

Jack Benny Will Broadcast From Old Home Town Sunday

Bette Davis Will Converse With Charlie McCarthy, With English Pianist As Added Attraction

Jack Benny, who left Waukegan 20 years ago with only a violin to keep his chin up, will stick that same chin out when he returns home to preview his new picture and present his final broadcast of the season with his gang over WEAJ Sunday, at 6:00 p. m.

In addition to his regular gang including Mary Livingstone, Don Wilson, Andy Devine, Rochester, and Phil Harris' orchestra, Jack will have as guest of honor his boyhood pal and schoolmate, Mancel Talcott, now mayor of Waukegan. Talcott was added to the cast only after giving Jack his word that he won't repeat on the air any of the anecdotes about Benny the Boy, which he's been regaling for the rest of the gang all week.

Jack's chief worry has been the flood of anonymous threats received since he announced last Sunday that he was taking his violin to Waukegan. But he refuses to believe that Charlie Lindsay, his old music teacher, is the author of the notes.

Jack is still in hopes that Kenny Baker, who strayed from the party in Kansas City, will reach Waukegan in time for the broadcast.

"The Musical Playhouse," starring Jane Froman, Jan Peerce and Erno Rapee, will run the musical scale from blues and spirituals to the classical during the half hour broadcast over WABC Sunday, at 6:30 p. m. The program will include works of Victor Herbert, Hoagy Carmichael, Leoncavallo, Lecuona and Vincent Youmans.

Academy Award Winner Bette Davis will talk over acting problems with the impertinent Charlie McCarthy on the program Sunday. Alec Templeton, the English pianist, makes his third straight appearance on the broadcast over WEAJ at 7 p. m. which regularly features the talents of Don Ameche, Edgar Bergen, Donald Dickson and Robert Armbruster's orchestra.

Often called by critics the best actress in Hollywood, Miss Davis will display her talents in a one-act play with Don Ameche as her acting partner. She won the 1938 academy award for her performance in "Jezebel."

Helen Wood will play Lady Mary Carlisle and Charles Boyer will be heard in the title role when Boyer closes his Hollywood Playhouse series with an adaptation of Booth Tarkington's famous romance, "Monsieur Beaucaire." The drama will be heard from 8 to 8:30 p. m. over WJZ.

Boyer will star as the young Frenchman whose masquerade at the famous resort of Bath brings him into conflict with the English aristocrats who ruled the salons and game rooms. Tarkington's colorful story describes the brief and tragic love affair of Monsieur Beaucaire and Lady Mary culminated by the unmasking of the young Englishman.

Paul Wing's Spelling Bee Sun-

BEST BETS SUNDAY

P. M.

- 3:20 St. Louis Blues Orchestra, WABC.
- 4:00 -- Hollywood Fun Hall, WEAJ.
- 4:30 Ben Bernie and Lew Lent, WABC.
- 5:00 My Lucky Break Program, WLW.
- 5:30 The Hollywood Gateway, WABC.
- 6:00 Jack Benny in Waukegan, WEAJ.
- 6:30 Band Wagon Orchestra, WEAJ.
- 7:00 Charlie McCarthy Hour, WEAJ.
- 8:00 The Hollywood Playhouse, WJZ.
- 9:00 The Circle Variety, WEAJ.

day will be an international contest, with men executives of Canadian broadcasting companies arrayed against women from various departments of the National Broadcasting Co. The program will be heard at 4:30 p. m. over WEAJ.

Frank Lloyd Wright, famous American architect, recognized as an outspoken critic of social and economic affairs, will pay a visit to the Circle Sunday, to be initiated during the WEAJ cast from 9 to 10 p. m. Lawrence Tibbett, baritone star, will preside at the initiation, and Madeleine Carroll, Granchio and Chas. Marx and Rob-

SUNDAY, JUNE 25

Eastern Standard—Subtract One Hr. for CST, 2 Hrs. for MT—P. M.

(Daylight Time One Hour Later)
(Changes in program as listed due to last-minute network corrections)

- 12:00—Music for Moderns—nbc-weaf
- Waterloo Junction, Drama—wyz-nbc
- Chorus of the Air Station—chs-wabc
- Don Aries, the Baritone—nbs-wor
- 12:30—To Be Announced—nbc-weaf
- Norman Cleator Orchestra—nbc-wjz
- To Be Announced (9 m.)—chs-wabc
- Mario de Stefano Harpist—nbs-wor
- 12:45—Orange Blossom quart.—nbs-wor
- Northern Baptist Concert—chs-wabc
- 1:00—Aunt Fanny's Dinner—nbc-weaf
- To Be Announced (30 m.)—nbc-wjz
- Democracy in Action—chs-wabc-nbc
- Alec Duer Miller in Talk—nbs-wor
- Chicago Concert Orch.—nbs-wgn
- 1:30—Sunday Symphonyette—nbc-weaf

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