

### Star's Memory Lapse Adds to Concert Fun

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for O'Neillites it clinched the idea Mr. Carter is human.

Mr. Carter's recital personality more than equalled the great James Melton. He demonstrated versatility in dialect and song and demonstrated ease in producing fine tones.

He opened with a recitative and aria from Mendelssohn's "Elijah," regarded as one of the finest oratorios, and followed with "Ave Verum Corpus" by Mozart and an aria, "Judas Maccabaeus" by Handel.

The second group opened with "Lieder" by Donaudy, Schubert, Liszt and Strauss. O'Neill music-lovers were treated with the true meaning of art song as they listened to Schubert's "Die Forelle" ("The Trout"). He returned to encore with a pert little French ballad, "Eyes, Eyes, Oh Your Beautiful Eyes."

It was in the next group, consisting of arias from "Magic Flute" and "Don Giovanni" by Mozart, that Mr. Carter displayed the biggest voice and dramatic capabilities. The young tenor's encore: A jubilant favorite, "Ah Che d'Amore" from "The Barber of Seville."

Gaylen Lurwick, official piano accompanist for Soprano Nadine Conner and considered one of the best accompanists in the concert field, provided a delightful interlude. He showed confident mastery of the keyboard. The audience called for an encore. He offered "Little White Donkey."

After intermission, Mr. Carter sang contemporary compositions: "Sylvellin" by Christian Tosti; "My Songs with Birds Would Be Vying" by Renaldo Hohn, and the beautiful "Oh Spirit Flower." At this point the young tenor liberally sprinkled entertaining encores: "Smookey," "Lulu," "Old Mother Hubbard" (a clever arrangement humorously done), the Irish folk song, "In the Garden Where the Praties Grow," and others.

In the last grouping was the appealing and enchanting "Hans Christian Andersen" music, "Linstead Market" (rumba), and the minstrel ditty from "The Mikado."

"Donkey Serenade" was the third encore at the concert's close, and sent concert-goers home happy and assured they had heard one of the fine young American tenors.

In a "Voice of The Frontier" interview (heard Monday, 9:30 a.m., WJAG), Mr. Carter told how he studied music and language in New York City and then set out to see the world (Pacific navy duty during World War II). Advent of television has opened many, many fields for young

artists, Mr. Carter said. "My advice to aspiring young musicians: You must work hard, study intensely, have time for recreation. Routines today are different in degree, competition is keener, those who survive the early tests will come out on top." Discussing the wide variation in choice of music on his program, he said:

"We find the audiences, particularly these midwestern audiences, love a bit of hep-cat, or something close to it, along with the masterworks. "I'm not down to rock-and-roll yet," he mused, "but versatility is necessary in the modern artists."

Many years ago, he pointed out, the great artists studied in one vein. They worked out opera to a great and exacting science. "Today, because of television, radio, motion pictures and recordings, we must be versatile. We must be able to do the masterworks in several languages, we must have the classics, light classics, certain tempos—all requiring extra concentration."

"We have to live these songs, embody them within one's self. This comes only through hard work and deep concentration. "Caruso rates as the greatest tenor in my book. He died when I was a boy and I never heard him. However, I've studied and studied his recordings as I have many, many other tenors. Then I make my own recordings and then compare myself—not with the idea of how good I am, but to learn from them."

"The old masters, like Caruso, really knew their techniques and forever will be unexcelled. They learned the hard, scientific way—without benefit of microphones and electronics."

Except for the O'Neill engagement Carter would have been heard on Sunday's Woolworth Hour radio program (Columbia Broadcasting System). The invitation was turned down because of the O'Neill date.

Carter flew to Sioux City from New York and Lurwick came from Los Angeles, Calif. They met at Sioux City and drove here. During an impromptu social gathering following the concert Mr. Carter sang "Happy Birthday" for Mrs. Melvin Ruzicka, membership co-chairman of the O'Neill association.

### Curtis Seeks to Halt Union Dues Used in Politician Support

Sen. Carl T. Curtis (R. - Neb.) said Tuesday that he is "gratified" by the large volume of mail which he is receiving from every state in the nation regarding a bill, S.3074, which he recently introduced for the purpose of preventing union dues from being used to support candidates for political office. Curtis said that most of his mail comes from union members who favor the legislation and complain about dues collected to hold their jobs being used to support political candidates whom the union members oppose.

