

Radio News and Programs



FRED ALLEN

Fred, Gracie Allen Return to Air Tonight; Bob Talks Neutrality

BULLETIN Last minute schedule change will bring the 25th anniversary program of the American Society of Authors, Composers, and Publishers to WLS-WENR listeners from 7:30 to 9:30 tonight. Participants will include Rudy Vallee's orchestra, Gene Buck, Alfred E. Smith, George M. Cohan, Jane Froman, Albert Spalding, Oscar Levant, and others.

America's favorite Allens—Fred and Gracie—will return to the air tonight after a summer absence. Fred will install some new features in his show (WMAQ at 8), and will bring some of his old retainers back with him. Returning will be Portland Hoffa, Peter Van Steeden, Harry Von Zell, and the Mighty Allen Art players. Newcomers will be Wyn Murray, vocal soloist; the Merry March, singing quartet; an audience participation quiz, and a weekly guesstair. First visitor will be Ned Sparks. Gracie's show (WBMM at 6:30) will have George Burns, Ray Noble, and Frank Parker, with Truman Bradley as new announcer.

Other headliners tonight, classified. Musical 11 p. m. — Music You Want (WENR); recordings by Marian Anderson, Jussi Björling, Artur Schnabel. Discussion 9:30 p. m. — National Radio Forum (WENR); Sen. La Follette (P. Wis.) replies to Sen. Key.

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THURSDAY 6:15-WLW WJD 3:00-WJJD 6:45-WMAQ WCFB 4:55-WGN 7:00-WIBA 5:00-WBMM WCFB 7:00-WLS WBMM 5:25-WTJM 7:15-WJJD WCCO 5:30-WIBA WENR 7:30-WIBA WTMJ 5:45-WBMM WLW 8:00-WCFB WCFB 6:00-WBMM 8:15-WLS 6:30-WGN WMAQ 8:25-WTJM 7:55-WBMM KMOX 8:40-WMAQ 8:45-WGN 8:50-WBMM WCFB 10:00-WBMM WJJD 9:15-WBMM 10:30-WLS 9:45-WBMM WEND 11:30-WCFB WCFB 10:00-WBMM WMAQ 11:45-WLS 10:00-WTJM WENR P. M. 10:15-WMAQ 12:00-WBMM WJJD 10:00-WBMM WCCO 12:30-WBMM 11:00-WGN 12:45-WMAQ WJJD 11:35-WBMM WENR 1:25-WLS 12:25-WLW 2:30-WBMM KMOX 1:00-WBMM

Sports Reviews WEDNESDAY NIGHT 5:15-WLS WBMM 8:45-WBMM WCFB 5:25-WMAQ 9:45-WBMM WBMM 5:45-WIBA WTMJ 10:15-WLW 6:00-WBMM WCFB 10:30-WTJM 8:15-WGN THURSDAY P. M. 8:15-WBMM WGN 3:15-WIND 4:30-WBMM WCFB 5:15-WLW WJJD 9:30-WBMM 5:25-WMAQ 10:15-KMOX WLW 5:45-WIBA WTMJ 10:30-WTJM 6:00-WGN

Markets THURSDAY A. M. P. M. 6:30-KMOX 12:45-WLS WJJD 8:50-WLW 12:45-WBMA 10:45-WLS WIND 1:00-WGN 10:50-WLS 1:15-WLS 11:45-WLS 5:00-WCCO

