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#### **BERA FILM SERIES**

"THE YOUNG AND THE PASSIONATE" ("Vitelloni")

#### Directed by FEDERICO FELLINI Thursday, Nov. 29, 8:30 p.m., Lecture Hall

Five young men, overgrown calves, as the Italian title suggests, live in a provincial town, getting into minor scrapes, annoying people, avoiding steady work, sponging off their families, and trying to stave off boredom in each other's company. One of them manages to find real trouble by getting involved with a nice girl. Forced to marry her and take a job, he almost immediately reverts to his old ways, chasing women and contriving to lose his job, taking up again with the other vitelloni. There are many amusing interludes with the group poet and a scene at a wild Mardi Gras ball, and eventually the straying husband gets the caning he deserves. One of the group makes the break for the big city and a possible use in life. With Franco Fabrizi as the erring one, Franco Interlengli as the thoughtful one, Leopoldo Trieste as the poet, and Alberto Sordi as another member of the group, "The Young and the Passionate'' won the Silver Lion of St. Mark at the Venice Film Festival.

The short subject will be "Songs of the Auvergine."

## **CHESS CONTEST**

The first three people to have the correct answer to this week's problem will be awarded a Chess Set by the BERA Chess Club. Answers should be mailed before Monday, December 3, to Martin Van Lith, 2 Center Street. The solution will be published in next week's BULLE-TIN BOARD.

This problem was worked out by the Blindfold Champion, George Koltanoski. It is White's move and win.



# BERA CONCERT SERIES



GARY TOWLEN

The young Blue Point pianist Gary Towlen will give the second Concert of the series on Wednesday, December 5, at 8:30 p.m. at the Brookhaven Center. He will appear in a program including works by Mendelssohn, Schumann, Clementi, Debussy and Kabalevsky.

Gary Towlen played his first formal recital at the age of twelve in the Carnegie Recital Hall, New York. At the age of fifteen, he played there again and also in Chicago, London, Paris, Geneva and Madrid. Everywhere he was hailed as a "major talent", one who "played with an interpretive force and maturity which made one forget his years"..." a musical intellect"..." a great piano artist of tomorrow."

When nineteen, Gary Towlen played his second London Wigmore Hall recital and his third New York recital. The Daily Mail remarked "Gary Towlen has a bias toward the 'grand manner' remarkable in a youth of this time. Few players of today can array such majestic tonal masses.... He can always control the power he has assembled. He can also stir the pulses with his fleetness and deal in the most delicate shades... he possesses the gift of intimate interpretation".

The New York reviewers were even more enthusiastic. Eric Salzman closed his New York Times review with this statement, "This is, no question, a major talent."

Season tickets (\$10.00 for adults, \$5.00 for persons under 18) will still be a bargain. Call C. Auerbach, Ext. 753. They will also be available at the door, along with single admissions at \$3.00 for employees and their families and at \$3.50 for guests.

## SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE

Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these carriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds. -HERODOTUS

With winter coming on everyone should take advantage of the BNL shuttle busses which are provided for the convenience of the people on-site. Over two hundred employees ride the shuttle busses every day and there's always room for another passenger; just wave to the driver (don't be bashful, girls - no tokens required) and he will stop for you.

The route, which covers most of the major facilities, takes about 14 minutes to traverse. Between 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., the Cafeteria is included. Busses will pick up or discharge passengers on signal at any point along the route.

Greater use of the shuttle busses, instead of private or government vehicles, will also help to reduce traffic congestion and parking problems and will increase the availability of government vehicles for necessary trips to areas not served by the busses.

#### **NEWCOMERS' GET-TOGETHER**

The Welcoming Committee is sending invitations for a Newcomers' Christmas Cheer Get-together to women who have recently joined the professional and scientific staffs and to wives of profesional and scientific staff members. For secretarial comfort, we have made our lists from July 1st, but anyone who joined the Laboratory staff before then and still feels "new" is more than welcome.

Alphabetical and geographical selections have been made among the "old timers'' since we can't ask everybody to everything. Those not asked this time will, we hope, come to another welcomina party.

At present, the members of the Welcoming Committee are: Bellport area, Mrs. Clarke Williams; Brookhaven area, Mrs. R. Christian Anderson; Huntington area, Mrs. Leonard Baker; Medford area, Mrs. Karl Walther; Yaphank area, Mrs. Walter R. Kane: Port Jefferson and east, Mrs. Howard Curtis; Blue Point area, Mrs. Gerhart Friedlander; Port Jefferson and west, Mrs. Gerald Tape; Patchogue area, Mrs. Vance Sailor; Shirley and east, Mrs. Gerald S. Levine.

If transportation is a problem in your case, will you please call extension 493 and ask for Mrs. Joan Victoria.