Mrs. Vere Butler of Newport spent Monday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. D. D. DeBolt.

## HST, First Citizen, Well Met

John Harbottle, an O'Neillite recently transplanted to Independence, Mo., Sunday encountered the first citizen of his newly-adopted community—none other than Harry S. Truman, former president of the United States.

Mr. Harbottle attended a Men's council meeting at First Presbyterian church and, you'll guess it, HST was present. Moreover, HST delivered a brief talk to the menfolk. Harbottle, a lifelong republican, asked the former democratic president for an autograph and Harry obliged.

In his new job, Mr. Harbottle will be accountant for the Cliff Hulet Oldsmobile agency located on—of all places—Truman road, about eight miles east

of Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Harbottle was bookkeeper at the Harding Creamery Co. here for 9 1/2 years and at the Chevrolet-Oldsmobile-Cadillac garage for the past 11 years.

Mrs. Harbottle, the former Elizabeth Henry, taught in Holt county schools 12 years, including six years in the O'Neill public school where she was first and fifth grade teacher. They have one daughter, Susan.

The Harbottles have sold their home on East Benton street to Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Eason of Omaha, formerly of O'Neill and Chambers. Doctor Eason is reestablishing a dental practice here.

Mr. Harbottle went to Independence 2 1/2 weeks ago and Mrs. Harbottle and Susan left

Tuesday, accompanying their household goods.

The Harbottles have been members of First Presbyterian church. Mrs. Harbottle was active in church choir work. They were active in Parent-Teachers' association, Masonic and Eastern Star lodges, and Mrs. Harbottle was an original officer of the O'Neill Community Concerts association.

Miss DeBolt in WSTC Ladies' Sextette—Miss Patricia DeBolt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. DeBolt of O'Neill, was selected as one of six girls to sing in a ladies' sextette at Wayne State Teachers college. She is a sophomore music major at Wayne.

### Carl B. Schrad Weds Californian

EWING—Miss Margaret Mary McDonough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. McDonough of Pasadena, Calif., and Carl B. Schrad, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schrad of Ewing, were married Saturday, February 4, at St. Andrew's Catholic church in Pasadena with Rev. Lawrence J. Gibson performing the 10 a.m. ceremony.

Robert M. Konoske of Duarte, Calif., was her sister's matron-of-honor. Mrs. Robert D. Powell of Lakewood, Calif., and Miss Lois Rios of San Gabriel, Calif., were bridesmaids. They were dressed alike in frosted pink taffeta frocks with velvet bows. They wore circular veils on their heads and carried American beauty roses.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a gown of broad satin with a chapel-length train. Her finger-tip veil was held by a crown of teal drop pearls, seed pearls and sequins. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and lily of the valley with a silver and crystal rosary.

Clemence V. Schrad of Omaha was bestman for his brother, Francis Schrad of Altadena, Calif., another brother, and Louis B. Latzel, also of Altadena, seated the guests.

The bride is a graduate of St. Andrew's high school. Mr. Schrad is a graduate of the Ewing high school and served with the army for 18 months in Korea. Following the ceremony, a reception for 150 guests was held at the Pasadena Athletic club. They enjoyed a wedding trip to Santa Barbara, Carmel and San Francisco, all points in California. They are now at home at 411 Douglas, Pasadena.

### Doris Pettijohn Weds Bassett Man

STUART — The Stuart Community church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday, February 22, at 2 p.m., when Miss Doris Pettijohn, daughter of Mrs. Clara Pettijohn, became the bride of Dewey D. Halligan of Bassett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Halligan of Bassett.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. D. D. Su. Miss Marilyn Peterson of Bassett was soloist accompanied by Mrs. Mark Nelson.

The bride chose a light blue princess style dress with matching accessories for her wedding and wore a corsage of pink rose buds. Miss Marilyn DeLosh was maid or honor and wore a light pink princess style dress with matching accessories and a corsage of white rose buds.

James Stewart of Mariaville was bestman and Douglas Halligan of Bassett ushered. The men wore white carnation boutonniers. The bride's mother and the bridegroom's mother each chose navy blue dresses and wore white carnation corsages.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the church basement. Misses Karen Obermire and Lorraine DeLosh served at the reception.

