Downtown Calendar

Aug. 4- 7, 9:15 p.m. - "Sunset Boulevard," featuring Gloria Swanson. Bitter, funny, fascinating. Swanson's tour-de-force as a faded silent-film star. 1950. Graham Auditorium. Walters Art Gallery.

Thursday, Aug. 5 - The Little People's Program presents the Olufunmilayo African Dance Company at the Harry D. Kaufman Pavilion at noon. Free.

On Stage Downtown mellows with the music of Livingston Taylor at 8 p.m. in Hopkins Plaza. Free.

The National Aquarium begins festivities in honor of its first anniversary when Mayor Schaefer announces the Aquarium's gift to Baltimore at a public ceremony on Pier 3 at noon at the Inner Harbor. Free.

Friday, Aug. 6- Mid-town Music features the jazz sounds of the Bob Barrett Brass Quartet at noon in Hopkins Plaza. Free.

Coast Guard vessels will be on display when Operation Coast Guard celebrates at Rash Field at the Inner Harbor from 11 a.m.4 to 10 p.m. Free.

The National Aquarium continues to celebrate its anniversary with live entertainment at Pier 3 at the Inner Harbor from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Free.

Pier 6 Concert Pavilion moves to the pop sound of Bobby Vinton, following the comical antics of Animal Crackers at 8 p.m. at the Inner Harbor. Picnic dinners available at the Pavilion. Tickets $10 and $4. For information call 727-5580.

Saturday, Aug. 7- The West Indies Festival provides fun and food for all at Hopkins and Charles Center Plazas from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Free.

The National Aquarium anniversary celebration picks up with a full day of entertainment, beginning at 10 a.m., ending in an after-dark fireworks display (weather permitting) at Pier 3 at the Inner Harbor. Free.

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Sunday, Aug. 8- Farmer's Market offers the best in fresh-picked produce from Maryland, Pennsylvania and Virginia farms at Market Place from 8 a.m. til sellout.

The Inner Harbor Flea Market, located at East Falls Avenue next to Pier 6, offers the best in collectibles from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Dealer inquiries call 995-0388.

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Tuesday, Aug. 10- The

Olufunmilayo African Dance Company at Harry D. Kaufman Pavilion, downtown at noon, Aug. 5, Free.

Little People's Program and Kid's Stuff present concert pianist Ann Saslav performing "Adventures with 88 Keys" at the Inner Harbor's Harry D. Kaufman Pavilion at noon and 7 p.m. Free.

Wednesday, Aug. 11- Midtown Music provides entertainment for the lunch crowd at Hopkins Plaza at noon. Free.

Pier 6 Concert Pavilion presents "America's First Lady of Country Music," Tammy Wynette, at 8 p.m. at the Inner Harbor. Picnic dinners available at Pavilion. Tickets $10 and $4. For information call 727-5580.

Aug. 5-8- Due to the overwhelming demand for tickets to the Cockpit Upstairs Cabaret Theatre production of "Cole", managing director F. Scott Black has announced that the Theatre is adding two additional performances of the Cole Porter musical revue. "Cole", originally scheduled to open August 6, will have a pre-opening performance on Thursday, August 5, and also a special extra performance on Wednesday, August 11. The show runs August 5 - 8 and August 11 - 16 at Essex Community College.

Aug. 6- Cockpit in Court, Maryland's largest summer theater, will continue its tenth anniversary season with a large cast mainstage production of "Mame" opening August 6 at Essex Community College. Directed and choreographed by James Handakas, "Mame" continues through August 15.

Aug. 5-12-19- As part of its continuing fim series, the Museum and Library of Maryland History, Maryland Historical Society will present three classic Broadway musicals. The first film in the series on Thursday, August 5 is "Man of La Mancha," the highly acclaimed musical about the life and times of Don Quixote and Dulcinea, whom he envisions as a damsel in distress. "Fiddler on the Roof," a powerful musical that warms the heart and enchants the eye will be the second film offered on Thursday, August 12. The final film in the series on Thursday, August 19 is the classic "The King and I," which is the heartwarming story about the King of Siam, played by Yul Brynner, and the English school teacher, portrayed by Deborah Kerr.

Aug. 14- The Charm City Marimba Band will appear in concert on Saturday, from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Abell Avenue Fair (31st Street and Abell Avenue). Concert is sponsored by the Abell Avenue Improvement Association and Local 40-543, the Musicians Association of Metropolitan Baltimore. Free.

