# Tonight's Aces

**MARTHA TILTON**

Liltin' Martha Tilton makes a vocal trek down melody lane when she sings "The Gentleman Is a Dope" on the **Dick Haymes show at 8 p. m. WBBM**, but perhaps it's directed at guest Jack Benny.

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## *Music*

**9:30 p. m. — Cincinnati Chorus and Symphony** (WIBU): A Christmas program featuring the University of Cincinnati's 200-voice glee club and chorus with the Cincinnati symphony orchestra. . . . **The Northerners** (WGN): "Lift Up Your Heads," "Hallelujah," and "The Glory of the Lord."

**10:15 p. m. — Morton Downey** (WIBU): "Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem" and "The Bells of St. Mary."

**11 p. m. — Carols of Many Nations** (WBBM): The 40-voice choir of Cedar Crest College for Women presents "Angels O'er the Fields," "Shepherd's Christmas Song," "The Holly and the Ivy," and "Carol of the Bells."

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## *Variety*

**6:45 — Star Stories by Starr (WIBA):** Jack Starr tells the story of Clark Gable's success in a new WIBA program.

**7 p. m. — The Aldrich Family (WIBA,** WMAQ): Henry brings the judge's "robes" from the cleaners.

**7:30 p. m. — Burns and Allen (WIBA,** WMAQ): Gracie hints for Christmas presents and money.

**8 p. m. — Al Jolson (WIBA,** WMAQ, WTMJ): Jimmy Durante and the famous Choral club make their guest star appearance.

**9:30 p. m. — Eddie Cantor (WIBA,** WMAQ): Eddie convinces his grandchildren there really is a Santa.

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## *Drama*

**7 p. m. — FBI In Peace** (WBBM): Crooks supply bail on a minor offense to get support for their gangs.

**7:30 p. m.—Mr. Keen** (WBBM): "The Spider Case."

**8:30 p. m. — Crime Photographer** (WBBM): "Life of the Party."

**9 p. m. — Digest** (WBBM): Raymond Massey stars and narrates "Song from Heaven," the story behind "Silent Night." . . . **Family Theater** (WIBU): Kathryn Grayson and Johnny Johnston in "A Rose by Any Other Name."

**9:30 p. m. — First Nighter** (WBBM): The program moves to a new time and night with "A Date with Baby."

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## *Fridaytime*

**7:30 a. m. — Listen to Cliff** (WBBM): What little girls have to say to Santa Claus.

**8 a. m. — Breakfast Club** (WLS, WCFL): The McNeill clan visits the breakfast club with songs, remarks, and pre-Christmas and birthday spirit. . . . **Morning Melodies** (WHA): Bizet's "L'Arlesienne Suite No. 2"

**9 a. m. — Fred Waring (WIBA,** WMAQ, WTMJ): "When the Angels Sing of Peace," by Tom Waring and Jack Dolph.

**9:30 a. m.—Rhythm and Games (WHA):** "The Kind Little Evergreen Tree."

**1:30 p. m.—Book Trails (WHA):** "Christmas Anna Angel," by Ruth Sawyer.

**1:45 p. m.—Betty Cass** (WIBA): Fifty years ago Virginia O'Hanlon wrote the New York Sun and asked, "Is there a Santa Claus?" The story of what has happened to the little girl since that time.

**2:30 p. m. — House Party** (WBBM): Claude Marsan, the Unknown Frenchman, tells American husbands what's wrong with their love-making, and demonstrates on an audience volunteer. . . . **Music of Masters (WHA):** Respighi - Rossini's "Fantastic Toyshop."

**3 p. m.—Mozart Sonata (WHA):** Presented by Gunnar Johansen.

**3:30 p. m.—Ted Malone** (WLS): A Christmas tale by Tolstoy about a shoemaker who wanted to see Christ. **Tiny Tim Christmas Party** (WCFL): Carols by the Evanston township high school glee club.