Mrs. Harold Shane of La-Grange, Ill., sister of the bride, was in charge of the guest book and Misses Patty Allyn and Norma Halligan were in charge of the gift table.

Mrs. Halligan is a graduate of Stuart high school and is employed by the Wm. Krotter Co in Stuart. Mr. Halligan a Stuart high school graduate is employed by the Bassett Cleaners in Bassett. The couple will reside in Stuart.

### Lynch News

Mrs. Gladys Spencer is chairman of the Lynch heart fund drive. The goal for Lynch and community is \$94.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Huber and family of Hooper spent the past week visiting relatives in the community. A/1c Bob Courtney left last week for Tucson, Ariz., after a 20-day furlough with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson of Bristow visited at the Howard Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Peterson of Monowi were Lynch callers Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Matejcek of Verdell visited in Lynch Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swoboda and three children have moved from Missouri to the former Jerry Halva farm northeast of Lynch, along the north banks of the Niobrara river. They recently purchased the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Mueller and Debbie visited at the DeBert Wade place recently.

Ted Halbur of Butte was a Lynch visitor last Thursday.

Fellowship Dinner—CHAMBERS — The Memorial Baptist church held a fellowship dinner in the church Sunday honoring the older members of the community.

## Church Notices

### METHODIST (O'Neill-Emmet)

Rev. Glenn Kennicott, pastor  
O'NEILL:  
Thursday, February 23: Prayer circle, 10 a.m., at the Jay home.  
Friday, February 24: Dorcas circle at Ray Eby home, 2 p.m.

Sunday, February 26: Junior choir, 9:15 a.m.; church school, 9:45 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.; membership class, 7:30 p.m.  
Monday, February 27: Intermediate MYF, 7 p.m.; board meeting, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, February 28: Bible study, 2:30 p.m., at the church.  
Wednesday, February 29: Choir rehearsal, 7 p.m.; senior MYF, 8 p.m.

EMMET:  
Thursday, February 23: Emmet WSCS (postponed from last week) at Walter Meier home in O'Neill.  
Sunday, February 26: Children's Sunday-school and worship, 9:30 a.m.; adult church school, 10:30 a.m.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN (O'Neill)

Rev. J. Olen Kennell, pastor  
Sunday, February 26: Sunday-school, 9 a.m.; worship service, 11 a.m.

Monday, February 27: Bible study, 2:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, February 29: Westminster fellowship, 6:30 p.m.; session meeting, 7:30 p.m.; choir practice, 8 p.m.

Thursday, March 1: Women's society meeting at the church, 2:30 p.m.; membership class, 7 p.m.; Lenten service, 8 p.m.  
Saturday, March 3: Catechism class, 11 a.m.

### METHODIST (Chambers)

Rev. J. M. Hodgkin, pastor  
Sunday, February 26: Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; E. R. Baker, superintendent; worship, 11 a.m.

A group from the Woman's Society of Christian Service spent some time last week and this week varnishing the new cabinets in the basement of the church after the men had finishing sanding.

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Chambers)

Rev. Howard E. Claycombe, pastor  
Saturday, February 25: Confirmation instruction class, 9 a.m. until 12 noon.

Sunday, February 26: Nursery class, adult Bible class, Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.

### BETHANY PRESBYTERIAN (RD. Ewing)

Rev. J. Olen Kennell, pastor  
Sunday, February 26: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; family night, 7 p.m. (please bring a covered dish); Sunday-school, 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, February 28: Bible study at the Daryl Walling home, 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gettert were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gettert of Atkinson.



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### JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

(127 S. 4th, O'Neill)  
Friday, February 24: Theocratic ministry school, 7:30 p.m.; service meeting, 8:30 p.m., theme: "Proving Ourselves the Right Kind of Ministers."

Sunday, February 26: Watchtower study, 7 p.m., on "The Table of Demons" versus "The Table of Jehovah," part 1 of January 15 Watchtower.

Wednesday, February 29: Bible book study, 8 p.m., using book "You May Survive Armageddon into God's New World," chapter X, "Gathering the Great Crowd to the Temple."

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Golden were weekend guests of Mrs. Golden's mother, Mrs. Sarah Doyle, in Omaha. They returned home Monday, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. James Byrne, and daughter, Jeanne, of Easton, Conn., who will spend some time with her parents.

