

ROCKY CLARK'S LISTENING POST

This is the week when Arthur Godfrey, Red Skelton, "My Friend Irma" and the CBS Radio Theater return to the air from vacation. Skelton will be heard at a new weekly time—Fridays at 9 30 p. m. on NBC. And Godfrey will have a bigger schedule than ever—almost 17 hours a week on the air.

Godfrey is to be back on his local shows (WCBS 6 to 7 45 a. m., WTOP, 7 45 to 8 30 a. m.) Monday through Friday. His CBS network show will be expanded to a full hour daily running from 10 30 to 11 30 a. m. And his "Talent Scouts" show will run a full half-hour Monday nights at 8 30.

Robert Q. Lewis, who has been doing an excellent fill-in job for Godfrey, is scheduled to sail tomorrow for a two-week vacation in Europe. CBS has not disclosed what plans it has for Lewis in the fall, but it's a safe bet he'll have a show of his own. He did such a swell job as summer replacement for "Beulah" and Jack Smith that many listeners were sorry to see them return last week.

"Cabin B-13" which filled in for Godfrey's "Talent Scouts" during the summer, will move to CBS' 10 o'clock spot Tuesday night starting this week. During the fall it is expected to move again—to the 8 30 spot Sunday nights replacing "The Man Called X."

CBS Radio Theater returns to its old spot Monday night at 9 o'clock, as Irene Dunne stars in "Remember Mama" with Oscar Homolka and Barbara Bel Geddes. The following week will bring William Powell and Irene Heavyn in "Mr. Peabody and the Mermaid."

"My Friend Irma" also returns at its old time Monday at 10 p. m., with Marie Wilson in the title role and Cathy Lewis as her roommate Jane. This season "Irma" will be advertising Bob Hope's old toothpaste Bob who returns Sept. 14, will advertise soap.

ROY ROGERS BEGINS

Roy Rogers begins his WICC-MBS series today at 6 p. m., an hour before his Hollywood rival Gene Autry's CBS show. Rogers, assisted by Gabby Hayes, Dale Evans and the Riders of the Purple Sage, will offer a mixture of adventure stories and western music. . . . Meanwhile, CBS is planning a full hour Saturday night hillbilly show, "Hometown Reunion," starting Sept. 13 at 10 p. m., featuring Eddy Arnold, the "Duke of Paducah" and novelty groups, plus a barbershop quartet competition.

DAN PARKER'S 'BIG STORY'

The story of how Dan Parker was promoted from reporter to sports editor after demonstrating exceptional deductive capacity while covering a Waterbury murder case will be dramatized on NBC's "Big Story" program Wednesday at 10 p. m. Sam Wanamaker, stage and screen star, will portray Parker on the air.

Parker, now sports editor of the New York Daily Mirror, was covering a murder for the Waterbury Republican when he broke his "big story." Seems he learned that a carnival prize-fighter had killed his best pal to get his money, after being goaded into the act by his gold-digging girl friend.

CBS LOSING 'BLONDIE'

"Blondie" is moving from CBS next month to take over NBC's 8 o'clock spot Wednesday nights formerly occupied by Dennis Day. The NBC starting date is Oct. 6. Dennis Day is now heard Saturdays at 10 p. m.

NEWS AND GOSSIPY BITS

Eloise McElhone and Ray Morgan are readying a new MBS quiz "Ahhis" to be aired Sundays at 1 30 p. m., starting next week. Comedian Herb Shriner and the Raymond Scott Quintet have

THANK HEAVEN I Can Hear Again!

I HEARD EVERY WORD THE PREACHER SAID!



Newest Irish Tenor



Michael O. Duffy, newly arrived from the Emerald Isle, is the latest Irish tenor to be featured on network programs. He is heard over WOR MBS Sundays at 3 p. m.

been signed to replace "Lum and Abner" on WCBS at 6 30 p. m. Monday through Friday starting Sept. 27. "Lum and Abner" will do a half-hour CBS show Sunday nights. Watch for a new CBS series based on the Bridgeport Telegram and Sunday Post comic "Steve Canyon." The Boston Pops Orchestra has been signed for a new RCA-Victor program on NBC Sundays at 5 30 p. m. starting late in the fall. Gary Moore's four "Take It or Leave It" broadcasts from New York will begin Sept. 26 instead of the 19th. Westport's O. B. Hanson was best man last week for the marriage of his NBC Television associate Albert W. Proffman and Margaret Snider.

