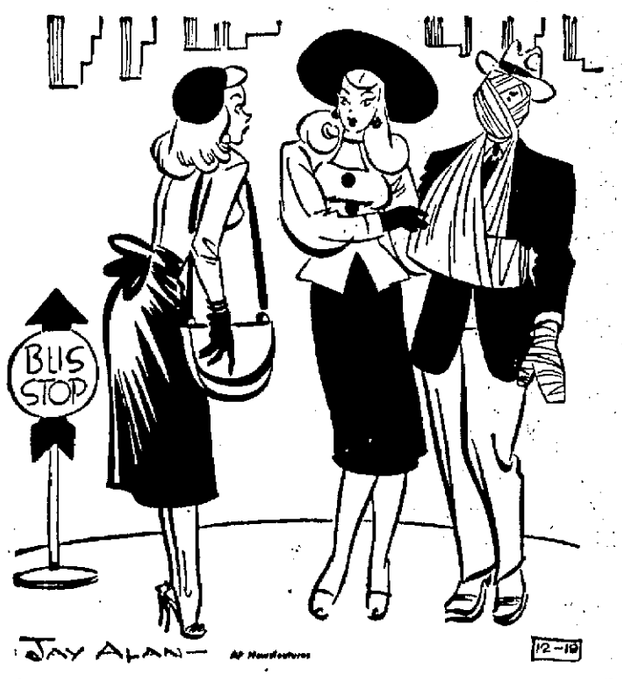
Modest Maidens

By Jay Alan



"Edgar's been discussing the United Nations with the boys again!"

SENATOR SOAPER SAYS:

With profits and wages at all-time highs, millions are unhappy over prices. This is prosperity, and we can't afford it.

It seems incredible—the extent to which Champ Louis has declined, until you consider the shape of any U. S. Army two years after V-Day.

World opinion is much impressed by the French premier, Schuman, about whom so little is known, except that no one ever hailed him as the male Joan of Arc.

For the Lou Gehrig role in a Babe Ruth film, dreamy Hollywood tests an ex-halfback. And a happy thought, in this connection, is to spot the world series sequence in the Rose Bowl.

If, as they say, the French are rebuilding the Maginot Line, let the pastry this time be stronger. Laminated, perhaps, like the Napoleon slice.

Spinach, says an Indiana health officer, is well-nigh worthless as a food for junior. Spoken like the humane citizen, and defeated parent.

Having penned a timely warning to the small fry against the dangers of thin ice, the versatile editorialist moves on to the European crisis, first strapping on his skates.

A save-meat brochure tells of 100 ways to prepare macaroni, all of them easy. None, that is, involves weaving the stuff under water.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

By HASKIN

A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Long Beach Press-Telegram Information Bureau, 316 Eye St., N. E., Washington 2, D. C. Please inclose three (3) cents for return postage.

Q. Did the Emperor of Japan ever travel abroad? K. R. E.

A. The present Emperor of Japan made a tour of Europe in 1921, but he has not visited this country.

Q. How many women now living were wives of former Presidents of the United States? A. B. L.

A. The widows of former Presidents of the United States are five in number, as follows: Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Q. What is the name of the translation system that was used at the Nuremberg trials? Is it the same one that the United Nations uses? L. E. V.

A. It is the I. B. M.—Filene Finlay Translator. This is a system of simultaneous translation and was introduced experimentally at Lake Success last year. It employs earphones wired to the translation booths and enables a delegate to tune in a translation of a speech in his own language while it is being delivered.

Q. Did George Washington ever surrender? C. F.

A. At Great Meadows, near the present Uniontown, Pa., Washington and his Virginians fought the first battle of the French and Indian Wars. Here he erected Fort Necessity, which he was obliged to yield to the French. This was the only battle in which Washington surrendered.

Q. Why was Mo. made the abbreviation for Missouri? A. K. N.

A. This was taken because any other abbreviation would be likely to become confused with an abbreviation for Mississippi.

