

"March Of Time" Dramatizes Post-War Problem Thursday

Departing from the usual format, the March of Time Thursday will devote its entire half-hour program to one of America's major problems, the future of more than 10,000,000 men and women who will be discharged from the armed services after the war. The broadcast, over WEAF at 10:30 p. m., EWT, will dramatize the study of this problem made by Time and Life Correspondent John Hersey. Called "Joe Is Home Now," it is based on the actual history of servicemen already returned to civilian life. The program is subject to last-minute cancellation should WEAF be broadcasting the GOP national convention at that time, and after this Thursday night the March of Time goes off the air for one month, returning to WEAF at 10:30 p. m., EWT, Thursday, Aug. 3.

A bag of gum drops leads the way to the killer in the National Safety Council's mystery drama, "It's Murder!". Thursday at 10:15 p. m., EWT, over WJZ.

In the story, Rex Starr, retired actor and amateur criminologist, is accompanying his Broadway-columnist niece, Joan Adams, to an interview with a new musical comedy star when the two stumble

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upon a murder. The new star, it develops, is involved in the case, and Rex and Joan do their usual sleuthing in discovering it.

Roy Rogers, the No. 1 singing cowboy, will be the visiting guest star with Bing Crosby on his Music Hall show Thursday, at 9 p. m., EWT, over WEAF. Marilyn Maxwell and "Ukie" Sherin will aid "The Groaner" with the guest greetings.

Four noted authorities will discuss "Should Defeated Germany Be Allowed Immediate Self-Government?" on "America's Town Meeting of the Air" on Thursday, at 8.30 p. m., EWT, over WJZ.

They are Paul Hagen, author of "Germany After Hitler," and one of the founders of the Council for Democratic Germany, affirmative; Prof. Karl M. Arndt, assistant professor of economics at the University of Nebraska, affirmative; Emil Ludwig, biographer and historian, negative, and Carroll Binder, foreign editor and director of foreign service of the Chicago Daily News, also negative.

Republican National Convention
7 00—Continuation of Vote—All networks
10 00—If night session held—All networks
(NOTE—Thursday schedule tentative, depending on whether convention continues into fourth day.)