

TRYON SOCIETY NEWS

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Dances, Teas
And Bridge
Parties



NOTED ARTIST LEAVES FOR THE EAST

Mr. Joseph Birren the celebrated Chicago artist who has been doing some work in Tryon for the past two months left Wednesday for the East. Mr. Birren has finished some wonderful pictures while in this section and states that this section has great possibilities from many standpoints. Numbers of Tryonites have seen some of his work that he completed while here and expressed keen delight in the exquiliteness of the class of art that Mr. Birren is noted for. Mr. Birren made a host of friends here and during his stay. The last two weeks were spent at Blue Ridge Forest where he made several sketches.

He has the distinction of possibly being the only artist that is a member of the Rotary Club of which he is a member of the Chicago, Ill., chapter. He expressed his appreciation of courtesies shown him while here and no doubt he will return to Tryon again in the near future.

Local Happenings

Captain Douglas A. White of Washington, D. C., is spending his vacation with Captain A. L. Smith of Tryon Hills. Capt. White is an overseas veteran and is in Tryon for a good rest. He has expressed keen delight in this section and has shown marked improvement since his arrival here.

Work on the Water Extension is progressing very rapidly and the contract is expected to be finished soon.

Mr. Green of the Asheville Farmers Federation is in Tryon looking after some business matters pertaining to the Tryon Farmers Federation.

Mr. Owens who is associated with the Thermal Belt Development Co. Inc., is going to Greensboro in the interest of the Company.

Mr. C. J. Penny who was in Tryon last summer with the Tryon Development Co. and with the Happy Valley Estates at Lenoir this season is now in Tryon for a short visit.

Mr. Artz the County Agent was a visitor at the News office on Monday.

Mayor Green has been invited to attend a meeting of the Forestry Association at Morehead City, N. C.

Miss McFarland of the Miseldine Pharmacy has returned to her duties after a long vacation trip in the East, while away Miss McFarland visited the Centennial at Philadelphia.

The Ballenger Company announce this week with a full page Ad the opening Saturday of their big August Clearance Sale.

Mr. Mauldin of the Merrick Engineering force is off for a few days vacation and will return shortly.

Mrs. T. L. Justice has returned home after an extended visit with her father in Lilesville, N. C.

Miss Clyde Metcalf is spending her vacation with her father in Brandon, Fla.

Misses Mary and Betty McFarland have returned home after an extended visit with their aunt, Miss Fisher, at Hendersonville.

Mrs. C. W. Bundscho of Atlanta, Ga., has returned to her home after a weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burton of Tryon.

Miss Alene Ward has returned home after a visit to Spartanburg, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bacon and Miss Minerva Avant motored to Little Switzerland last Sunday.

Dr. T. L. Justice and Mrs. T. J. Kennedy attended the Baptist Assembly at Ridge Crest, N. C.

Miss Francis Murray of Atlanta, Ga., is now in Tryon and will make her home here with her sister Mrs. W. W. Burton.

Numbers of parents who have sons at the Boy Scout Camp at the Lake were in Tryon Sunday to pay a visit to the Camp.

Asheville Musical Festival To Be Great Affair

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 29—When the San Carlo Grand Opera Company opens Asheville's third annual Grand Opera season on Monday evening, August 9, the mountain city will enter upon the most ambitious in Western N. C. Brought here under the auspices of the Asheville Music Festival Association, the San Carlo roster will include artists noted, nationally and internationally, and the goal set by Fortune Gallo, impresario of the San Carlo group, seems destined to achieve for this brief season the most perfect ensemble artists ever seen in the Carolinas. Always a financial and artistic success in Asheville, Grand Opera this year promises to be the crowning feature of a series of successive notable events which have made this city a center of artistic and social glory.

The repertoire announced yesterday for opera week, August 9—14, was selected by Fortune Gallo specifically to meet the musical wishes of music lovers in Asheville, and it embraces what opera lovers regard as a perfect balance of outstanding works. From Rossini's flippant and airy "Barber of Seville" to the renowned, ponderous, but magnificent "Aida" of Verdi, the range of selections touches every spot of operatic lore. There will be an opera for every taste, and plenty of entertainment for the eye, as for the gently attuned ear.

"Carmen", Bisset's famous and thrilling opera, redolent with Spanish airs and Spanish atmosphere, will open the season on Monday evening, August 9. The favorite opera of the vast majority of music lovers—the bewitching, tuneful, vivacious "Madam Butterfly," is scheduled for Tuesday evening, while Wednesday will have both at matinee and in the evening two of the most masterful pieces of musical glory ever accomplished by a composer. Matinee will offer Rossini's bright captivating "Barber of Seville", while the evening opera will be "Aida". Thursday night will see "Lucia di Lammermoor" with its magnificent coloratura lead and the immortal "Sextette", and Friday "La Boheme", often matched against "Madam Butterfly" as Puccini's most popular and effective work. Saturday's matinee, "The Tales of Hoffman", though in a decidedly lighter mood, will be no less tuneful than the rest of the repertoire. Indeed, this light but perfect music will prove a revelation to those who for years have been hearing snatches of it, but have never known the precise source of them. Delightful strains in abundance have been purloined from this pleasing work, and it is expected that opera lovers in Asheville will welcome it generously. As a climax of a week of masterpieces, the season will close with "Porza Del Destino"—heavy and entrancing.

