

**TERRY AND HEATES** **AMATEUR VERSUS PRO** **By GEORGE WUNDER**

THIS IS RATHER A DEEP BOOK YOU'RE READING, HAMILTON.

Y'KNOW, HAM, SOMETIMES YOU DON'T ACT LIKE A KID!

HOW OLD ARE YOU, HAM?

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**ARCHIE** **SEE ARCHIE IN BIG SUNDAY EXPRESS COLORED COMIC SECTION** **By MONTANA**

ONE LAST MORSEL OF PICKLED MELON IS IRRESISTIBLE TEMPTATION, COMRADES. GIVE TO ME UNTOUCHED PLATE.

OOOPOOK, BROTHER! I HOPE WHOEVER TRIED TO CONTACT US WITH THAT "DEATH'S HEAD" SIGNAL HAS A DEEP STORM CELLAR HANDY!

OH, DARN! THIS BUSINESS OF INTRIGUE CAN BE QUITE UNNERVING. NOW WHAT WOULD LUKRETIA BORGIA DO IF SHE WERE IN MY POSITION?

**MARY WORTH** **By KEN ALLEN**

NO! THE INSIDE DIAMETER HAS TO BE EXACTLY SIXTEEN INCHES!

BETTY! YOU SURE ARE FUSSY ABOUT YOUR CHRISTMAS WREATHS! WELL, YOU DON'T KNOW HOW I DECORATE!

**SMILIN' JACK** **IN A CONTINUOUS SPIN** **By ZACK MOSLEY**

GOOD NIGHT, CANDY LAMB!

SLEEP TIGHT, GUSSIE!

TELL ME SOMETHING ABOUT YOUR YOUNG GENTLEMAN, MISS MACK.

BETTER SMILE WHEN YOU SAY "GENTLEMAN" TO LEFTY, MRS. WORTH!

HE THINKS HOI POLLOU IS A HAWAIIAN DESSERT... HIS IDEA OF FORMAL DRESS IS A BUTTONED SHIRT COLLAR... AND HE MOVES HIS LIPS WHEN HE READS COMIC BOOKS!

BUT HE'S GOT A HEART AS BIG AS A PUNCHING BAG... AND IT'S ALL MINE... AND IF ANY DOLL EVER TRIES TO MOVE IN, LITTLE GUSSIE WILL COMMIT WOMAN-SLAUGHTER!

**LAREDO CROCKETT** **By BOB SCHOENKE**

WELL, YOU SEE, GIRL, I'VE HAD TO WALK PUNISHMENT TOURS EVERY WEEK-END BUT ONE-AND GET A BIT OF A OVERZEALOUS AND OVEREAGER.

IT'S CAUSE I'M TRYIN' TO KEEP MY GIGGS SO I CAN GET AN OPEN POST FOR TH HOLIDAYS!

OH-IT'S LATE! I CAN'T BE WASTIN' ANY MORE TIME CHATTIN' WITH YOU MEAN, SIR!

OH DARN IT! THERE I GO, KNUCKLEHEADIN' AGAIN! WHAT I MEAN, SIR- I MEAN, SIR- I CAN'T BE WASTIN' YOUR TIME!

I'VE GOTTA TAKE OFF ON 'EM DOUBLE OR 'EM TO. WILL GIG ME AGAIN FOR BEING LATE.

OKAY... I'VE GOTTA TAKE OFF BEFORE YOU GET SO CONFUSED YOU SPIN IN AGAIN!

POOR KID! I KNOW HOW HE FEELS! WHEN I WAS A KID, I USED TO NEVER MAKE IT! EITHER!

**ORPHAN ANNIE** **BUY, BUY, BABY!** **By HAROLD GRAY**

IF YOU TAKE THE BACKBOARD IT'LL BE OVER MY DEAD BODY!

AIN'T GETTIN' ANYWHERE THIS WAY!

ALL RIGHT, MA'AM. RECKON MY RECORD IN THE BIG TALLY BOOK COULD STAND ME DOWN SOMEBODY'S GOOD TURN FOR A CHANGE.

BLESS YOU! YOU CAN HAVE THE BACKBOARD WHEN YOU BRING BETSY BACK FROM THE DOCTOR.

WE'VE HAD A GOOD YEAR, WE'LL PAY YOU FOR THIS BETSY WILL HAVE A HAPPY CHRISTMAS... EVEN WITH HER LEGS IN A CAST, THANKS TO YOU!

