Famous Critic Taylor Will Play On Westinghouse Show

Deems To Do "Chopsticks" In Debut As Instrumentalist; Bing Crosby To Have New Vocalist As Guest

Deems Taylor, distinguished music critic and composer and master of ceremonies of Musical Americans, will make his program debut as instrumentalist over WJZ at 8 p. m. Thursday. He will be heard with the Westinghoue orchestra in the traditional "Chopsticks."

Leon Brenner, 22, of Elmhurst, Ill., a student of the violin at DePaul university, Chicago, will be the guest soloist. Orchestral numbers include the currently revived "Ma, He's Making Eyes at Me."

A young lady who lived next door to Bing Crosby in Los Angeles while he was still singing a trio hasn't been forgotten by the crooner. Carol MacFarland is her name and she'll make her radio singing debut at the invitation of Bing in the Music Hall Thursday at 10 p. m. over WEAF.

Basil Rathbone and Spring Byington will be the other guests, with the regulars, Bob Burns, the Music Maids and John Scott Trotters' orchestra.

Popular modern American rhythms will be played on the world's oldest musical instrument, constructed from million-year-old fossil rhinoceros bones, by Henry Reider, palentologist of the University of Nebraska, on the Strange As It Seems program, Thursday at 8:30 p. m. over WABC. Another feature of the broadcast will be the story of Henri Christophe, fabulous dictator of Haiti.

Dick Powell will join with Mary Martin in a duet arrangement of "You Great Big Beautiful Doll," after he has presented the versatile songstress in her solo version of the "Isle of May," on the Good News of 1940 program, which also will feature another uproarious Fanny Brice-Baby Snooks comedy sketch. Thursday, at 9:00 p. m. over WEAF.

Meredith Willson's orchestra will play the currently revived hit tune, "Little Girl."

In 1730, Benjamin Franklin married his landlord's daughter, Deborah Read. That's historical fact.

In 1940, Benjamin (Vallee) Franklin will woo Deborah (Lane) Read, but will head into trouble when Deborah claims that lightning struck twice when he took the key to her heart for a skyride. That's hysterical fiction.

BEST BETS THURSDAY

P. M.

7:15—"Big Town," WLW.

8:30—"As Strange As It Seems," WJR.

9:00 — Musical Americana, WOWO.

9:00 — "Good News" Variety, WLW.

9:00 — Major Bowes Amateurs, WJR.

9:30—Rudy Vallee, WLW.

10:00—Bing Crosby Show, WLW.

It's also the stuff of which the Rudy Vallee program will be made Thursday, from 9:30 to 10:00 p. m., over WEAF with the screen star, Rosemary Lane, as guest. Slapsie Maxie Rosenbloom, polysyllablic pummeller, also will be present—cast, no doubt, as "Poor Rudy's maniac",—or the groom when Benny Franklin rides again.

A beautiful model in a big clothing store is murdered and her body hidden in plain sight. How Mr. District Attorney solves this baffling crime is revealed in "Manikin", one of the most exciting plays of the series, on the broadcast of Thursday, at 8:00 p. m., over WEAF. Jay Jostyn in the title role is supported by Vicky Vola as his secretary, and Len Doyle as his assistant.

THURSDAY, APRIL 25

Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hr. for CST., 2 Hrs. for MT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to last minute network corrections)

