

Dinah Shore Gives Salute To Spring On Air Friday

Nick Charles Becomes Hard Actor To Kill In "Double Trouble;" Kate Smith In Canada

A medley of springtime songs is Dinah Shore's welcome to the season of sunshine and flowers on her WJZ program Friday at 8:15 p. m. (EWT). She'll highlight a trio of favorites, "Spring is Here," "Easter Parade" and "Singing in the Rain." Other tunes are the ever-popular "Night and Day" and two new hits, "Please Think of Me" and "Why Don't You Do Right?"

Nick Charles, seventh son of a seventh son, proves a good actor, but a hard one to kill, in "Double Trouble," the riotous chapter of "The Adventures of the Thin Man" for Friday over WABC at 8:30 p. m. (EWT). The trouble starts when Nick and Nora get called on a transcontinental wild-goose chase which ends up with Nick being forced at the point of a gun to impersonate a notorious gangster, which he does so effectively that Nora comes closer to widowhood than she has ever been before.

Kate Smith and her radio company, having visited scores of service camps in the United States, will hop over the border to entertain Canadian service men with a broadcast from Toronto, Friday over WABC at 8 p. m., EWT. The program will originate in Massey hall in the Dominion's great city in the heart of the defense industry area.

A one-man serenade will turn

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Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT., 2 Hrs. for MWT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

5:15—Portia Faces Life, Drama—nbc

To Be Announced (15 mins)—blu

Mother and Dad Serial Series—cbs

Serenade From Quaker City—mbs

5:30—Just Plain Bill, Dramatic—nbc

The Jack Armstrong Serial—blu-east

Dance Band from Chicago—blu-west

Are You a Genius? Quiz—cbs-basic

Junior Newscaster for Children—mbs

5:45—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc

Captain Midnight's Serial—blu-east

into a feline chorus when Wilbur's ocarina climbs to high "C" on the "Tommy Riggs and Betty Lou" show Friday at 10 p. m., EWT, over WEAJ. Shattering the atmosphere with a "sweet potato" aria, romantic Wilbur will woo his lady-love until his yodeling inspires the neighborhood cats to yowl in unison.

The legendary Nandi bear of North Africa, a monster before whom terror-stricken victims freeze in their tracks before they are clawed to death, figures in the next episode of the "Road to Danger" Friday over WEAJ at 11:30 p. m., EWT.

Pennsylvania and Wisconsin receive a musical pat on the back from the singing-strumming Westerners during "Reveille Roundup," Friday over WEAJ at 7:45 a. m., EWT, when the group presents "Pennsylvania Polka" and Allen Massey banjos "On Wisconsin."

To co-star with Frank Morgan on one of radio's top-flight programs would be a noteworthy experience for any actress. To lovely Linda Darnell, her scheduled appearance with the famous character actor on the WABC Caravan Friday at 10 p. m., EWT, is more than that. It will celebrate one of the most memorable dates in the screen star's life.