

Rare Instrumental Quartet Set On Chamber Music Spot

Case Of Aaron Burr Will Be Dramatized During "Famous Jury Trials" Scheduled At 7 P. M. Monday

The "Fortissimo Four," a rare instrumental quartet which blows hot and cold at the drop of a "pizzicato," will park with the "Chamber Music Society of Lower Basin Street" during the weekly sitting, Monday, at 9:35 p. m. over WJZ.

Stirring overtures by "Dr." Henry Levine's Dixieland Little Symphony and "Maestro" Paul Laval's "Ten Babes Lost in the Woodwinds," will highlight the main course. Dolores O'Neill will serve the appetizers with a "gratin" blues vocal, scuffie style, while chairman "Dr." Gino Hamilton does hip-ups with a goose-neck microphone.

The controversial case of Aaron Burr, whose peculiar niche in America's history is based on his equal facility with the duelling pistol and politician's pen, will be dramatized during "Famous Jury Trials" Monday at 7 p. m. over WJZ.

W. C. FRIEDLY, 59, LAUNDRY HEAD DIES IN SLEEP

(Lima News Bureau) FINDLAY, Feb. 24—William C. Friedly, 59, president of the Buckeye Laundry Co. here and father of Donald E. Friedly, one of several persons who drowned when their auto plunged into Indian lake in 1937, died at his home here Sunday from a heart attack.

Dr. H. O. Crosby, Hancock co-coroner, said Friedly had been playing cards at his home Saturday night and returned about 1 o'clock apparently in usual health. He was found dead in bed.

A native of Ada, he was the son of John and Nancy (Freed) Friedly. He moved to Findlay 16 years ago when he became head of the laundry company.

Surviving are a son, Everett of Fort Wayne, Ind.; two sisters, and three brothers, one of them David C. who was associated with him in the laundry business here.

He was a 32nd degree Mason, holding membership in a Lima lodge.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday in the Children funeral home here with Dr. C. Clark Shedd, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating. Burial will be in Ada Woodlawn cemetery.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA

DELPHOS, Feb. 24—Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Staup have returned home after a few weeks vacation in Florida. With his brother Paul, Staup operates the two theatres here.

Book Reviews

Books Reviewed Here May Be Obtained At The Lima Public Library, Main Library

By MARY LATHROP
Lima Public Library Staff
RANDOM HARVEST. By James Hilton. Little, Brown and Co. \$2.50.

In his new novel James Hilton goes far afield from his previous novels, "Lost Horizon," and "Goodbye, Mr. Chips." This one is a "loss of memory story" but more than that we cannot say because there seems to be an unwritten law that the reader of the book never reveals the plot.

But his old alluring world is there—a world of four dimensions with a haunting sense of something beyond where reason fails and instinct guides. It is a story full of living people and sharp incident and the plot makes you catch your breath.

DO NOT DISTURB. By Frank Case, Frederick A. Stokes Co. \$3.00.

Did you read and enjoy, "Tales of a Wayward Inn" by the genial host of the famous Algonquin hotel? If you did you will want to read this second installment of these stories. The Algonquin is the meeting place of the theatre and literary group of New York and Case has many tales to tell of the big names in these glamorous professions.