5:30—Jack Armstrong—nbc-weaf-east
Kitty Keene Sketch — nbc-red-west
Bud Barton's Sketch—nbc-wjz-east
It Happened in Hollywood—cbs-wabc
Johnson Family, Sketch—mbs-chain
5:45—The O'Neills, Sketch—nbc-weaf
Tom Mix Adventures—nbc-wjz-east
Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-blue-west
Scattergood Baines, Serial—cbs-wabc
Little Orphan Annie—mbs-wor-east
6:00—J. Hynd Guest Book—nbc-weaf
News & Musical Features—nbc-wjz
News Broadcastig Period—cbs-wabc
Billy and Betty repeat—cbs-midwest
Dance Music Orchestra — mbs-chain
6:05—Edwin C. Hill — cbs-wabc-basic
6:15—News and Ed East — weaf-only
Malcolm Claire and News — nbc-red
Bill Stern Sports; Ed East—wjz-only
Sports; Rhythm Ensemb.—cbs-wabc
6:30—Dance Music Orches.—nbc-weaf
Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-wjz-east
Bud Barton's Repeat—nbc-blue-west
War Comment Broadcast—cbs-wabc
Lawrence Salerno Songs—mbs-chain
Arthur Hale's Broadcast—wrva-only
6:45—Rocky Gordon Serial—nbc-weaf
Lowell Thomas, News—nbc-wjz-east
Tom Mix repeat—nbc-blue-midwest
European War Broadcast—cbs-wabc
Orphan Annie in Repeat—mbs west
7:00—F. Waring Time—nbc-weaf-east
Easy Aces, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
Amos 'n' Andy, Skit—cbs-wabc-east
Rhythm Ensemble — cbs-chain-west
Fulton Lewis, Jr., Talk—mbs-chain
7:15—Li'l Abner's Sketch—nbc-weaf
Mr. Keen, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
Lanny Ross & Song—cbs-wabc-basic
Unsung Americans, Talk—mbs-wor
7:30—The All Star Revue—weaf-only
Dance Music Orches.—nbc-red-chain
One of the Finest, Sketch—wjz-wwj
Harry Kogen Orch.—nbc-blue-chain
Vox Poppers & Questions—cbs-wabc
Accent on Music, Orches.—cbs-Dixie
Arthur Hale's Broadcast — mbs-wor
7:45—Sam Balter on Sports—mbs-east
8:00—Mr. District Attorney—nbc-weaf
Musical Americana, Orch.—nbc-wjz
Jim McWilliams and Quiz—cbs-wabc
Kay Kyser's Repeat — wor-mbs-east
American Diplomacy—mbs-west-only
8:30—"I Love a Mystery"—nbc-weaf
Joe Penner & His Show — nbc-wjz
"As Strange As It Seems"—cbs-wabc
Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs-west
8:55—Elmer Davis, News — cbs-wabc
9:00—"Good News" Variety—nbc-weaf
American Composers Con.—nbc-wjz
Major Bowes & Amateurs—cbs-wabc
Melodies from California—mbs-chain
9:30—Rudy Vallee's Show — nbc-weaf
NBC's Concert Orchestra — nbc-wjz
Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs-wor
10:00—Bing Crosby's Show—nbc-weaf
Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz
Glenn Miller & Orchestra—cbs-wabc
Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs-wor
10:15—CBS Workshop Play—cbs-wabc
Foreign News Broadcast—mbs-chain
10:30—Florence Wyman Con.—nbc-wjz
H. Weber's Concert Revue—mbs-wor
10:45—Nan Wynn in Songs—cbs-wabc
11:00—News and Dance—nbc-weaf-east
Fred Waring's repeat—nbc-red-west
News; Dancing Music Orc.—nbc-wjz
Paul Sullivan's News—cbs-wabc-east
Amos and Andy's repeat—cbs-west
11:15—Dancing Music to 1—nbc-chains
Dance Or. & News to 2—cbs and mbs
Lanny Ross rpt. (15 m.)—cbs-west
12:00—P. Sullivan's rpt.—cbs-midwest

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP THE NETWORKS

(Note: Refer to this box for stations of networks indicated after each program item. All programs are carried by key stations and basic chains or groups thereof unless specified.)

NBC-WEAF (RED): Basic—East: weaf wfbr wnac wben wtam wwj wtic kyw wcae wcsh wjar wgy wrc wdel wtag wfbg wjac wccu wraw wspd; **Midwest:** wmaq who wire wdaf wtmj kstp wow ksd; **South:** wmbg wsb wbrc wjdx wmc wsmb wfaa wbap kprc kark wky woai ktos kvoo; **Mountain:** koa kdyl

NBC-WJZ (BLUE): Basic — East: wjz wbal wbz wicc webr whk wxyz wfil kdka wean wham wbza wsyr wmal, waby wieu wijn wnbc wmtf; **Midwest:** wmt wenr wls kso wowo wren wicn kwk well wbcm wfdf wibm wjim kowh kma ksej; **South:** wrtd kfdm kgko kxyz ktok waga kjbo wsgn kths wmps wdsu; **Mountain:** kvod klo kuta

