as one of the world's most beneficent pacts. There is a movement now started by certain leading statesmen of our country, according to recent press dispatches, to draft and present at the earliest opportunity auxiliary treaties to the original pact; and it should be most gratifying to the people of Oregon to note that our own Honorable Mr. Korrell, representative from the third district, is very active and instrumental in this new movement. Speaking before the Inter-Parliamentary Union on February 25, 1929, at Washington D. C., Mr. Korrell offered a resolution "proposing that the American members attending the annual meeting of the Union in Geneva, Switzerland, next August, shall invite the adoption by each of the nations signatory to the Kellogg pact of the principle that private exportation of arms and munitions shall be embargoed as against any country violating the multi-lateral pact".

As a new Congressman of ability and integrity, Mr. Korrell should be encouraged and supported in this wonderful effort towards universal tranquility. We hope, too, that he and Senator Borah of Idaho are close friends, for the capable chairman of our Foreign Relations committee is likewise interested in world peace.

History will most assuredly record the encouraging and happy fact that the Associate Editor of The Advocate and her co-workers have done a very commendable civic duty, locally and Nationally, by their efforts to ensure the ratification of the Kellogg peace treaty. And without doubt their great zeal has done much in molding public sentiment in behalf of this worthy movement. The citizens of Oregon should, indeed, be grateful and proud of the service thus rendered.

Desiring to make public acknowledgement of your deserving achievement, and wishing you continued success, I am,

Your respectfully,

PHIL REYNOLDS,
391 Roselawn Ave.

TAKES BODY OF FATHER HOME FOR FINAL SERVICE

Herchel Cross, of Battle Creek, Mich., was called to Portland last week to look after the remains of his father, Edward A. Cross, who was found dead at his ranch at Cape Horn, Washington. Mr. Cross lived alone in his farm house and had been dead it is thought from pneumonia, for several days when friends found the body lying on the floor. He was 62 years old. Mr. Cross has been in the west for about 30 years and is known to many of the old-timers. He leaves to mourn their loss a daughter Thelma, and two sons, Herschel and Theodore Cross and a host of friends. The body was taken to the place of his birth, Rumua, Michigan, for burial. Mr. Cross left with the remains on Saturday morning, March 2.

The deceased left an estate in Portland, consisting of real property.

Desire

Nothing I ask that Heaven may give,
Except the grace to more nobly live;
Eyes that are quickened the more to see—
In a desert waste, or a leafless tree.

Ears so tuned to the reach of song
Music is with me the whole day long—
Hands that have always the strength to do;
Even in resting, a something true.

Feet that the levels of life may go,
As the waters their way through the meadows flow;
Nothing I ask that Heaven may give—
Except to live—and yet more to live.

ROBERT WHITAKER.

La Crescenta, Cal.

K of P THANKSGIVING

S. W. Green, Supreme Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, has issued a proclamation to all members of the Knights of Pythias and Court of Calanthie, to assemble at some church or Hall on Sunday, March 24, and have a sermon preached or hold a religious service of some kind, and render thanks to God for the blessings received from his bountiful hands.

EASTER MONDAY NIGHT BALL

By St. Phillip's Guild

HIBERNIA HALL

Admission 50c.

POET STILL LOVES WIFE

CULLEN SUING
FOR DIVORCE,
REPORT SAYS

Poet Husband of W. E. DuBois' Daughter, Claims Incompatibility on Complaint.

Both Are in Paris, France Have Been Separated for Some Time — Wedding Was Held Last September.

Poet's "Real Love" Is Here

(From Phila. Tribune)

"The report is without basis. Mrs. DuBois is visiting her daughter and son-in-law in Paris.

This is the reply of W. E. B. DuBois, editor of the Crisis magazine, to a telegram from this paper in which he was asked whether there was any truth to the report that Cullen, his son-in-law, and noted poet, was anticipating divorce action against his wife of less than a year, the former Yolande DuBois, daughter of Dr. DuBois.

According to reports received by this paper, and said to have come from Cullen, the divorce action will be taken upon his return to this country. At present the poet and his school-teacher wife are said to be living in different hotels. It further state in the report coming to this newspaper that Cullen gives as the reason for the divorce incompatibility, claiming that both are the "only children" of their respective parents, and that both are "spoiled."

Dr. Cullen Upset

According to Mr. Cullen, his father, Rev. F. A. Cullen, pastor of Salem M. E. Church, New York City, is upset over the affair.

It is further reported that Mrs. Cullen will leave Paris shortly, but that her husband will remain another year. Her husband says that he has nothing but the highest praise for his wife, but that they simply could not get along together. "Countee", the report continues, "has a girl somewhere in America whom he really loves, and the marriage seems to have been one of convenience, as the French say."

The marriage of the couple last April created a stir in social and intellectual circles in this country. The affair was most elaborate, over twenty bridesmaids comprising the wedding party. Before her marriage to Cullen the bride taught in the public school system of Baltimore, Md. She is a member of the Delta Sigma Theta sorority. Her husband, recognized as the most outstanding of the younger poets, is a graduate of Harvard University.

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Mr. Franklin