At Dunbar

The Cultural Arts Dancers, a group of 30 talented students under the direction of Thomas Hanner, Olufunmilayo Jomo (o-lu-fun-mil-ah-yo-jo-mo), and Donald L. Washington, Jr. will be presented on Friday, July 30 at 7:30 p.m. at the Dunbar Performing Arts Center by the Urban Services Cultural Arts Program.

Ballet, jazz, tap and modern dance will be performed. Featured will be music by Charles Lloyd, Jr. and the introduction of works by student choreographer Terri Joyner.

The Cultural Arts Dancers is an ensemble which has grown out of the weekly classes at the Cultural Arts Program.

Rosemont Flea Market

The Rosemont Edmondson Unit of the American Cancer Society will sponsor a flea market on Saturday, August 7, at Easterwood Park, Bentalou and Baker Streets, 10:30 a.m. until dark. Raindate is Sunday, August 8.

Items for sale will include: men's, women's, and children clothing for all seasons, household items, books, office equipment, and small appliances.

All proceeds from the event will benefit the Rosemont - Edmondson Unit of the American Cancer Society.

For further information contact the American Cancer Society at 821-7200.

Photo by Vanessa Johnson

700 AFRO Clean Block Captains, Co-Captains, Advisors and Workers saw Walt Disney's "Tron" at the Mayfair Theatre where they were graciously hosted by Melvin Johnson, doorman; Annette Hilton, Concession Stand; Talmadge Ford III, Manager; Janice McCullough, Concession Stand and Walter Thompson, Doorman.

At the movies

Ida Peters' another view...

THE WORLD ACCORDING TO GARP- Has taste, intelligence and many other virtues going for it with Robin Williams Mork) as T.S. Garp in his first "natural" film part. Story about young Garp, the bastard son of nurse Jenny Fields, who at mid-life becomes a media celebrity upon the publication of her autobiography "A Sexual Suspect". Young adults will enjoy. Rated R.

SIX PACK- Good film if you like country music star Kenny Rogers. Despite country bars, corrupt sheriff this is not a redneck special. Story about Rogers' reluctant relationship with brood of six-orphaned kids who know how to professionaly strip cars. Rogers is a stock car driver trying to get back on the circuit after two years. Kids man his pit stop and sabatoge Roger's long-time opponent and enemy. Extraordinary amount of cussing by the kids. Rated PG.

YOUNG DOCTORS IN LOVE- This flick is supposed to hit your funny bone and have you in stitches but it depends on where your funny bone is. Warning! May be dangerous to your health. Stars Michael McKean, Sean Young, Hector Elizondo, Harry Dean Stanton, Patrick Macnee and Dabney Coleman. There's goldfish in the I.V. bottles and there's a candy stripper and an orderly cuddling under the sheets plus there are doctors with doctors, nurses with doctors, patients with nurses and so on. Rated R.

THE SECRET OF NIMH- Richly animated, skillfully structured by former Disney veterans Don Bluth, Gary Goldman and John Pomeroy. Based on novel "Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIHM" by Robert C. O'Brien. Story is about a mother mouse (voiced by Elizabeth Hartman) trying to find a new home for her brood before the old one is destroyed by spring plowing. Dom DeLuise is the voice of the clumsy crow trying to help. John Carradine is the voice of the menacing, helpful great owl full of wisdom and woe. Animation is extravaganza of detailed background and dazzling effect. Rated G.

Library closings

For budgetary purposes the Enoch Pratt Free Libraby will continue monthly closing of branches throughout the 1983 year.

Libraries to be closed during August, 1982, will be the Broadway Branch, 301 N. Broadway, Edmondson Avenue Branch, 4330 Edmondson Ave. and Gardenville Branch, 5427 Belair Rd.

The three libraries will reopen on September 1.

As in the past year, the bookmobile will be scheduled at closed branches. The August bookmobile schedule is as follows:

Broadway Branch — Monday, 1:30-3:30 p.m. and Wednesdays, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Edmondson Avenue Branch — Mondays, 5-7 p.m. and Thursdays, 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Gardenville Branch — Tuesdays, 2:30-4:30 p.m. and Thursdays, 5-7 p.m.

Upton Festival

The 2nd Annual Upton Community Festival sponsored by the Upton Multi-Purpose Center and the Upton Multi-Purpose Center Advisory Board was held last Saturday.

