MUSICAL MOMENTS

Mormon Tabernacle organist greeted by record audience

By ADAH K. JENKINS

Record attendance greeted Alexander Schreiner, famous organist of the Mormon Tabernacle, who was guest artist at Douglas Memorial Community Church last Sunday.

With genial and informal charm Dr. Schreiner gave enlightening and witty program notes. One has rarely heard such pertinent and clear explanation of "counterpoint."

Alexander Schreiner is an organist in the grand style, bringing to bear his top-flight technical resources in virtuose playing. This was evident in the elaborate Bach "Fantasie in F" and the four movements of the Mendelssohn "Sonata in F minor."

Following the offertory, Dr. Schreiner devoted the remainder of the program to compositions by his former teacher, Louis Vierne, organist for 37 years at the famous Notre Dame in Paris.

Altho the compositions were in the modern vein, they fell on the ear with the pleasantness of the late romantic music. "Water Nymphs", played on the flute and piccolo stops of the organ and a tone poem based on the Bells of London's Big Ben were especially well received.

The eminent organist graciously played two additional numbers, his own fantasy on the familiar hymn "Come Ye Saints" and a Sonata by J. S. Bach.

The large audience met Dr. Schreiner at a coffee hour, which was hosted by the Rev. Marion Bascom, pastor, J. Spencer Hammond, minister of music at Douglas, and a committee. The concert was underwritten by several hundred patrons.

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JUNETTA JONES, Baltimore soprano and artist diploma graduate of the Peabody, is appearing for her second season at the Metropolitan Opera, singing this year in Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro."

Miss Jones, who won her contract at the Met last year, where she appeared in "Rigoletto" and "The Magic Flute", sings an aria in the 4th act of "Figaro", in the role of "Barbarina."

New York critics gave the young soprano highly favorable comment. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jones, of Baltimore, attended the performance this month.

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A PROGRAM completely devoted to ultra modern and contemporary music was given by the Aeolian Chamber Players at a recent concert sponsored by the local Chamber Music Society and the Baltimore Museum of Art.

The New York ensemble, consisting of violin, flute, clarinet and piano, proved to be musicians of outstanding ability in their reading and interpretation of the intricate and difficult scores.

In accordance with the rewarding custom of the Chamber Music Society, William Sydeman, contemporary composer, spoke on his quartet, in three movements, which was played by the Aeolian group.

The speaker was introduced by Rudolph Rothschild, president of the Society. This concert marked the premiere performances of Mr. Sydeman's work and also of "Discourse for Four Instruments" by by Ralph Shapey, both of which were commissioned by the Aeolian Chamber Players.

The audience responded most favorably to the Sydeman Quartet and to the Bartok "Contrasts", with its virtuoso clarinet playing.

The Riverside Singers of New York, will be presented at the February 14th concert at the Museum.

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HANSONIA CALDWELL, young Baltimore pianist, now a junior at Boston University, has been made a member of the Scarlet Key Honor Society at a ceremony which took place in the Morris Chapel of the University.

This was an unusual award, since the honor is reserved for senior class members. Miss Caldwell, who is president of her dormitory, is a piano major. She is a graduate of Eastern High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hanson Caldwell.

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CALENDAR: Sunday, Jan. 31 at 4 p.m. at the First Unitarian Church, Charles and Franklin Sts., a concert by the Etude Octet, sponsored by the Baltimore Chapter of CORE. J. Spencer Hammond, minister of music at Douglas Me- and graduate of moral Co y morial Community Church, and graduate of Florida A. and M. College and Northwestern University, will be the solo organist.

The Octet, which was organized in 1951, has performed versity, at Kol mmunit C at the Johns Hopkins, University, at Koinonia Foundation, as well as in Philadelphia and Cleveland. Members are Wendall G. Wright, manager; Gloria Waller, Barbara Jones, Sara Moore, Lois J. Wright, William Banks, Murray Schmoke and William Griggsby. Alternates are: Ruth Anderson, Jones Lockett, Lewis Knight, Myrtle Mack and Kenneth Lockett.