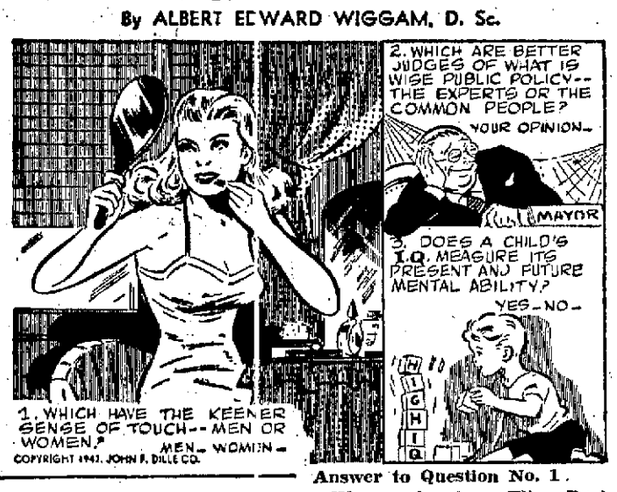
Carnival

By Dick Turner

"There you are, madam—you see how easy the machine is on even your finest fabrics!"

Let's Explore Your Mind

By ALBERT EDWARD WIGGAM, D. Sc.



Answer to Question No. 1

Women, by far. Eliza Burt Gamble in her interesting book, "Women in Science and History," says women can often detect counterfeit money by feeling it after scores of bank cashiers have failed. In the mint women are employed almost exclusively to test the weight of coins.

Answer to Question No. 2

"The people are better judges than the experts," says Dr. George Gallup. They foresaw World War II, and were in favor of lots of airplanes long before Congress and the diplomats woke up to the danger and necessity. The people know better how to govern than the politicians, as proved by history.

Answer to Question No. 3

Hardly, though it may indicate it. The IQ measures chiefly how fast a child has grown mentally, just as weight and height show how fast he has grown physically. An 8-year-old child with an IQ around 100 has grown "normally." If his IQ is 80, he has grown 20 points slower than average; if 120, he has grown 20 points faster than average. After 16, other tests are better than the IQ, because at that age you have about completed your mental growth, though nothing like your total education, and mastery of life and learning.

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TRANSIENT

LET US suppose that, despite Vishinsky & Co., the meek do inherit the earth. How long will they stay that way?—New York World-Telegram.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY

Over a pre-emptive three bid most players use the three no trump overcall to indicate that they think they can make that contract. One of these players is Alexander Weiss of New York, who last spring won the national masters individual tournament over a field of 36 outstanding players.

Weiss held the East cards in today's hand. When his partner bid three no trump over three clubs, he decided, due to his freak distribution, to go to four spades. North of course was equally pleased to double that contract, but I think that Weiss would have made the contract even without the double.

He won the opening lead in dummy with the king of diamonds and immediately led the king of spades. North won and led the nine of clubs, which Weiss trumped with the deuce of spades. He then led the queen of spades, and South's club discard gave him the bad news.

North: ♠ A 10 8 4, ♥ K 7 2, ♦ Q 10 8, ♣ 9 8 3
West: ♠ K 5, ♥ A 10 9 4, ♦ A K J 7, ♣ K 6 5
East: ♠ Q J 9 7 3 2, ♥ Q 6 3, ♦ 6 5 3 2, ♣ None
South (Dealer): ♠ 6, ♥ J 8 5, ♦ 9 4, ♣ A Q J 10 7 4 2

Tournament—Neither vul.

South	West	North	East
3 ♣	3 N. T.	Double	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Double	Pass

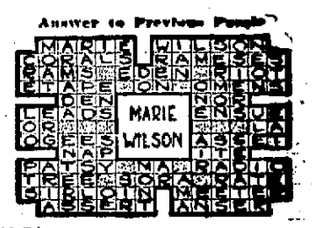
Opening—♦ 9

The queen of hearts was led next, which is the correct play when dummy holds the ace-ten (you play for the honors to be split). The queen lost to North's king and back came the eight of clubs, which Weiss trumped. Then he led the six of hearts and finessed dummy's nine-spot. When it held, he led the king of clubs and trumped it, then played the jack of spades, leaving North with the good ten of spades, the deuce of hearts and the queen-ten of diamonds.

A small heart was led, the ace winning, and then the ten of hearts was led. If North trumped with the ten of spades, he would have to lead away from the queen-ten of diamonds into dummy's ace-jack. If he refused to trump, and discarded the ten of diamonds, Weiss would simply give him the last trick with the ten of spades.

