

Dame's American Selections In Last Half Win Audience

By Dave Seligman

Donald Dame's charm and gracious personality won over his audience in a moderately-full Guion Hall when his relatively unfamiliar selection failed. Dame noted Metropolitan Opera tenor, was Town Hall's last presentation Thursday night.

The program was divided into six portions which included two first performances. The first part was composed of four folksongs. Two of the tunes were French, "Briolage" and "L'Angelus"; one was Italian "Ohie Meneche"; and the other English, "Some Rival Has Stolen My True Love Away".

In the second part Dame showed his acting ability in character portrayal, even with as light a piece as a war veteran coming home to his girl in "Au Pays" by Augusta Holmes. Also, of particular note was Dame's excellent control of voice in quiet, clear, almost inaudible passages. This art was most convincing in several numbers throughout the program.

The third part of the show was the tenor aria "H'h'ella mi creda" from Puccini's "Girl of the Golden West".

Following the intermission Max Walmer, Dames accompanist gave good renditions of the Chopin "A-flat Etude" and "Valse Oubliee" by Liszt. The audience called him

"The Pretzel Man" and "The Time for Making Songs Has Come", but by this time his unarming manner and vibrant voice had captivated his austere audience and he was called back for encores.

Instead he immediately began the last portion of the show which was by far the most well received. Composed of selections from Dame's radio program American Album of Familiar Music, it included "Mah Lindy Lou," "The Girl That I Marry," "If I Love You," and "Your's Is My Heart Alone". So well did the crowd like the performance he was called back for six encores.

Leading off with "Good Ale", a familiar concert ballad, sung as a character portrayal of a drinker in a tavern calling for more beer, Dame followed with Victor Herbert's "I'm Falling in Love With Someone"; "The Complete Misanthropist", a catchy tune concerning an eccentric's dislike (including the audience); another new piece "Oh, Sing Again" by Gustav Klemm; "Bally Hoo Bally", an Irish folksong; and in a farewell gesture closed with the old favorite "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes".

It could be seen that though the audience was cool in the beginning, by the time the last note had been sung they appreciated Donald Dame and recognized him as one of the great American tenors.

Kiwanians to Honor High School Athletes

Honoring the Consolidated High School athletes, the Kiwanis Club will hold its second annual banquet-party at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, April 23 in Sbis Hall. Morris Franks of Houston will be the principal speaker, and Manning Smith will serve as master-of-ceremonies.

Tickets, selling for \$1.50, may be purchased at Luke's grocery, Lipscomb Pharmacy, Madeley Pharmacy, and the high school office. Tickets also may be bought from any member of the Kiwanis Club.

Awards will be presented to the outstanding athletes of the high school.

Architecture Dept Will Be Represented at ACSA Meet

Five members of the Texas A. & M. College architecture department will attend consecutive meetings of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture, April 29-May 1, at Grand Rapids, Mich. Making the trip are Ernest Langford, department head, and W. W. Caudill, John M. Rawlett, Jason P. Moore and Gordon C. McCutcheon.

Official Notices

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April 14, 1947
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Engineer-Agriculture Day Provides Two-School Show

The students and staff of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas in agriculture and engineering will work together to stage a demonstration open to the public on Engineer-Agriculture Day Saturday, May 10, it was recently announced by school authorities.

Engineer-Agriculture Day will actually last two days, since Mother's Day is the following day. The General George Moore flag will be presented to the outstanding military organization of the year and the Albert Sidney Johnston saber will be presented to the outstanding cadet.

Two sports events will be held the afternoon of May 10. A track meet between A. & M. and the University of Texas, and a baseball game with Brooke Army Medical Center and the Aggies have been scheduled for that day.

A program will be given at Guion Hall at 7:30 p.m. by the schools of Agriculture and Engineering; there will be skits sponsored by the various departments of the two schools. These skits will show what is being done in each department. A dance will follow later in Sbis Hall.

The departments cooperating to make Ag Day a success include: Agricultural Education, Agricultural Engineering, Agronomy, Animal Husbandry, Horticulture, Fish and Game, Landscape Art, Range Management, and the Dairy Husbandry department. The activities of these different departments will be announced at a later date.

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Fifty senior engineering students from 55 leading colleges and universities throughout the country will be selected this spring for engineering training by the Chance Vought Aircraft Division of United Aircraft Corporation, Stratford, Connecticut.

Rex B. Beisel, general manager of the company, made the announcement Wednesday, April 2, in serving notice of the company's re-establishment of its comprehensive Engineering Training Program which proved so successful in pre-war operation.

The selection, according to Beisel will be extensively trained in many phases of aeronautical engineering and actual shop work over an eight month period. During the first four months of the program, the trainees will learn and utilize shop skills within various departments. Problem assignments related to engineering and production practices will constitute the latter half of the course.

This program enables the company to inject new talent into their engineering staff and gives trainees the opportunity of continuing their engineering training on a practical basis, and at the same time obtain an excellent start on a career with one of the nation's leading airplane designers and builders, Beisel said.

What's Cooking

MONDAY, April 21

4 p.m.—Willard Chevalier to address engineering faculty.
4:30 p.m.—Corps Review, Main Drill Field.
6:30 p.m.—Aggie Muster, East of Administration Building.
7:30 p.m.—Astronomy Society in Physics Building.

TUESDAY, April 22

1:30 p.m.—War Department representatives to address all former commissioned officers and students interested in ROTC program in Guion Hall.
4:30 p.m.—Children's instruction class for All-Breed Dog Show, in front of Administration Building.

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