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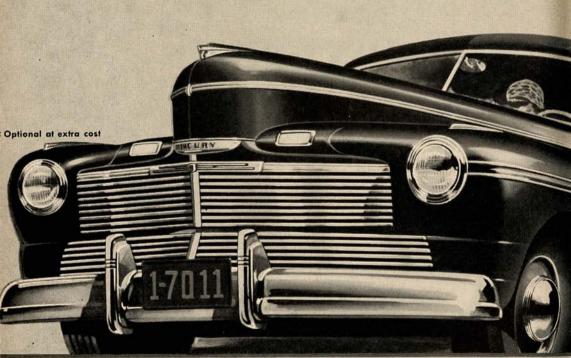
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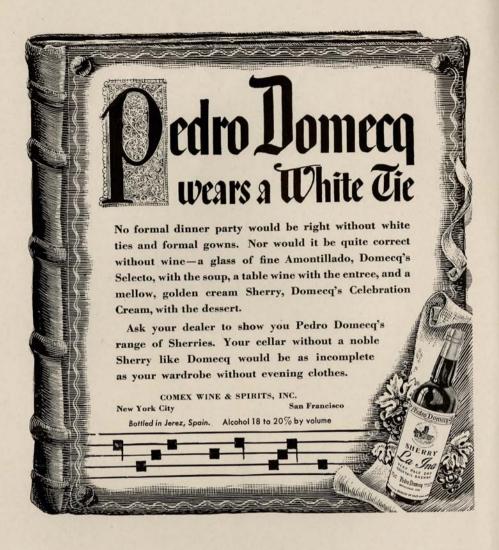
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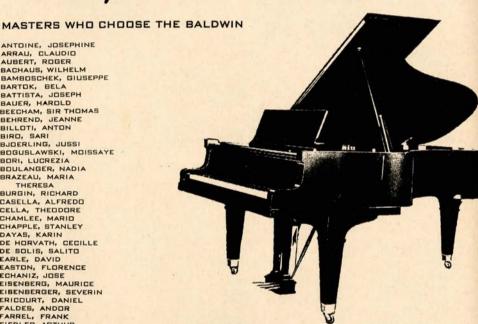


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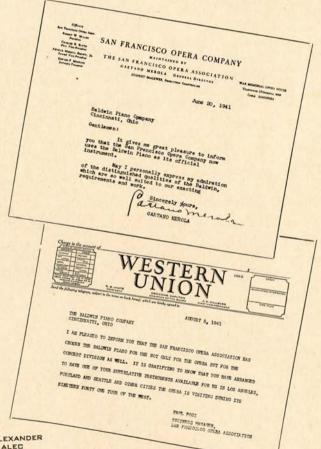
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ACT I

The villagers have taken refuge in a barn awaiting the coming of the victorious French regiment. Among them is the Marquise of Berkenfield. Marie and Sulpice enter. He chides her over an apparent recent distraction and she confesses her love for Tonio. Guards arrive escorting Tonio who had come near the lines to get a glimpse of Marie. She tells them that Tonio had saved her life and pleads for his.

ACT II

The soldiers leave and Marie and Tony declare their mutual love. Posing as her aunt, the Marquise has told Sulpice the truth of Marie's parentage. They enter the now deserted street and Sulpice goes to fetch Marie. The soldiers return followed by Tonio who has enlisted in the regiment. He asks them for the hand of Marie for she has pledged not to marry without their consent. They discuss the proposal and grant his wish. But Sulpice, returning, tells them of his discovery and that Marie can belong to no one but her Aunt. Marie bids the broken hearted Tonio and her grieving soldier "fathers" farewell.

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SCENE 1

Marie is not any too happy in her new surroundings and often is discovered singing the joyous Rataplan song of her regiment and going through evolutions of the drill. Still more deeply does she sigh over her separation from Tonio. Sulpice, wounded, is a visitor at the castle. Marie is storming at him that she will not give Tonio up for the Duke of Krakenthorp, a marriage arranged, when the Marquise enters to rehearse her in a sentimental song. Marie and Sulpice shock her with interpolations of the Rataplan and she leaves in a rage. Hortensus brings word that a wounded officer has arrived at the castle. Soldiers surge into the salon and noisily acclaim Marie-She runs to the wounded Tonio, now a Colonel. Sulpice orders a cask of wine for the soldiers who depart leaving Marie, Tonio and Sulpice reunited in happy reminiscence. The surprised Marquise comes upon the joyous scene. Marie tells her of Tonio's love but is reminded of her betrothal to the Duke and Tonio is ordered from the castle. He goes but promises the weeping Marie that he will return for her before the dawn. Marie also leaves and the Marquise shows Sulpice a letter which discloses that she really is Marie's mother. He promises to persuade Marie to marry the Duke as befitting her station in life. Marie, at her mother's command, is about to sign the marriage contract when a loud commotion arises.

SCENE 2

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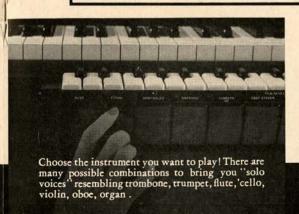
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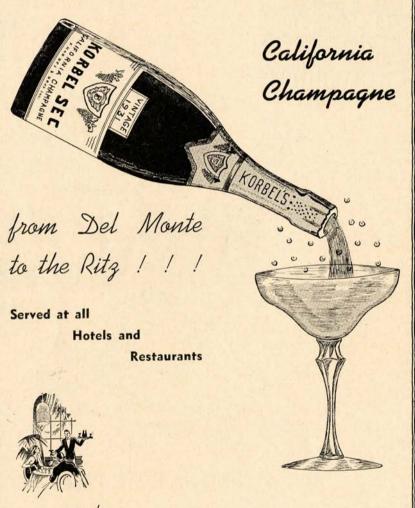
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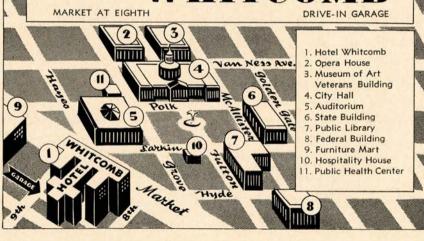
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