Short Wave Tonight Budapest—6 p. m.—"Selections from Operetta." HAT4, 612 meg., 32.8 m. Rome—6:30 p. m.—"News in English." London—6:30 p. m.—"Tourist Notes." ZRO, 31.8 meg., 33.4 m. IRE, 9.83 meg., 30.5 m. Caracas—6:30 p. m.—"Telenovela with Orchestra." WEG, 5.8 meg., 24.8 m. Berlin—6:45 p. m.—"Press Review (English)." DTD, 11.77 meg., 24.4 m. London—7:00 p. m.—"Ad Astra." (talk by H. Wickham Steed. GSF, 15.14 meg., 19.8 m. GSD, 11.75 meg., 25.8 m. GSB, 9.51 meg., 31.5 m. Madrid—7:25 p. m.—"News in English." EAQ, 9.85 meg., 30.4 m. Eindhoven—7:25 p. m.—"Netherlands." SAU, PGI, 5.59 meg., 31.2 m. London—7:30 p. m.—"Time Marches Back." GSF, 15.14 meg., 19.8 m. GSD, 11.75 meg., 25.8 m. GSB, 9.51 meg., 31.5 m. Paris—8:40 p. m.—"Gramophone Records." RB11, 11.80 meg., 25.4 m. TPA4, 11.71 meg., 25.4 m. Berlin—9:30 p. m.—"News in English." DTD, 11.77 meg., 24.4 m. London—9:30 p. m.—"Reading Press Articles (in English)." TPB11, 11.80 meg., 25.2 m. TPA4, 11.71 meg., 25.4 m. "Playing Around." Alice Stephenson at the Piano. GSD, 11.75 meg., 25.8 m. GSB, 9.51 meg., 31.5 m. GSD, 11.75 meg., 25.8 m. "Report from the Fatherland (English)." JZK, 15.10 meg., 19.7 m.

Other Stations Tonight 8:00—Art in the News—WMAQ 8:00—Little Jack Little—WMAQ 8:15—Uncle Jonathan—WBMM 8:15—Malcolm Claire—WMAQ 8:30—Jack Armstrong—WMAQ WTMJ 8:30—The Lone Ranger—WMAQ WCCO 8:45—Lowell Thomas—WLV 8:45—Tom Mix Adventure—WENR 8:45—Fred Waring—WTMJ WLW WMAQ 8:50—Captain Midnight—WGN 8:50—Easy Aces—WENR 8:55—Mr. Keaton—WENR 9:00—Easy Aces—WENR 9:00—Kay Kyser—WMAQ WLW 9:15—CBS Concert—WENR 9:15—Jimmy Noone—WMAQ 9:20—Dr. Preston—WMAQ WENR 9:30—Nail, Radio Forum—WENR 10:00—Amos 'n' Andy—WBMM 10:00—Fred Waring—WMAQ WMAQ 10:15—Will Osborne—WENR 10:15—Shadow of Fu Manchu—WMAQ 10:30—Art Kassel—WENR 10:30—Dick Jurgens—WGN 10:30—Abe Lyman—WMAQ 10:45—Dance Music (to 12)—WMAQ 11:00—Shep Field—WGN 11:00—Harry James—WMAQ 11:00—Music You Want—WENR 11:00—Joe Reichman—WGN 11:30—Mitt Herth Trio—WENR 11:30—Ella Fitzgerald—WMAQ 11:45—Jack Torrance—WENR 12:00—Night Watch (to 4 a. m.)—WIND 12:00—Emil Coleman—WGN 12:00—Art Kassel—WENR WMAQ 12:15—Ed Stelling—WMAQ 12:30—Hal Grayson—WGN 12:30—Jimmy Noone—WMAQ 12:30—Mitt Herth Trio—WENR 12:30—Harry James—WMAQ 1:00—Johnny Davis—WGN 1:15—Ed Stelling—WMAQ

WIBA Thursday 7:00—NBC War News 7:05—Musical Clock 7:30—State School News 7:30—School Music 8:00—Musical Clock 8:50—Betty Baron 9:00—March Time 8:15—Church in the Wilderness 8:20—Dorothy Fetter 10:00—NBC Story of Mary Martin 10:15—Your Family and Mine 10:15—NBC The Ranch Boys 10:45—Musical Workshop 11:00—Linda's First Love 11:15—The Editor's Daughter 11:30—NBC Farm and Home Hour P. M. 12:00—Tony Salerno Orchestra 12:30—Non-News Edition 12:35—Metrol Reports 1:00—Melody Moments 1:00—Chapter of Song 1:40—Interlude 2:00—Church of the Air 2:15—Concert Hour 3:00—NBC Backstage Wife 3:15—NBC Stage Hallas 3:30—NBC Club Matinee 4:00—NBC Woody Herman Orch. 4:30—Grant of Melody 4:45—Campus Jamboree 5:15—Children's Hour 5:30—News Edition 5:45—The Sports Parade 6:00—Dinner Melodies 6:30—Football Interview 6:45—Grant of Melody 7:00—NBC "Don't Forget" 7:30—Concert Melodies 8:00—NBC Good News of 1940 9:00—NBC Music Hour 10:00—Night News Edition