British Official

Answer to Previous Puzzle

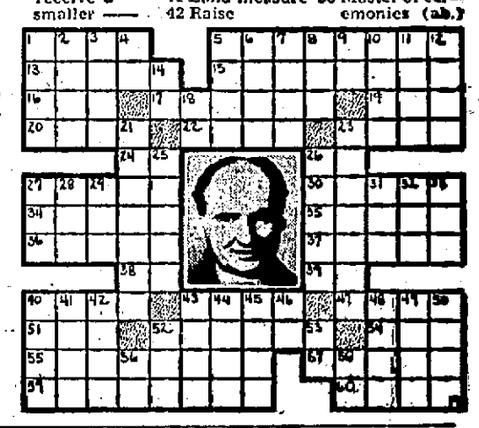


HORIZONTAL

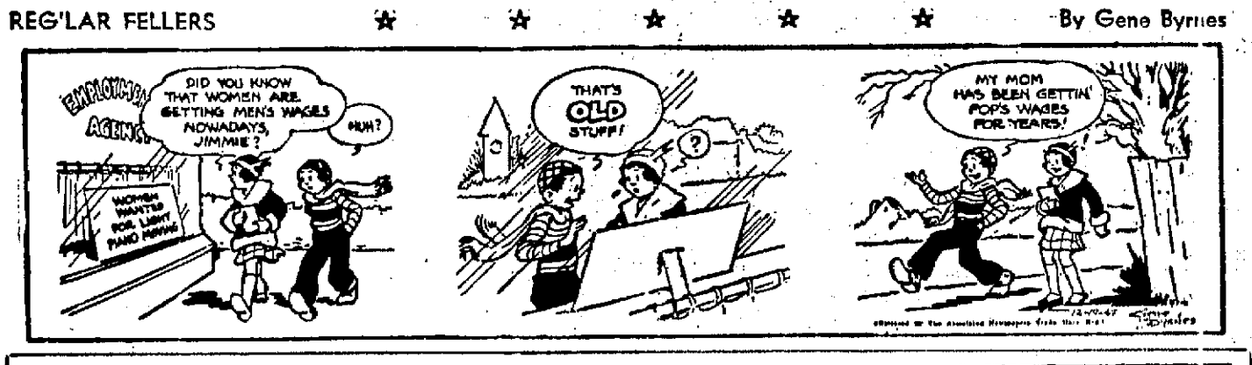
1 Pictured British food minister
13 Aside
15 Digestive enzyme
16 Resistance unit
17 Drug
19 Statute
20 Wintry precipitation
22 Taverns
23 Also
24 Type measure
26 Thus
27 Get up
30 Snares
34 Elfs
35 Heating devices
36 Eats
37 Wash off
38 Railway (ab.)
39 Dawn (comb. form)
40 Stable
43 Turn
47 Title
51 One-spot
52 Beaming
54 Meadow
55 Slanders
57 Portents
59 Calmest
60 Grant

VERTICAL

1 Jolts
2 Unclosed
3 Nimbus
4 Near (ab.)
5 Whirl
6 Across (prefix)
7 Decays
8 He has supervised what the British ——
9 Cerium (symbol)
10 Passageway
11 Jacob's brother
12 Evergreen trees
14 Preposition
18 Mixed type
21 He is cutting imports from the —— world
23 Citizens now receive a smaller ——
25 Disordered
26 Cubic meter
27 Also
28 Portuguese coin
29 Possess
31 Massachusetts cape
32 Dance step
33 Compass point
40 Clubs
41 Land measure
42 Raise
43 Speed contest
44 Poems
45 Tilt
46 Note of scale
48 On the sheltered side
49 Repair
50 Comfort
52 Speed
53 Behold!
56 Down
58 Master of ceremonies (ab.)



REG'LAR FELLERS ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ By Gene Byrnes



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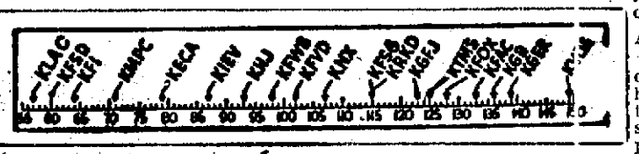

TODAY AND TONIGHT

2:00 P. M.
KLAC—News.
KFI—When Girl Marries
KMPC—3 Alarm
KECA—What's Doin'
KHJ-KVOE—Heart's Desire
KFWB—Bill Anson
KNX—Take All
KFOX—Fiesta
KFAC—Music to 5:30.
KGER—L. B. Band.