Plans for transforming the city Auditorium into the most inviting rendezvous for Grand Opera is receiving special attention from the committee, now making plans to install electric fans throughout the building and assure patrons and stars that the Auditorium will be the most comfortable place in Asheville during Opera week.

Interest in opera has never been greater in Asheville than it is now in anticipation of the San Carlo season. Preparations are being made for the most gorgeous festivities ever staged in connection with any event in Asheville. The committee has already learned that scores of people will come here from distant sections of the state, and from many

places in the South for this occasion. Opera is universally regarded as the peer of all forms of musical entertainment and, in this case, the repertoire has been so selected that a pleasing balance of stage beauty and splendor will serve as a background for thrilling music. This is expected to appeal strongly to every type of opera lovers—to those who revel in pure music and forget the trappings, and for those who enjoy the gay settings in which the world's finest music has been enshrined. Lavish costumes will be seen, and winsome women, gay, vivacious, and compelling—especially "Carmen" and "Madam Butterfly"—as well as masterful males. The Asheville that remembers the 1925 opera season will have much to look forward to. Fortune Gallo declares, "It snail bring my finest and give you the operas you love."

The following internationally-famous artists will be presented for the following roles: sopranos—Bisca Saroya, a Metropolitan star; Lorna Doon Jackson, a Chicago Grand Opera artist; Consuelo Escobar, Olga sopranos—Stelja deMette and Bernice Schalker; tenors—James deGaviria, who will make his American debut in Asheville as "Rhadames" in "Aida"; Franco Tefuro, Demetrio Onofrei and Francesco Curci; Baritones—Joseph Royer and Guiseppa Interrante; basses—Henri Scott and Nataje Cervi.

HOG BACK MOUNTAIN WILL BE SCENE OF MANY BRILLIANT FUNCTIONS

The Blue Ridge Forest Club located on the top of Hog Back Mountain will in the future be the scene of many great social functions. Although not nearly finished with the improvement program at Blue Ridge Forest, many dances and prominent social functions have been noted at the Club House, many delegations from various sections have been entertained and much social activity can be looked forward to from this great development that is becoming more popular every day.

MR. AND MRS. WARD ENTERTAIN THE NEWLY WEDS WITH RECEPTION

Last Friday evening at their home on Melrose Ave., Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ward entertained about thirty of their relatives and friends at a reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Anderson whose wedding took place July 17.

A color scheme of yellow and white was carried out in the yellow daisies that adorned the reception hall, living room and porch. Japanese lanterns on the porch and lawn added much to the attractiveness of the scene.

During the evening piano solos were rendered by Mr. Ray Jackson, and baritone solos by Dr. T. L. Justice.

Refreshments of punch, cream and

cake were served, each guest being presented with dainty little yellow baskets containing yellow and white mints.

Mrs. Anderson was becomingly gowned in orchid georgette over yellow satin, and will be remembered as Miss Ethel Ward of Inman, S. C., a niece of Mr. Ward.

Mr. Anderson, a cousin of Mrs. Ward, is prominently connected with one of the railroads at La Grande, Oregon, where he and his bride will reside. They carry with them the best wishes of their many friends in the Carolinas.

RECENT ARRIVALS AT OAK HALL HOTEL

Among the many recent arrivals at Oak Hall Hotel are the following:

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Concerning Brides and Biscuit

By Josephine Jessup

Leavening with love is a pretty notion; but after the honeymoon, you will find your husband preferring biscuits which contain more common-place rising ingredients. You may have incorporated a host of lovely dreams in your baking; but if you have failed to add to the flour, correct proportions of soda and acid phosphate, you will perceive small trace of your rosy imaginings in the finished product. Every twirl of the rolling pin may have been motivated by a fond thought of your lover but if you have not sifted the flour and leavening thoroughly, your biscuit will fall short of your hopes.

The intelligent bride realizes the significance of bread in the marriage scheme. The correlation between poor biscuit and indigestion is high; and as for indigestion and a gracious disposition—watch the man who is obliged to eat fat, hard rubbins of bread, or great doughy wads, or bitter, yellow-speckled abominations; and measure the amount of sweetness and light he sheds on his companions, especially upon the custodian of his stomach.

The bride and biscuit commonly form a theme for tragedy; the movies tell the sad story, and fiction is full of it. Yet with modern milling facilities for scientifically measuring self-rising flour, a perfect biscuit is within the novice. Only fat and eggs be added to this pre-arranged to insure a light, even-textured product. It is taken for granted that the oven is very hot (400 degrees Fahrenheit). Sweeten with fresh buttermilk (used within four days after churning) an admirable biscuit.

With the foundation biscuit, a number of delightful variations are possible.

BISCUIT
2 cups Self-Rising Flour
2 tablespoons fat
2/3 cup milk

Sift and measure flour and cut or rub it into the fat. Add milk a little at a time to soft dough, roll 1/2 inch thick place on baking sheet and bake in hot oven about 10 minutes.

FRUIT BISCUIT
2 cups Self-Rising Flour
2 tablespoons fat
2/3 cup milk
2 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons sugar
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 cup raisins or dates
2 tablespoons crystallized fruit
peel

Mix a plain biscuit dough a rectangular sheet, 14 inches spread with the butter and cinnamon which should be together, sprinkle with fruit as for a jelly roll, cut in pieces, place on a parchment sheet, and bake in a hot oven (degrees Fahrenheit) about 10 minutes.

(Recipes furnished by the Economics Department, National Millers' Association, Nashville, Tenn.)

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