Harlan Miller in Washington

OF THREE I SING EXCLUSIVE: A powerful short-wave radio set has been seized at a foreign embassy here by the FCC and FBI officials. "Diplomats of the foreign power had been using the unlicensed set illegally to communicate with their home capital."

Because of the delicacy of the international situation, the seizure was kept secret. The Federal Communications Commission declines to reveal which embassy harbored the apparatus. Embassy officials used the set "surreptitiously"; they knew it was illegal, because licenses are not issued to foreigners.

But the commission regards this violation as foolhardy, because it is impossible for such an outlaw set to operate with any regularity without detection by monitor cars which can drive through the streets and spot wireless messages emanating from an address not authorized to harbor a sending set.

Fairies who have succumbed to the war scare could relax if they stopped to think that, to put it most cynically, no war is possible for us before election day in November, 1940 which is 13 months away.

As things look now, if the war continues, the rival campaigners will be flaunting rival banners: "He kept us out of war" versus "He'll keep us out of war."

When certain senators praise the beauties of isolation, they talk as if the oceans were 10,000 miles wide. But when they yell about the risks of repeating the arms embargo they talk as if each ocean had narrowed down to a creek.

POTOMAC PIFFLE: Four of the cabinet members have white chauffeurs... Harry Hopkins is another New Dealer feared by big business who has been offered some big jobs by big business... Thurman Arnold, the amiable frust-buster, has lost 20 pounds... Frances Perkins, the secretary of labor, is quite a duck-hunter and I'd bet she can outshoot John L. Lewis.

LENGTHEN SEASON Blooming seasons of dahlias, cosmos, chrysanthemums, and other late bloomers often may be prolonged by the simple expedient of covering these plants on cold nights.

My favorite cop on Capitol hill summed up the war bubble in a nutshell: "Too many Americans including statesmen," he said, "have been playing with tin soldiers when they ought to be mowing the lawn."

Quite a few of our senators are trying to keep both ears to the ground this fall. It's an awkward, ungraceful position.

Washington friends of Daisy Harriman, our overwhelming Minister to Norway, suspect that if she sees

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ACROSS 1. College yell 23. A particle 9. Game played over a zivve in a boat 4. Exclamation 26. Printer's measure 18. Scurch 29. A tax (Soc.) 7. Brisk energy 28. The young of various birds 30. Part of the iris of the eye 10. Southern constellation 29. Refinement of fishes 24. Industrial magnate 31. Kind of manor court 11. Guided animal 33. Domestic animal 25. Covering for the hand 32. To construct 12. Fuss 35. Night before a holiday 27. Pondered 34. A gentia breeze 13. Yellow ochre 36. Weight of India 37. Not at home 14. Anger 37. Not at home 38. To behold 15. Stake used by swordsmen as a dummy 39. Organ of hearing 16. Head covering 40. Metallic rock 17. Mountain ejecting lava 41. Perched bird 19. Female sheep 42. Arid 21. Exclamation of Anne 43. Diminutive of Anne

DOWN 1. Skin eruptions 5. Valorous man 2. A melody 6. Feminine name 4. Existent 7. Father 8. Paradise

Answer to previous puzzle CIT BOB ABO HOOKY EARED ANGER ANKLE R POINT REMINDS CAR ERE LORE DAW DECADES HARRY U HAFIZ OAKUM IRATE SHALE PEN DIS BUS

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