

Arthur Treacher Scheduled As Guest On Riggs Program

Famous English Comedian To Be Heard At 8 P. M. Saturday In First Broadcast From Radio City In Weeks

It will be a "Lady" Betty Lou at Tommy Riggs' party over WEAF Saturday at 8 p. m. when Arthur Treacher turns up to have a hand in the proceedings. Treacher is an outstanding English comedian in butler roles. He was Jeeves himself in the motion picture, "Thank You, Jeeves," based on P. G. Wodehouse's fabulous character.

This will be the first broadcast from Radio City since the recent stay of a few weeks at Hollywood. Freddie Rich and his orchestra accompanied Tommy and Betty Lou back to New York.

Arch Oboler, who presented a psychological study, a fantasy and a philosophical drama as the first three of his new series of plays over WEAF will turn to stark realism for his fourth broadcast Saturday at 10 p. m., with three short sketches on the general theme of war and peace.

The first, "Sole Survivors," will have a contemporary setting. The second, called "Memoriam," is to treat of a past conflict. "Hail Victory," the third, will dip far into the future in an endeavor to show where present trends may lead the human race.

Curt Conway, well known for his work in "Golden Boy" on the Broadway stage, will have important roles in the first two sketches, and Raymond Edward Johnson is to deliver a soliloquy in "Hail Victory." Johnson's somewhat similar characterization in "Steel," an anti-war drama by Oboler recently featured on the Rudy Vallee program, has just been chosen in an anthology as the best radio soliloquy of 1938.

Alex Templeton will conclude his series of guest appearances on the National Barn Dance during the broadcast Saturday at 9 p. m., over WJZ. The British-born blind pianist will offer another impromptu keyboard recital, and will join in the fun with other members of the cast. The full-hour broadcast will feature songs by Lucille Long, Henry Burr, the Hoosier Hot Shots, the Maple City Four, the Vass Family, and Arkie, and comedy antics by Uncle Ezra and Joe Kelly.

Mail results on the question propounded by Parks Johnson and Wally Butterworth on their Vox Pop program last week will be announced in their WEAF program Saturday at 9 p. m. The question asked was; "Are you in favor of double features?" Of the four people asked this question at the broadcast, three were opposed to and one in favor of double features.

At the Saturday broadcast, which will be in the lobby of the RCA building, Radio City, New York, another question will be asked of a few people present and the listening public invited to answer by mail.

Ford Frick, president of the National league, who was all set to take part in the National Broadcasting Co.'s baseball preview program Saturday from 8 to 8:30 p. m. over WJZ, now finds that he will be on a train at the time and won't be able personally and verbally to squash those lusty upstarts of the American league.

However, Frick's place at the microphone will be ably occupied by Ernest Quigley, supervisor of National league umpires, who can do just as well as his boss at proving it won't happen again.

Others to join in NBC's baseball preview program and microphone mayhem will be the 16 managers of the American and National league teams, William Harridge, president of the Ameri-

BEST BETS SATURDAY

P. M.

- 7:30—The Lives of Great Men, WEAF.
- 8:00—Tommy Riggs and Betty Lou, WEAF.
- 8:00—Johnny Presents, WABC.
- 8:30—Professor Quiz Quizzes, WABC.
- 8:30—Saturday Variety Time, WEAF.
- 9:00—Phil Baker, Bottle and Beetle, WABC.
- 9:00—Vox Pop Questions, WEAF.
- 9:30—Hollywood's Fun Hall, WEAF.
- 10:00—The Saturday Hit Parade, WABC.

can league, and Jack Norworth, author of baseball's famous song, "Take Me Out to the Ball Game." Graham McNamee, NBC announcer, will umpire.

When Joe Louis fights Jack Roper in Los Angeles on Monday night round by round details will be carried on the combined WEAF and WJZ networks, with an air start set for 12:45 a. m.

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 station and basic chains or groups thereof unless specified.)

NBC-WEAF (RED): BASIC—East: weaf cfm kyw wben wcae wesh wdel wfbr wfy wjar wnac wrc wtag wtm wtic wvj; **Midwest:** ksd kstp wdaf who wire wmaq wow; **South:** kpre wbr wjdx wmbg wmc wab wsmc; **Mountain:** koa kdy

NBC-WJZ (BLUE): BASIC—East: wjz cfof kdka waby wbal wba-wbza wean wbr wfl wham whk wicc wjtn wleu wmal wmf wsr wyyz; **Midwest:** koil kma kso kwk wbcn well wenr wfd wibm wjfm wls wmt wwo wwn wtcn; **South:** kxyz waga wdsu wrho wps wtd wsgn; **Mountain:** klo kuta kyod.

NBC OPTIONAL STATIONS (operate interchangeable RED or BLUE chains): **East:** cbl cbl cmv wbre wcol wecu wfea wgal wibz wlv wncb wncr wrav wrdo wsa1 wsan wspd; **Midwest:** kans kelo kfyf kgbz koam ksoo wbow wcol wcky wday wabc wgbt wgl wba wood wtmj; **South:** kark ktdm kgko kgnc kgty kris kths kths ktdm ktsm kvoo wapo wala wave wlap wsc wtaa wfbc wfla wiod wis wjax wky wlnk wofc wptf wrol wsm wsoe wsun wtar wvnc; **Mountain:** kghf kgil kgr kido kob kpfa ksel ktar ktf kvaa.

CBS-WABC: BASIC—East: wabc woko wcao wcaa wgr wlib wkr wgr wdr wcau wjas wjw wfbl wjvs; **Midwest:** wbbm krnt wbbm kmbc kfab whas knox; **OTHER STATIONS:** **East:** wadc wpg wab1 wnb1 wbn1 whio wjr wesg whp ckac wgan whcc wbg1 wmas wnbz cfrb wibx wby wbr wkbn; **Midwest:** woc wkbb wda1 wcoa wtag wmf1 wkbh kelo wian wcoo wmbd ksej wsbt wibw whb kfz wpx; **South:** waim wgt wrdw wapi wchs wbt wdod wrbl krd wdnc wmm wbig kth wmb1 wnox kira wmoz wrec wcoo wgam wfa wla wwl koma wdbo wpar wcoa wrva wdb1 ktsa wtoc kwkh wdae ktul wjno wvva wjcs; **Mountain:** kggm kvor kiz kfbb kgvo koy koh ksl kgar

MBS-WOR-WGN—Basic: wor wgn ckiw wfl wbal wol wrva wcae wlv wsa1 wsm khke wbax; **New Eng**