I'LL GO TO THE CAMP FIRST... PICK UP PYOTE JOHNNIE AND THE GOLD! BUT WHAT'LL WE DO WITH THIS KID?

**THE GUMPS** **NEW SLANT** **By GUS EDSON**

WHAT A SEWIN' KIT-- AND ALL THOSE SCISSORS--BUTTON HOLE--PINKIN' SHEARS--TH' WHOLE SET--AUNT BET WOULD LOVE IT--HOLD IT FOR ME--HERE'S TH' MONEY--

IT'S A BEAUTIFUL GIFT!

AN' THAT BROOCH! THAT'S REALLY NICE-- I'LL TAKE THAT FOR HER, TOO--

LES-SEE, NOW--HARD TO BUY FOR A MAN--HEY! THAT KNITTED VEST--THAT'S REALLY SHARP--GRAMP'LL LOVE IT--

MAYOR BONS ADMIR'D IT--WANTED TO "CHARGE IT"-- ME, I CAN'T AFFORD TO BE SANTA CLAUS THAT LAUGH--

**BUGS BUNNY** **A BONER**

SO, YOU'RE CHESTER GUMP, OUR NEW NEWSPAPER BOY...

YES, MISS TWITTER--HOW ARE YOU THIS AFTERNOON?

HOW CAN A BODY BE WHOSE LIFE IS ALREADY HALF OVER?

A LIEB HALF OVER HAS ONLY BEEN HALF LIVED, MA'AM--

YES! I NEVER THOUGHT OF IT THAT WAY-- CHESTER GUMP IS A FINE BOY--A REAL FINE BOY--

**THE CUPBOARD'S BARE** **BORROWING IS A DEGWARDING HABIT!**

**THAT'S ALL I NEED** **PER NOW! THANKS, PAL!** **BORROWING BREEDS LAZINESS AND WEAKENS CHARACTER!**

**HE'S COMING BACK!** **MY LECTURE ABOUT BORROWING DID SOME GOOD!**

**I FORGOT TH' BREAD!**

# Spotlighting the Dial

Hallmark Playhouse, K TSA, 8:30 p.m.—For the third consecutive year, this program presents a dramatization of the creation of "Silent Night." The story by Hertha Paul tells how Father Joseph Mohr, a priest in a small town in the Austrian Alps, wrote the poem and his neighbor, Franz Gruber, a music teacher, set it to music.

Suspense, K TSA, 8 p.m.—Singer-comedian Dennis Day essays a new type of role in "Christmas for Carole," a story about a man who needs money badly enough to steal it, and has his plans altered by a professional thief.

Mr. Keen, K TSA, 7:30 p.m.—"The Tracer of Lost Persons" investigates the strange murder of a former actress in "The Case of Murder and the Voodoo Doll."

Call Board, KONO, 7 p.m.—Amy Freeman Lee will discuss the Kappa Pi National Art Exhibition; Friends of Music's presentation of the Ballet Russe; and the Witte Museum's Exhibition of British and American ceramics.

Christmas Music, K TSA, 3:30 p.m.—The 55-voice choir of the College of William and Mary will be heard in a varied program of Christmas carols.

Club 15, K TSA, 6:30 p.m.—Cathy and Chris Crosby join their father, Bob, and Jo Stafford in "Whispering Hope." Chris and his dad do "Frosty, the Snowman."

## TELEVISION

- WOAI-TV Channel 4 Thursday Evening**
- 5:40—Cartoon
  - 5:45—Kate Smith Show
  - 6:00—Tree House
  - 6:30—John Conte's Little Show
  - 6:45—Telenovels
  - 7:00—Touchdown
  - 7:30—You Bet Your Life
  - 8:00—Hayride
  - 8:30—Circle Theater
  - 9:00—Break the Bank
  - 9:30—Airflyte Theater
  - 10:00—The Web
  - 10:30—TV News Desk
  - 10:40—Weathercast
  - 10:45—Broadway Open House
  - 11:45—SIGN OFF
- KEYL-TV Channel 5**
- 10:20—Test Pattern
  - 2:00—Sign On and Recorded Music
  - 2:12—Program Previews
  - 2:15—Film
  - 2:30—TV Shopper
  - 3:00—Cooking Show
  - 3:30—Coming Attractions
  - 3:33—SIGN OFF and Test Pattern
  - 5:00—SIGN ON—Recorded Music
  - 5:12—Program Previews
  - 5:15—Sandy Strong
  - 5:30—Children's Theater—Johnny Lane
  - 6:30—Views of the News
  - 7:00—Sports Scholar
  - 7:15—Academy's Economy Wagon
  - 7:30—The Lone Ranger
  - 8:00—The Billy Rose Show
  - 8:30—Stop the Music
  - 9:00—Holiday Hotel
  - 9:30—Film
  - 10:00—Wrestling From Chicago
  - 11:00—Weather Report
  - 11:01—Coming Attractions
  - 11:04—Sign Off