Participating community agencies were the Constant Care Health Center, Lead Paint Poisoning Prevention, Rat Rubout Program, Upton Department of Social Services, Organization of African-American Unity, and various booths set-up by the Upton Multi-Purpose Center Advisory Board.

George Taylor, president of the board, and owner of Arts and Flowers Shop on Park Avenue sold flowers and potted plants. Mrs. Bessie Askew sold used clothing and articles of interest in her Flea Market, Mrs. Eleanor Lee sold lemon sticks and sodas in her booth; Mrs. Grace Adams sold cakes and punch in her booth, and Mrs. Genivieve Jones and Ms Constance Wheatley sold fresh garden vegetiables in their booth. All the proceeds raised from these booths benefit the projects of the Upton Multi-Purpose Center Advisory Board.

The Baltimore as and Electric Company set-up a tent to display their community involvement. Manned by John Hargrave, this booth provided the community with an overview of the function and the wats in which BG&E put monies back into the community. Other businesses that participated were; Good Eating Caterers, Angie's Tupperware, Garfield McIntyre-Artist, Fair Fashion, New York Life Insurance Company. Ms Edith Parker and Mary Kay Cosmetics, Advance Dimensions Photographers, and Mrs. Haynie's Flea Market.

A community awareness booth was set-up by the Upton Multi-Purpose Center staff and interested citizens were given the opportunity to fill out Voter Registration applications. The Rat Rubout Program showed ways in which to get rid of rats and rodents and took any complaints about rodent problems in the area.

Operation Champ set-up their Street Fun Wagon on McMechen Street and children participated on gymnastic equipment, merry-go-rounds, spinning tubs, and obstacle course, volleyball, and on the trampoline.

General exposure to community organizations and free blood pressure testing and hearing screening was given by Constant Care Healthe Center were receptive by all.

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700 AFRO Clean Blockers enjoyed "Tron" a week ago at the Mayfair Theatre. This week 1,000 youngsters saw "E.T." at the New courtesy of J. F. Theatres.

New season Kennedy Center

A new production of "Show Boat" ' a new musical, "Dance A Little Closer"; and three new plays, "Twice Around The Park," "Monday After The Miracle" and "Make And Break" — all Broadway-bound — are now scheduled as 1982-83 Theatre Guild Subscription presentations at the Kenny Center's Opera House and Eisenhower Theatre. The Guild Series will encompass six attractions with one still to be set.

The new subscription season will begin on August 25 at the Eisenhower with Anne Jackson and Eli Wallach in "Twice Around The Park." This new comedy by Murray Schisgal — a sophisticated, romantic romp situated on the East and West sides of Manhattan's Central Park — will be directed by Arthur Storch. Miss Jackson's and Mr. Wallach's past associations with Mr. Schisgal include such hits as "Luv" and "The Typist" and "The Tiger."

In "Monday After The Miracle" playwright William Gibson and director Arthur Penn, whose collaboration on "The Miracle Worker" made a powerful impact on the American theater, have again joined forces for this continuation of the remarkable story of Helen Keller and her teacher Annie Sullivan. Co-starring Jane Alexander and Karen Allen, the play, which premiered recently at the Spoleto Festival, U.S.A., focuses on Miss Keller as a young adult and the now-married Miss Sullivan. Miss Alexander is returning to the Kennedy Center following such earlier triumphs as Henry Fonda's co-star in "First Monday In October." Miss Allen, most recently recognized for her performance in the film "Raiders Of The Lost Ark," is making her Kennedy Center debut.

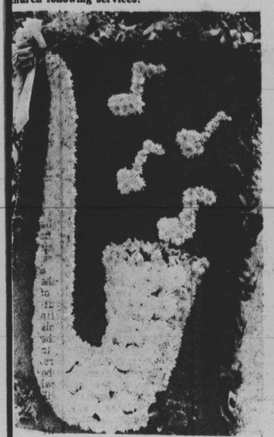
Jerome Kern's and Oscar Hammerstein II's immortal "Show Boat," has been sumptuously remounted by the Houston Grand Opera which, several seasons ago, presented the distinguished revival of "pOrgy And Bess" at the Kennedy Center. Donald O'Connor, playing the venerable Cap'n Andy, stars with Lonette McKee, Jacque Trussel and Sheryl Woods. The production, which brings back such memorable songs as "Ol' Man River," "Bill," "Make Believe," "Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man," and "Life Upon The Wicked Stage," premiered recently in Houston and is currently in Los Angeles. Critically-acclaimed in both cities, "Show Boat" has Michael Kahn as director, Dorothy Danner as choreographer and John DeMain as musical director.