## Arrivals and Departures

#### WELCOME TO BNL

CENTRAL SHOPS	
Frank Umbrecht	Ext. 566
COSMOTRON	
Richard M. Spitz	
MEDICAL	
Carol L. Pfleiderer	301
Nuclear Engineering	
Stephen K. Gordon	
Richard M. Powers	
Personnel	
Madeline Walters	2808
Physics	
Hugie Foote	541
Reactor	
Norman H. Ether	692

#### **RECENT DEPARTURES**

AGS Harold Alexanderson BIOLOGY Gail Simon CHEMISTRY Irwin Sponder COSMOTRON June Nowaski PHYSICS Inge Heus

### **GROUP BUYING** —

## TICKET SERVICES

All employees buying services formerly offered at the Personnel Office will now be conducted at the Recreation Office, 3 Center St., daily 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. These services include the sale of film and film processing, T.V. and radio tubes, a tube testing machine, coffee and a rental library as well as periodic group sales of other specific items.

MICROMET - Orders will be taken, accompanied by full payment through Friday, November 30. No orders will be accepted after this date.

TICKET SERVICES - Reservations for the Metropolitan Opera as well as information and pick up of other available tickets is now being conducted, daily 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Recreation Office.

Tickets now on hand include:

N.Y. play — "MILK AND HONEY" Basketball — N.Y. KNICKERBOCKERS

Hockey --- N.Y. RANGERS

Mineola Playhouse —

"South Pacific" - Nov. 13 - Dec. 2 'Gypsy'' - Dec. 26 - Jan. 12 Ice Follies -

Tickets will be available next week. FOR INFORMATION - EXT. 2808.

## BRIDGE

The declarers who exercised care playing this 4H contract in the last game were justly rewarded.

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5	XXX	хx
	Axxx	K Q 9 x x
	Ax	К×
1	AKxx	J 9 x x

Three rounds of spades are led, the last ruffed by declearer. A trump is led to the ace (to guard against East having all four). Two more rounds are played when West shows out on the second round. How do you play? Plan before reading on.

The only distribution to be guarded against is Q-10-x-x of clubs with West. A club is led to the ace. If no honor falls from East, the ace and king of diamonds are cashed in that order. Now a small club is led and ducked in dummy. If East follows suit, the clubs have broken, and there is no problem. If East shows out, his partner is endplayed.

Arranging to lead the second round of clubs toward dummy is superior to leading toward the J-9, because if West started with the doubleton queen, you will catch it and make an overtrick.

Last week's winners were Skelly Frei. and Sandy Wagner (N-S) and Jack Cockrill and Lou Shotkin (E-W).

The next game will be held Thursday, November 29 at 7:45 p.m. in the Recreation Hall. The game will be over by 11. In order to give out bigger master point awards, a Howell movement will be used.

#### VISITORS

The Bio-Medical Program Directors of the United States Atomic Energy Commission met at BNL on November 26 and 27.

#### SWIMMING POOL OPEN

#### Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Daily Admission
Employee \$.35
Family Member (immediate) .35
Guest .60
(Children under 6 years old - FREE)
Season Tickets:
Employee \$ 5.00
Family Member (immediate) 5.00
Family (Employee's immediate) 10.00
CORRECTION: Last week's BULLETIN
BOARD erroneously quoted a Guest
Season Ticket price. No Guest Season

Tickets are sold at the Pool.

## "20 YEARS OF NUCLEAR PROGRESS"

BNL is sponsoring a symposium entitled "20 Years of Nuclear Progress," for Suffolk County science teachers on Saturday, December 1. This event is part of the AEC's Nationwide observance of the twentieth anniversary of the start-up of the first reactor. Members of the BNL staff will lead discussions on the past and future effects of nuclear tools upon the conduct of research.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

#### FOR SALE

1953 CHEVROLET - 2 dr., powerglide, good cond. \$125. AT 6-8281.

1954 STUDEBAKER - 5 passenger, "Starlight" coupe. "Commander" V-8 engine, original owner, driven under 60,000 miles. Tires good, engine, auto. trans., & battery good. Side window mechanisms awful. Fairly new seatcovers. \$150. LT 9-5741.

1952 FORD - 2 dr., r&h, good cond. \$75. EM 3-6538.

1951 PONTIAC - Good cond. throughout, well kept, best offer. E. Krzeminski, Ext. 2412.

1960 PONTIAC CATALINA - 4 dr. sedan, auto. trans., r&h, saf-t-track differential and snow tires. Ready for winter. \$1775. W. Berg, Ext. 403.

1961 IMPALA - Red, 2 dr., hard top, 348 cu. in., tri. carb., 4 speed floor shift trans., positraction, (3.70.1), excell. cond. \$2300. A. Esper, Ext. 2156 or SE 2-3404.

1958 PLYMOUTH - Station wagon, auto. 4 dr., V8 with new battery, seat belts and snow tires mounted this season. \$700. JU 5-8322.