2:15 P. M.
KLAC—570 Club
KFI—Portia

2:30 P. M.
KFI—Pinin Bill
KMPC—3 Alarm.
KECA—Bride & Groom
KHJ, KVOE—M. Block.
KNX—House Party
KGER—Story, Band.

2:45 P. M.
KFI—Parrell
KHJ-KVOE—Bill Harrington.

3:00 P. M.
KLAC—News, Sports
KFI—Life Road
KMPC—3 Alarm.
KECA—Is Seated
KHJ—Matinee.
KFWB—Bill Anson
KNX—Meet Missus
KFOX—News, Music
KGER—News, Rec.
KVOE—Choir.

3:15 P. M.
KLAC—T. Dorsey
KMPC—Air Adventures.
KFI—Life Beautiful
KFOX—Music

3:30 P. M.
KFI—Aunt Mary
KMPC—Gene Norman
KECA—Smith Selects
KHJ—Bong Stranger.
KNX—Art Godfrey
KFOX—J. Cowan Sings
KVOE—At Service.

3:45 P. M.
KFI—Dr. Paul
KECA—F. Scully.
KHJ—Serenade.
KFOX—Lost, Found, Encore, Vets Reporter.
KVOE—Children of War.

4:00 P. M.
KLAC—News, Sports
KFI—Woman's Secret
KMPC—News
KHJ-KVOE—Fulton Lewis Jr.
KFWB—Jerry Lawrence
KNX—Hint Hunt.
KFOX—News.
KGER—Press-Telegram, Records.

4:15 P. M.
KLAC—Dinning Sisters.
KFI—News
KMPC—Woman's Voice
KECA—Alvin Wilder
KHJ-KVOE—News
KFWB—Matinee
KNX—E. Winters.
KFOX—Symphonic Swing.

4:30 P. M.
KLAC—Racing
KFI—Art Linker
KMPC—Bing Crosby
KECA—Variety.
KHJ—Adv. Parade.
KNX—News
KFOX—Tension
KGER—Hall of Records
KVOE—Civic.

4:45 P. M.
KLAC—Frolic
KMPC—Uncle Remus
KHJ—Raggedy Ann.
KFWB—Stu Hamblen to 6
KNX—Lum & Abner
KFOX—Music
KVOE—Adv. Parade

5:00 P. M.
KLAC—Fred Henry
KFI-KHJ—News.
KMPC—News, Teen & 20
KECA—Happy Theater.
KNX—News.
KFOX—Religion
KFAC—Serenade.
KGER—News, Mus.
KVOE—Hop Harrigan

5:15 P. M.
KLAC—Pic Album.
KFI—News.
KECA—Terry & Pirates
KHJ-KVOE—Superman
KGER—Sports
KNX—Tom Hanlon
KFAC—Music.

5:30 P. M.
KLAC—Al Jarvis
KFI—Casa Cugat
KECA—Sky King
KHJ-KVOE—Capt. Midnite
KNX—Collingwood
KFOX—News
KFAC—Whoa, Bill
KGER—Music

5:45 P. M.
KFI-KNX—News.
KMPC—Top Tunes
KHJ-KVOE—Tom Mix.
KFOX—Aloha Time.
KGER—Music.

6:00 P. M.
KLAC—News
KFI—People Are Funny.
KMPC—C. Roberts.
KHJ-KVOE—Gabriel Heatter
KECA-KFWB—News.
KFAC—Music to Dawn.
KNX—Mark Warnow.
KFOX—News, Weather.
KGER—John Vandercook, News.

6:15 P. M.
KLAC—Al Jarvis
KMPC—Bob Kelley.
KECA—News
KHJ—Top Tunes.
KFWB—Ted Husing.
KFOX—Music
KGER—Melodies.
KVOE—Local News

6:30 P. M.
KLAC—Sam Balter.
KFI—Waltz Time.
KMPC—Joe Hernandez.
KECA—The Sheriff.
KHJ, KVOE—Info. Please.
KFWB—America Dances.
KNX—"Suspense."
KFOX—Memory Rm.
KGER—Helene Smith.

6:45 P. M.
KLAC—Irwin Allen.