Michael Frayan, a leading British playwright, will be represented at the Kennedy Center by his London comedy success, "Make And Break," a lighthearted spoof of the corporate world. One of England's most outstanding actors Colin Blakeley, who made his American debut at the Kennedy Center in "Semmelweiss," stars. Michael Blakemore, who directed the original London production, will stage the Kennedy Center presentation.

"Dance A Little Closer" brings together two major talents of the musical theater — Alan Jay Lerner ("My Fair Lady") and Charles Strouse ("Annie"). This new musical, with book and lyrics by Mr. Lerner and music by Mr. Stouse is loosely based on "Idiot's Delight," Robert E. Sherwood's Pulitzer Prize-winning comedy of romance and political intrigue.

Sonny Stitt's funeral

FUNERAL SERVICES for Edward (Sonny) Stitt were held Tuesday morning at Nineteenth Street Baptist Church. Stitt's wife, Claudine, with one of their two daughters is being assisted from the church following services.



FLORAL TRIBUTE — This beautiful floral tribute in the form of a saxaphone with musical notes floating into the air was among the bank of flowers at the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church where funeral services were held for Edward (Sonny) Stitt, Tuesday. Sonny was known as "a gladiator of the tenor sax."

TV Watching

By Vanessa Johnson

Friday

John Davidson: Guests from the series "Benson", including Robert Guillaume. 4:30-5:30 p.m.-Ch. 13.

Here's To Your Health: The first of two-part program on pediatrics looks at a child's early-life problems. 6:00-6:30 p.m.-Ch. 22 & 67.

Evening Magazine: Segment on swim wear and designer. 7:30-8:00 p.m.-Ch. 13.

Benson: The staff plays a joke on a cad who coerced Denise into a date by threatening to ruin a deal for Benson. Starring Robert Guillaume. 8:00-8:30 p.m.-Ch. 13.

Baseball: The Orioles play the Royals in Kansas City. 8:30-11:30 p.m.-Ch. 2.

Chicago Story: The sudden death of a wounded policeman after apparently successful surgery leads to a malpractice suit against Bergstrom and has a bedridden Frank afraid to return to street duty. Starring Richard Lawson. 8:30-10:00 p.m.-Ch. 4.

Fridays: Guests include actor Gregory Hines; along with regular Darrow Igus. 12:00-1:30 a.m.-Ch. 13.

Saturday

SMIRF Concert: The Baltimore Symphony Orchestra presents "Symphony Music Is Really Fun", a concert for music lovers of all ages. 7:00-8:00 p.m.-Ch. 2.

Black Horizons: Guests include M.J. Brodie of Housing and Community Development and Ralph Moore of St. Ambrose.7:30-8:00 p.m.-Ch. 11.

Today's FBI: A crooked ex-cop goes for a big cocaine score, right out of the police department's evidence storeroom. Starring Harold Sylvester. 8:00-9:00 p.m.-Ch. 13.

Walt Disney: "Pluto and His Friends", follows a day in the life of Mickey's sidekick as he tangles with Chip 'n' Dale, a playful baby seal, an octopus and a hungry seagull. Cartoon. 8:00-8:30 p.m.-Ch. 11.

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Sunday

Baseball: The Baltimore Orioles play the Kansas City Royals in K.C. 2:30-5:30 p.m.-Ch. 2.

Flintstones: A nurse's mistake at the doctor's office gives Fred the impression that he has only 24 hours to live. Cartoon. 7:00-7:30 p.m.-Ch. 4.

The Jeffersons: George takes charm lessons to impress a society columnist. Starring Sherman Hemsley. 9:30-10:00 p.m.-Ch. 11.

Trapper John, M.D.: A brilliant physician may not be a doctor at all; and Jackpot administers to a Jane Doe with a mysterious and dangerous fever. Starring Jonelle Allen, Brian Mitchell and Madge Sinclair. 10:00-11:00 p.m.-Ch. 11.

National Urban League Conference: A report on the 72nd Annual National Urban League conference in Los Angles (Aug. 1-4) is scheduled. Included the keynote address by league president John Jacob. 11:00-12:00 a.m.-Ch. 22 & 67.

