THE GATEWAY, Thursday, November 22, 1973.



## **Theatre Francais**

Le Theatre Francais d'Edmonton will be presenting its second play of the season; Barillet and Gredy's 4 pieces sur jardin.

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By the authors of "Cactus Flower" and "40 Carats" another hilarious comedy and a change of pace for the T.F.E. 4 seasons - 4 stories - 4 casts - 1 setting and 1 play: 4 pieces sur *jardin.* The characters are lively, the dialogue witty and the stories disarmingly funny. Apieces sur jar in was first produced in Paris by the "Bouffes-Parisiens" in 1969; it was an instant success.

The play is directed by Reginald Bigras, well remembered for his role of Thomas Diafoirus in the "Imaginary Invalid". 4 pieces sur jardin will be presented the 30th of novembre and the 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, of decembre. Curtain time is at 8:30 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at the door or by phoning 467-3626. Ticket rates: \$2.00 Adults,

\$1.25 Students.

## Jazz stinger

The Edmonton Jazz Society has lined up a triple threat treat for Sunday and Monday, Nov. 25 and 26 at the Captain's Cabin. Pepper Adams, Woody Shaw and Julian Priester will be

doing the honours and will be backed up by New York drummer Cliff Barbaro and Bassist Clint Houston. Captain's Cabin is located at 8906 99 Street. Concerts are at 8:30 p.m.



## At the Symphony

For sheer variety of musical style and temperament, there is hardly a program in the season that can compare with that chosen by the ESO's second guest conductor, Vancouver's John Avison.

On Nov. 24-25 Avison will lead the ESO in a performance of the overture to Mozart's opera Don Giovanni, the famous "surprise" symphony of Haydn (the No. 94), Dvorak's Czech Suite, and Paganini's Violin Concerto No. 2. Of special interest will be the ESO's premiere performance of Canadian composer John Beckwith's Music for Dancing. In an earlier age John Avison would have been described as the Complete Musician. He is a gifted pianist

Vancouver, Toronto, Seattle, and San Francisco, among others. He also lectures in composition for the University of Victoria and hosts a program of serious recorded music on a Vancouver FM radio station.

There was a time when North Americans could know of Franca Gulli's artistry only through his superb recordings, but since the 1968-69 season he has become a regular part of our concerts.

Interpreting the music of fellow-countryman Niccolo Paganini has become a speciality of Gulli's, so much so that when Paganini's fifth violin concerta was discovered Tulli was given the singular honor of giving the work's first performance, and with Paganini's own Gaurnarius.

the first Paganini violin concertc; after the principal melody in its final movement.

Tickets are \$3.50 for non-members and \$2.50 for members. Don't you think it's about time you joined the jazz society? WOODY SHAW, last

performed in Edmonton February of 1973. He is the most sought after trumpeter in Jazz. He adds fire and smoke to any recording. Woody is a disciple of Clifford Brown but is definitely his own man on the horn. His second Album as a leader for contemporary has just been released and is titled "SONG OF SONGS." His first "SONG OF SONGS. His first album on the label is titled "BLACKSTONE LEGACY." Woody has performed and recorded with a veritable who's who of jazz, including PHAROAH SANDERS, JOE HENDERSON, MCCOY TYNER, WAYNE SHORTER, HERBIE HANCOCK. MONGO SANTAMARIA, and CHICK COREA. Among his great

recordings are: SUNDANCE and TONES FOR JOANS BONES with CHICK COREA (Atlantic)

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MCCOY TYNER (blue note) SUMYUN BUKMIN UMYUN with PHARAOH SANDERS (Impulse) LIVE AT THE LIGHTHOUSE and IN PURSUIT OF BLACKNESS with JOE HENDERSON (Milestone)

(Milestone). PEPPER ADAMS is, without a doubt, the greatest baritone saxophonist in all of jazz. His name is known around the world, synonomous with baritone sax. He was the man John Coltrane chose to record with him and has been a leading poll-winner for fifteen years. For the past seven years he has been the anchor man in the sax section of the Thad Jones-Mel Lewis Band. Pepper Adams brilliant recordings, though too numerous to mention in detail

PRIESTER. For the past 4 years Julian has been a member of the Herbie Hancock band. He is considered by many to be the greatest trombonist in jazz. He is a composer and arranger and has recorded with every major jazz name. This will be his first