The Sunday program will include madrigals by William Byrd, Bach and Brahms and songs of faith and hope" by Work and Parker.

The concert is open to the public without charge.

JAN. 31

The First United service of the Churches of Mt. Winans will be held at the Mt. Winans First Baptist Church, 2417 Puget St., at 3:30 p.m.

FEB. 3, 10, 17 and 24

A lecture series on the Old Testament will be presented at Unity Christian Church on Harlem Square at 8 p.m. by Dr. Lowell R. Hazzard of Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C.

JAN. 30

The Turner Station Civic League will meet at 6 p.m. in the New Shiloh Baptist Church, 105 East Ave. Eugene King of the Baltimore County Human Relations Commission will be guest speaker.

FEB. 7

James Reston, associate editor of the New York Times and Pulitzer Prize winner, will deliver the first Frank R. Kent lecture at the Johns Hopkins University at 4 p.m. in Shriver Hall.

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John H. Gilchrist, 1400 Orleans St.
Mary Mosby, 1738 E. Lanvale St.
Theresa J. Tate, 2147 Kenilworth Ave.
Didne Anthony, 8 N. Morley St.
Charon Fowler, 1809 Patterson Pk.
Harry B. Epps, 808 Rutland Ave.
Hugh Langhorne, 1813 E. Eager St.
William D. Paige, 1910 Codnor Ave.
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Baby Boy Cannon, 432 Robert St.
Baby Girl Johnson, 908 Newington Ave.
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Thomas Valentine, 806 W. Preston St.
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John Chatman, 9 W. Montgomery St.
George H. Gittings, 804 W. LaFayette Ave.
Jayne Gallaway Jr., 600 Smithson St.
Rev. Walter C. Croft, Chatham Va.
James Norrington, 304 N. Fremont Ave.
Baby Boy Drummond, 128 W. Hill St.
David Ross, 806 N. Center
Jesse Fox Sr., 808 N. Bond St.
Baby Griffin, 4012 Fairfax Rd.
Robert Procter, 105 Willow Ct.
Darrell Gibson, 2000 Mura St.
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George Jackson, 317 N. Schroeder St.
Bessie Grant, 1890 Allcock Ave.
Minnie Winston, 1207 Homestead St.
McCoy Silver, 2415 Eutaw Place
John Thomas Pritchett, 2018 Florence Rd.
Edward Hill, 1807 Pennsylvania Ave.
Annie Bell, 1418 N. Pearrie St.
E. Ruth Wilson, 2019 N. Brunt St.
Francis Brooks, 2020 Bentalou St.
Rosa Hebron, 3600 Sequoia Ave.
Margaret Cross, 1611 Harlem Ave.
Wilson Heath, 1108 Wilmot Ct.
Robinetta Land, 1007 Linden Ave.
John Chapman, 914 Leadenhall St.
Vicky Lemon, 149 Hamburg St.
Jack Keys, 871 W. Fayette St.
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James Spivey, 321 N. Fremont Ave.

DIVORCES FILED

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Margaret George from Milton R. George; Anne R. Johns from Robert Lee Johns, Bernice Miller from James Miller, Peggy Harrison from Ralph Harrison, Geraldine Sands from Alexander Sands, Edna Tucker from George Tucker, Mary Nelson from John Nelson.

WILLS AND ESTATES

Inventory filed in personal estate of Mae R. McGee, Maryland National Bank, $407.60; inventory of personal estate of Clarence Boone, $2,000; inventory of real estate, $8,000; Fred Wilson, executor.

Charles J. Butler, Robert L. Wilkins and Benjamin Butler, Sr., vs. Charles L. Butler, Robert L. Butler, defendants, $24,000.00.

