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## SALEM GETS UNUSUAL TREAT IN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA CONCERT

Mrs. Jane Burns Albert, Soloist Had Many Encores From Fascinated Audience.

To many a listener the Symphony orchestra concert last night was a venture into terra incognita—a realm of fantasy and of dreams, where, under the magic of the director's baton there were unlocked mysteries of spiritual and dramatic necromancy such as are never revealed in the ordinary musical performance. It is a simple thing—apparently—to wave a baton over a group of thirty musicians; it is a far different thing to gather up and focus upon one brief evening the musical lore of such instructors as Anton Rubenstein and Clara Schumann, association with Hoffman, Schuman-Heinke and Powell, and the inspiration of a life intimacy with the world's greatest composers. The audience did not realize it, but that was why the "fine frenzy" of Suppe and Mascagni and Verdi and Hadyn came up from the dead decades and throbbed and burned again in the performance of a group of mere fiddlers and horn blowers.

To say that the program of last night was faultlessly rendered would be but a half statement; it was thru its faultlessness that Director Sites found it possible to express what the great composers tried to impress upon the world—the divine element in harmony.

### Program Well Selected

As before stated, the program rendered at the Grand opera house last night was selected with a view to giving full scope to the orchestration as well as to satisfy and delight all classes of musical tastes. Everyone was bound to be delighted with the splendid interpretation of the immortal "Pee and Peasant," the bewitching melodious subtleties of "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "Rigoletto." There was glitter of barbaric color and military splendor in Halvorsen's "Bejarnen" and Verdi's march from "Aida"—productions that never fail to thrill the soul and quicken the pulse. To those who still held to their nature the element of romance, there was the most alluring charm in Berger's concert waltz—"Amoureuse"—one of the finest types of this class of composition ever written.

Whether or not it was fully appreciated, the Military Symphony of Haydn was the great number on the program—the most intricate and elaborate pattern weaving of themes and movements, worked out with infinite ingenuity and rendered by the orchestra in grand style.

### Soloist Added Much to Concert

It was very appropriate that the vocal soloist—Mrs. Jane Burns Albert—should have been gowned in rose-tinted satin and should carry a cluster of roses, for her voice expressed itself in roses—white, blush-pink and passionate crimson. To a most winsome stage presence and a voice of flute purity and flexibility, she adds the subtle quality of soulfulness that makes her renditions go home to her listeners. She expressed herself most exquisitely perhaps in the little aria "The Star" by Rogers, and most bewitchingly in "Butterflies" by Leister. She was called to the stage again and again by insistent encores.

The average listener might not realize the fact, but a large part of the charm of the evening's performance was due to the faultless work of Mrs. A. A. Schramm who presided at the piano, both for the solos and the ensemble.

It would be almost trite to remark that the greatest commendation is due to Prof. Sites and the orchestra in view of this performance, which represents not only hard work but musical genius. The only regret is that the opera house could not have been packed to capacity, as it doubtless would have been had it not been for a number of great attractions just preceding it, and another occurring at the same hour. Certain it is that Prof. Sites can take to himself the satisfaction of having firmly established a musical organization that will be a credit to the city and to himself.

she was stationed. Although there is reason to believe the trunk may contain clues leading to the solution of the mystery surrounding the girl's death, police say, army officers have not investigated the trunk's non-arrival.

## Johnson Says Bill To Suspend Immigration Is To Be Introduced

Aberdeen, Wash., March 21.—A bill suspending all immigration for four years will be introduced on the opening day of the next session of Congress.

Congressman Albert Johnson, who arrived home from Washington yesterday, is authority for that statement today. Johnson will be chairman of the house immigration committee.

A provision for the deportation of all aliens who withdrew their applications for citizenship that they evade the draft will be incorporated in the bill, Johnson declared.

Another clause will provide for the cancellation of the citizenship of naturalized citizens who agitated revolt and advocated the overthrow of the United States government.

### DEATH "EXAGGERATED"

Bend, Or., March 21.—Simon A. Simonson, who was reported to have died in a French hospital last fall, has arrived home from Camp Lewis, where he was discharged from the Sixty-fifth artillery, and is very much alive. "The report of my death was greatly exaggerated," said Simonson.

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lodge building had a fine large basement 25 by 108 feet, besides plenty of room for a kitchen of proper size, and that without any great expense, this basement could be constructed into a dining room and kitchen. And then there would be enough room left in which to build a suitable stage.

By an unanimous vote, the trustees of the lodge were instructed to have plans drawn at once and to have work begin on the re-arrangement of the basement. Mr. Erixon said that the ceiling of the room was nine feet high and that it was well ventilated and that it could easily be made into a dining room with an up-to-date kitchen.

District Deputy Burggraf of Albany addressed the lodge last evening and after the initiations there was the regulation Johnny Jones banquet.

The following were duly initiated into the mysteries of the 11 o'clock hour and are now duly credited members of Salem Lodge 336, B. P. O. E.: O. B. Gingrich, Frank W. Durbin, Jr., A. H. Gille, A. W. Lawrence, F. E. Powell, John W. Miller, H. H. Harris, J. H. Evans, S. A. Harris, Thomas K. Sanderson, Glen Goulet, Milo S. Farwell, A. L. Beeson and Edward J. Amber.

## May Appeal To War Dept. For Action On Nurse Case

San Francisco, March 21.—Alleging local army officials are far from diligent in their efforts to locate the persons responsible for the death of Inez Reed, army nurse, relatives of the dead woman today are considering an appeal to the war department for an investigation.

They state that in the two weeks since the identity of the body found in a canyon near San Mateo was established, the army investigators detailed on the case have apparently accomplished nothing. Arthur Reed, brother of the dead woman, making a private investigation to determine whether the army investigators apathy is due to lack of interest in the case or to a desire to cover men in military circles who might be connected either with the girl's betrayal or her death as a result of an illegal operation.

For several days, police have been awaiting announcement from the Presidio of the arrival of the dead girl's effects from Fort Riley, Kansas, where

## Prominent Salem Woman Passes

Mrs. Iva F. Turner, wife of Lawyer Frank A. Turner, passed away at the family home, 335 N. Capital street, this morning at 3:45 after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Turner was well known in this city where the family has resided for over 20 years. She was born at Chatfield, Minn., Oct. 5, 1861, and was married to Mr. Turner Feb. 20, 1883, at Sanborn, Iowa. Two children were born to this union, Rex A. Turner of Winifred, Mont., and Miss Joy Turner, a well known musician and music teacher, of this city; she is also survived by her mother, Mrs. F. E. Inman, and a brother, Lawyer C. M. Inman, both residing in Salem.

Besides being an active worker in the Order of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Turner was a member of the Artisans lodge and for a number of years was an ar-

dent worker in the Salem Women's club. The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Rigdon's chapel, under the auspices of the First Church of Christ, Scientists, of this city. Burial will be at Mount Crest mausoleum, the services being conducted by Chadwick Chapter No. 37, Order of Eastern Star.

## Elks To Arrange For Big Banquet Hall In Basement

Members of the Salem Elks lodge at the meeting held last night, unanimously voted that the lodge was in need of a large banquet hall and a well equipped dining room and kitchen where the members could at all times be served with meals and where on special occasions 300 members or more could be seated at the same time.

Fred A. Erixon brings to the attention of the lodge the fact that the

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