

Ellington Concert To Open Beloit Field House Series Oct. 27



Jessica Tandy and Hume Cronyn

Duke Ellington, long-standing member of the nation's top jazz musicians, will open the Beloit college field house series Wednesday night, Oct. 27. He will be accompanied in the concert by the Dave Brubeck quartet and the Gerry Mulligan combos.

Bob Hope will make his first visit to the area in the second attraction of the series Friday night, Nov. 19. Hope, a headliner comedian on radio, television, and the screen, will be accompanied here by the Billy May orchestra.

The series will turn to drama on Monday night, Nov. 29, with Hume Cronyn and Jessica Tandy in "The Four Poster," the play they made famous on Broadway.

The series will conclude Saturday, Feb. 5, with the Chicago Symphony orchestra conducted by Fritz Reiner. The warm reception given the Boston Pops in its appearance in Beloit last year prompted sponsorship of another orchestral program.



Duke Ellington



Bob Hope

Italian Choral Sings Tonight

The Italian Choral, consisting of 26 mixed voices, will sing at 7:30 o'clock tonight during the Columbus day celebration banquet in Verdi hall.

Angelo La Loggia is new director of the chorus, and Arlene Verbeski is piano accompanist. During October the organization which rehearses each Tuesday evening in St. Elizabeth's social center, is making a drive for new members. Anyone interested in joining may call the center.

Selection to be sung tonight are: Come Back to Sorrento, O! Sole Mio, La Spagnola, Margaritta, and Veni Sul Mar.

Elected Treasurer

Lois Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Anderson, 1332 Harlem Blvd., has been elected treasurer of North Jones hall at William Woods college, Fulton, Mo.



Fritz Reiner

Mary Haworth's Mail: Daughter Used as Scapegoat

Dear Mary Haworth: My mother is a very brilliant woman whose life has attained great success in many things that I don't feel are my fault.

She married first at 16, and got a divorce at 20, as my father was a heavy drinker. A few years later she married an older man — I was living in a convent school at the time, and staying with my grandmother. Later she separated from my stepfather, whom I never knew, and I was back with her. I was 9 years old by then, and felt very resentful when she told me it was my fault that he had left her.

He died five years ago, and it was his money that brought me up. Mother still feels, and often says, it is my fault they weren't happy together. She claims he bought my clothes.

I have a stepister, a very lovable person, seven years my junior. Maybe I am jealous, but it seems to me she gets what she wants so easily. Not that I begrudge her anything, for she is openhanded with me. I feel sort of left-out, though.

In recent years mother was in business, and I was working for her fulltime without pay. When I said I should like to get a paying job outside, she paid me a small salary; and later, when I spoke again of wanting an outside job, so as to meet people and maybe marry, she said she understood, and she got a very good job for me, with wonderful associates. Soon afterward she sold her business, and now blames me because she gave up a good income.

She also bought several big houses as investment property, and claims it is my fault she took on such a burden — as she wanted a big home for us, so we could have all the company I wished. I can't understand why she says such things. Can you? Do you think she wants me to leave home? Your insight will be greatly appreciated.

V. S.
Dear V. S.: When your mother makes a wrong move, or experiences grief, frustration or anxiety, she immediately blames somebody — preferably somebody close to her. I suppose, who will be chagrined and vulnerable to her reproaches (she hopes). Involuntarily she is acting out the proverb "Misery loves company." When she is unhappy or disappointed, she wants a partner in suffering.

This killjoy aspect of her conduct of life probably had much to do with the failure of her two marriages.

As to why your lovable young stepister fares better in the family relationship, this may be

pure luck — a congenital difference of temperament in her favor. In nearly every family, there is a son or daughter who seems to have an inborn affinity for one or the other parent.

Unconsciously your mother may wish you'd get going in life of your own, apart from her — but consciously, she just nags from habit, I think. However, it is likely that your life would be healthier, happier and more satisfactory in the long run, if you were to get out from under her wing, and develop self-reliance.

MARY HAWORTH
(Mary Haworth's column, not by mail, or personal invitation. Write her in care of The Rockford Morning Star.)

Pledged by Fraternity

Richard Helms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Helms, Sterling, has been pledged to Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity at Millikin university, Decatur, where Helms is a freshman majoring in industry.

Home Bureau Meetings

Alfretta E. Dickinson, Winnebago county home adviser, has announced the following Home Bureau meetings for this week.

Monday: Burrill unit will meet at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Watts, R. R. 3, Rockford. Major lesson will be presented by Mrs. Carroll Coats. Minor lesson will be given by Mrs. Elvin C. Hartley.

Tuesday: The county membership drive will be started by a kick-off breakfast at 8:30 a.m. in the Farm Bureau building followed by a program and talk by Mr. Charles Mayfield, secretary of organization for the Illinois Agricultural association. Mrs. George Lillie, county vice-president, will be in charge of the drive.

Wednesday: Rockford Evening unit will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Ralph O. Gutshall, R. R. 3, with Mrs. Lloyd Morrison as co-hostess. Major lesson will be presented by Mrs. Floyd Seibert and Mrs. Charles Pagel. Minor lesson will be given by Mrs. Myron G. Smith.

Thursday: Whig Hill unit will meet at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Roy Johnson, Sauber Homestead, Rockford. Major lesson will be presented by the home adviser. Minor lesson will be given by Mrs. Ed M. Schlack. Loves Park unit will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Walter J. Zwierzycki, 225 Burrwood ave. Major lesson will be given by the home adviser. Minor lesson will be presented by Mrs. Ivan F. Finley.

Friday: Pecatonica unit will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. M. M. Dirksen, Pecatonica. Major lesson will be given by Mrs. C. O. Henneman, and Mrs. G. Willard Hall. Minor lesson will be presented by Mrs. Merlyn Dirksen.

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Rockford Afternoon unit will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Otto Grenberg, 2315 Wallace ave. Major lesson will be given by the home adviser. Minor lesson will be presented by the home adviser.

Local leader major lesson: "Saving Time in the Kitchen." Home adviser lesson: "Pattern Alteration."

Minor lesson: "How To Vote and the Reapportionment Amendment."

Oct. 10-13 the home adviser will be attending the National Home Demonstration Agents meeting in the Sherman hotel in Chicago.

TROUGH GOES
BOSTON — Looks like the automobile is really here to stay. City Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland has ordered the removal of the old horse watering trough in Flood square, South Boston.

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