Jacqueline Marie Braxton vs. Barnard E. Braxton. Penn Byrd vs. Betty M. Byrd; Lucille Frazier vs. Theodore Frazier; Marie Dorothy Clark vs. Marcus William Clark.

Inventories filed in personal estate of Willie R. reed; William P. Murphy, executive; $4,00 55.

JOBS OPEN

STATE

These state employment opportunities have been announced by the Personnel Commissioner:

Supervisor, Juvenile Probation, $6,600.
Plumber, $4,709.
Tyrist, $3,300.
Farmer, $3,300.
Driller, $4,700.
Information Specialist, $6,380.
Auditor I, $4,540.
Biologist II, $7,040.
Draftsman I, $4,040.
Engineering Associate II, $4,040.
Engineering Associate III, $4,700.
Licensed Practical Nurse, $3,480.
Public Health Engineer I, $7,040.
Teacher, I, $4,800.
Trooper, Maryland State Police, $5,000.
Planners, Grade I to V, $6,380 to $10,600.

Other Statistics on Pages 14, 20 and 25.

File another charge against Detroit's Rep. Daniel West

DETROIT — Another criminal charge was piled on Michigan State Rep. Daniel West last week when Recorder's Court signed a warrant charging the Detroit law - breaker-turned - lawmaker with cashing a forged check for a $4.24 Detroit income-tax refund.

Deputy City Controller George Saans said the forged check was one of 48 — all for under $12 — that police determined had been cashed by West, an ex - convict who posed as a lawyer while twice winning election to the legislature.

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Student editors attend session

Four staff members of The Spokesman, bi - monthly publication of Morgan State College, will attend the Seventh Annual College Editors Conference at the Overseas Press Club in NYC, Jan. 29 - Feb. 1.

They are Miss Brenda Lee Thompson, editor; Miss Joanne Veal and Kenneth Smothers, assistant editors; and David Watts, business manager.

The conference, based on the theme, "The Reporter's Responsibility in an Explosive World," will draw more than 250 top campus reporters, editors and feature writers from every part of the nation.

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Luallens end their marriage

A home and furnishings and support for three children were in an agreement incorporated in the divorce which went to Mrs. Ruth A. Lualien from Harden Lualien, this week.

Along with the home at 2027 Cecil Ave., Mr. Lualien must provide $10 per week for each of the three children, pay major medical and dental expenses and keep medical - hospitalization insurance in force for the children. He must also pay balances of three loans. Any cash in banks and bonds are to be divided between the husband and wife.

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MRS. LUALLEN testified that she and her husband were married in Victoria, Va., on November 27, 1945 and separated in September, 1961. She said that at the time of separation he was staying home only two or three nights a week.

She had charged him with infidelity in her petition for divorce. She also said that he had deserted her.

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MR. LOUALLEN maintained his address at the Cecil Avenue home until the divorce hearing. Prior to the signing of the decree his attorney filed a statement to the effect that he had moved to 2307 Ellicott Dr.

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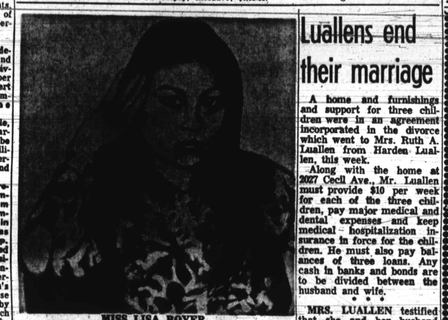

MISS LISA BOYER

Girl In Sam Cooke Case Arrested On West Coast
Story On Page 1

South Baltimore Notes

By WALTER W. H. HILL SR.

The Mt. Winans Civic Interest Group will meet on Wednesday, Feb. 17, at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Mable Patterson is home from University Hospital and Mrs. Gloria Harrison is up and ready for her daily chores.

The Police Community Relation meeting which was held on Tuesday at the South Western District Station, was well attended. Demonstrations of the K-9's were masterfully done to show that the animals are not as vicious as often locked upon to be.