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1950

| A.M.  | K TSA-550 (CBS)    | K MAC-630 (MUTUAL)    | K ABC-680 (ABC)       | WOAI-1200 (NBC)         | KITE-930          |
|-------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 6:00  | Songs of Sunrise   | R.F.D. Texas          | Texas Roundup         | Texas Farm & Home       | 6:00 A.M. Sign On |
| 6:15  | Songs of Sunrise   | R.F.D. Texas          | Texas Roundup         | Form News—Shometz       | 6:05 A.M. News    |
| 6:30  | News               | R.F.D. Texas          | Texas Roundup         | Chuckwagon Jamboree     | 6:10 A.M. News    |
| 6:45  | Melody Ranch       | Sam Morris            | Texas Roundup         | Red River Dave          | 6:15 A.M. News    |
| 7:00  | Trading Post       | Wake Up, S.A.         | Martin Agronsky       | Newscast—Howell         | 6:20 A.M. News    |
| 7:15  | News Jim           | Wake Up S.A.          | Hillbilly Hit Parade  | Morning Devotional      | 6:25 A.M. News    |
| 7:30  | News               | Wake Up S.A.          | News                  | Radio Rodeo             | 6:30 A.M. News    |
| 7:45  | The Three T's      | Wake Up S.A.          | Radio Clock           | Radio Rodeo             | 6:35 A.M. News    |
| 8:00  | The Three T's      | Robert Hurligh        | Breakfast Club        | Newscast—Guerra         | 6:40 A.M. News    |
| 8:15  | The Three T's      | Litric Church         | Breakfast Club        | Johnny Dugan Time       | 6:45 A.M. News    |
| 8:30  | News               | Back to the Bible     | Breakfast Club        | Dial Dave Garaway       | 6:50 A.M. News    |
| 8:45  | Xmas Shopping      | Back to the Bible     | Breakfast Club        | Live Like a Millionaire | 6:55 A.M. News    |
| 9:00  | Arthur Godfrey     | Hillbilly House Party | My True Story         | Welcome Travelers       | 7:00 A.M. News    |
| 9:15  | Arthur Godfrey     | Hillbilly House Party | Hillbilly House Party | Welcome Travelers       | 7:05 A.M. News    |
| 9:30  | Arthur Godfrey     | Hillbilly House Party | Victor Lindlor        | Live Like a Millionaire | 7:10 A.M. News    |
| 9:45  | Arthur Godfrey     | Hillbilly House Party | Modern Romance        | Vocal Varieties         | 7:15 A.M. News    |
| 10:00 | Arthur Godfrey     | Hillbilly House Party | Modern Romance        | Vocal Varieties         | 7:20 A.M. News    |
| 10:15 | Arthur Godfrey     | Hillbilly House Party | Modern Romance        | Jack Berch Show         | 7:25 A.M. News    |
| 10:30 | Holland Engle Show | Queen For A Day       | Dr. Paul              | David Horum             | 7:30 A.M. News    |
| 10:45 | Tello-Test         | Queen For A Day       | Crosby & Co.          | Ma Perkins              | 7:35 A.M. News    |
| 11:00 | Wendy Warren       | Kate Smith Sings      | Luncheon Club         | The Brighter Day        | 7:40 A.M. News    |
| 11:15 | Aunt Jenny         | Lanay Ross            | Edwin C. Hill (11:25) | Star Reporter           | 7:45 A.M. News    |
| 11:30 | Helen Trent        | Oklahoma Playboys     | Monette Show          | Red River Dave          | 7:50 A.M. News    |
| 11:45 | Our Gal Sunday     | Oklahoma Playboys     | Luncheon With Lom'do  |                         | 7:55 A.M. News    |