1955 CHEVROLET - Station wagon, 4 dr., powerglide 6, new tires, one owner. \$375. Bill, Ext. 2255.

COLONIAL HOME - 7 rooms, white, wooded property, ½ block from private beach, village of Shoreham, many extras, low taxes. \$25,000. SH 4-3667 after 6:00 p.m. or Ext. 2610.

RANCH HOUSE - 3 bedrooms, living-dining room, all elec. kitchen, wall oven, refrig., full basement, screened breezeway, garage, mahogany panel fireplace, built-in breakfront, wall to wall carpeting, venetian blinds, aluminum storms. ½ acre plot, well landscaped. Stony Brook. May be seen by appointment. Call 751-1473.

DUTCH COLONIAL - 4 bedrooms, hilltop, split, living room, dining room, breakfast rm., kitchen, 1½ baths, basement, garage, ⅓ acre, shrubbed landscaped, immed. occupancy. \$16,500. SE 2-3509.

RANCH HOUSE - 2 bedrooms, full cellar, excellent location. Corey Ave., Blue Point. EM 3-6439.

SAILBOAT - 16 ft. class sailboat in good cond. Paddle, anchor, etc. \$175. R. Meyer, Ext. 481 or LT 9-5757.

# CHRISTMAS TREES AND DECORATIONS

The Yule Tide Season is almost here again. This is the time that we introduce into our homes one of the greatest fire hazards possible - the Christmas tree. The following is a short review of some precautions we should take to prevent fire during the Christmas season.

Natural trees must be cut well in advance so that they are here in time for Christmas. For this reason they are quite dry. To reduce this hazard somewhat, cut off the trunk at an angle at least one inch above the original cut and then set it in water. Water must be added at intervals as long as the tree is in the house. If you buy the tree prior to decorating it, store it outside with the trunk in either water or snow since trees dry out much faster in the house. It is further suggested that the tree be brought into the house to be decorated as close to Christmas as possible and removed soon after Christmas.

There are several flame retardant materials, that may be put on Christmas trees at home, on the market, but none are very practical. It is necessary to coat every branch and every needle on the tree for these materials to be effective. Some of these solutions will also cause discoloration and premature falling of the needles.

Metal trees are very good from a fire standpoint in that they are completely non-combustible. However, they will conduct electricity and the sharp edges may come in contact with cords or sockets and cause the entire tree to become electrically charged. It is best to light this type of tree with spots. If properly done, this can make a very beautiful tree.

There is an increasing tendency around the country to use flock to simulate snow on Christmas trees. Most flock consists of tiny lengths of sharply cut rayon fibers to which flame retardant chemicals and dry adhesives plus materials to give color and glitter have been added. If this flame retardant material has not been added, flock is extremely combustible. This should be carefully checked when purchasing this material.

"Angel hair" (normally made of glass wool and labeled "non-combustible") and spray-on "snows" (usually sold in aerosal cans and also labeled non-combustible) do not, **when used individually** introduce any additional fire hazard. **However**, "angel hair" with a "snow" application can burn. Caution should, therefore, be exercised, and when it is desired to spray a tree with "snow", this should be done **first** and any "angel hair" applied subsequently.

The following are some general precautions to be observed:

- 1. Do not use wax candles around trees, greenery, or any other combustible decorations.
- 2. Before using, check all electric lighting sets for frayed cords, loose connections, or broken sockets.
- 3. Buy only UL labeled lighting sets.
- 4. Be sure there is a 15 amp fuse (no larger) in the electric circuit that you will use for the lighting.
- 5. Turn off all tree lighting before leaving the house or retiring for the night.
- 6. Use non-combustible materials to decorate your house whenever possible.
- Polystyrene foam, a material sometime used in Christmas decorations, is combustible and melts as it burns. Do not use foamed plastics near candles or other ignition sources.
- 8. Be careful when buying toys for your children. Pyroxylin plastic dolls or toys burn easily. Toys operated by alcohol, gasoline, or kerosene are especially dangerous. When buying electric toys, be sure they are listed by Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc.

12 FT. SAILFISH - With blue Dacron sail, structurally like new, painted with epoxy resin paint, which needs a little touching up. Will support 300 pounds. Light weight, can be handled by an 11-year old, small enough to go alongside the Christmass tree. Handpulled trailer included. \$125. Ext. 379.

REFRIGERATOR - 6 cu. ft. Westinghouse. Good condition. \$15. E.A. MacDougall, Ext. 776.