NBC OPTIONAL STATIONS operate either RED or BLUE—**East:** wsan wrdo wlbz wiw wsai wcol wing wkbo wgal wfea, wbow wbre work whiz cmx cbf cbm cfcf cgi; **Midwest:** webc wgbf wgl wood wiba kysm kroc welo ksoo kfam kans wcfl kfyr wday koam kgbx; **South:** wgky wols wblk wtar wise wtma wsoc wis wfbc wptf kjax wiak wiod wfla wsun kgnc wapo kris wrol wala wcoa krgv wave wsm wsav; **Mountain:** koh kghl kido kgir kpfa ksei kfti kob ktsm kghb

CBS-WABC: BASIC — East: wabc woko wcoa weei wgr wkbw wcky wgar wdrc wcau wjas wpro wfbl wjsv; **Midwest:** wbbm krnt wfbm kmbc kfab whas kmox. **OTHER STATIONS: East:** wadc wabi wnbf wbns, whio wjr wesg whp ckac wzan whec wkaq wgbi wmas wnbx efrb wibx wbry worc wkbn; **Midwest:** woc wkbb wdal weoa wind wtaq wmfg kwbh kglo wisn wcco koil wmbd wsbt wibw whib kfh wnax; **South:** waim wwnc wgst wrdw wapi wcsc wchs wbt wdod wrbl krld wdnc wmmm wbig ktrh wmbr wnox kfra wmaz wrec wccc wqam wsfa wiac wwl koma wdbo wpar wrva wdbj wtas wtoc kwkh wdae ktul wjno wwva kwft wsjs; **Mountain:** kggm kvor klz kfbh kgvo koy ksl kvsf ktue

MBS-WOR-WGN—BASIC: wor wgn wrok ckiw whk wcle waby wsay wcny wbax wfil wbal wcsh wwj wcae wiw wkrc whke wral wair wjej wstp wsoc wlap wsix wgrc wcmi; **New England:** wicc wtht watr wspr wfea waab wsad wnbh whai wcou wbrk wsyb; **Midwest:** whbb kwk wdgy webc wdsm kso wmt koil kfor whb ktsw kggf ksal kvgb kfbi; **South:** ktok kada kcrc kome kbix kgff kjfz kbrc know kbst wrr kxyz kgkl kabe krrv kpac ktem wcmc waco; **Mountain:** kfel kfka. (Note: Some MBS stations also in other chains.)

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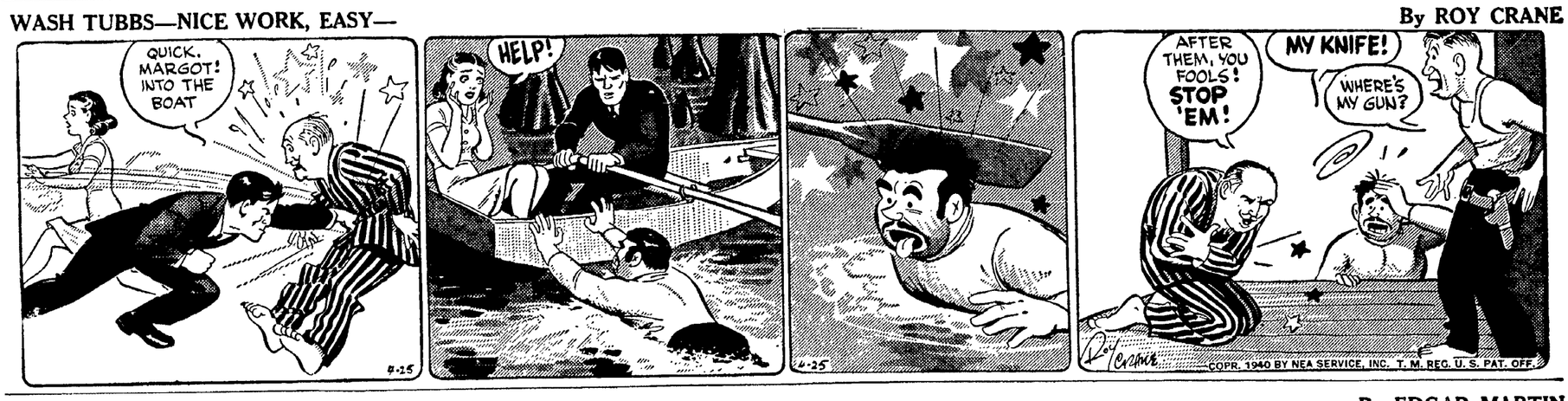

