



**SHARON DOUGLAS**  
Life of Riley  
WENR AT 9 p. m.



**RUDY VALLEE**  
with Edgar Bergen  
WIBA at 7 p. m.

## Today's Aces

### Religion

9 a. m.—National Radio Pulpit (WMAQ): Dr. Ralph Sockman, "Counting on God" . . . Church of the Air (WBBM): Bishop Costen J. Harrell, resident Methodist bishop of Birmingham, Ala.  
11 a. m.—People's Church (WJJD): "Are You Ready for Christmas?" by Dr. Preston Bradley.  
5 p. m.—Catholic Hour (WMAQ): "What Are You Like?" by Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen.

### Football

1 p. m.—National Professional Game (WENR): Green Bay Packers vs. New York Giants.

### Discussion

10:30 a. m.—Reviewing Stand (WGN): "The Relocation of War Workers." William H. Spencer, regional director, War Manpower Commission; Louis Wirth, Northwestern university.  
11 a. m.—World Front (WMAQ): guest observer, Thomas L. Stokes, Washington newsman.  
12:30 p. m.—Chicago Round Table (WMAQ): "The GI Bill of Educational Rights." participants, H. V. Stirling, rehabilitation director, Veterans' administration; James Bartlett Edmonson, University of Michigan; Joseph H. Schwab, Chicago university.  
1:30 p. m.—Distinguished Guest Hour (WGN): Cheng Pao-Nan, representative of Chinese government, on "The Chinese Crisis."  
3:30 p. m.—University Forum (WHA): "Is the Family Farm Doomed in Wisconsin?" Prof. Marvin Schaars, agricultural economics; Prof. John H. Kolb, rural sociology; Prof. R. K. Froker, agricultural economics; Prof. Floyd W. Duffee, agricultural engineering.  
4 p. m.—Lei's Face the Issue (WGN): Judge Floyd E. Thompson, Prof. Louis Wirth, William Logan Martin, and Dr. Morris Fishbein discuss "Government vs. Private Initiative in Medical Practice."  
11 p. m.—Invitation to Learning (WBBM): Edith Warton's "Ethan Frome."

### Variety

5 p. m.—Radio Hall of Fame (WENR): Judy Garland, Jerry Colonna, Lum and Abner, Les Paul trio, Paul Whiteman orchestra.  
6 p. m.—Kate Smith Hour (WBBM): Akim Tamiroff, Milton Berle, Metropolitan Opera star Regina Resnik, and Jay Jostyn ("Mr. District Attorney") . . . Jack Benny (WIBA): does his Christmas shopping.  
7 p. m.—Bergen and McCarthy (WIBA): guest, Rudy Vallee; Don Ameche becomes program's regular m.c.

### Miscellaneous

2 p. m.—World Parade (WIBA): John Raitt, baritone; Roy Shield orchestra; Max Hill, foreign correspondent.  
2:30 p. m.—Army Hour (WIBA): work of National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics.  
3 p. m.—Your America (WGN): salutes candy making industry.  
10:15 p. m.—Town Tattler (WBBM): guests, Joe E. Lewis, supper club entertainer, and Virginia Mayo, screen star.

### Drama

1 p. m.—Matinee Theater (WBBM): Victor Jory in "Elizabeth the Queen," Maxwell Anderson play.  
5 p. m.—Ozzie and Harriet (WBBM): Rickey shows his parents how to fill Christmas stockings in the modern manner.  
5:30 p. m.—Great Gildersleeve



**MOORE AND MELTON**  
Star Theater  
WBBM at 8:30

(WIBA): and nephew Leroy do some sleuthing to find out what they'll get for Christmas.  
7 p. m.—Blondie (WBBM): "Blondie Cuts Her Own Tree."  
8 p. m.—Digest (WBBM): old-fashioned Christmas in Maine; "My Talk with Joseph Stalin," by Eric Johnston.  
8:15 p. m.—Hollywood Mystery Time (WENR): The Case of the Shooting Star, in which a corpse talks back.  
9 p. m.—Life of Riley (WENR): Riley X-rays a "Do Not Open Until Christmas" package.  
9:30 p. m.—Comedy Theater (WIBA): Herbert Marshall and Jane Wyman in "Lucky Partners" . . . Mystery House (WGN): "Murder on the Swing Shift."  
11:30 p. m.—Pacific Story (WMAQ): story of bombing and invasion of Nanking . . . Yanks in the Orient (WENR): soldiers of Special Service detachment.

