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JOHN MOUNT SINGS IN 'IL TROVATORE' FOR HOUSTON GRAND OPERA RECENTLY

MISSOULA --

John Mount, who has been a voice instructor in the University of Montana Department of Music since the fall of 1973, recently participated in eight performances of the opera production "Il Trovatore" by Verdi for the Houston Grand Opera, Houston, Tex.

Mount had the role of Ferrando in both the Italian and English versions of "Il Trovatore" in the Jones Hall of the Performing Arts, Houston, during the week ending Nov. 26. He sang with the international cast in the Italian versions and with the American cast in the English versions.

Mount, who received his master's degree in voice at the University of Colorado, Boulder, in 1971, spent the past two summers with the Santa Fe Opera Company, Santa Fe, N.M. He also has been a singer for the Denver Lyric Opera Company, Denver, and the Colorado Opera Festival, Colorado Springs.

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