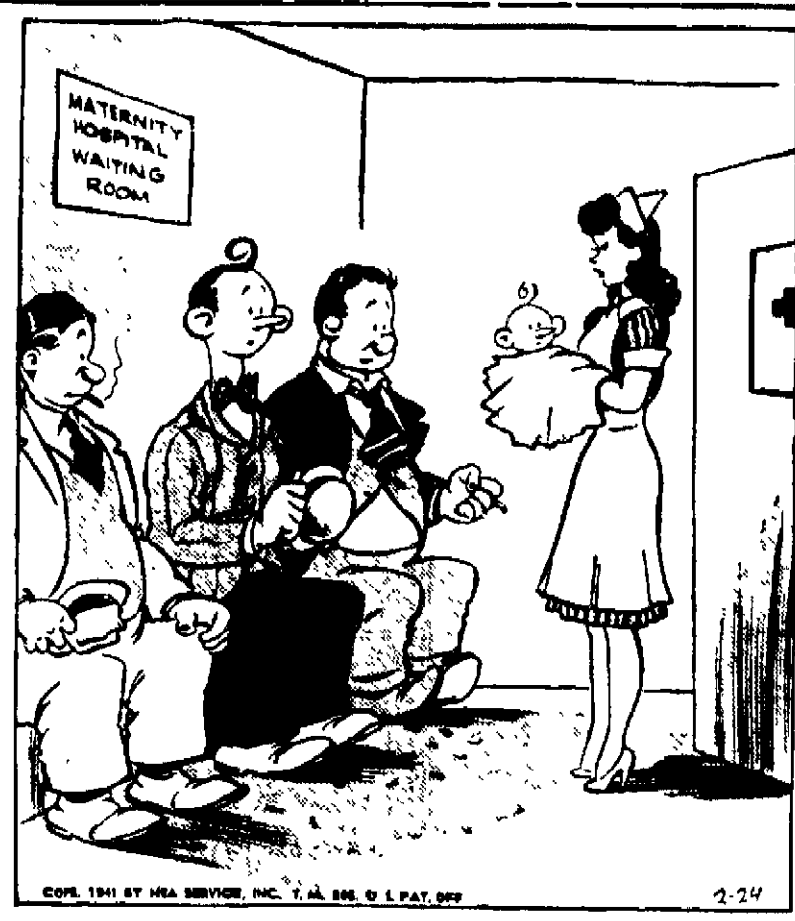
There are many quotable stories in every chapter and you can open the book at random and become absorbed in it.

STORY OF MY MOTHER. By Oskar Maria Graf, Howell, Soskin and Co. \$2.50.

The younger exiled writers are having to turn back to their own pasts for themes for their books. They have not become adjusted yet to their new environment in America and until they do they must make use of the familiar things in their memories.

In this case Graf tells the story of his mother, a Bavarian peasant who was devoted to the good life in the face of the evolution of

HOLD EVERYTHING



"Which one of you is Mr. Tweedum?"

NEWS IN COLORED CIRCLES

Social Items, Lodges, Societies, Personals

Mrs. Alice Lyie was hostess to the Ladies' League of Second Baptist church Wednesday evening in her home, N. Kenilworth-av. Members present were Mrs. Della Moxley, Mrs. Dulce Black, Mrs. Clara Halthcox, Mrs. Fannie Vaughn, Mrs. Cora Johnson, Mrs. Nora Shoecraft, Mrs. Bessie Mines, Mrs. Mary F. Barnett and the hostess. The league will present a children's program at the church on Sunday, March 2.

Mrs. Mary F. Barnett and Mrs. Hattie Banks are spending the week-end in Kenton as guests of Miss Amanda Moss.

Mrs. Charles Moss will be hostess to the Nonpariel club Wednesday afternoon at which time the white elephant sale will be conducted with Mrs. Mary F. Barnett as auctioneer.

Members of "Meet the Mrs." club will observe their third anniversary with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown on Sunday, March 9. The next meeting will be held Friday, March 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Young.

The Missionary society of Second Baptist church will have a service Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the home of Mrs. John Moxley, 509 S. Nye-st. The following program will be presented: recitation, "My Thankful Prayer," Lillian Lester; duet, Misses Susie and Ione McGee; solo, Mrs. Bessie Mines; select reading, "The Glory of Glory"; solo, Raymond Bobson; instrumental solo, Miss Peggy King; solo, Mrs. Lillian Thomas; solo, Miss F. Webb; remarks by Rev. G. J. Johnson.

Mrs. Bessie Higgins spent the week-end in Chicago visiting her sister.

Mrs. Lillian B. Johnson of 1414 Noval-av, has been confined to her home.