Mr. T. in 'Silver Spoons'

Mr. T, who plays the powerful boxing opponent of the character portrayed by Sylvester Stallone in the popular motion picture "Rocky III," will guest-star in an episode of "Silver Spoons," NBC-TV's upcoming series starring Rick Schroder and Joel Higgins (Saturdays, 8:30-9 p.m., starting this fall).

In the episode, Mr. T will play the bodyguard hired by multi-millionaire Edward Stratton (Higgins) to protect his young son, Ricky (Schroder).

Being a bodyguard is nothing new to Mr. T., who has served in that capacity to celebrities such as LeVar Burton, Muhammad Ali, Michael Jackson and Leon Spinks. He is nicknamed "The Bodyguard" and that's the title of his upcoming autobiography focusing on his experiences in that profession.

Born Lawrence Tero in Chicago, he was a three-time city wrestling champion with 90 victories and one loss while he was a high school student. He also scored 35 touchdowns as a spectacular halfback and earned a scholarship to Prairie View A&M where he played for three years. Later he tried out for the Green Bay Packers but was forced out of training camp after suffering a knee injury.

In addition to "Rocky III," he appears in the motion picture "Penitentiary III."

MECHELLE MARTINBOROUGH, Miss Talented Teen of the Bahamas, is one of the contestants in the international finals of the annual Hal Jackson's Talented Teen International competition to be held at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts July 31. Mechelle has chosen a modern dance routine for her performing talent.

Free Films

Admission to all film programs is free.

"Cosmos" (Part 5, the episode which explores the planet Mars, will be screened at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 3, at the Northwood Branch, Loch Raven Blvd. and Cold Spring Lane.

Charlie Chaplin experiences life on the assembly-line in a 1930's feature film which will be screened at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 4 at the St. Paul Street Center, 2521 St. Paul St.

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Join with the Baltimore Symphony in honoring five talented young soloists, winners of the 1982 Baltimore Symphony Awards, at Pier Six Pavilion, Tuesday, August 3, beginning at 8 p.m. The program includes favorites by Copland, Handel, Puccini, Verdi, Beethoven, Mozart, and Tchaikowsky conducted by Willian Henry Curry and performed by Enrique Graf, Piano, Christopher Tranchitella, Trumpet; Luvada Harrison, Soprano; Joseph Pearson, Baritone; and Dennis Raley, Baritone.
Symphony Awards are presented annually as part of the BSO's Community Development Program. This concert is made possible in part by a grant from the Coleman Foundation, Inc.
Tickets $5.00, $3.00 are available at the gate or by calling telecharge 539-5992 (Lawn seats are $2.00 per night of the concert).
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Top Hits

Spiritual

1. Lord, You Keep On Proving Yourself to Me — Florida Mass Choir
2. When All God's Children Get Together — Rev. Keith Pringle
3. You Brought the Sunshine — Clark Sisters
4. A Touch of Class — Jackson Southernaires
5. It's Gonna Rain — M. Hon Brunson

R & B Singles

1. Do I Do — Stevie Wonder
2. And I Am Telling You I'm Not Going — Jennifer Holliday
3. Cutie Pie — One Way
4. I Really Don't Need No Light — Jeffrey Osborne
5. Early In the Morning — The Gap Band

R & B Albums

1. Gap Band IV — The Gap Band
2. Throwin' Down — Rick James
3. Stevie Wonder's Original Musicquarium — Stevie Wonder
4. Dreamgirls — Original Broadway Cast
5. Keep It Live — Dazz Band

Jazz

1. Offramp — Pat Metheny Group
2. Hands Down — Bob James
3. As We Speak — David Sanborn
4. Royal Jam — The Crusaders
5. We Want Miles — Miles Davis

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Free Events for Children

Monday, Aug. 2 Central Pratt Library, Wheeler Auditorium: Film — "The Horse with the Flying Tail," 2 p.m.

Herring Run Branch: Film — "Inside the Shark," 2 p.m.

Canton Center: Films — "Andy and the Lion" and "Arrow to the Sun," 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 3- Pimlico Branch: Films — "Hank the Cave Peanut," "Ida Fanfanny and the Four Seasons," "Kontiki Kids," and "Jazzoo," 1 p.m.

Cherry Hill Center: Films — "Hardware Wars" and "Tap Dance Kid," 1:30 p.m.

Dundalk Avenue Branch: Arts and crafts, 3 p.m.

Pennsylvania Avenue Branch: Films — "The Witches of Salen," "Winter of the Witch," and "Teeny-tiny and the Witch Woman," 3:30 p.m.

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