**THURSDAY AFTERNOON**

| 12:00           | 12:15                | 12:30            | 12:45             | 1:00                  | 1:15                  | 1:30                  | 1:45                  | 2:00                  | 2:15            | 2:30                  | 2:45               |
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| News            | Daily Almanac        | Adolph Hofner    | Xmas on the Range | Harris to Veterans    | Tell Test             | Nora Drake            | 2000 Spring           | Nana from Nowhere     | Hilltop House   | House Party           | House Party        |
| Cedric Foster   | Barney Harding Sings | Baskets of Cheer | Baskets of Cheer  | Hillbilly House Party | Hillbilly House Party | Hillbilly House Party | Hillbilly House Party | Paul's Paradise       | Paul's Paradise | Paul's Paradise       | Paul's Paradise    |
| News            | Noonday Jamboree     | Texas Topshots   | Del Dunbar        | Songs of the West     | Songs of the West     | John B. Kennedy       | Cal Tinney            | All Star Album        | Walter Kieran   | Quick as a Flash      | Quick as a Flash   |
| Newscast—Guerra | Market Reports       | Red Foley Show   | Judy and Jane     | Double or Nothing     | Double or Nothing     | Rosemary              | Newscast—Guerra       | Life Can Be Beautiful | Road of Life    | Pepper Young's Family | Right to Happiness |

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| 3:00           | 3:15          | 3:30             | 3:45               | 4:00                | 4:15              | 4:30            | 4:45               | 5:00           | 5:15             | 5:30          | 5:45              |
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| Melody Magic   | Melody Magic  | Wm. & Mary Choir | News               | Hill Country Hits   | Hill Country Hits | Top Tune Time   | Stars Sing         | News           | You & the World  | Curt Massey   | Lowell Thomas     |
| 630 Club       | 630 Club      | 630 Club         | 630 Club           | 630 Club            | 630 Club          | 630 Club        | 630 Club           | Straight Arrow | Straight Arrow   | Sky King      | Sky King          |
| News Summary   | Ladies First  | Money for Music  | Money for Music    | Money for Music     | Money for Music   | Money for Music | Money for Music    | Music Motines  | Music Motines    | Superman      | Superman          |
| Backstage Wife | Stella Dallas | Lorenzo Jones    | Young Wilder Brown | When a Girl Marries | Portia Faces Life | Just Plain Bill | Front Page Farrell | Perry Mason    | Young Dr. Malone | Guiding Light | Newscast—Williams |

**THURSDAY EVENING**

| 6:00             | 6:15             | 6:30                    | 6:45                    | 7:00                 | 7:15                 | 7:30              | 7:45              | 8:00               | 8:15               | 8:30               | 8:45              | 9:00            | 9:15            | 9:30                | 9:45                | 10:00             | 10:15             | 10:30                | 10:45                | 11:00             | 11:15             | 11:30              | 11:45              |
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| Beulah           | Jack Smith Sings | Club 15                 | Edward R. Murrow        | F.B.I. in Peace, War | F.B.I. in Peace, War | Mr. Keen          | Mr. Keen          | Suspense           | Suspense           | The Playhouse      | The Playhouse     | The Line-Up     | The Line-Up     | Frankie Masters Or. | Frankie Masters Or. | Radio Newspaper   | Radio Newspaper   | News Analysis        | Record Revue         | World News        | Roy Stevens Orch. | Henry Jerome Orch. | Henry Jerome Orch. |
| News             | Headline Edition | Armstrong of the S.B.I. | Armstrong of the S.B.I. | 680 Music Shop       | 680 Music Shop       | 680 Music Shop    | 680 Music Shop    | Orig. Amateur Hour | Orig. Amateur Hour | Orig. Amateur Hour | Robert Montgomery | 680 Music Shop  | 680 Music Shop  | 680 Music Shop      | 680 Music Shop      | 680 Music Shop    | 680 Music Shop    | 680 Music Shop       | 680 Music Shop       | 680 Music Shop    | 680 Music Shop    | 680 Music Shop     | 680 Music Shop     |
| Richard Harkness | Your Serenade    | News of the World       | One Man's Family        | Aldrich Family       | Aldrich Family       | Father Knows Best | Father Knows Best | Dragnet            | Dragnet            | Wo. The People     | Wo. The People    | Proudly We Hail | Proudly We Hail | Sam Spade           | Sam Spade           | Newscast—Williams | News of the World | Danny Ferguson Orch. | Danny Ferguson Orch. | Newscast—Williams | Dance Music       | Dance Music        | Dance Music        |

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