

"Doing the Stroll"

RICHARD BERNET STANLEY

OUR ADVERTISERS—Word comes to me that the Storz Brewing Company have sponsored a Colored basketball team to play here—also to be entered in the AAU. Well that makes 4 such sponsorships for the Storz Brewing Company for our people. I received 2 letters from some people in Omaha asking me to explain my stand. Well all newspapers try to be fair and The Omaha Guide is just as fair and square a newspaper as there is in the United States. Mr. Storz produced a lease and showed it to two of our leading citizens to prove that he had no connection with the building next door. But when his attention was called he promptly had the sign removed. Does that answer your question? And he also asked the two gentlemen to convey his apologies to our people. Mr. Tom Jones, one of our group who is employed at the Brewery, has went a long way toward mending our friendship with Mr. Storz and our people and the extra good work he has accomplished goes to show that the majority of people are not narrow minded. In fact the whole disastardly thing was started by a group of agitators. So come out and watch the Storz sponsored basketball team perform. Such good players as Travis Dixon, Freddie Harris, Jim Hall, Fred Dixon, John Elliott, Crip Longmire, Alonzo Davis, Claude Madison. So come out fans. Watch some real sport and enjoy yourself and remember the time won't be long before the boys will be playing soft ball at the old stand at 22nd and Burdette Sts. Yes Storz will have a team in the Softball League. Mr. Tom Jones will see you at the Brewery again soon. Only those that were there can only tell you the time that was had by all who attended.

REAL SPORTS—James Johnson, just another one of the club waiters that haven't got the time when he was poor. He see to all of his friends that aren't working to at least get coffee and rolls. Well that ain't bad these times. That's the spirit kid—one never knows when he will be out of a job. One never knows.

H&M ENTERTAINER—Saturday and Sunday night the Famous H&M was livelier than 6-2 weeks old kittens. Wonderful music and really good entertainment. Atta boy—give 'em what they want MUSIC.

MUSICIANS HEADQUARTERS The Little Diner Cafe seems to be just that. Jimmie Lunceford and his boys stayed in the city three days and did they go for Mrs. Hayes hot biscuits and corn bread. All of the band boys while in the city eat at Mrs. Hayes Cafe for that home-cooked and delicious meals served by Miss Cola Pierce. It seems as though Mr. Godby, Mrs. Hayes' brother knows just about all the boys when they come here. He is just one of the cats. He's looking forward to meeting the cats in Andy Kirks band. I bet he knows at least 3 of them—as you know Godbey use to hang around on the Central down in Big London. No not London, England—Dallas, Texas.

SWEET MUSIC BAND—



ANDY KIRK

Do you know that Andy Kirk's band has got more composers than any other band in the country according to the Music Publishers. The top music writer is Mary Lou Williams, the pianist and arranger who has over 20 tunes to her credit. Here is just a select few of Mary Lou's popular song hits—"Bear Cat Shuffle" "Cloudy" "Corky", "Froggy Bottom" "Git in the Groove" "I went to See a Gypsy", "Lotta Sax Appeal" "Steppin' Pretty" "Walking and Swingin'", "Mary's Idea" "Ghost of Love" "Toadie Toddle" "Messa Stomp" "C'Close to Five". They have all been recorded on Decca by Andy Kirk and the Clouds of Joy and her composition, "Roll 'Em" especially written for Benny Goodman has been recorded on Victor by the

Goodman band.

"Until the Real Thing Comes Along" which the Andy Kirk band was first to record and first to play was written by Lawrence Freeman, at that time with the Clouds of Joy and it was made in 1936. Biggest hit number one on the Hit Parade for months by Mary Lou Williams' remarkable arrangement of it and Andy Kirk's interpretation and Pha Terrells extraordinary vocal solo of the number. Also that catchy number "What Will I Tell My Heart"—that the band still features as a result of inclination and requests. Other numbers written by members of the band is "All the Jive is Gon'" "Why Can't We Do It Again" "Jump, Jack Jump" and "Guitar Blues" by Floyd Smith, Guitarist all in all the sweetest you ever want to hear will appear here February 13th at the Dreamland hall.