PUPPY - Put a little life in your Christmas stocking. Fill it with a floppy eared puppy. Mother a Beagle. Father has us guessing. 7 weeks old at Christmas. Lapienski, Ext. 2367. SHEETROCK - 20 pieces sheetrock, 4x8 750 sq. ft. Grade B. Asphalt floor tiles, red on brown. Cash & Carry, \$65. Whitey, Ext. 2179. FM STEREO - Eico HFT-90 FM tuner and MX-99 Multiplex Adapter. Both assembled and used for a month or so. R. Orgass, Ext. 2469. SKILL SAW - Portable and 6 in. with table attachment. Asking \$55. Ed Potter, Ext. 2456. WASHER-DRYER COMBINATION - Westinghouse, front-loading, 220 volts. Good condition, \$110. Andirons, ornate cast iron, rusty, \$3.50. Electric iron, old but works, \$1. Ext. 2543 or AT 6-0798.

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21 INCH TV - Westinghouse mahogany console (1958) automatic channel selector - automatic fine tuning - good cond. \$50.00 W.H. Reed, Ext. 2204.

FURNISHINGS - 2 pairs dusty rose draperies: 1 pair 13 ft. wide by 8 ft. long; other pair 6 ft. wide by 5 ft. long. \$10. Brown Lawson 2 cushion sofa with kick pleat, excellent cond. \$50. Wash bowl, medicine cabinet, aluminum chaise lounge with innerspring. Make offers. LT 9-3269.

BABY CARRIAGE - Biltrite Coach, mattress included. Excellent condition. A crib, in very good condition, is also available. S. Kalish, Ext. 2524 or JU 1-3015.

DINING TABLE - Grey oak formica with extra leaf and 4 upholstered chairs, \$40. Mary Dohrman, Ext. 2169.

PUPPY - 10 wk. black AKC Laborador. Terrific - Intelligent - Almost house broken - but daughter has allergies. Joe O., Ext. 593 -2128.

ORGAN - Thomas electronic spinet. Single 49 note keyboard, 13 bass pedals, 5 variable voices, variable vibrato & pedal volume. Exclusive "Duo-Voice" expression pedal. Walnut finish with matching bench. 18 months old. Perfect Christmas gift for the whole family. \$375. R. Hildenbrand, Ext. 777. 90 WATT TRANSMITTER - (80 through 10), w/50 watt external plate modulator used 7 mo. Value, new \$199.90. Sacrifice at \$120. Bob Carciello, Ext. 769 or 571 or AT 9-2159 after 6:00 p.m.

JOHNSON OUTBOARD - 1961, 40 hp., manual start, short shaft. Not used in 1961. Whitney single lever control box, 2 props., two 6 gal. gas cans, all excell. cond. Total cost \$590, selling for \$350. R. Meyer, Ext. 481 or LT 9-5757.

SEMI-AUTO PISTOL - 32 cal., like new, permit required. \$10. Ext. 481 or LT 9-5757.

HORSE - Three quarter palomino, 10 years old, very sound. English saddle, bridle, all for \$175. R. Meyer, Ext. 481 or LT 9-5757.

REFRIGERATOR - 7 cu. ft., \$25. 16 cu. ft. GE chest freezer, \$50. 8 cu. ft. Frigidaire, 4 years old, \$75. GE Filter-Flo washing machine, \$50. All in good working cond. EM 3-6425.

HEALTHWAYS TANK - With chrome wheel valve. Sportsways waterlung oval-air 2 stage regulator. S. Kochis, Ext. 2410.

ORGAN - Wurlitzer spinet, 2 manual plus full set of factory installed chord buttons. Solid walnut Italian provincial cabinet. 1½ yrs. old. For quick sale yours for almost half original cost. Ext. 2512 or EM 3-6155.

KITCHEN RANGE - Combination oil & bottled gas. Clean - Ideal for beach house. \$50. SE 2-3047.

#### WANTED

BABY FURNITURE - Crib, bathinette and bassinet. Erickson, Ext. 686.

UNIFORM - Brownie uniform in usable condition. Size 10-12. Hendrie, Ext. 593- or AT 6-8412.

AIR COMPRESSOR - With tank suitable for commercial paint spraying. Call HR 2-0222 or AT 1-9467 after 6 p.m.

MEN'S ICE SKATES - size 11 - 11½, size 9½ - 10. W. Lewis, Ext. 2278.

CHEVROLET - 1956 to '58 Chevrolet or similar, very good condition. Ext. 367.

GIRL ROOMMATE - To share cozy comfortably furnished 2 bedroom home in Bellport. One block from shopping, water, Gateway Theatre. AT 6-0348.

SNARE DRUM - Used, reasonable. Ext. 2367.

21 INCH TV SET - Good cond. B. Diehn, Ext. 732.

USED TAPE RECORDER - Not trans. type. Dave Dayton, Ext. 2410 or GR 5-7891.

VOLKSWAGEN - Prefer any color except black. About \$300. Ed Potter, Ext. 2456.

#### CARPOOLS

Would like to join a carpool from Flushing, Queens, or nearby vicinity. Paul Mohn, Ext. 2112.