

# Bob Burns Goes Shopping On Comedy Show Thursday

Bob Burns starts his Christmas shopping early, but discovers that even June wouldn't have been early enough this year, in the comedy broadcast over NBC at 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

Bob and Shirley Ross serve as shopping guides for Leo Gorcey in a tour thru the department store maze. Miss Ross' solo probably in answer to the question, "When the best time to do your Christmas shopping?" is "It Seems to Be Spring."

Romance with a touch of menace is the order of the evening when Alan Ladd visits Dinah Shore on "Dinah Shore's Open House," broadcast over NBC at 8:30 p. m. Thursday.

The tougher they are the harder they fall, and Alan is no exception. He's putty in Dinah's hands. The way she goes about bringing out the Sir Walter Raleigh in him with songs and sweet talk is something to sing about and smile.

Jack Benny, itinerant violinist, wanders into the George Burns and Gracie Allen broadcast as guest-star over NBC at 8 p. m. Thursday. George is in the process of getting a delayed college education so that he can make use of the \$5,000 bequest left him by his uncle for that purpose. The trouble is, he's lonesome. He's the only freshman on the campus who looks like an alumnus left over from the reunion of the class of '23.

An eerie dream and its strange aftermath make up the story of "A Week Ago Wednesday," Nancy Kelly's starring vehicle when the screen actress appears on "Sus-

pense" radio's theatre of thrills, at 8 p. m. Thursday over CBS.

Winifred Wolfe is the author of this unusual story, in which a young matron dreams that she has been murdered by her husband. When she awakens, the thought that the dream may come true, preys on her mind, causing an exciting series of events which bring the story to a dramatic climax.

Bud Abbott and Lou Costello settle on models of the fashion variety when they run into a blind alley while trying to buy new model cars at 10 p. m. Thursday over NBC.

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