SURPRISE PARTY—

Earl McClutcheon surprised his wife, Edna with a Real old fashioned party. Mrs. Clutcheon didn't know of any of the preparations until 10 p. m. February 2nd which was her birthday and what a surprise—Why she couldn't imagine what was goin' on. About 20 guests attended. Those present Edna received were beautiful and useful. Seems as though everybody knew about the party but the host. The only drawback about birthday parties says Edna is they only come once a year. Well all your friends wish you many happy returns and hope you and Earl will draw your old age pension checks for at least 20 years. Well 85 years is plenty so be contented. Happy Birthday to you.

HELP! HELP!

Yes folks, that is just what is needed is help please. There are some 450 kids that go to the Center to participate in all kinds of sporting activities. The instruction is absolutely free of all charge. The sporting material is also free to use and the kids respond readily. But you grown ups should come around sometime and take a peek. Just a 15 cent or a 20 cent donation would go a long way toward remedying the conditions that exist. There are kids that can't afford a cheap pair of tennis shoes and that is what they really need. Some can't even play basketball on account of no shoes and their parents can't buy them—just ain't able—there are some good fellows that help Mart often, because they know what exists. So I am taking this means of telling you their condition. Mr. C. B. Mayo the barber, Mr. Milton Johnson the druggist, and Mr. James Jewell, the general manager of the famous Tuxedo.—Often very often help those kids. Ask Martin Thomas, he will be glad to explain to you. So please Help!

COFFEE FREE—

Just try and get it and see where you will land. Mrs. Vera North, the waitress at the Main Event cafe every morning about 6 a. m. she hollers out—Does anybody want a free cup of coffee. Naturally there are some of the boys that are down on their luck who would welcome the hot cup of java. When the poor guy says yes. She breaks out in a great loud laugh and says to the poor fellow. Go to the jail house! Then the rest of the gang laugh. I can't see the joke, if there is one. The humiliation that is heaped on the poor fellow is crude.—Get wise Vera.

FORMAL PARTY or DANCE—

The Dames gave their annual formal on the 29th of January at the Dreamland. The party was the talk of the town. Everybody who was there heaped high praise upon the 12 girls for their careful planned and well carried out program. Old man Webster of the Dictionary defines a party as thus: quote:—A party, a company of persons for social engagement—that's what Webster says and the Dames lived right up to the letter of old man Webster. There was nothing to be sold and there was no charge of any kind. So therefore you were really invited guests. Here's hoping the DAMES Club stick together and prosper in the future as they have in the past. There is only one way to give a dance or a party and that is the right way and the Dames really were right.

EXTRA! EXTRA! Henry Sharron was seen sober for 3 straight days. Maybe the flame burned out. Oh gosh! Kid—stop torching, there are others.

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LENT will begin soon so hundreds of housewives will be alternating their menus in observance of this period. If you are planning to omit meat for the entire forty days or maybe just for Wednesdays and Fridays then oysters are a perfect Lenten food. They may be served in such a great variety of ways that your family won't become tired of them.

There's no better way to begin a dinner than by the service of oysters on the half shell just with a dash of lemon or alternately as oyster cocktail.

I've room to give you three or four recipes, but I want you to try them and enjoy them as I have. And then if you are still interested why not send for the oyster recipes—twelve in all.

OYSTER POULETTE—One dozen oysters, one half cup cream, salt cayenne, dash of nutmeg, two eggs yolks, slightly beaten, one tablespoon butter, one teaspoon lemon juice, one fourth cup sliced cooked mushrooms.

Pour oysters into sauce pan, cook over low heat two or three minutes until oysters are plump and edges begin to curl. Remove oysters to hot serving dish. Add cream to oyster liquor, season with salt, cayenne and nutmeg. When hot, pour slowly over egg yolks, stirring constantly. Return to saucepan, simmer gently until thickened. Add butter, lemon juice and mushrooms. Pour sauce over poached oysters.