7:00 P. M.
KLAC—News Quiz.
KFI—Hank McCune
KMPC—Favorites.
KHJ, KVOE—Sec. of State George Marshall.
KFWB—America Dances.
KNX—Pays to Be Ignorant.
KFOX—Music.
KGER—News, Pagan.

7:30 P. M.
KLAC—Don Otis.
KFI—Sports.
KMPC—Melody.
KECA—Sports Page.
KHJ, KVOE—Cisco Kid.
KFWB—Xmas Windows.
KNX—Jones-Shay.
KFOX—Dr. Davies.
KGER—Book.

7:45 P. M.
KMPC—Bridge Club.
KFI—Cabbages and Kings.
KECA—Music.
KFWB—News.
KFOX—News.

8:00 P. M.
KLAC—News.
KFI—Frost Warning, Supper club.
KMPC—News.
KECA—Fat Man.
KHJ, KVOE—Scarlet Queen.
KFWB—Sports.
KNX—L. Thomas.
KFOX—Labor.
KGER—News, Music

8:15 P. M.
KLAC—News, Music
KFI—News.
KMPC—Red Rowe.
KFWB—Music.
KNX—Jack Smith.
KFOX—Music.

8:30 P. M.
KFI—Top This.
KMPC—Hits.
KECA—Your F.B.I.
KHJ, KVOE—Burl Ives.
KFWB—News.
KFOX—King's Ambassadors.
KGER—Atlantic Methodist Church.
KNX—Thin Man.

8:45 P. M.
KLAC—Jan Garber.
KHJ—Remember.
KFWB—Ann & Mack
KVOE—Spooner.

9:00 P. M.
KLAC—News, Otis.
KFI—David Street.
KMPC—News.
KECA—Break Bank
KHJ, KVOE—News.
KFWB—Prev. Theater.
KNX—Baby Snooks.
KFOX—Decision.
KGER—News, Music

9:15 P. M.
KMPC—Music.
KFI—Orch.
KHJ—Beulah Show.
KFOX—News.
KVOE—Frost Warning, Marline Band.

9:30 P. M.
KFI—Mystery.
KMPC—Quartet.
KECA—Jury Trials.
KHJ, KVOE—Inside Sports.
KFWB—Music Box.
KNX—Club 15.
KFOX—Serenade in Swing.
KGER—Dr. C. Davies.

9:45 P. M.
KMPC—Veterans.
KHJ, KVOE—H. J. Taylor.
KNX—Ed. R. Murrow.
KFOX—"Fly Cast."

10:00 P. M.
KLAC—News, Music
KFI—Reporter.
KMPC, KNX—News.
KECA—Ted Bentley.
KHJ, KVOE—Fulton Lewis Jr.
KFWB—Gene Norman.
KFOX—Western.
KGER—News, Music

10:15 P. M.
KLAC—Melody.
KFOX—Music.
KFI—Barry Wood.
KMPC—Bridge.
KECA—News.
KHJ-KVOE—Music.
KNX—Bob Elson.

10:30 P. M.
KLAC—Melodies.
KFI—Inside News.
KMPC—Rancho Grande.
KECA—Elmar Davis
KHJ—Peter Potter.
KNX—Symphonette
KFOX—Music.
KVOE—Frost Warnings.

10:45 P. M.
KLAC—Follies.
KFI—Melody Time.
KECA—Orch.

11:00 P. M.
KLAC—News, Otis.
KFI—11th Hr. News
KMPC—Dance Parade.
KECA—Hank Weaver.
KHJ—Orch.
KFWB—Gene Norman.
KNX—Nelson. Pringle.
KFOX—Music of Masters.
KGER—Music.
KVOE—1480 Club.

11:15 P. M.
KFI—Melodies.

PROGRAMS TOMORROW

DAWN TO 7 A. M.
KLAC—Music, News
KFI—Music, News.
KMPC—Music, News.
KECA—Music, News
KHJ—Rise & Shine.
KFWB—Music.
KNX—Music, News.
KFOX—Dawn Beat, Inside China.
KFAC—Stu Wilson to 8:00.
KGER—Yawn Patrol, Pappy Smith.

7:00 A. M.
KLAC-KFI—News.
KMPC—Frankie Carle.
KECA—News.
KHJ-KVOE—News.
KFWB—Western.
KNX—Sunrise Salute.
KFOX—News.
KFAC—Stu Wilson.
KGER—News, Express.

