

DRAMATIC VARIETY SHOW

Beloit College Books Couple

Stage and screen stars Jessica Tandy and Hume Cronyn will present their unique dramatic variety show, "Face to Face," at the Beloit college fieldhouse next Monday night after a sensational opening on the West coast.

Los Angeles and San Francisco reviewers lauded the couple for their "amazing versatility," and "a stirring display of the theatrical virtuosity," and expressed gratitude for "an evening this critic will long remember."

"Face to Face" is, essentially, a four-part program which, while it has its serious moments, stresses comedy from classical and contemporary literature and poetry.

Included on the program will be excerpts from Stephen Vincent Benet, Edna St. Vincent Millay, Elizabeth Barrett Browning, Thomas Wolfe, Dorothy Parker, Tennessee Williams, Ogden Nash, and Shakespeare.

The couple, married in 1946 after meeting on a post-show coffee date arranged by a mutual friend, co-starred in "The Fourposter," "The Marriage," and "Madame, Will You Walk?" all smash hits on Broadway.

They also are co-stars of the radio-television show, "The Marriage."

Among Miss Tandy's many successes were her performance in the lead role of "A Streetcar Named Desire" on Broadway and as the wife of Field Marshal Erwin Rommel (James Mason) in the movie, "The Desert Fox." Cronyn is a veteran of both stage and screen. His movies include "Lifeboat," "Brute Force," "Top of the Morning," and "People Will Talk."

Next Monday's show, third in the current Beloit college series, will open at 8 o'clock. Tickets may be obtained at the college ticket office, 445 E. Grand ave., Beloit; or by telephoning Emerson 2-3334, Beloit.

The first two shows of the season, the Duke Ellington jazz concert and Bob Hope variety review, both played to capacity audiences. The series will close Feb. 5 with the Chicago Symphony orchestra, directed by Fritz Reiner.



"Amazing versatility" is how west coast reviewers describe Jessica Tandy and Hume Cronyn (above) who will offer their dramatic variety show, "Face to Face," in the Beloit college fieldhouse Monday night.

Marilyn Johnson Candidate For Queen of Homecoming



MARILYN JOHNSON

Marilyn Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Helen D. Johnson, 217 Sanders st., is one of five girls chosen as candidates for Homecoming queen at Blackburn college, Carlinville.

The queen, selected from among the five on Monday, will be revealed at half-time of the Homecoming basketball game this Saturday afternoon. She will be crowned by the student marshal and will reign over festivities of Homecoming weekend.

The five candidates were elected from the sophomore and junior classes by the entire student body in an all-college assembly.

Miss Johnson, a junior at the college, has taken part in many extra-curricular activities during her three years at Blackburn. She has been president of the choir, president of the college players, feature editor of the college newspaper, active in intramural sports, and is now an honor resident in the freshman dormitory.

Evangelist To Launch Crusade in Scotland

LONDON (INS) — Evangelist Billy Graham will launch his 1955 British "crusade" in Scotland.

F. Roy Cattell, general secretary of the British Evangelical alliance, who has just returned from discussing next year's arrangements with Dr. Graham, said Graham plans to sail from New York March 12 and hold his first meeting in Glasgow March 21.

Kelvin hall, scene of industrial and other exhibitions, has been reserved for six weeks for Graham's "All Scotland Crusade," sponsored by the "Tell Scotland" movement under the chairmanship of the Rev. Tom Allan.

PAINT CLEARS CELLS

MUSKEGON, Mich. — Sheriff Axel M. Pederson faces an unusual interior decorating problem. While the inside of the county jail is being painted he must find outside lodging for 60 or 70 prisoners.

State Grants Window Firm Change in Name

Window Masters, Inc., 3519 Auburn st., is the new name of the former Weather-Tite of Rockford firm, located at 3201 Auburn st. Frank Biscardi, president, and Louis Biscardi, vice president, announced the change in name of their firm which deals in aluminum combination windows and screens.

Drem, Inc. has been chartered to operate Godfrey's tavern, 211 E. State st. Attorneys John T. Beynon, James P. Kearney and John F. Pelgen are incorporators of the firm which will operate the former Log Cabin tavern. Authorized stock is 200 shares at \$100 par value.

Judge Extends Term Of Probation Violator

Probation of Reginald Joseph Streeter, 37, 614 N. Springfield ave., was extended one year in a late Wednesday hearing before County Judge Fred J. Kullberg.

Streeter had been cited for violation of his probation on petty larceny charges by Assistant State's Attorney John H. Foley. Rape charges against Robert Thomas, 23, were dismissed late Wednesday by Justice of the Peace Alex J. Victor, who determined evidence was not sufficient to hold Thomas for the January grand jury.

An 18-year-old girl had signed the complaint prosecuted by Assistant State's Attorney Rosario Gaziano. His brother, Angelo Gaziano, was attorney for Thomas.

Gas Station Burglars Flee Empty-Handed

Burglars who entered the Arbis service station, 1028 S. Winnebago st., Wednesday night apparently fled empty handed. Investigators said the station was entered through a small side window which was broken out. A quick check of the station by its operator failed to disclose anything missing.

Fixtures Stolen

Operators of the Rockford Plumbing shop, 111 S. Court st., Wednesday afternoon reported the theft of bathroom fixtures valued at \$95. Police were told the theft occurred between 6:30 p.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. Wednesday from a doorless garage at the rear of 1308 Jonathan ave. The report was made at 3 p.m.

SELLING ON ORDER

NEW HAVEN, Conn. — This for sale advertisement appeared in a New Haven newspaper: "Jaguar roadster 1953. Like new. Less than 5,000 miles. \$2,485. Selling on wife's orders."