OYSTER RAREBIT—Clean and remove the hard muscle from a cup full of oysters. Parboil in their own liquor until the edges curl. Remove to a hot bowl. Put one table spoon butter, one half pound cheese (broken in small bits), one fourth spoonful each of salt and mustard and a few grains cayenne into the chafing dish (double boiler may be used also). While the cheese is melting, beat two eggs slightly and add them to the oyster liquid. Mix gradually with melted cheese, add the oysters and pour over hot toast.

OYSTER STEW—Two table spoons butter, large pinch paprika dash of tabasco sauce, good dash of

Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper to taste, thirty-two oysters, two cups thin cream, two cups rich milk, butter.

Put butter, paprika, tabasco, worcestershire, salt, pepper and oysters in top of double boiler. Heat over boiling water until edges of oysters begin to curl. Then add milk and cream. When it is piping hot, ladle into warm soup bowls into which you have put a portion of butter. Serve at once with salted oyster crackers and the horseradish bottle in a prominent place on the table—for the men folks.

BROILED OYSTERS—Two dozen oysters in half shell, remove oysters from shells, wash shells and replace oysters. Mix together one teaspoon grated onion, two table spoons chopped parsley, three table spoons melted butter, one fourth cup finely chopped celery, one third cup bread crumbs. Season mixture with salt, pepper and paprika to taste. Cover oysters in half shell with the mixture and heat under broiler or hot oven until crumbs are brown. Serve with quartered lemon.

If you are still interested why not send along a loose three cent stamp to Arden H. Duane, 3507 So. Parkway, Chicago, Ill, and I'll forward you twelve delicious recipes that you'll want to try and that your family will enjoy.

FASHIONETTE

by Hazel L. Griggs for ANP

Blues on Parade Hint of Spring Blues on parade in smart shop windows along fashion row definitely are signs of spring, for all the jaunty and captivating blues from sky to navy will dominate the spring fashion scene. And just seeing them now in all their crisp, new snappiness is enough to put one in a spring mood. It's hard to go wrong with navy as the background color for your wardrobe. A navy coat and a navy basic dress will go far toward holding up their end of the bargain any time. And miracle changes may be accomplished with cheery red or white accessories.

Coat designers prophesy navy to lead all other shades in dress coats followed closely by black, gray and

beige. Mixtures will lead in the casual and sports coat picture with oatmeal tweeds, plaids, checks and monotone weaves in the lineup.

Zippers, from neck to hem, are closing many of the smartest dressy coat models. They effect beautifully trim affairs of the fitted models which flare at the hem, keeping the streamline smooth. This princess tapering in coats nips in the waistline to unbelievably small proportions. Shoulders are square, but modified.

Pockets are big news on dresses, suits and coats—result of the war influence and the French trend toward functional clothes. In Paris these pockets, some of them enormous, serve a very real purpose in times of blackouts and so on, but here we can be grateful that they are merely ornamental. The pockets are fake in most cases, but spectacular and interesting.

With the current accent on things militaristic, military capes promise to be high fashion for spring. In slightly longer than finger tip lengths combined with dresses of the same material or monotones with prints or plaids, ensembles of considerable dash are created. A cape may double with a coat to two costumes from one basic ensemble.

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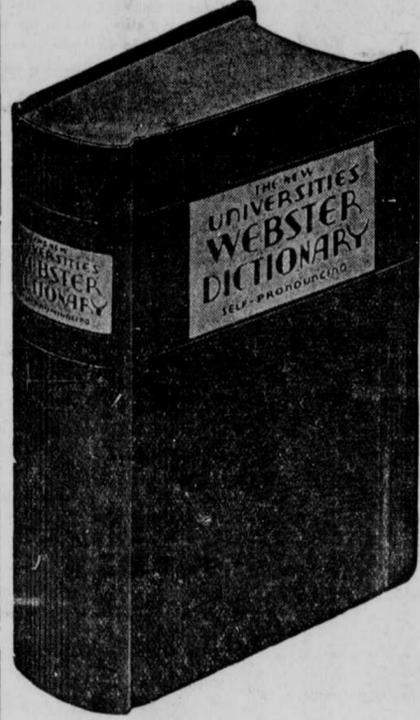
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