

# Lucille Manners To Appear As Highlight On Music Hour

Story Of Career Of Nevada Supreme Court Judge  
To Be Told By Old Ranger; Secretary Hull  
Will Be Speaker

Lucille Manners will sing the soprano aria "Depuis le Jour" from Charpentier's "Louise" as a highlight of the program which also features Ross Graham, baritone, the ensemble, and the orchestra, conducted by Frank Black, Friday, from 8 to 9 p. m., over WEAJ. Miss Manners also will sing "The Little French Clock" by Kountz, "My Paradise" by Friml, and with Graham, "Make Believe" from Kern's "Show Boat." Orchestral selections will include "Grand Pas Espagnol" from Glazounov's ballet "Raymonda," Chabrier's "España," Kreiser's "Tambourin Chinois," and the Farandole from Bizet's "L'Arlesienne" suite. A medley of hit tunes from Rodgers and Hart musical comedies will be sung by the ensemble. The second episode in the dramatic series "The Romance of Oil" will deal with the first discovery of oil at Titusville, Pa.

How the decision of a dance hall singer spurred a young lawyer on a legal career which eventually culminated in his appointment as a Supreme court judge of Nevada will be told by the Old Ranger during the Death Valley Days program over WEAJ Friday at 8:30 p. m. Entering a Nevada boom town in 1906, where he expected to build up a successful practice, the young attorney soon found that thousands of other lawyers also had the same idea. Dogged by misfortune, and depressed by idleness, he determined to return to his home in the east, until Flight-in-Mis, a dance hall singer, called him a "quitter." Angered by this remark, he determined to stay in Nevada, and within a year he was nominated for District Attorney, and 23 years later, was made judge of the Nevada Supreme court.

An address by Secretary of State Cordell Hull and music by the United States Navy band under the baton of Lieutenant Charles Benter, will highlight the broadcast portion of the Pan American Union Concert Friday, from 10 to 10:30 p. m., over WJZ. Natalia Garland deCook, Peruvian soprano, and Bernardo Segall, Brazilian pianist, will be featured soloists. The broadcast from the Hall of the Americas in the Pan American Union building, Washington, D. C., also will be shortwaved to Latin-America over NBC shortwave facilities.

Songs of the Old West will be brought to the Plantation Party program by members of the cast p. m., over WJZ. Vocal groups to be featured on the program include the Girls of the Golden West, during the broadcast Friday, at 9 Louise Massey and the Westerners, the Tom Dick and Harry trio, the Range Riders male quartet and the 30-voice choir. Whitey Ford, the Duke of Paducah, will be master of ceremonies.

Ezra Stone in "The Aldrich Family," based on the Broadway comedy success, "What A Life," has been selected to replace Jack Benny when the Waukegan jester goes off the air for the summer.

"The Aldrich Family" will take over Sunday, July 2, and be

## BEST BETS FRIDAY

P. M.

- 7:00—Mr. District Attorney, WEAJ.
- 8:00—Warner, Lawe Dramatic, WJZ.
- 8:00—First Nighter Drama, WABC.
- 8:30—Barns and Allen Program, WABC.
- 9:00—Orson Welles Playhouse, WABC.
- 9:00—Ab. Lyman Walter, WEAJ.
- 9:30—Death Valley Days, WEAJ.
- 10:00—Guy Lombardo Orchestra, WEAJ.
- 10:30—Bob Ripley's Program, WABC.

heard each week at 7 p. m., over WEAJ while Benny enjoys his annual vacation from the air waves.

The comedy serial of typical American family life will be expanded to a half hour version and continue to present redheaded Ezra Stone in the role of the incorrigible Henry Aldrich, a boy who never knows how to keep out of trouble.

The Aldrich family originated as a comedy of high school life nearly a year ago as the stage hit, "What A Life," which is still running strong on Broadway, under Stone's management. It was developed into a radio feature last fall and duplicated the footlight success. At present, the author of both versions, Clifford Goldsmith, is in Hollywood writing a scenario for a screen version of the story of the Aldrich clan.

Robert "Believe It Or Not" Ripley, on the 27th anniversary of the sinking of the S. S. Titanic, brings a survivor to his program as a guest over CBS Friday at 10:30 p. m. She is Mrs. Leah Ake of Norfolk, Va., who will tell of the miraculous saving of her infant son's life in the same disaster. Ripley will also feature a unique dramatization. Music is provided by Linda Lee, vocalist, and E. A. Rolfe's orchestra.

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