

RADIO OFFERS ENTIRE OPERA

*Metropolitan's Noted Stars
Will Go on Air*

*Brahms and Wagner Concert
on Day's Schedule*

*Philadelphia Symphony Will
Play Masters' Works*

The Times Forum, KHJ, at
1:30 p.m.
World-wide news, 7 a.m., 12:30,
5:05 and 10 p.m.

BY JOHN S. DAGGETT

Still hurtling through the holidays with plenty of feature programs, radio today pours into your speaker an opera in its entirety, a two-hour symphony by the nation's most acclaimed radio symphonists, and the evening's toes are turned up in laughter with the Merrymakers and a Spotlight Revue.

Jeritza, Ponselle, Bori and Gigli head the tentative list of operatic stars who will be heard during the holidays, broadcast from the stage of the Metropolitan Operahouse in New York. Today the second of these—Rosa Ponselle—will be heard in Bellini's "Norma" over KFI at 12:45 p.m. Those of you who listened to the first of this series, "Hansel and Gretel," on Christmas Day will discover this release of equal merit.

A Brahms and Wagner concert is the piece de resistance of the two-hour offering at KHJ at 5:15 p.m. today. Leopold Stokowski will conduct the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra in a program devoted entirely to those two great music masters. The program comes to you over the Columbia network from the Philadelphia Academy of Music.

Symphony No. 1 in C Minor.....Brahms
Scenes from "Goetterdaemmerung", Wagner
Stokowski seeks to illustrate the eminence of Brahms and Wagner in their respective fields tonight through the performance of a symphony by the former and a series of extracts from Wagner's "Goetterdaemmerung."

Hank Simmons totes "The Cricket on the Hearth" aboard his barge, the Maybelle, at 7:15 p.m. over KHJ. The Merrymakers and N.B.C.'s Spotlight Revue romp into the open with a galaxy of silliness and song—anything and everything.

So it's not such a bad winter, after all.

(From Programs Submitted by Stations)

ALPHABETICALLY ARRANGED

Suggested features in black type.

(C)—Denotes chain broadcast.

6 to 8 a.m.

KFAC—Rescue Mission. 6:30: Spanish music. 7.

KFI—Dr. Seixas' health exercises. 6:45: stock market report. 7:30: Van and Don (C.) 7:45.

KFWB—Musical clock. 7.

KHJ—Inspirational talk and news briefs. 7: records, 7:30: Steamboat Bill. 7:45.

KMPC—Top of the Morning Club. 7.

KMTR—Cheerio program. 12 to 7: Breakfast Club. 7.

KNX—Records. 6:30: Sharples' Gang. 6:45.

KTM—Records. 6.

8 to 10 a.m.

KFAC—Roy Leffingwell. 8:30: women's hour. 9:30.

KHJ—Shell Happy Time (C.) 8: pianist. 9: Beautiful Thoughts (C.) 9:15: Farm and Home hour (C.) 9:30.

KFWB—Hollywood Hill Billies. 8: organ. 9:30.

KHJ—Hallelujah hour. 8: Bigelow's Orchestra (C.) 9.

KMPC—News. 9: devotional program. 9:15.

KMTR—Stock quotations at 8: Breakfast Club. 8:05: economics. 9: Happiness Ambassador. 9:15: U.C.L.A. hour. 9:45.

KNX—Prayer. 8:45: news. 9: shopping service. 9:45.

KTM—Spanish Troubadours. 8: Zandra. 9.

10 a.m. to 12 noon

KECA—News. 10: exercises. 10:15: Roy Leffingwell. 10:30: records. 11: Spanish. 11:45.

KFAC—Records. songs. 11:45.

KFI—Magazine of the Air (C.) 10:30: French. 11:30: piano and songs. 11:45.

KFWB—Concert. 11: Piano and songs. 11:15.

KHJ—Farm net work (C.) 10: Hobby Hunter. 10:45: Funnybones (C.) 11: Saturday SyncoPatros (C.) 11:15: Columbia Salon Orchestra (C.) 11:30.

KMPC—Air Ambassador. 10:45: Wilshire Theater. 11: Women's Club Hour. 11:30.

KMTR—Serenaders. 10:30: Southern Aces. 11: records. 11:30: City Hall broadcast. 11:45.

KNX—Eddie Albricht. "Be Young and Happy." 10: Travelogue. 11.

12 noon to 2 p.m.

KECA—Bilmore concert. 12: Bunny's Family. 1:45.

KFAC—Orchestra. 1.

KFI—Markets. 12: songs. 12:15: opera. "Norma" (C.) 12:45.

KFWB—Piano. 12: organ. 12:15: Indian stories. 12:45: organ and soloist. 1:30.

KHJ—Four Clubmen (C.) 12: news. 12:30: Rhythm Kings (C.) 12:45: Ann Leaf. organ (C.) 1.

KMPC—Happy Chappies. 12: news. 1:15: Professors of Nutology. 1:30.

KMTR—News. 12: Hi-noon Hi-lites. 12:15: Banjo Boys. 1: Two Professors. 1:30.

