

President Will Be Heard In Boy Scout Week Broadcast

Chief Executive On The Air During Program From 10:30 To 10:45 P. M. Thursday; Other Famous Leaders Set

The nation's No. 1 Scout—President Franklin D. Roosevelt—will rededicate himself to the principles of the Boy Scout movement in an address over WJZ Thursday.

Participating with the chief executive in the "Rededication Program", to be heard from 10:30 to 10:45 p. m., will be Walter W. Head, president of the National Council of the Boy Scouts, speaking from Detroit, and Dr. James E. West, Chief Scout Executive, and editor of Boy's Life, speaking from Miami, Florida.

Head will introduce President Roosevelt to the radio audience.

Ronald Colman, Ida Lupino and Marjorie Angelus will re-enact scenes from the current picture version of "The Light That Failed," one of Rudyard Kipling's new full length novels, as guests of Edward Arnold and Fanny Brice (Baby Snooks) Brice on Good News of 1940, Thursday, 9:00 p. m. over WEAF.

Connie Baswell will sing two currently popular ballads and Meredith Willson's orchestra will feature several semi-classical songs and modern hit tunes.

A one-legged colored man, in begging assistance from Abraham Lincoln while the President was in Washington, caused the writing of one of the strangest documents in all Lincolniana—the whole story of which will be revealed on the Strange As It Seems program, Thursday, 8:30 p. m. over WABC.

The weird story of a curse on King Henry the Fourth of France, will be another dramatized feature. Warned that he would be killed if he ever had his wife, Marie de Medici, crowned queen, he lived through 19 attempts on his life, and then defied the curse and ordered the coronation ceremony.

Currently one of the most amazing figures in the American news-prints and starred on Broadway in "My Dear Children," a play in which his old-fashioned staid Chicagoer son, John Barrymore, of the theatre's Royal Family, makes his first radio appearance in the east this season when he headlines George Jessel's "Celebrity program" over WEAF Thursday at 8 p. m. Although a regular script will be written for him, there is no predicting what the unpredictable Mr. Barrymore will do before the microphone. Also on the program will be Charles Cantor, mimic and stooge, for the second week in succession and Della Ray, a Swiss bell ringer. Music under the baton of Peter Van Streden with vocals by Benay Venuta.

James B. King, Jr., 23-year-old clarinetist and undergraduate student at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia, has been selected as the second soloist to be heard on Musical Americana, the new Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co. program.

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP THE NETWORKS (Note: Refer to this list for stations of networks indicated after each program item. All programs are carried by key stations and basic chains in groups thereof unless specified.)

TONY "MUSIC IN MY HEART" and WARREN WILLIAM in "The Lone Wolf Strikes" PREVIEW FRIDAY NIGHT Just a House-full of Friendly enemies...

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Speeding of romance is Harry M. Key of Suitland, Md. introduced to high school student Marguerite Morrison, 16, in a hotel cafeteria, he offered to drive her home, proposed en route, was accepted, married her in Washington, Va., the same day.

The program, in addition to the Mozart concert, includes "Alexander's Ragtime Band" by Irving Berlin; G. W. Chadwick's "Jubilee Overture: 'By the Waters of Minnetonka,'" by Maurice Strakosky; "Strike Up the Band," "Somebody Loves Me," and "The Man I Love."

"Is Youth Doing Its Share?" is the subject to be discussed during America's Town Meeting of the Air, Thursday, at 9:30 p. m. over WJZ. Among the speakers will be Frank W. Kerr, 17-year-old Seattle, Wash., high school student, winner of Town Meeting's recent essay contest on American democracy.

Ethel Barrett and Rae Robertson, famous duo-pianists, will be soloists with the Rochester Philharmonic Symphony, under the direction of Jose Iturbi, on Thursday, at 9:00 p. m. over WJZ. They will play Mozart's Concerto for Two Pianos in E-flat Major, "Remember the Met," a comprehensive series of broadcasts, bringing to microphones not only world-famous opera artists, but "behind the scenes" personalities whose efforts have made Metropolitan Opera the world's finest lyric theatre, will be launched by the National Broadcasting Company, Thursday, at 11:30 p. m. over WJZ in the nation-wide radio campaign for funds to aid the Metropolitan Opera-ssn.

This first Thursday program series will feature opera stars, past, present, and future; and in addition will present behind-the-scenes opera personalities, all of whom will recreate colorful and dramatic episodes in the 50-year history of America's great opera house.