The Ladies' Aid of Fourth Street Baptist church will sponsor a program Saturday evening as follows: solo, Isaac Turpin; solo, Magnolia Henderson; solo, John Williamson; selection, Sunrise quartet; selection, Heavenly Rest quartet; solo,

Mack Williamson; reading, Mrs. Jennie B. Foreman; recitation, Oscar Tucker; solo, Daisy Jones; solo, Lucille Tucker; selection, the Harmonizers; solo, Ruth Jones.

Mrs. Cornelia King, W. Spring-st., celebrated her 82nd birthday Tuesday. The Sewing Circle, a neighborhood club, gave her a surprise party in the evening. She received a number of gifts and cards during the day. Those present were Mrs. Lizzie Hicks, Mrs. Alice Johnson, Mrs. Bertha Thomas, Mrs. Emma Wilson, Mrs. Josephine Vaughn, Mrs. Gertrude Redman, Mrs. Bessie Martin, Mrs. Hazel Jackson, Miss Lena Halthcox, Mrs. Tina Tucker, Mrs. Luella Thomas, Mrs. Mary Sue, Mrs. Rose Charous, Mrs. Anna Howell, M. and Mrs. Claude Hicks, Miss Lettie King, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Blakeman.

Mrs. Ellen Ramsey and Mrs. Esther Johnson were hostesses to the Needlework club Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. John Albert Davis. Mrs. Etta Beasley, Mrs. Sadie Stewart, Mrs. Viola Hackley, Mrs. Althea Goings, Mrs. Virginia Beasley and daughter, Thelma, Mrs. Grace Webb, Mrs. Della Moxley, Mrs. Florence Cook, Mrs. Nora Shoecraft, Mrs. Volena Peters, Mrs. Bertha Moss, Mrs. Clara Halthcox, Mrs. Lura Brown, were an only guest. Mrs. Nora Shoecraft will be hostess in two weeks.

GO TO KALIDA
DELPHOS, Feb. 24—A group of women affiliated with the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church attended a meeting of the Kalida organization at the home there of Mrs. Virgil Lucas.

TONIGHT "SAY GOOD NIGHT"

to colds' troubles. Slip away from aches, migraines, sniffles, into sleep. Here's double help that acts almost instantly. Rub with Penetro. 25c. Doublesupply, 35c.

THE WESTERN AND SOUTHERN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

G. F. WILLIAMS, PRESIDENT W. J. WILLIAMS, VICE PRESIDENT

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

DECEMBER 31, 1944

ASSETS	
United States Government Bonds	\$ 74,812,891.00
Consolidated Federal Land Bank Bonds	6,985,419.25
Maturity Bonds (No default of interest)	5,450,211.63
First Mortgage Loans on City Property	69,808,730.28
Second Mortgage Loans on City Property	1,773,254.08
First Mortgage Loans on Farm Property	7,586,811.03
General Assets	8,898,836.81
Preferred Stocks	928,113.18
Real City Property	9,149,408.13
Real City Property Sold on Contract	2,553,993.67
Real Farm Property	419,403.92
Farm Property Sold on Contract	36,476.92
Real Estate in Progress	1,320,000.00
Home Office Property	1,965,482.06
Cash and Deposits in Banks	2,423,464.30
Net Unallocated and Deferred Premiums	1,896,572.97
Accrued Interest on Investments	1,896,572.97
TOTAL ADMITTED ASSETS	\$ 188,772,252.41
LIABILITIES	
Reserve for Protection of Policyholders	\$ 155,559,758.46
Premiums and Interest Paid in Advance	6,985,419.25
Reserve for Taxes and Incurred Unpaid Claims	1,535,542.70
Securities Flotation and General Contingency Reserve	3,192,518.90
Capital and Surplus	27,787,400.73
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 188,772,252.41
INCREASE IN ASSETS—\$7,477,126.67	
INCREASE IN INSURANCE—\$54,673,062.00	
TOTAL INSURANCE—\$993,582,639.90	

Enduring financial strength is revealed in a perusal of our Fifty-third Annual Statement. Continued adherence to the Company's traditional policy of Safety First is reflected. Thus, the strongest legal requirements established for policy reserves are fully maintained. Liquidity combined with adequate yield is achieved by a well diversified investment portfolio. All assets are valued at the most conservative standards.