Among those attending were: The Rev. David Sloane, Mrs. Elizabeth Fletcher, Cornelius Levy Jr., and yours truly.

Dr. R. J. Davidson, of Washington, D.C. served as guest at Leadenhall Baptist Church in absence of their pastor the Rev. H. Hudson Babbitt. Dr. Davidson has been honored with the doctor of divinity degree both from Johnson C. Smith and Shaw University.

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SEND YOUR cards and get-well wishes to the sick and shut-ins: Leslie Taylor, Mrs. Ruth Dennis, William and Brooks and Mary E. Greir.

Bessie Camper, William Brooks and Mary E. Greir.

Ebenezer AME Church will have as guest speaker at 11 a.m. this Sunday, the Rev. T. E. McQueen, who will deliver the message and talk on his 14-month missionary trip in West Africa with the Kur and Basso Tribes.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Dr. Melvin Humphrey, director, Experimental On The Job Training project on the Eastern Shore, granted leave of absence Dec. 24, 1964 through August 31, 1965. He will accept a post with the Office of Economic Opportunity in Washington, D.C.

RESIGNATION

Dr. Samuel Myers, professor of economics, effective August 31, 1965. Dr. Myers has been on a tw oyear leave of absence to serve as economist in the U.S. Department of State.

APPOINTMENTS

Charles Fletcher, B.S., Morgan; M.S., Hampton, appointed director of Experimental On the Job project on the Eastern Shore, Dec. 21, 1964 to June 30, 1965.

Mrs. Carolyn E. Scott, B.S., Virginia State M.L.S., Drexel, Assistant Librarian.

MATERNITY LEAVE

Mrs. Mercedes Y. Hsu, March 1 to Sept. 1, 1965.

CLASSIFIED RESIGNATIONS

Henry H. Baldwin, Security Officer.
Betty A. Hill, Library Assistant.
Edwin L. Robinson, Service Worker.
James I. Flight, Service Worker.

CLASSIFIED APPOINTMENTS

Miss Jane D. Chase, Library Assistant.
James Sheppard, Service Worker.
William F. Jackson, Service Worker.
Mrs. Joyce R. Gamble, Temporary Secretary II.
James Bell Jr., Security Officer
Raymond W. Compton, Temporary Security Officer
Mrs. Martha Jean Sparzo, Temporary Stenographer

Rose Burnham seeks repeat as city champion

7 keglers get city championship bids

Seven colored pin stars are listed among entries in the 4th annual city championship bowling tourney, to be held Feb. 7-21, on six different alleys.

The affair, restricted to top-flight keglers on an invitation basis, has extended bids to five women and two men, one of the former returning as the defending champion.

She is Rose Burnham, who took the major women's prize in 1964.

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THE STAR of the Woodlawn Lanes will be joined in the select circle by Jackie Mc Coy of Walbrook, winner of the mixed doubles elimination event that highlighted the recent Sports, Travel and Vacation Show at Civic Center.

Also vying for the distaff title will be Kitty Chesson and Bern Cornell of Woodlawn, and Fern Scotland of Walbrook.

Another Walbrook member, Dolly Madison, is on the roll as an alternate.

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SEEKING honors in the men's division will be George Lee, winner of the Perry Hall Summer Festival crown two years ago, and Ted Hill, both representing Woodlawn.

Hill is recognized as one of the finest bowlers in the armed services. Stationed at Fort Meade, he has been cited on for the 2nd Army All-Star squad the last three years and annually tours other posts in match competition.

Swimming

IN HIGH SCHOOLS

BALTIMORE RESULTS

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Loyola 56, City 28
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Edmondson 65, Mervo 23
Mt. St. Joe 49, McDonogh 46

Tourney

Forest Park at Douglass
Southern at Edmondson
Mervo at Patterson

ON COLLEGE FRONT

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

A. and M. 85, Howard 75

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

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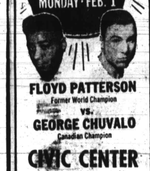
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Kellett tells Glenwood guests Colts will be '65 NFL champs

Baltimore and Washington Colt fans were promised Sunday that the 1965 champion of the National Football League will be none other than the Baltimore Colts.