SOPHOMORE HAS PERFECT SCHOLASTIC STANDING (Special To The Lima News) ADA, Feb. 8—Jack Pritchard, sophomore in the college of pharmacy at Ohio Northern, has a perfect 3-point standing not only for the last quarter at the university, but ever since he has been in college, according to grades being released this week by the registrar.

Fred Enshreter of Ada, Junior in liberal arts, has 2.94 out of a possible 3 for his entire work so far. Janet Steer, freshman, made a record of 2.8 and Margaret Gray, freshman, 2.711; Gertrude Melrose, postgraduate, 2.731; Frederick Gatzke, 2.741; freshman in pharmacy, 2.727. In each case the record is for the entire time spent in school.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY SEED IMPROVEMENT UNIT (Special To The Lima News) VAN WERT, Feb. 8—Wayne Dallah of Union-twp has been elected president of the Van Wert Seed Improvement Assn. Other officers to serve during the year are: W. G. Weigle of Ridge-twp, vice president; and H. A. Baxter of Tully-twp, secretary-treasurer. Revision of the association's constitution was made to permit membership of all growers of pure seeds, instead of just pure corn seed.

Among the activities the association plans to sponsor the current year are corn hybrid and soybean field day, a corn performance test plot, soybean test plots, annual corn husking contest and an educational exhibit at the county fair.

The true legs of a centipillar are the three pairs placed on the segments nearest the head. The abdominal segments bear from 1 to 5 pairs of short, fleshy, unsegmented false legs or prolegs, one pair of which is borne on the rear segment. These are used as clasps.

Hatched at the National Zoological Park in Washington, D. C. Malcolin, first progeny of his species ever born in captivity, was given a birth certificate.

For relaxation, Andre Tardieu, former French Premier, reads American detective stories.

Merry Domestic Farce Will Be Quilna's Friday Movie

"He Married His Wife," To Show At Preview With Joel M'Crea And Nancy Kelly In The Leading Roles

Once again a merry domestic comedy based on a hilarious idea comes to the Quilna screen in "He Married His Wife," starring Joel M'Crea and Nancy Kelly. The idea is an ex-husband trying to find a husband for his ex-wife so he can stop paying heavy alimony. The picture will be presented Friday night at the preview with "The Lone Wolf Strikes" and "Music In My Heart."

With James Cagney, Pat O'Brien and George Brent starred in the Ohio film, "The Fighting 69th," theatre patrons are assured of thrilling entertainment. This picture, a fitting tribute to America's famed World War division, has been heralded as one of the best of the war pictures.

Roy Rogers is starred in the Lyric theatre western thriller, "Saga of Death Valley," with George "Gabby" Hayes featured as the handsome cowboy's pal. Also at the Lyric is Gracie Fields and Sydney Howard in "Shipyard Sally," a comedy packed with mirth.

When "Our Neighbors — the Carters" is presented at the Sigma, moviegoers will witness a motion picture very close to life. The cast of this superbly human drama includes Fay Bainter, Frank Craven, Edmund Lowe and Genevieve Tobin. Also showing at the Sigma is "The Mad Empress" with Medea Novara, Lionel Atwill and Conrad Nagel in the lead roles.

An expose of the counterfeiting racket in this country, "Smashing the Money Ring" at the State offers Ronald Reagan in the role of government agent on the trail of law-breakers. Also showing at the State is "The Saint in London" with George Sanders as the crusading one-man army pitted against the forces of evil.

The Majestic theatre billing includes "Colorado Sunset" and "Risky Business."

Psychology finds its way into the field of western drama, "Saga of Death Valley," which is now at the Lyric theatre, presents not only a sound and exciting action story, but also an entertaining study in the respective merits of heredity and environment in shaping character.

Two youngsters, separated in childhood by a blackguard named Ed Tasker who seeks to control the water rights of the Death Valley town of Sundown, are brought up in diametrically opposite environments. Roy, the older brother, played by Roy Rogers, grows up to be honest, law-abiding and justice-loving. Tim, portrayed effectively by Don Barry, is brought up in a life of crime by his kidnaper, Tasker; and altho he reaches manhood with as great personal courage as Roy himself, it is all diverted into outlaw activities.