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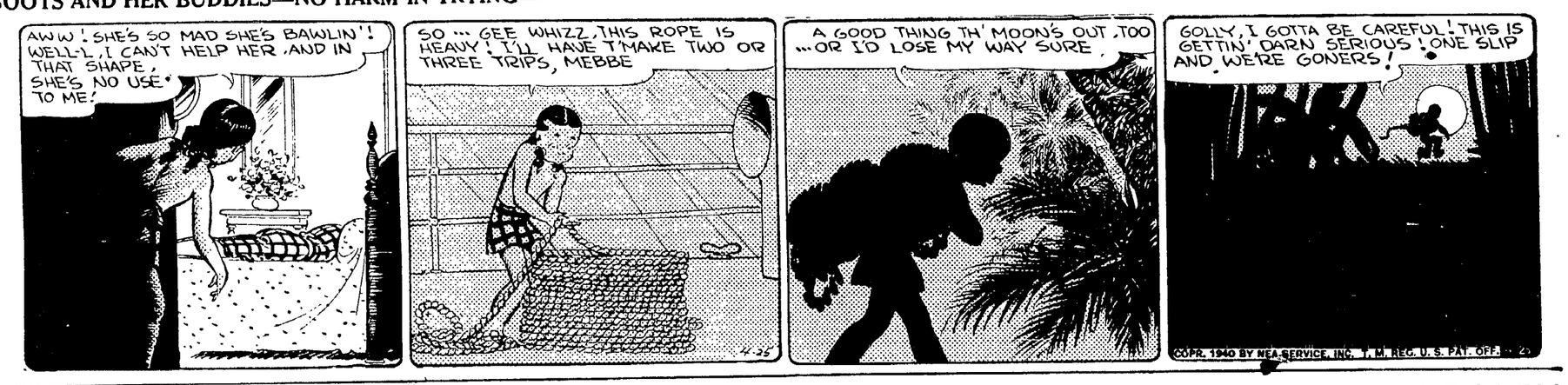

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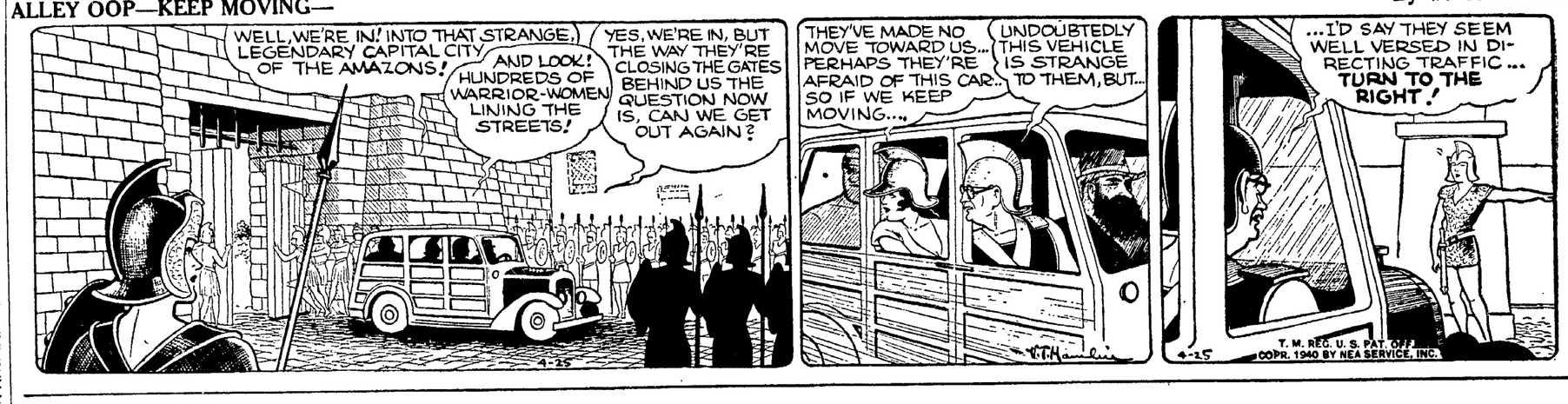

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