This assurance came from the No. 2 Colt—General Manager Don Kellett—during a gala banquet-reception for three Colt stars at the Glenwood Country Club.

It was sponsored by Roosevelt Nixon, president, board of directors and the membership of the Howard County family recreceration resort.

Honored were Don Shula, Colts head coach and NFL Coach of the Year; John Unitas, quarterback and NFL Player of the Year.

Coach Shula and Lenny received their handsome plaques personally and Mr. Kellett accepted in behalf of Unitas, who was absent due to a prior commitment.

In brief remarks following the Unitas presentation the general manager assured the more than 200 persons that the Colts will find replacements for Gino Marchetti and Bill Pellington, who retired at the end of the '64 season.

Obviously taking for granted the Colts will again cop the Western Division title, Mr. Kellet gave this reason why the team will snatch the league champion from the Cleveland Browns.

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"WE WON'T have to go to a cold climate next year."

This was in reference to the last championship game where the Cleveland Browns shut out the Baltimore team 27-0 in sub-freezing weather in Cleveland Municipal Stadium.

Whoever wins the Eastern Division crown will have to face the Colts on home grounds, the general manager implied.

Shula, upon accepting his plaque from Raymond V. Hayshert, said the honor had a special meaning for this reason.

"All the other honors we have received have been based on what we had done and what we were expected to do (win the championship). What you are saying tonight is that we are your team and you appreciate us."

Lenny, who is still mystified with the "Comeback Player of the Year" award got in his favorite lines and a provocative observation.

"I'm honored to receive this award, but I don't know where the h— I've been. One thing for sure, I won't want to win it again."

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MEMBERS OF the committee making arrangements for the affair were Adolph McDonald, Maurice Jones, Cecil Cooper, recreation director, and Mrs. Mary (Bonnie) McCray, club manager.

Johnny Sparrow and His Bows and Arrows furnished music with Libby Sparrows (Mrs. Elizabeth Sparrow) handling the vocals.

Among guests were:

Messrs and Mesdame David J. Johnson Jr., Cornelius Johnson, Harvey Bell, Norman E. Ross, Donald J. Coleman, Charles N. Thomas, Clyde Mills, Vernon C. Terry, John Mackey, John Ashby, James A. Marshall, Elnore Holmes.

Also Messrs and Mesdames Frederick Jones, John L. Morgan, James H. Murphy, Rueben Mason, Jones Jr., Bernard Byrd, Luva T. Carter, E. Dalton Young, John H. Griner Sr., Philip A. Dixon, Reginald Combr, Cleoth S. Grant, Donald W. Bagwell, and Raymond V. Hayshert, Gilbert Stafford and William Lassiter.

Also Dr. and Mrs DeWitt Webster, Mesdames Ruth M. Brown, Lettie V. Wilson, Sallie M. Montgomery, Gwendolyn B. Jacobs, Joyce Hopson, Ruth Perkins, Lucille W. Sharp.

And Misses Phoebe A. Nash, Dr. Gertrude Carter, Angela K. Flanagan, Catherine D. Payton, Lotus Savoy, Rose D. Davidson, Barbara Miller, and Carolyn A. Dotson, "Miss Beaux Arts."

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ALSO MESSRS John M. Triplett, Gilbert H. Stafford, Ernest B. Barnes, Irving H. Fields Sr., Samuel W. Beasley, Percy Boardley, Robert C. Hines, Mel Chambers, James T. Dorsey, Andrew C. Johnson, James A. Scott, Thomas, and George Taliaferro.

Jim Brown's $10,000 Belt

Except for Willie Mays (1954) and Maury Wills (1962), no colored athlete has ever won the Hickok award as best professional of the year.