The two brothers inevitably cross, Roy in the capacity of avenger, and Tim as defiant law-breaker. Altho they do not recognize each other, they are drawn together by an intangible something and Roy, impelled by this strange, subconscious attraction, refrains from killing his adversary in a strongly dramatic, well-handled scene.

The story progresses at an absorbing pace to a thrill-packed climax which cannot fail to win the approval of the most seasoned western fans.

Roy Rogers turns in his usual excellent performance, establishing himself more firmly with his myriad fans with each successive picture. Don Barry is ideally cast as Tim, the renegade younger brother. The able supporting cast includes, in addition to that old favorite, "Gabby," Hayes, Doris Day, Frank Thomas, Pete Fargo, Hal Taliferro, Matty Roubert and others.

Teaming for the first time Fred Astaire and Eleanor Powell, world's greatest male and feminine tap dancers, "Broadway Melody of 1940" opens Saturday at the Ohio theatre.

Ever since each star rose to overnight screen fame it has been the hope of Hollywood to combine their talents in one production.

To give the two stars the best possible musical settings, Cole Porter has written music for both Astaire and Miss Powell. The composer of "Night and Day" has produced five new songs for "Broadway Melody of 1940," and use is made for the first time on the screen of his sensational "Begin the Beguine."

With the two stars is George Murphy, among Hollywood's lead-

LYRIC RIDING AND SINGING HIS WAY TO NEW THRILLS Roy Rogers THE SAGA OF DEATH VALLEY SHIPYARD SALLY GRACIE FIELDS SYDNEY HOWARD

a fabulous string of pearls and the imitations of rival bands of thieves as they try in vain to outmaneuver the Lone Wolf.

A handsome young tenor, temporarily a man without a country, and a lovely young woman, temporarily a bride-to-be without a groom, meet by chance to initiate one of the most sparkling romantic musical comedies of the motion picture season in "Music In My Heart," with Tony Martin, radio's singing favorite, and Rita Hayworth in stellar roles.

The carefree comedy, at the Quilna theatre, will be shown for the last time Friday. A happy wedding of romance, laughter and music, the film's cast also includes such well-knowns as Edith Fellows, Andre Kostelanetz and his famous orchestra, Alan Mowbray, Eric Blore and George Tobias.

Martin, who sings six grand new tunes in "Music In My Heart," returns to the screen after an absence of more than a year. More popular than ever, due to his sensational radio and stage appearances, the talented tenor is said to be handsomer than ever and in better voice. The songs, written especially for him by Chet Forrest and Bob Wright, include "No Other Love," "Punchinello," "Prelude to Love," "It's a Blue World," "I've Got Music In My Heart" and "Oh, What a Lovely Dream." The songs range from swing ballad to novelty.

The vivid story of Maximilian and Carlota is told dramatically.

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WARREN DEER SIGMA "The Mad Empress" with Medea NOVARA & Conrad NAGEL "Our Neighbors—the Carters" STARTS SATURDAY!

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Blinking Owl Club Lima's Better Time Headquarters

by Medea Novara, Austrian-born star, Conrad Nagel and Lionel Atwill in "The Mad Empress," now at the Sigma.

Authentic in every detail, producer-director Miguel Torres was granted unprecedented co-operation in the use of national museums, historic palaces, jewels, costumes, and the Mexican army itself for battle scenes.

In the title role, Medea Novara is captivating as the consort of Maximilian, convincing her husband to accept a Mexican monarchy for the good they are led to believe they can accomplish in that country.

When they discover that Napoleon had tricked and used them as foils for conquering Mexico, it is too late to save Mexico and themselves.

In the able supporting cast are Guy Bates Post, Jason Robard, Evelyn Brent and Duncan Renaldo.

With Fay Bainter, Frank Craven, Edmund Lowe and Genevieve Tobin in the featured roles, and a supporting cast which includes five of Hollywood's most talented youngsters, the stirring drama, "Our Neighbors—the Carters," is current at the Sigma theatre. This is the poignant story of a typical American family, the sort of people who are just plain folks.

But is frankly not a "family" picture. The action takes place in a small Ohio town where "Doc" Carter, Frank Craven, has long been the local druggist. His wife, Fay Bainter, has saved \$1,000 secretly, and when she goes to Chicago to visit old friends, the real reason for her visit is to arrange for an operation for one son—who has been lame since birth. But "Doc" loses his store to a chain drug outfit, precipitating the family into crises which are only weathered by real sacrifice and understanding and true friendship.

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