

Oscar Levant To Be Guest On Crosby Program Thursday

"Information Please" Expert Will Make Flying Trip To Coast For Appearance; Bing Has Musical Treats Carded

The erudite Oscar Levant, of "Information Please!" fame, will make a flying trip to the coast to appear on Bing Crosby's Music hall Thursday, when Bing also plans to entertain Errol Flynn and Brenda Marshall as his guests. Such old hands in the shindigs over WEAF at 10 p. m. as Bob Burns, the Music Maids, Ken Carpenter, and John Scott Trotter will all be on hand.

Bing takes a vocal workout on "Give a Little Whistle," "Yours Is My Heart Alone," "Ooh, What You Said," "Missouri Waltz," and for his 1860 memory number, the familiar "Old Black Joe."

Kernel Lemuel Q. Stoopnagle, and dialectician Charles Cantor in the person of "O. L. Scrum," head the list of guests to appear with George Jessel during the "Celebrity" show Thursday, at 8 p. m. over WEAF, last of the current series. Music by Peter Van Steeden's orchestra and songs by Benay Venuta round out the show.

Martha Raye, madcap film comedienne will find herself on the Rudy Vallee program for the second successive week, Thursday, from 9:30 to 10 p. m. over WEAF. Following her portrayal of Pocahontas to Vallee's Capt. John Smith, popular request brings Martha back to radio's hysterical historical saga as Cleopatra, menace of ancient Egypt.

Vallee, leaving his conscience behind him, will turn up before the microphone in the guise of Marc Anthony, who forgot official business and went boating instead. Slapsie Maxie Rosenbloom, Vallee's assistant at rehearsed history, also will be on hand when the time comes to barge around with Cleo.

Elis Ronbeck, 23-year-old violin student at the University of Southern California, will be soloist on Musical Americana, Thursday at 8 p. m. over WJZ. Ronbeck will play with the Westing-

BEST BETS THURSDAY

P. M.

7:15—"Big Town," WLW.

8:00—George Jessel Celebrities, WLW.

8:30—"As Strange As It Seems," WJR.

9:00—"Good News" Variety, WLW.

9:00—Musical Americana, WLOK, WOWO.

9:00—Major Bowes Amateurs, WJR.

10:00—Bing Crosby Show, WLW.

house Radio orchestra—100 Men of Melody, under the direction of Raymond Paige.

The musical program includes "Lady of Spain," a popular song of 1931; "Do I Love You" from "DuBarry Was a Lady;" "Chinatown, My Chinatown," and a medley of "Showboat" tunes including "Oh Man River," "Make Believe," and "Why Do I Love You."

Baby Snooks (Fanny Brice) will taunt Daddy (Hanley Stafford) by threatening to extract her baby brother's first and only tooth in the comedy sketch; Mary Martin will introduce "Rhythm Of the Islands" from Deanna Durbin's new picture, "It's a Date"; and emcee Dick Powell will join Miss Martin in a duet, "Every Sunday Afternoon," from Jack Haley's new musical, "Higher and Higher," as features of Good

THURSDAY, MARCH 28

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

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

5:30—Jack Armstrong—nbc-weaf-east
 Kitty Keene Sketch—nbc-red-west
 Bud Barton's Sketch—nbc-wjz-east

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