WOR's FM station will cover the season's games of the New York Football Yankees, starting Sept. 12 with the San Francisco game at 5 20 p. m. After another week, Eddie Howard's Sunday afternoon NBC series will be dropped by the sponsor. "The Lassie Show" will be heard a half-hour later on NBC, effective next Saturday at 5 45. Wayne Varnum has merged his public relations firm with the Patricia Ward research outfit in new offices at 424 Madison avenue, New York. Henry La Cossitt is back on the MBS news staff after several months' illness. Navyman Jack Mendoza, who won \$800 on "Strike It Rich" last Sunday to help finance a delicate foot operation for his five-year-old son, has been notified that the Jacksonville specialist will waive his usual fee and free hospitalization has been authorized for the boy.

STILL A TOP BAND

Though it's been several years since Glenn Miller lost his life, his band is still carrying on in the Miller tradition and rates as one of the most popular in America today. It's playing tonight at Pleasure Beach, with a WNAB broadcast scheduled at 11.15. Tex Beneke has been its leader since Miller's death.

PROGRAM NOTES

WNEW's daytime schedule undergoes changes tomorrow, with Gene Rayburn's "Let Yourself Go" revue moving to 12 35 p. m. and Richard Willis' "Here's Looking at You" following at 1 p. m. Major Gen. Lewis B. Hershey discusses the peace-time draft over WJZ-ABC tomorrow at 4 45 p. m. "Gulliver's Travels II" will be dramatized on WOR's "Adventure Parade" at 5 30' starting tomorrow. Harvey S. Firestone, Jr., addresses the youth of America, on behalf of the Youth Month campaign, during NBC's Firestone concert and on WNBT's "Americana" television show at 8 30 tomorrow night. Chilton Utley will conduct a WNAB-ABC Town meeting discussion on "Is the Church Failing Our Youth" Tuesday night at 8 30 with Gil Dodds, the "lying parson," Helen Storen of Queens College faculty, Dr. Luther Wesley Smith and Edward Hawley. Daily inter-

SUNDAY RADIO

DIAL SETTINGS

WNAB—1450	WMCA—570
WLIZ—1300	WELI—960
WICC—600	WINS—1010
WNBC—660	WTIC—1080
WOR—710	WNEW—1130
WJZ—770	WAVZ—1260
WLAD—800	WNHC—1340
WNYC—830	WNLK—1350
WCBS—880	WSTC—1400
WHN—1060	WQXR—1560

Sports

- 12 30—Sam Taub's Hour of Champions: Barney Ross, Bob Brumby, Doug Rattford and Timmy Proca—WEN
- 1 25—Baseball Doubleheader: Red Sox vs. St. Louis—WNHC
- 2 00—Yankees vs. Detroit—WINS
- 2 25—Doubleheader: Giants vs. Cincinnati Reds—WLIZ, WMCA
- 2 25—Doubleheader: Dodgers vs. Cardinals—WHN

Variety

- 9 15 A M—Uncle Bill Reading the Sunday Post Comics—WLIZ
- 1 30—Nelson Olmstead show: Tony Russo and Norman Cloutier Orch.—WNBC
- 2 30—Life Begins at 40—WICC, WOR
- 6 00—PREMIERE: Roy Rogers Show with Dale Evans and Gabby Hayes—WICC, WOR
- 7 00—Let's Talk Hollywood with Walter Pflieger, Walter Pine and Walter Thomas—WNBC
- 8 00—Stop the Music with Bert Parks, Kay Armen, Dick Brown—WNAB
- 8 30—RFD America, Quiz for California Farmers—WNBC
- 9 15—Louella Parsons, with But Lancaster—WNAB
- 10 00—Comedy Writers show—WNAB
- 10 30—Horace Heidt's Talent show—WNBC