Mrs. Charles Houser was hostess to the Bridge club at her home Wednesday evening. Winners were Mrs. Bill Kelly, high; and Mrs. Louis Reimer, jr., low. Mrs. Milton J. Baack and Mrs. Reimer were guests.

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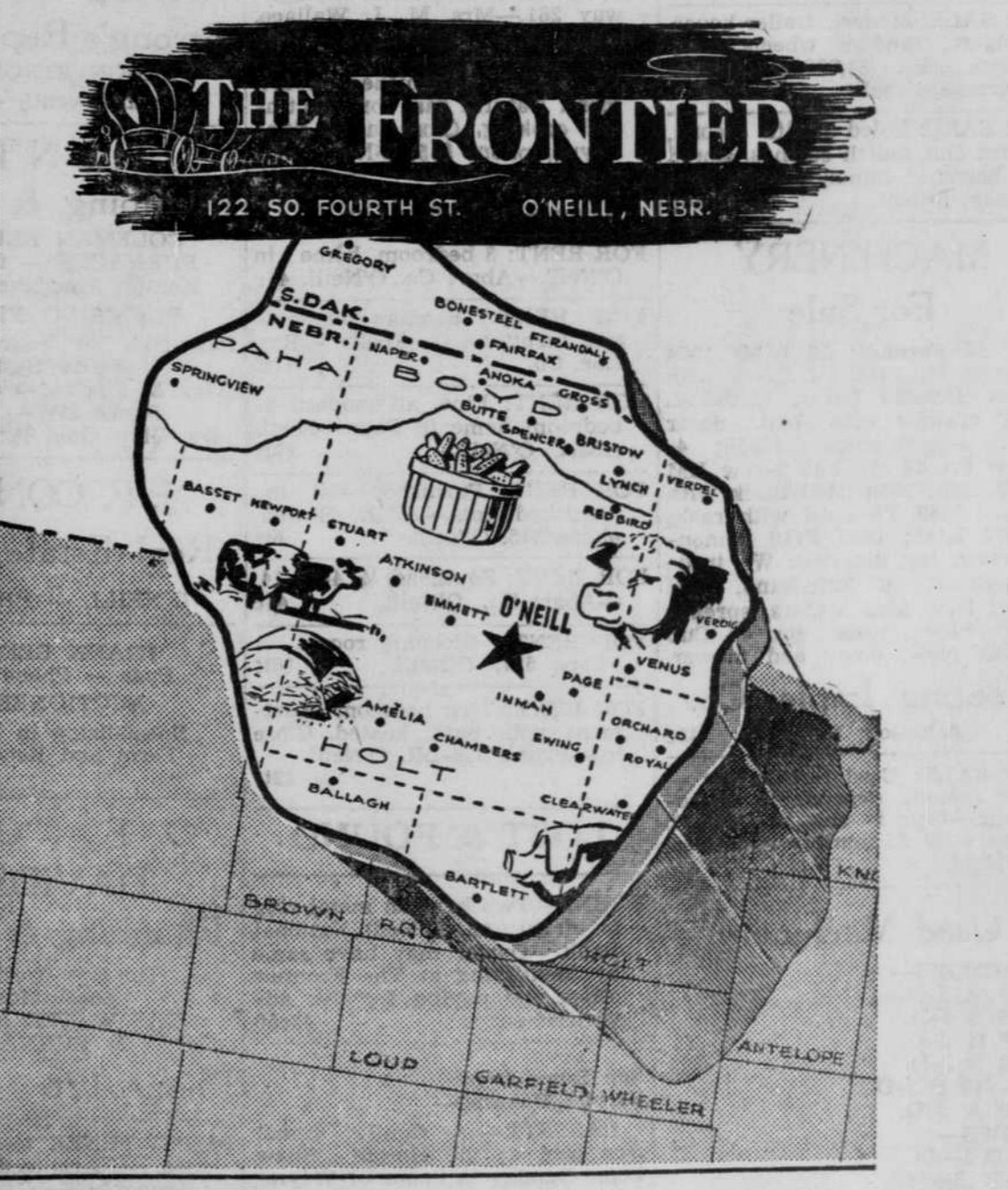
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