



HARPER SPONSORS BRAHMS PERFORMANCE

An exciting cultural event came to the Northwest Suburban Community. The North Side Symphony Orchestra, together with Harper's Community Chorus, performed Brahms's REQUIEM on Friday May 10th in the Elk Grove High School auditorium. Soloists were soprano Peggy Smith, who has appeared with the Chicago and NBC Symphony Orchestras, and bass Henri Noel, noted for his solo work with the Lyric Opera. The orchestra was conducted by Milton Preves, principal violist and frequent soloist with the Chicago Symphony. Also participating in the concert was Harper's Community Chorus under the direction of Dr. George Makas. The program opened with Borodin's Overture to Prince Igor.



Mr. Preves

NEW CAMPUS BEGINNING TO TAKE FORM

Thanks to a mild winter and an unbelievable spring, construction on the new campus is progressing remarkably well. With construction activity fully one-quarter of a mile from Algonquin Road and nearly that far from Roselle Road, however, the passerby cannot see what is being accomplished. If you would like to get some feeling for the size and progress of the project, take your family one dry Sunday onto the site, using the Roselle Road entrance. The contractor does not encourage group tours, especially during working hours, but has no objections to a Sunday drive-in visit.



On an inspection tour of the new campus, trustees look over plans and progress with dean of business Bill Mann. Left to right are: L. E. Hutchings, James J. Hamill, John A. Haas, Mann and Milton C. Hansen.

SUMMER SESSION STARTS JUNE 17

Harper College is offering an eight week summer session which begins June 17 and ends August 16. Courses offered range from Principles of Economics, Introduction to Psychology and Elementary Spanish to Oil Painting and Tennis. All courses are open to adults as well as recent high school graduates. Tuition

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is \$8.00 per credit hour, plus fees. Students may enroll for a maximum of eight semester hours. Persons interested in the summer session are urged to apply as soon as possible. Write or phone for a copy of our summer session class schedule.

HARPER LECTURE-DRAMA SERIES OFF & RUNNING

This spring Harper established a lecture-drama series, featuring guest appearances by well known personalities, as well as dramatic presentations by "The Harper Players". In late March, Bergen Evans, noted author and lecturer, was on the program, and in April Johnny Morris, professional athlete and TV sportscaster, spoke. Studs Terkel, author of "Division Street America", talked May 1 on the "inner city".

Other May events included "Bunny Stuntz", presented by John Muchmore, Harper's instructor in speech and drama, and "The Harper Players", plus the REQUIEM performance on May 10.

BEGIN PILOT TEST OF HARPER'S CO-OP DATA PROCESSING PROGRAM

For some months now, Harper has been planning a unique co-operative data processing program involving area elementary and high school districts. Under this system - the first of its kind in Illinois - co-operating school districts will pay an annual fee for the use of Harper's new IBM 360 computer. This fee is just a fraction of what it would cost these schools to rent or buy a computer system of their own.

Roy Sedrel, director of data processing at Harper, indicates that a pilot test of the new program was initiated May 1 and involves a school in Rolling Meadows. This test will help Harper and the school work bugs out of the system so that by fall, all co-operating schools will be ready to go "on line".

INSTRUCTOR'S ART WORK SELECTED FOR EXHIBIT



An etching and self-portrait by Mr. Knudsen, instructor in art, have been selected to appear in the Chicago and Vicinity Art Institute of Chicago. Knudsen is shown above talking with one of Harper's many adult students. More than 20 different courses are offered by Harper's art department which also arranges on-campus exhibits of various artists and features visiting lecturers who are experts in specific art fields.

Schools will use the IBM system initially for attendance accounting and payroll. Eventually the computer will perform many other services for them, including financial accounting, student scheduling, and grade reporting, to name a few.

This program will help area schools eliminate duplication of records as well as give administrators more complete and up-to-date information. Harper's new IBM 360 will be installed this summer. Currently the college uses the computers at the Western Electric office in Rolling Meadows and at Chicago Aerial Industries in Barrington.