



THE AMATEUR SHOW
Everyone who is really talented along musical lines, and in other ways suitable to radio, should enter the amateur contest to be staged here Friday night, May 14. For all you know there may be another Lanny Ross or Bing Crosby, floating around here somewhere just waiting to be discovered.

Everyone knows where Lanny Ross stands in the Radio world today. But few people know that for months and months Lanny Ross sang over a small station without pay. Then his chance came. Maybe your chance will come.

In case you missed the story in last week's Tribune, the forthcoming amateur contest will be held at the Lyric theatre and will be along the lines of the amateur show held last fall, the winners of which went to Greensboro for a program over WBIG. However, winners of this contest will go to Charlotte for a program over WBT. Permission to this effect has been granted by the Columbia Broadcasting System.

Cast in the role of doing all the worrying over this show, and with the experience gained in having charge of the last one, we are planning a bigger and better contest.

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LAWN AND GARDEN SEED
Elkin, N. C.

test. Worth coming to see (we hope) will be "Mekko, the Mechanical Man," whom we are telling everyone weighs over 2,000 pounds, is seven feet tall, and is operated by remote control. "Mekko" has no ambition to go to Charlotte, but will be presented merely as a novelty act.

We are expecting much new talent in the forthcoming show, although those who took part in the last one are eligible and welcome. We're hoping that it may be possible to even have our Uncle Culpenter present in person, but he is the kind of guy whom you can't depend on to be anywhere at any certain time.

If you want to enter the show, don't wait until the last minute to enter. Either see us at The Tribune office or else drop us a letter. We just love to get mail. So if you can dance, sing, play musical instruments, impersonate, imitate, or anything that's entertaining, let us know right away.

LETTER

Dear Alan:
I guess you wonder why I am writing to you, but a very humorous thing happened to me while I was reading the Roanoke Times yesterday. In an issue of The Tribune of several weeks past you printed a very good likeness of yourself. As I was glancing over the paper yesterday I happened to run across this same picture in the Times. I have known for years that there was something definitely the matter with you, but I did not know until now that it was "Sleeptosis." I am enclosing the picture which is self explanatory. (Ed. Note: Under the picture was the following wording: "NO! Mister, you're a victim of SLEEPITOSIS. Get a So-and-So Mattress".)

This was run in an ad for a Roanoke Department Store and I don't expect you to come up here to get a So-and-So mattress, but Errol Hayes sells them so would advise you to see him at once. I—Please turn to back of page 1—don't know how the Roanoke Times spotted you way down there in Elkin, but I do know that this diagnosis of your case is very good. I do hope that you will have bought a So-and-So mattress from Errol by the time I come down there again. If you do, I am sure you will bear the marks of a changed man.

Very truly yours,
CHAS. G. ARMFIELD, JR.
Blacksburg, Va.
April 19, 1937.

P. S. I apologize for any slurring remarks that may have escaped my pen as I composed this manuscript.—C. G. A. Jr.

Thanks a lot, Charlie, for your very happy and timely diagnosis of our case. We would like very much to do as much for you, but believe a diagnosis in your case impossible. Your tip on the mattress was fine; however, Errol Hayes also sells caskets. Come on down and we'll put you in the market for one.

THIS AND THAT
Since writing the above in this column several people have taken it upon themselves to question the appearance of "Mekko, the Mechanical Man" in the amateur show that is in the making. It sort of hurts our feelings to think that anyone would believe that we would advertise an attraction and then not have it.

Now you take the late Zeigfeld. He arose to fame because he always backed up his advertising. And what's the difference between us and Zeigfeld? Some would say: None! You're both dead! But that's not so. And we'll say here and now that "Mekko, the Mechanical Man" is all he's represented to be—and more! So there!

Sure we did.

BETHEL

Ronda, Route 2, April 26 — "Who Both Believed Our Report" was the subject used by C. W. Gilliam at the service here at Bethel church last Sunday evening. After reading the 53rd chapter of Isaiah, Mr. Gilliam very impressively brought out many interesting facts and much light on this subject that was enjoyed by the congregation. We are looking forward and glad to know that the quartet singing will be held here at Bethel church next Sunday afternoon, May 2. Hope there will be many singers to come.

Mrs. M. F. Bungarner of Millers Creek recently visited her mother, Mrs. P. H. Pardue of this place.

Miss Flora Kate Stroud of the Macedonia community spent last Wednesday night visiting one of her school mates, Miss Sada Mathis and they attended the party given for the junior-senior class of Ronda School by Misses Vesta and Pearl Mathis at their home. Mrs. Troy Redding, a teacher in the Clingman School was also guest at the Mathis home Wednesday night.

The farmers all seem to rejoice over the fine rain that visited this section last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Pardue of Elkin has been spending the past week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Triplett.

Mrs. Elza St. John who underwent an operation for a goitre at the Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem, is improving some, we are glad to learn.

Miss Pauline Morrison had as her guest her friend and school

mate, Miss Evelyn Myers, last Thursday night.
Misses Notra and Pauline Pardue were shopping at Elkin last Friday morning.

NOTICE

NORTH CAROLINA, SURRY COUNTY.

In The Superior Court Curtis Crissman, and J. M. Crissman, Executors of the Estate of Dabney Crissman, deceased.

-Vs-
J. A. Crissman and wife, Ennis Crissman, et als.

The defendants, J. A. Crissman and wife, Ennis Crissman will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Surry County, North Carolina, for the purpose of having the Court to order the sale of the land of Dabney Crissman, deceased for the purpose of partition and the de-

termination of the interest of the heirs of said estate; and that the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County in the Courthouse in Dobson, North Carolina, on the 20th day of May, 1937, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 20th day of April, 1937.
F. T. LLEWELLYN,
Clerk of Superior Court of 5-13p
Surry County.

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Selected Short Adm. 10c-25c

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News—Cartoon Adm. 10c-30c

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"Cowboy Star"
A Thrilling Western Drama
Selected Short Adm. 10c-25c

WEDNESDAY— FAMILY SHOW
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