### Music

11:30 a. m.—Paul Lavalie Orchestra (WMAQ): "One Moment Alone," Kern; "Love Can Be Dreamed," Strauss; "Kamennoi-Ostrow," Rubinstein; "Polonaise Brillante," Wienlawski.  
1:30 p. m.—John Charles Thomas (WIBA): "The Open Road," "Thine Alone," "Blow the Man Down," "The Lorelei," "The Bee."  
2 p. m.—N. Y. Philharmonic (WBBM): Erica Morini, violinist; Tchaikowsky's "D Major Violin Concerto," Weber's "Oberon" overture, Strauss' "Till Eulenspiegel's Merry Pranks."  
3:30 p. m.—Nelson Eddy (WBBM): new time and day; guest, Gloria Scott; "Troubadour's Serenade," "My Name is John Wellington Wells," "Indian Love Call," "America the Beautiful," . . . Music America Loves Best (WIBA): Miliza Korjus, soprano; Leonard Warren, baritone; Duke Ellington, orchestra conductor; "Love Me and the World Is Mine," "One Day When We Were Young," "Duke Ellington Fantasy," "The Green-Eyed Dragon."  
4 p. m.—Family Hour (WBBM): "Evelina" from "Bloomer Girl," "Begin the Beguine," "Always," "One Kiss," medley from "Bittersweet," . . . NBC Symphony (WIBA): second act of Beethoven's "Fidelio," with Rose Bampton, Jan Peerce, Eleanor Steber.  
4:15 p. m.—Music Hour (WHA): University of Wisconsin Concert band.  
4:30 p. m.—Metropolitan Opera Presents (WENR): Charles Kullman, tenor; Angelica Sarris, soprano, auditionist; "E lucevan le stelle" from "Tosca," "Vesti la giubba" from "Pagliacci," "Thine Alone," "Whiffenpoof Song."  
6:30 p. m.—Bandwagon (WIBA): Horace Heidt orchestra.  
8 p. m.—Merry-Go-Round (WIBA): "White Christmas," "Always," "Dance with a Dolly," "That's an Irish Lullabye," "Don't Fence Me In" . . . Steel Horizons (WGN): John Baker, baritone, with Edna Phillips, coloratura soprano; "From the Cane Brake," "Come to the Fair," "Valse Bluette," "Indian Love Call," "Desert Song."  
8:30 p. m.—Star Theater (WBBM): James Melton, with Grace Moore as guest . . . Familiar Music (WIBA): selections from "The Bat," "Forgotten," "More Than You Know," "Semper Fidelis."  
9 p. m.—Hour of Charm (WIBA): Waltzes from "Die Fledermaus," "One Kiss," "Rose Marie," "Serenade" from "The Student Prince," "Old Man River."  
10 p. m.—Guy Lombardo (WENR): "When Your Lover Has Gone" for Vera Vague; "In the Still of the Night" for newscaster Arthur Hale; "Trolley Song," "Strange Music."

### Mondaytime

2:30 p. m.—Science Frontiers (WBBM): "The World of Plas-tics."  
5:15 p. m.—Lyn Murray Orchestra (WBBM): with Martha Lip-ton, contralto; "Flow, Gently, Sweet Alton," "Flower Song" from "Faust," "The Tailor and the Mouse," "Thine Alone."

## U. S. Ready to Deal with Italian Cabinet

WASHINGTON — (U.P.) — Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., said Friday that the United States is ready to deal with the new Italian government—a government which, he said, was formed by Italians who could have followed some other course had they chosen.  
He made the statement to a press conference which was featured largely by his refusal to answer questions or to elaborate on previous statements. The Italian comment was in response to an inquiry as to how he reconciled his recent statement opposing outside interference in Italian politics with his approval of the new government.