7:15 A. M.
KLAC—Haynes.
KFI—Fleetwood Lawton.
KECA—Music.
KHJ-KVOE—Rise & Shine.
KFWB—Jamobree.
KNX—Brady.
KFOX—Melodic Matins.
KGER—A. Lee.

7:30 A. M.
KFI—Platters.
KMPC—Fleetwood Lawton.
KECA—Western.
KNX—Bob Garred.
KFOX—Bible Hour.
KVOE—Meet Friend.

7:45 A. M.
KFI—Sam Hayes.
KMPC—American Legion.
KHJ—News.
KNX—Song Shop.
KVOE—Valley Folk.

8:00 A. M.
KLAC-KMPC—News.
KFI—Western.
KECA—Abbott & Costello kid show.
KHJ-KVOE—Bill Harrington.
KFWB—Salvation Army.
KNX—News, Let's Pretend.
KFOX—Haven Rest.
KFAC—Church.
KGER—News, Mispah.

8:15 A. M.
KLAC—Haynes.
KMPC—Market, Sports.
KHJ—News.
KGER—Mizpah.
KVOE—Vet's Wants.

8:30 A. M.
KFI—Ed McConnell.
KMPC—Lonby.
KECA—Lost Land.
KHJ—Clinic Forum.
KFWB—News.
KNX—Adventurer's Club.
KFOX—Know Your Bible.
KFAC—News.
KGER—H. B. Hammond.
KVOE—Say It Music

8:45 A. M.
KMPC—Successes.
KFWB—Bing Crosby.
KFOX—Voice of China.
KGER—Story Hr.
KFAC—Piano and Organ.

9:00 A. M.
KLAC—News.
KMPC—Bill Leydon to 11.
KFI—Holiday House
KECA—Bing Crosby, Xmas Seals.
KHJ-KVOE—Pan American.
KFWB—Song Session.
KNX—Tuday's Theater.
KFOX—Religious.
KFAC—Unity.
KGER—News, Lutheran Hr.

9:15 A. M.
KLAC—Racing.
KFI—Young Amer.
KECA—Mirandy.
KHJ—Following L. A.
KFAC—L. A. College
KGER—Lutheran Hour.
KVOE—Melodies.

9:30 A. M.
KLAC—Kiddie Club.
KFI—Sat. Chef.
KECA—Tommy Bartlett.
KHJ-KVOE—Fast Flight.
KNX—Stars O'er Hollw'd.
KFOX—Bethesda.
KGER—Songs.
KFAC—Music to 10:30.

9:45 A. M.
KFI—Tillamook Kitchen.
KGER—Songs.
KVOE—Constant Invader.

10:00 A. M.
KLAC—Al Jarvis.
KFI—Farm Hour.
KMPC—Bill Leydon.
KECA—American Farmer.
KHJ-KVOE—News.
KFWB—M. Hart.
KNX—Grand Central.
KFOX—News.
KGER—News, Rhythm.

10:15 A. M.
KHJ—Vet Wants.
KFOX—Religious.
KFAC—Medical Association.
KVOE—Army Voice.

10:30 A. M.
KFI—The Meeks.
KECA—Our Town.
KHJ-KVOE—Bond for Bonds.
KNX—County Fair.
KFOX—Relig. Music
KFAC—News.
KGER—Children's Hour.

10:45 A. M.
KMPC—Bob Shannon.
KFOX—Youth.
KFAC—Woman's Design.
KVOE—Reserve.

11:00 A. M.
KLAC—Al Jarvis.
KFI—A. Andrews.
KMPC—Hetherington
KECA—Met. Opera. 3 hr. 45 min.
KECA—Orchestra.
KNX—Steve Allen.

11:30 P. M.
KFI—Orch.
KECA-KHJ—Orch.
KNX—U. N. Report.
KFOX—News, Dancing.

11:45 P. M.
KHJ-KVOE—News.
KNX—You and Russia.

12:00 P. M.
KLAC—News.
KFI—Mid. Flyer.
KMPC—News.
KECA—News.
KHJ—Waxodr.
KFWB—Voice of John.
KNX—Merry Go Round.
KFOX—Record Reporter.
KGER—Orchestra.

12:30 P. M.
KFI—Orch.
KECA—Music to 7.
KGER—News, Bandbox.

