

# "Town Meeting Of The Air" To Be Staged At Yarmouth

The historic Memorial hall of Yarmouth, Me., hailed by the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities as "a most rare and symmetrical relic of the best colonial architecture," will be the scene of "America's Town Meeting of the Air," when it recreates, in authentic setting, the atmosphere of an early New England town meeting, in its Thanksgiving broadcast, Thursday at 7:30 p. m., Lima time over Station WJZ.

Gov. Sumner Sewall, governor of Maine, and Prof. Frederick L. Schuman, professor of political science at Williams college will debate the question, "For a Successful World Organization Must All Member Nations Accept Democratic Principles?" Yarmouth's Memorial hall, built in 1797, still is used for Yarmouth's town meetings and for voting. Yarmouth itself is rich in tradition. Three times after the town's settlement in 1622, its settlers were driven out by Indians.

A great shipbuilding center in the days of wooden ships and iron men, Yarmouth once was represented by more than 300 Yarmouth-built ships and clippers in the American Merchant Marine. Moderator George V. Denny, Jr., and the speakers will conduct the "Town Meeting" on the stage from which Yarmouth's leading citizens since 1797 have spoken.

Charles Laughton stars as a

man with a strange companion and a stranger secret, when he plays the leading role in "The Fountain Plays," an eerie drama by Dorothy L. Sayers, on "Suspense," Thursday at 7 p. m., over Station WABC. Much of the plot centers around a fountain—on the grounds of Laughton's new home—which plays an important part in the story's spine-tingling conclusion.

Gary Moore and Jimmy Durante, Susannah Foster and Allan Jones are the newly announced headliners for the annual all-star Thanksgiving show, dedicated to American and Allied servicemen on Thursday, from 4 to 6 p. m. The two-hour holiday show will originate in Hollywood and will be beamed to fighting men all over the world.

In the Turkish National Assembly frock coats are obligatory and the president must wear dress clothes and a top hat.