Our operations in the field and Home Office are managed with the strictest economy consistent with adequate service to our policyholders. The success of this program makes it possible for us to offer the Utmost Value in Life Insurance, as demonstrated by the Lowest Scale of Guaranteed Premium Rates for all classes of life insurance.

The investment and management policy reserves established by Western and Southern to attain its present position of eminence will be faithfully continued as will the Company's practice of passing on to our policyholders the benefits accruing therefrom. With this pledge we confidently solicit the continued patronage of the insuring public.

C. M. WILLIAMS
Executive Vice-President

NOW... OVER A BILLION DOLLARS INSURANCE IN FORCE

COMMERCIAL WHOLE LIFE POLICY—MINIMUM POLICY \$5,000

GUARANTEED PREMIUM RATES PER \$1,000

Annual Premium	\$ 10.00	\$ 12.50	\$ 17.50	\$ 25.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 50.00
Age at Issue	20	25	30	35	40	45

These rates include Value of Premiums For Smoking.

R. J. MANN, Manager
802-521 Cook Tower
121-123 West High, Lima

Hygiene Show Scheduled At The Lyric For Three Days

Howard Russell Cox Is Commentator On Program; Regular Showing Hours Are Announced By Management

"Dust To Dust," the most talked-about hygiene attraction being shown today, will be presented at the Lyric theatre three days commencing Monday, with Howard Russell Cox as commentator. Shows for women and high school girls at 2 and 7 p. m. and for men and high school boys at 9 p. m.

Co-starring a topnotch trio consisting of Dorothy Lamour, Robert Preston and Preston Foster, the State's new film, "Moon Over Burma," deals with fun in the tropics. Dennis O'Keefe, Constance Moore, Helen Parrish and Lewis Howard are the stars of the co-feature, "I'm Nobody's Sweetheart Now."

Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake, and Larry Simms as the comic Bumstead family are the stars of the latest of the family series, "Blondie Plays Cupid," currently at the Lyric theatre. Billy Lee and Edith Fellows portray two of the orphans in the heart-throbbing drama, "Nobody's Children," which is co-featured.

Lou Costello and Bud Abbott, make their film debut in the Lyric's current feature, "Buck Privates," with Nat Pendleton, the Andrews Sisters and Lee Rowman aiding the popular comics in their first film venture. The show is based on the experience of two zanies in the training camps.

At the Ohio theatre Cary Grant, Katharine Hepburn and James Stewart star in "The Philadelphia Story," the film of the stage hit that convulsed Broadway audiences. Hepburn is cast as the woman who expected a perfect husband. Grant is the unperfect husband who became "ex," and Stewart is the magazine reporter and friend of the family.

Ezra Stone, Bill Holden, Bonita Granville and Judith Barrett star in the Lyric's "These Were the Days," a hilarious comedy of college as it was when dad went to school. The co-feature is "Red River Valley."

Today, the widely heralded hygiene attraction, "Dust To Dust," opened its engagement at the Lyric theatre. There was one of the largest line-ups in many months for the opening matinee.

According to manager Cleon Point some came seeking salacious thrills — others came to learn — and some just "to see what it was all about."

Those seeking something salacious or immoral stood to be sadly disappointed. Those seeking to learn, did learn the latest 1941 facts on social hygiene subjects.

PREVUED IN ADVANCE for Lima Mothers! **3,000,000 AMERICANS** Mothers—Bring your daughters! Fathers—Bring your sons!

NO MATTER WHO YOU ARE The scourge of social disease sweeping America can wreck your life, your home and your loved ones, without insurance! **LYRIC** Bold! Frank and Fearless! Very Vital! Very Shocking!

3 Big Days! TODAY-TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY CLEAN, MORAL, DECENT—SHOWN TO SEGREGATED AUDIENCES ONLY

WOMEN ONLY And High School Girls At 2 and 7 P. M. Doors Open At 1:30 and 6:30

NOT SUITABLE FOR GRADE SCHOOL STUDENTS Come on Time No Performance Repeated

MEN ONLY And High School Boys At 9 P. M. Purchase tickets any time after 7 p. m. and avoid late rush

YOU MAY FAINT... BUT YOU'LL LEARN FACTS!