KNX—News. 12: Dave Mack's Band. 1.

2 to 4 p.m.

KECA—Records. 2: organ. 3.

KFAC—Orchestra. 2.

KFI—Organ. 2:10: Lyric String Trio. 3.

KFWB—Violinist and organ. 2:30: fiction. 3:30.

KHJ—Special. 2: Lown's Orchestra (C.) 2:30: Arthur Jarrett (C.) 3: Olympic Games. 3:15: Bigelow's Orchestra (C.) 3:30: Connie Boswell (C.) 3:45.

KMPC—Sunshine Hour. 2.

KNX—Bookworm. 2: concert. 3: record concert. 3:30.

KMTR—Orchestra. 2.

KTM—Spanish orchestra. 2: Gene Byrnes. 3:45.

4 to 6 p.m.

KECA—News. 4:45: Big Brother. 5: Killian Sisters' Trio. 5:30: Raine Bennett and orchestra. 5:45.

KFAC—Sunny-side Up. 4: organ. 5: Harry Jackson's Pls. 5:30.

KFI—Beach Boys. 4: news. 4:30: Don Ricardo. songs. 4:45: Danger Fighters (C.) 5: Council on Education (C.) 5:30.

KFWB—Piano and songs. 4:30: dance band. 5:15.

KHJ—Frederick Wile (C.) 4: Mark Hopkins Orchestra (C.) 4:15: Town Topics. 5: world-wide news. 5:05: Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra (C.) 5:15.

KMPC—News. 4:30.

KMTR—News. 4:45.

KNX—Church of the Air. 5: Real Pet Stories. 5:40: Timely Tips. 5:45.

KTM—Montana Cowgirls. 4:30.

6 to 7 p.m.

KECA—Orchestra. 5: Cecil and Sally (C.) 6:45.

KFAC—Democratic Committee. 6: play. 6:15: motion picture hour. 6:30.

KFI—Goodyear Special (C.) 6: First Nighter (C.) 6:30.

KFWB—Charlie Luns. 6:15: organ. 6:30: "Growin' Up." 6:45.

KHJ—Philadelphia Symphony (C.); Black and Blue. 6:45.

KMTR—Happy Harry. 6: Ethiopian Night Club. 6:30.

KNX—News. 6: trio. 6:15: Joe Warner. 6:30: dance band. 6:45.

7 to 8 p.m.

KECA—Raising Junior (C.) 7: string orchestra. 7:15.

KFAC—Allison Rhelms. 7.

KFI—Lucky Strike Hour (C.) 7.

KFWB—Organ. 7: Strings and Bows. 7:30.

KHJ—National radio forum (C.) 7: "Show Boat" (C.) 7:15.

KMTR—Rabbi Leimert. 7: KMTR Frolic. 7:30.

KNX—Frank Watanabe and Hon. Archie. 7: Arizona Wranglers. 7:15: concert. 7:45.

8 to 9 p.m.

KECA—Prince Albert (C.) 8:15: male quartet. 8:30: string trio. 8:45.

KFAC—Tone Casters. 8.

KFI—Amos 'n' Andy (C.) 8: Gilmore Circus. 8:15: Winnie and Don. 8:45.

KFWB—Merry-Go-Round. 8.

KHJ—Blug Crosby (C.) 8: Chandu. 8:15: Morton Downey (C.) 8:30: Signalers. 8:45.

KMTR—Utah vs. Olympic Club. 8.

KNX—Sky Dwellers. 8.

KTM—Highway High Lights. 8.

9 to 10 p.m.

KECA—Beach Boys. 9: Earl Burtnett's Orchestra. 9:30.

KFAC—Luse's Orchestra. 9.

KFI—Grier's Orchestra. 9: Spotlight Review (C.) 9:30.

KFWB—"Flat Feet." 9: Slumber Time. 9:30.

KHJ—The Merry Makers. 9: Harmony Highlights. 9:30: St. Moritz Orch. (C.) 9:45.

KMPO—Plantation Crooners. 9: Happy Chappies. 9:55.

KMTR—La Boheme Cafe. 9:30.

KNX—News. 9: concert ensemble. 9:15: Question and Answer. 9:30.

KTM—Beverly Hill Billies. 9.

10 p.m. to midnight

KECA—Burtnett's Orchestra. 10: bridge lesson. 10:30.

KFAC—Orsan. 11: orchestra. 12.

KFI—Jimmie Greer's Orchestra. 11.

KFWB—Casino Gardens. 10.

KHJ—World-wide news. 10: Success. 10:05: Anson Weeks's Orchestra (C.) 10:10: Quaw's Orchestra (C.) 10:30: Roosevelt Orchestra. 11.

KMPC—Records. 10:30.

KMTR—Music Box. 11.

KNX—Jane Jones's Night Club. 10: Paris Inn Cafe. 11.

KTM—Dunn's Orchestra. 10: Bob and Jimmy. 10:30: organ. 10:45: Ballyhoos. 11.