Jimmy Brown of the Cleveland National League football club won it this year.

In the balloting sports writers favored him over John Unitas, quarterback of the Baltimore Colts, Bill Russell and Oscar Robertson, basketball stars; Cassius Clay, new heavy weight champion, and A. J. Foyt, first in the Indianapolis 500 mile auto race.

Jimmy Brown has broken all pro records as a ball carrier and like all great athletes seems to do it without effort.

Every time he gets up from under a pile of his opponents it would appear that he is finished. He has done it for eight years and apparently without serious injuries that have crippled other players.

What Jim will do with a $10,000 diamond studded belt we do not know, except put it in a safe deposit box or a museum.

We very much suspect he would rather have the cash.

Central State quint second in U.S. rating

NEW YORK (UPI) — Unbeaten Central State of Ohio, which bounded through the ratings during January, this week faces the biggest hurdle of all in trying to overtake top - ranked Evansville in the United Press International small college basketball ratings.

The Central State Marauders were rated 20th on Jan. 6. in succeeding weeks they vaulted to 12th and fifth and now stand in the runnerup spot behind Evansville, once again the unanimous choice as the number one team by the 35 coaches on the UPI rating board.

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STATE improved its record in games to 13 - 0 with a victory over Wittenberg, the third "rated" team they have defeated this season. Earlier wins came over Youngstown and Steubenville.

Southern Illinois came within a whisker of upsetting Evansville last week, losing on a last second shot. The effort, however, advanced the Illinois quintet a notch to third place in the ratings. Pan American (12-3) was beaten twice and fell to fourth and North Dakota (15-4) was up two places to fifth.

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GRAMBLING remained six - ranked, Carson Newman dropped from third to seventh and High Point (N.C.), although eliminated from the unbealens by Appalachian, was ahead a notch to eighth.

The CIAA's Winston - Salem (N.C.) Teachers College is rated in the second ten.

Fleet field set for Bowie stake

BOWIE, Md. — A probable field of ten of the speediest sprinters on the rounds is expected to go postward Saturday in the $10,000 Belair Purse, a prep for the following Saturday's $20,000 added Southern Maryland Handicap.

The six - furlong Belair is for four - year - olds and up and a trio of speedballs loom as the ones to beat. They include S. J. Lefrank's He's A Gem, Warner Stable's Exclusive Nashua and John J. Roe's Tilmar. He's A Gem was shipped here last Friday from Hialeah. All three are eligible for the Southern Maryland.

Among the other candidates for the season's first stakes likely to go postward in the Belair are Grace Creek Farm's Amastar, Tom M. Girdler's Terminator, Irene Marone's Royal Rascal, Murray Stable's Buffington and Duc D'Or, Clear Brook Ranch's Honey Chan and J. G. Fitzgerald's Rex De Plumbum.

TELEVISION

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Saturday

Mich. State at Northwestern (College)

Sunday

Cincinnati at Philadelphia (NBA)

Another title fight in prospect for Ray

PHILADELPHIA —(UPI) — Middleweight champion Joey Giardello has received two offers of $75,000 each to defend his title against Ray (Sugar) Robinson and will sign with the promoter fastest with the down payment, his adviser said this week.

The offers came from Pittsburgh and Hollywood, adviser Arnold Giovanetti said. He added that New York match - maker Teddy Brenner has offered $100,000 for a Dick Tiger-Giardello title fight but Giardello has nixed it because it would be held in New York.

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GARDELLO does not like to fight in New York and Giovanetti said he would be interested in Brenner's offer if the site were shifted elsewhere.

Getting back to the $75,000 offers, Giovanetti said whoever comes into Philadelphia first in the next few days and puts $10,000 in escrow will get the nod.

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THE ADVISER said that the remaining $65,000 should be put up four weeks later.

Giovanetti said Giardello would prefer to box Robinson in Pittsburgh rather than the Hollywood Palladium because "It's my home state."

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