BIG AS LIFE-SURE AS DEATH

DUST TO DUST

ON OUR STAGE IN PERSON Howard Russell **COX** The Fearless Kentucky Commentator

—ON— "THE EVILS OF SEX INTOLERANCE" (No Puke No Punctures)

SEE A CAESARIAN OPERATION

Ladies—Get your Enamelware Gifts Today or Friday This Week THU 4 P. M.

Performances for women and high school girls are scheduled for 2 and 7 p. m., and for men and high school boys at 9 p. m. each evening. It can be shown to segregated audiences only.

SIGMA

It happened in Hollywood during the filming of "Buck Privates," currently screening at the Sigma theatre.

The set was a replica of an army camp recreation center, and in addition to the stars, Abbott and Costello and The Andrews Sisters, there were hundreds of young "conscripts" at the piano, writing back home, or reading books.

Director Arthur Lubin was busily engaged telling the Andrews girls how to get a little more "southern" out of their new tune, "Doogie-Woogie Bugle Boy."

They both smiled and shook their heads. Nick Castle, the New York dance director, was telling them how to frame their routine for the number. Simultaneously, Milton Krasser, was putting in his oar about the camera angles.

In the midst of the rehearsal, Lubin's assistant told him that Lee Bowman and Alan Curtis had reported, ready for their first scene together in the picture, in which they do a young "Ser-vent Quirk" and "Capt. Flagg."

The film reaches a new high in merit when the prospective room sprints his ankle and Blondie forces Dagwood to take his place. Approaching the bride's home, he characteristically, climbs into the wrong room and attempts to elope with the bride's enraged father. After a madcap chase, during which Dagwood lands one of his famous haymakers, with Ray Dumpling topping the excitement by lighting a stick of dynamite, thinking it a firecracker. Before the holiday is over, the Bumsteads realize that they have celebrated anything but a safe and sane Fourth!

The featured players, including Daisy, are all excellent in their roles and continue the fine acting precedent they set in the earlier films. Supplementing the leading players and rendering grand support in lesser roles are Glenn Ford, Irving Bacon, Danny Mummert, Johnathan Hale and Spencer Charters.

GILBERT NAMED NEW BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 24 — Paul Gilbert was elected president of the New Bremen Community Institute at the annual meeting here. Other new officers, who will have charge of arrangements for the 1942 event, are: Allan Ruesse, vice president; Mrs. Leo C. Kuthorst, secretary; Leander Landwehr, treasurer; Mrs. Howard Henke, lady correspondent; William Dammeyer, J. A. King and Herbert Garmhausen, executive committee-men.

OHIO 30c TH 8

NOW! 3 GRAND STARS IN... TRIPLE FUN ROMANCE!

GRANT HEPBURN STEWART Philadelphia Story RUTH HUSSEY

John HOWARD • Roland YOUNG John HALLIDAY • Mary MARR Virginia WEDDIER

ADDED FUN! DISNEY CARTOON • NEWS

STARTS SATURDAY • JAMES CAGNEY • OLIVIA DEHAVILLAND STRAWBERRY BLONDE with RITA HAYWORTH

SIGMA 30c TH 8

Hurry! Last 2 Days

Red's star features and more in the first army camp comedy!

BUCK PRIVATES ADDED MARCH OF TIME CAROON NEWS

LEE ROWMAN ALAN CURTIS

WED. THURS. FRI. ... TWO BIG HITS! BOB CROSBY and HIS BAND in "LET'S MAKE MUSIC" also TIM HOLT in "THE FARGO KID"

2 BIG HITS **STATE** NOW A THOUSAND JUNGLE THRILLS

WILLIAM CAGNEY OLIVIA DEHAVILLAND

ADDED BY **IN NOBODY'S SWEETHEART NOW**

Ladies—Get your Enamelware Gifts Today or Friday This Week THU 4 P. M.