ROY ROGERS

WGN at 7:30

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"Bachelor Mother."

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9 a, m.—My True Story (WLS): "A Corner of Heaven."

10:45 a, m. — What's Your Idea? (WIBU, WGN): Dr. Albert Ed-

ward Wiggam, psychiatrist, re-

veals sensational new method of

Jewish hymn, "Take Unto You"

3:15 p. m. — Jack Berch Show (WENR): "Charlie, My Boy," "Confessing," "O, Dem Golden

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## Tonight's Aces

and networks.)

Variety 6:30 p. m. — Everything for the Boys (WIBA): Dick Haymes, singer, with Jimmy Durante as

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ed to the last possible moment. Changes may be made, how-

ever, at the discretion of stations

guest,
7:30 p. m. — Alan Young (WLS); reverts to the medieval and relives career of his armorladen ancestor. 8 p. m.-Gracie Fields (WENR):

tells of her first formal gown; Fred Bady delivers a lecture on Thanksgiving; Gracie sings "Home, Sweet Home." . . . Burns and Allen (WBBM): have Franchot Tone as guest.

9 p. m. — Bob Hope (WIBA):

from Navy Pier, Chicago, with Kay Kyser.

9:30 p. m.—Hildegarde (WIBA): guests, Billie Burke, comedienne, Harry Savoy, comedian, and Phil Brito, singer.

#### Miscellaneous

8:55 p. m. - Storyteller (WENR): "One of the Boys," tells how a man redeems himself after cowardice on field of battle.

9 p. m. — Service to the Front (WBBM): story of how the Information and Education branch of 80 Days." Army Service Forces teaches GIs foreign languages; Maj. Henry Flamond (WGN): "The Case of Lee Smith, officer in command of the Quiet Noise." language section, guest.

9:30 p. m. - Let Yourself Go Wednesdaytime (WENR): guest, Elsa Maxwell. 0 0 0

#### Music

6:30 p. m. — American Mclody Hour (WBBM): "Always," "White Christmas," "I Dream of You,"
"Dance With a Dolly."

7:30 p. m. — Roy Rogers Show (WGN): new weekly program of western music, with Pat Friday and the Sons of the Pioneers; 1:45 p. m. — Hymns of All 7:30 p. m. - Roy Rogers Show and the Sons of the Pioneers; 1.45 p. m. — Hymns of All "Day After Forever," "Don't Fence Me In." "Cool Waters," Jewish hymn, "Take Unto You"

8:30 p. m. — Symphony Hall (WGN): "Symphony No. 2," Sibelius; Overture to "Merry Wives of Windsor," Nicholal, and a scherzo by Mendelssohn scherzo by Mendelssohn Spotlight Bands (WENR): Xavier

Cugat. 11:05 p. m. — Jimmy Hilliard's "Confessing," "O, Dem Slippers," "Mama Inez." Orchestra (WBBM): "March of the Toys," "On the Alamo," "Al-ways," "Is You Is," Gould's "Pavanne."

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#### Drama

7 p. m. — Big Town (WBBM): Strings," "Holiday Strings," "This Is My Country."

## OTHER STATIONS WEDNESDAY

#### -MORNING--

5.00 Farm Service—WLS 6.00 Top o' The Morning—WTMJ 6.15 Evelett Mitchell—WMAQ 6.30 Buck to the Bible—WIND 7.00 Morning Devotions—WLS 7.00 Pais Gallicehlo—WMAQ

# NEWS BROADCASTS

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**MARKETS** WEDNESDAY P. M. 12:00 WIBU

5:15 p. m. — Lyn Murray Or-chestra (WBBM): with Thelma Altman, soprano; "Songs My Mother Taught.Me," "Prayeer for Thanksgiving," "Holiday for