Facts Support Russian Cold

CHICAGO (INS) — Researchers finally have come up with a record which the Russians can claim legitimately — the lowest temperature in the world. The U.S. weather bureau reports that the lowest official temperature ever recorded was 90 degrees below zero on Feb. 9 and 7, 1892, at Verhovansk, Russia.

degrees below zero — was reported in soviet Siberia but that was not confirmed.

However, honors for the highest temperature go to Azizia, Africa, which reported a steaming 136 degrees on Sept. 13, 1922.

The high and low marks in the U.S. are 134 at Greening ranch, Cal., on July 19, 1913, and 70 below at Rogers Pass, Mont., on Jan. 20 of this year.

The record temperatures were among a score of interesting weather facts reported by the bureau in a special release.

An even lower reading — 106

that you work at peak efficiency when the temperature is 64 degrees, and only at half efficiency when the mercury drops to zero?

These findings were reported by the U.S. army which conducted a survey on the matter. The survey showed that at 20 degrees, efficiency drops to 75 per cent of capacity; at zero it is 50 per cent; at 23 degrees below zero only 25 per cent, and at 40 below a mere 14 per cent.

"At 50 below zero," the report adds, "all one's energy is needed just to survive," and at 80

below, there is no efficiency left.

The weather bureau said a variable climate such as is found in the northern two-thirds of the United States is "conducive to physical and mental activity," but at the same time, efficiency is reduced by rain, snow and wind.

Other little known weather statistics cited in the report were:

1 — The temperature of the surface of the sun is estimated at 10,000 degrees.

2 — Scientists have adopted a

temperature of 459.4 below zero as "absolute zero," the temperature at which molecular motion ceases.

3 — Most plants will be in a dormant state when the temperature averages 40 degrees. (The average United States temperature over a year's period is 53.2 degrees.)

WANTED: GOOD LOCK

Denver — Thieves stole an electric drill valued at \$45 from a parked truck. The truck belonged to the Denver Lock and Key company.

Skyscraper Windows Allow Inside Washing

CHICAGO (INS) — The 41-story Prudential building, rapidly climbing skyward in Chicago, will have all the latest features — including windows that can be washed from the inside.

The new innovation promises to reduce janitorial costs as well as eliminating the risks incurred by "human fly" window washers.

The duo-washing window uses an inner tube principle of weather stripping which allows for a swinging window.

The window washer deflates the air-filled weather seal, thus allowing the window — hung on fasteners at top and bottom — to swing open.

The workman cleans both sides, refastens the window, and then seals it by inflating the weather stripping tube.

The manufacturer says the window gives protection against outside cold in winter and heat in summer, as well as dust and dirt.

Windows are double-glazed, each plate being 1/4 inch thick and separated by a 1/2 inch air space which is hermetically sealed.

Since the Prudential building will have 2,617 windows — the new device will be a great labor saver.

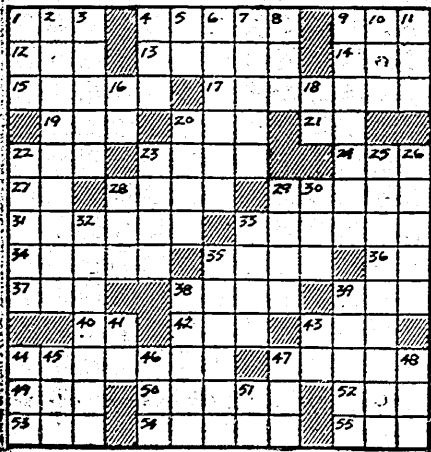
Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
1. Goddess of the harvest
4. Prevaricators
9. Obstinate
12. Expose to moisture
13. Bar jergally
14. In excess
15. Interlace
17. Land of make-believe
19. Metal
20. Rotating piece
21. Near
22. Russian village community
23. Obstructs
24. Pronoun
27. Article
28. Writes
29. Shop
31. Fix in place again

RAMS COD AMAH
ALEF ARE LAIDE
WAIDE LAP ATOM
IDEA EASE
PAC EBONY RHO
EPI LANDS NIP
TENT SEE DIRE
EXARCH DARTED
LEO LEY
HA ANIMALS ER
ANE TOR SARA
ROLE ERI ETON
PAID RED REST

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

- 2. Relevant clump
3. Step
4. Preceded
5. Exists
6. Perfumes of a building
8. Catch sight of
9. Post
10. Period of time
11. Bushy clump
16. At home
18. Old exclamation
20. Hypocritical talk
22. Feminine name
23. Throb
25. Kind of mineral
26. Bristles
28. Animation
29. Bag
30. Endeavor
32. Apparent
33. Attire
35. Kind of fish
38. Pays attention
39. Threadlike piece
41. Type measure
43. Rough Hawaiian lava
44. Before: prefix
45. Floor covering
46. Mark aimed at in curling
47. Exclamation
48. Faucet
51. Symbol for calcium.



OPEN TOMORROW
10 A.M. to 9 P.M.
OPEN EVERY FRIDAY AND MONDAY NIGHTS UNTIL CHRISTMAS
Beginning Friday (Tomorrow)
OUR ANNUAL After Thanksgiving APPAREL CLEARANCE SAVE 1/4 and more
WINTER COATS • FURS • SUITS • MILLINERY • DRESSES • SPORTSWEAR
offered to you at reductions
DOORS OPEN 10:00 A.M. Owens Rockford's Finest Store
Be here early... You wait each year for this mark down event... because it brings all of our quality apparel at such substantial savings.