Drama

- 12 30—The Eternal Light: The Woman Who Aches in Time—WNBC
- 1 00—Return Engagement: The Man Without a Shadow—WCBS
- 1 30—Tell It Again: Luck of Roaring Camp—WCBS
- 2 00—You Are There: The Death of Joan of Arc—WCBS
- 2 00—Community Workshop: Players in Our Neighbors—WNBC
- 2 30—Edward Arnold as 'Mr. President in Story of White House Wedding—WNAB
- 4 00—House of Mystery: The Seven Headed Cobra (from London)—WICC, WOR
- 4 30—Favorite Story: The Man Who Made Gold with Morris Karnovsky—WJZ
- 6 30—Hollywood Star Theater: William Powell with Mickey Knox—WNBC
- 7 30—Pat O'Brien in Dan Carson Story with Virginia Bruce—WNBC
- 8 00—Sam Spade: The Lawless Cape—WCBS
- 8 30—Ave Maria Hour: 'St. George of England—WMCA
- 9 00—Secret Missions: The Marshall Plan Saboteurs—Wicc, WOR
- 10 30—Escape: The Haunted Man—WCBS

Music

- 9 15 A M—E. Power Biggs organist: Phil Hip Kaplan, flutist—WCBS
- 10 00 A M—Scenes from Eto's Opera: "Le Fiatofo"—WNYO
- 11 30 A M—Salt Lake Tabernacle's Choir and Organ—WCBS
- 12 Noon—Middletown Symphony: Brahms' Piano Concerto No. 1—WNYO
- 12:10—Piano Playhouse: Buddy Wead and Earl Wild—WJZ
- 1 00—Music for Connoisseurs: Billings' Lamentation Over Boston—WNYC
- 1 30—Contemporary Music: Sylvan Levin conducting: Kutzen Simfonietta—WICC, WOR
- 2 00—First Piano Quartet—WNBC
- 2 00—Brooklyn Museum Concert: Helen Arden soprano, Anna Churgin, piano—WNYO
- 2 30—Leonard Warren baritone: Russ Cass conducting—WNBC
- 3 00—Irish Ballads: sung by Michael O. Duffy—WOR
- 3 00—Hollywood Bowl Symphony: Eugene Ormandy conducting—WCBS
- 3 00—John Philip Sousa Memorial Program from Central Park—WNYO
- 3:05—Opera House: Mascagni's "L'Amico Fritz"—WQXR
- 3:00—Family Hour: Betty Jane Watson soprano, Earl W. Wrightson baritone—WCBS
- 4:30—Wilton Cross Opera Album—WNAB
- 6 30—Jane Froman, with Percy Faith or orchestra—WCBS
- 7 00—Masterworks: Tchaikovsky Symphony No. 6 in B Minor—WNYC
- 8:00—Robert Shaw Chorale—WNBC
- 8 00—Concert Hour featuring Rudolf Serkin piano—WNYO
- 9 30—Album of Music: Donald Dame, tenor; Margaret Daum and Jean Dickenson sopranos; Evelyn MacGregor, contralto; Gus Haenschen, conducting—WNBC
- 10 05—Leonid Hambro, piano recital—WQXR

Public Affairs

- 10 00 A M—Church of the Air: Dr. William W. Edell, president of Dickinson College at Christian Youth Conference—WCBS
- 10 50 A M—World Council of Churches, from Amsterdam, Holland—WNBC
- 11 15 A M—The Kasenkina Case—WCBS
- 12 Noon—Invitation to Learning: Marvin Lowenthal, Thomas Adom and Jay Williams on Howard Price's "Robin Hood"—WCBS
- 12 30—People's Platform: Are We Winning the Cold War? James Stewart Martin and Maj. George Fielding Elliot—WCBS
- 2 15—Archbishop Richard T. Cushing speaking from Rome—WICC
- 2 45—Veterans Want to Know, Housing Expediter: Tigue E. Woods—WICC
- 4 25—Living—1945 New Draft—New Army—WNBC
- 6 00—Catholic Hour: Maurice Lavanoux on Religious Art Today—WNBC
- 11 00—Post-Telegram Local News—WNAB

TELEVISION PROGRAMS