7:01 Farm Service—WIBU
7:30 Musical Clock—WIBU
8:30 Breakfast Club—WLS
8:00 Wisconsin Weather—WIS
9:00 Wisconsin Weather—WIS
9:00 Haven of Rest—WJJD
9:00 Lora Lawton—WMAQ WTMJ
9:00 Vallant Lady—WBEM WCCO
9:05 Hobrew Christian Hour—WIBU
9:15 Light of the World—WBEM
9:30 Finders Keepers—WMAQ WTMJ
9:30 This Changing World—WBEM
9:35 Finders Keepers—WMAQ WTMJ
9:35 Shady Valley Folk—WIBU
9:45 Listening Post—WLS
9:45 Bachelor's Children—WBM
10:00 Ananda—WBEM WCCO
10:00 Breakfast at Sardl's—Wiss
10:15 WMC Program—WIBU
10:15 Rosemary—WMAQ WTMJ
15:15 Second Husband—WBEM WCCO
10:30 Star Playhouse—WMAQ
10:30 Bright Horizen—WBEM WCCO
10:40 Star Playhouse—WMAQ
10:35 David Harun—WMAQ WTMJ
10:45 Aunt Jenny's Stories—WBEM
10:50 Tanny and Ginger—WIBU
11:00 The Editor's Daughter—WBM
11:00 Guidling Light—WTMJ
11:15 Linda's First Love—WMAQ
11:15 Rhymster Time—WGN
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11:15 Rhymster Time—WGN
11:15 Farm and Home Hour—WIBU
11:30 Women in White—WTMJ
11:31 Foday's Children—WBEM WCCO
11:45 Farm Front—WBBM Time—WLS

11:45 Farm Front—WIBU

AFTERNOON—

12:00 Elizabeth Hart Presents—WMAQ
12:00 Life Can Me Beautiful—WBBM
12:00 Dinnabell Time—WLS
12:00 The Grenadlers—WTMJ
12:00 Farm Hour—WIBU,
12:15 Torry's House Party—WCN
12:15 Ma Perkins—WCCO WBBM
12:30 Bond Wagon—WGN
12:30 Bernadine Flynn—WBBM
12:30 Bernadine Flynn—WBBM
12:30 Loop Noonday Service—WJJD
12:45 The Goldbergs—WBBM WCCO
1:00 Joyce Jordan—WCCO WBBM
1:00 Farm Service—WIBU
1:00 Farm Service—WIBU
1:00 Life Can Be Beautiful—WTMJ
1:00 Guiding Light—WMAQ
1:15 Two on a Clue—WBBM
1:15 Sthays—WBU
1:15 School Time—WLS
1:15 Jane Cowl—WGN
1:15 Today's Children—WMAQ
1:15 Today's Children—WMAQ
1:30 Glamor Manor—WLS
1:30 Woman in White—WMAQ
1:30 Aunt Jenny—WTMJ
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1:35 Real Stories—WIBU
1:45 Real Stories—WIBU
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1:45 Hymns of All Churches—WMAQ
1:57 Perry Mason—WBBM KMOX
1:50 Morton Downey—WLS
1:50 Woman of America—WMAQ
1:51 Hollywood Star Time—WBS
1:52 Hollywood Star Time—WLS
1:53 Hollywood Star Time—WLS
1:54 Hymns—WMAQ WTMJ
1:58 Hymns—WMAQ WTMJ
1:59 Rey E. O. Coontz—WIBU
1:50 Ida Bailey Allen—WGN
1:50 Enper Young—WMAQ WTMJ
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1:51 Enper Young—WMAQ WTMJ

2:30 American School of the Air—WBBM

3:30 Ida Bailey Allen—WGN

2:34 Pepper Young—WMAQ WTMJ

2:45 Right to Happiness—WMAQ WTMJ

3:00 Backstage Wife—WMAQ WTMJ

3:00 Walter Compton—WIBU

3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ WTMJ

3:15 Jack Berch—WENR

3:15 Consumers Column—WIBU

3:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ WTMJ

3:30 Judy and Jane—WGN

3:30 Judy and Jane—WGN

4:00 When A Girl Marries—WMAQ

4:00 When A Girl Marries—WMAQ

4:00 East Side Serenade—WIBU

4:15 Cinnamon Bear—WCN

4:15 Portia Faces Life—WMAQ

4:30 Gold Coast Rhythm—WBBM

4:30 Parade of Bands—WIBU

4:34 Evelyn Winters—WBBM

4:45 Evelyn Winters—WBBM

4:45 Front Page Farreil—WMAQ

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4:45 Parade of Bands—WIBU

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#### WIBA TONIGHT

WHA 970 WLW 700

5:00 The Balladeers, 5:30 News Edition. 5:45 Meet the Team, 6:00 NBC Music Shop. 6:15 Dinner Melody. 6:30 NBC Dick Haymes & Orchestra. NBC Johnny Presents. NBC A Date With Judy. Romantic Melody.