1:15 P. M.
KMPC—Bob Shannon
KLAC—Story Book Hour.
KVOE—Reserve.

1:30 P. M.
KLAC—Melodies.
KFI—Home.
KNX—Reserve.
KECA—Opera.
KFOX—Serenade.
KHJ—Choir.
KVOE—Reserve.

1:45 P. M.
KMPC—Son's o' Guns
KFOX—Voice of Army.
KNX—Reserve.

2:00 P. M.
KLAC—News, Sports
KFI—Public Affairs.
KMPC—Sons o' Guns
KHJ—Amer. Legion.
KGER—Band.
KFWB—Bill Anson.
KNX—Phila. Orch.
KFOX—Concert.
KVOE—Orch.

2:15 P. M.
KFI—Youth Sings.
KLAC—Concert Hall
KMPC—To Vets.
KFOX—Salvation Army.

2:30 P. M.
KFI—L. Herman.
KMPC—Navy Band.
KHJ—Choristers.
KGER—Story, Band.
KVOE—Reserve.
KFOX—Rhythm, Reason.

2:45 P. M.
KMPC—Reporter.
KFI—King Cole Trio.
KFOX—Music.
KECA—Amer. Way.

3:00 P. M.
KLAC—News, Sports
KFI—Scout Jamboree.
KMPC—Strike up Band.
KECA—Piano Playhouse.
KHJ—Orch.
KGER—News, Records.
KFWB—Bill Anson.
KFOX—Concert Hall.
KNX—Cross Section U. S. A.
KVOE—Orch.

3:15 P. M.
KLAC—Peggy Lee.
KFI—NBC Symphony.
KNX—Public Service.

3:30 P. M.
KLAC—Ellington.
KFI-NBC—Symphony
KHJ—Orch.
KECA—Labor, U. S. A.
KNX—L. A. Story.
KVOE—Reserve.

3:45 P. M.
KHJ—Orch.
KECA—Freedom Ring.
KNX—Lesueur.
KVOE—Orch.

4:00 P. M.
KLAC—News, Sports
KMPC—Music Box.
KECA—Mad House.
KHJ—Reserve.
KFWB—Jerry Lawrence.
KGER—Press-Telegram News, Rec'ds
KNX—Boys Choir.
KFOX—News.
KVOE—Reserve.

4:15 P. M.
KLAC—Social Security.
KECA—Xmas Legend.
KHJ-KVOE—News
KFWB—Helen Louis.
KFOX—Swing.

4:30 P. M.
KLAC—Racing.
KFI—Curtain Time.
KHJ—Orch.
KFWB—Blind Artists.
KNX—50 Sec. to go.
KFOX—Pension.
KVOE—Orch.

4:45 P. M.
KLAC—Music Room
KECA-Dot Fulcheim
KHJ—Orch.
KFWB—Stu Hamblen.
KNX—Knox Manning.
KFOX—Music.

DIAL-LITES

TONIGHT (Dec. 19, 1947)

6:00—KFI—More fun with Art Linkletter tonight on "People Are Funny."
6:30—KNX—Boris Karloff stars in "Wet Saturday," a play by John Collier. C. B. S. "Suspense."
7:00—KHJ—George Marshall speaks on Foreign Ministers Conference.
7:30—KNX—Yuletide reigns and sleighbells ring, but are downed on "Spotlight Revue," by Spike Jones and his City Slickers. The "Park Ave. Hillbilly," Dorothy Shay, costars.
8:00—KECA—"Murder Strikes Twice," a story that involves Dashiel Hammett's corpulent character, "The Fat Man."
8:30—KECA—A real catastrophe besets the G-men tonight when Santa Claus disappears but all turns out well in the end. "Your FBI."
9:00—KECA—$3250 in prize worth shooting for and someone may have a very Merry Xmas. Don't miss "Break the Bank."
9:30—KECA—"The People vs. Phillip Lansing" is the story billed tonight for the A. B. C. airer, "Famous Jury Trials."
10:00—KECA—Something new in sports is always featured by a man with the know all. Don't miss Ted Bentley and his "Sports Page."

TOMORROW (Dec. 20, 1947)

11:00 a. m.—KECA—The Metropolitan Opera presents "Manon," a tragedy in three acts. The presentation takes three hours and 45 minutes.

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