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ANCHORS AWEIGH, splice the main brace, heave up to short-stay, and all that. The fifth annual Jazz Cruise is slated for Sunday, September 18 -- which, considering the work to be done, is practically next week.

A MEETING to conclude final plans will be held Sunday evening, July 24 (8 o'clock, Jonathan Temple, 700 Blue Hills Avenue). All members of HJS are begged to attend. At this meeting you'll learn all the details concerning the cruise and will get tickets and printed material. (Thought for the Day: If every member of HJS sells only five tickets -- including his own and his cruise companion's the event will be a sell-out). And to make the meeting fun-for-all, there'll be music and refreshments. In all probability, the music will be provided by the international sweetheart of jazz-lovers, Toshiko (now playing an engagement in Boston). So please scratch the date on your watch crystal: Sunday, July 24.

CHAIRMEN of Cruise committees are: Art Fine, general chairman and chairman of entertainment; Sammy Johnson, boat and food arrangements; Graham Ralph, group ticket sales; George Cohen, tickets; George Malcolm-Smith, publicity; Joe Jewel, displays; Adele Cohen and Lucy Marsters, telephone.

MEN ON THE MOVE: Oliver Jackson, HJS favorite, is returning shortly from Russia, where he toured as Earl Hines' drummer. On their return, they tour cross-country to the West Coast...Skinny Porcaro, often a drummer at HJS events, has left for musical fame & fortune in Hollywood...Little Joe Stevenson, HJS member, is appearing in a character role in the Oval in the Grove production of "Raisin in the Sun" (written, incidentally, by a Hartford boy)...Sharon Playhouse on Sunday evening, July 17, will present the Randy Weston Trio in a co-sponsorship between HJS and the Sharon Creative Arts Foundation (Take Route 44, then 4).

SEE YOU Sunday evening, July 24.

He must know sumpin,
He don't say nuthin;
That old Connecticut,
He just keeps rollin' along
(Old Refrain)