8:30 NBC Fibber & Molly.
9:00 NBC Bob Hope Show.
9:30 NBC Hildegarde.
10:00 Night News Edition.
10:15 BLUE Raymond Gram Swing.
10:30 NBC Author's Playhouse.
11:00 NBC News Report.
11:05 NBC Roy Shield & Company.
11:55 NBC News Report.

FREQUENCIES

WIBA 1310 WCFL 1000 KMOX 1120

WIBU 1240\_ WENR 890

WBBM 780 WTMJ 620 WJJD 1160 WCCO 830 WMAQ 670 WLS 890

WGN 720 WIND 560

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#### OTHER STATIONS TONIGHT

5:00 Terry and the Pirates-WENR
5:15 Jimmy Allen-WCN
5:15 Digk Tracy-WENR
5:15 University Special-WIBU
5:15 Edwin C. Hül-WBBM WCCO
5:19 Billie the Brownie-WTMJ
5:30 Flesta-WIBU
5:30 Superman-WCN
5:30 Jack Armstrong-WENR

"Baby Bandit," story of juvenile 7:30 p. m. — Theater of Romance (WBBM): Shirley Booth in 8 p. m. — Mystery Theater (WMAQ): S, Wier Mitchell's "Di-

5:19 Edwin C. HII—WBEM WCCO
5:19 Elilie the Brownie—WTMJ
5:30 Flesta—WIBU
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5:30 Jack Armstrong—WENR
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5:45 Copt. Midnight—WENR
6:00 I Love a Mystery—WCCO
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.—WIBU
6:00 Dr. Freston Bradley—WGN
6:00 Dr. Freston Bradley—WGN
6:00 Jim Blade Music—WMAQ
6:00 Jim Blade Music—WMAQ
6:05 Dinning Sisters—WBBM
6:15 Music That Satisfies—WBBM
6:16 Music That Satisfies—WBBM
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6:16 Music That Satisfies—WBM
6:17 Music That Satisfies—WBM
6:18 Music That Satisfies—WBM
6:19 Music The Serve—WTMJ
6:30 Hollywood Show—WLS
6:30 Those Who Serve—WTMJ
6:30 American Melody Hour—WBBM
6:45 Bing Sings—WiBU
6:45 H. V. Kaltenborn—WMAQ
7:00 Confidentially Yours — WGN
7:00 Dinny Presents—WTMJ WMAQ
7:00 Confidentially Yours — WGN
7:10 Lum and Abner—WLS
7:15 Lum and Abner—WLS
7:15 Your Reporter—WIBU
7:30 Roy Rogers—WGN
7:30 Alan Young Show—WLS
7:30 Date With Judy—WTMJ WMAQ
7:30 Theater of Romance—WBBM
7:30 Theater of Romance—WBBM
8:00 Burns and Allen—WBBM WCCO
8:00 Gracie Fields Show—WENR
8:15 Screen Test—WGN

WIBA WE 8:30 p. m. — This Is My Best (WBBM): Orson Welles in Jules Verne's "Around the World in

#### WIBA WEDNESDAY

MORNING 6:00 Morning Parade 6:30 News Report 6:35 Morning Variety 7:00 NBC World News Roundup 7:15 Musical Clock 7:30 State Journal News Edition 7:30 Musical Clock 8:30 Contests

8:35 Interlude
8:45 Shopping Guide
9:00 The Trading Post
9:15 NBC Reveille Roundup
9:30 Ration Board Program
9:45 Betty Cass
10:00 NBC Road of Life
10:15 Home Front Quartermaster
10:30 News
10:40 Interlude
10:45 NBC David Harum
11:00 Linda's First Love

11:00 Linda's First Love 11:15 Mary Foster 11:30 The Farm Roundup AFTERNOON

12:00 News Report 12:05 Farm Roundup 12:15 Farm Service 12:30 Noon News Edition 12:50 Interlude 1:00 NBC Gulding Light 1:15 NBC Today's Children

1:30 NBC Women in White 1:46 Matinge 1:46 Matinee 2:00 NBC A Woman of America 2:15 NBC Ma Perkins

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2:30 News Report
2:35 Music of the Day
2:45 NBC Right to Happiness
3:00 NBC Backstage Wife
3:15 NBC Stella Dallas
3:30 NBC Lorenzo Jones
3:45 NBC Young Widder Brown
4:00 Interlude 3-35 NBC voling widder Brown 4:00 Interlude 4:15 Music for School and Home 4:30 The Campus Jamboree 5:00 The Balladeers 5:30 News Edition 5:45 Meet the Team

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6:00 Music Shop
6:15 NBC News of the World
6:20 Dinner Melody
6:45 NBC H. V. Kaltenborn
7:00 NBC Mr. and Mrs. North
7:30 NBC Carton of Cheer
8:00 NBC The Eddle Cantor Show
8:30 NBC Mr. District Attorney
9:00 NBC Kny Kyser College
10:00 Night News Edition
10:15 ELUE Raymond Gram Swing
10:30 NBC Arthur Hopkins Presents
11:36 NBC Design for Dancing
11:55 NBC News Report

### WHA WEDNESDAY

7:30 Band Wagon
7:45 Morning News
7:58 WHA Program Review
8:00 Music You Want: Beethoven—
Symphony No. 3
8:30 Morning Melodies
9:35 Young Experimenters; "Chemicals Control Fire"
9:50 Plano Interlude
9:50 Plano Interlude
10:60 Homemakers' Program: The Big Dinner, Mrs. Mirlam Krehs; Standies, 10:45 March. Time
10:30 Letters from Fighting Badgers
10:45 March. Time
11:90 Social History of U. S.—Prof.

11:50 Noon Musicale
12:20 Noon News
12:30 Farm Frogram; How We Grow
Apples, H. J. Rahmlow interviews
a fruit grower; Ewes Need Good
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Feed in Winter, Burl Winchester
1:00 Chapter a Day
1:30 Journeys in Music Land
2:00 Our Children
2:30 Music, of the Masters
3:30 Truax Field Calling
4:00 Excursions in Science
4:15 Treasury Salute
4:30 Adventure Stories: "Tyll Ulenspiegel's Merry Pranks"
4:45 Afternoon News
5:00 Masterworks of Music
5:29 Sign Off

5:19 Billie the Brownie—WTMJ
5:30 Fiesta—WIBU
5:30 Superman—WGN
5:30 Jack Armstrang—WENR
5:30 Jack Armstrang—WENR
5:45 Tom Mix—WIBU WGN
6:55 Tom Mix—WIBU WGN
6:00 I Love a Mystery—WCCO
6:00 Dr. Preston Bradley—WGN
6:00 Music Shop—WTMJ
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.—WIBU
6:00 Jim Blade Music—WMAQ
6:05 Dinning Sisters—WBBM
6:15 Music That Satisfies—WBBM
6:15 Music That Satisfies—WBBM
6:30 Supper Intertude—WMAQ
6:30 Lone Ranger—WLS
6:46 Bing Sings—WIBU
6:46 H. V. Kaltenborn—WMAQ
7:00 Jack Carson—WBBM WCCO
7:00 Mr. & Mrs. North—WMAQ WTMJ
7:15 Your Reporter—WIS
7:30 Victory Jamboree—WIBU
7:15 Sunny Skylar—WGN
7:30 Dr. Christian—WBBM WCCO
7:30 My Best Girl—WLS
7:30 Carton of Cheer—WMAQ
8:00 Eddle Cantor—WTMJ WMAQ
8:00 Gabriel Heatter—WGN WIBU
8:00 Dunninger—WENR
8:15 Soreen Test—WGN
8:30 Spotlight Bands—WENR
8:30 Cisco Kid—WGN WIBU
8:30 Which Is Which—WBBM
8:55 Storyteller—WENR
9:00 Summer Welles—WIBU
8:30 Nelson Eddy—WBBM WCCO
9:16 Bundles for America—WIBU
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9:39 Northerners—WGN
9:30 Scramby Amby—WENR
10:00 Answer Man—WGN
10:00 I Love a Mystery—WBBM
10:00 Music Shop—WMAQ
10:15 So the Story Goes—WBBM
10:30 Just for Fun—WMAQ
10:45 Carmen Cavallero—WGN
10:50 Rumpus Room—WTMJ
11:05 Petrillo and Janette—WBBM
11:15 Eap Claridge—WENR
11:15 Gay Claridge—WENR
11:30 Author's Playhoune—WMAQ
11:30 Tommy Tucker Orch—WBBM
11:30 Internopy Ilal—WGN
11:30 Emil Vanda Orch—WENR
11:45 Les Crosley Orch—WENR
12:90 Musical Nightcap—WMAQ
12:90 Nite Watch (to 6)—WIND
12:90 Sill Barto Orch,—WBBM
12:91 Chuck Fosler Orch,—WBBM
12:95 Chuck Fosler Orch,—WBBM
12:95 Chuck Fosler Orch,—WBBM
12:95 On Norman Show—WENR
12:30 Gone Krupa—WBBM
12:00 News and Music—WBBM

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**Blakely Starts Duties** 

As Agriculture Teacher VIOLA - Clair Blakely, a teacher for five years before he moved to Viola to take charge of his father's farm, Monday begin duties as agriculture teacher in the Viola public schools. He fills the position made vacant by the resignation of L. A. Davis, now assistant Dodge county agent.

Cyprus' first plywood factory has just started production.

Yesterday's Answe

34. Body of water

38. Girl's

40. River (It.)

## DAILY CROSSWORD

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19. Distant 20. Each (Scot.) 13. Dagger 21. Walking stick 22. Short oar 25. Dwarves 26. U. S. presi-27. A dandy 28. Ostrichlike bird

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(archaic) CRYPTOQUOTE-A cryptogram quotation

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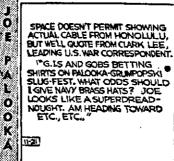
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# YEAR! I RECOLLECT SELLIN' A CYLINDER OF COOKIN' GAS LAST NIGHT, PETE! SHORT FELLER - WASN'T SURE HE COULD HOOK IT UP.









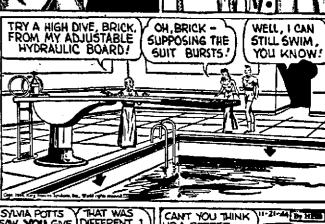






















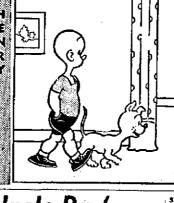


















## Uncle Ray's Corner

ITALIAN INVENTOR BUILT "PIANOFORTES" BETWEEN 1710 AND 1731

The name "dulcimer" means "sweet melody," and this instrument produces soft and pleasing



PIANO. small hammers.

Another ancestor of the piano, hammers. the harpsichord, grew chiefly from

strings, but the strings were not twitched. Instead they were pounded with little hammers or mallets, The pounding was brought about by touching keys. Thus the story of the piano goes back to the dulcimer, as well as to

the harpsichord. The dulcimer is not a harp, but we may call it a cousin of the harp. Christofori is given credit for taking this great step in the invention of the modern plane, but a Frenchman and a German work-

ed on the same plan, and it seems

that they did so before they knew what the Italian had done. A museum at Florence, Italy, owns a piano made by Christofori. Another piano made by him is in the Metropolitan museum in New York, This Italian's pianos were made between the years 1710 and

In former times it was the custom to call a piano a "pianoforte," and the old name is used by some persons now. "Pianoforte" means "soft-strong," and it points to the fact that the piano gives a wider range of sound than the harpsichord. Ways were found to keep sounds when it is struck with the strings from vibrating too long after being struck with small

If we lift the lid of a grand give out high, tinkling notes. Loud, keys than that, and some have the harp, but it had keys to twitch piano, it is easy to see that the the strings. More than two cen- strings are held in a framework thick strings. turies ago, an Italian named Cris- in the general shape of a harp. tofori built a piano very much of Some strings are only a few inthe modern type. Like the harpsi- ches long, but others have a length

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heavy notes come from the long, fewer. Brass wires were used at ione time for the strings, but they Eighty-eight is the common gave place to steel. In some number of keys for a piano, 52 of pianos, fine copper wire is wrap-them being white and 36 black. ped around the strings which prochord, it had a keyboard and of several feet. The short strings Some planos, however, have more duce the heavy base notes.