

Comedians Abbott, Costello Going Western In Big Way

Team Will Pay Tribute To Hollywood Westerns
During Broadcast Wednesday Evening; Miss
Venuta To Offer New Song

Bud Abbott and Lou Costello will don chaps and 10-gallon hats to pay tribute to Hollywood Westerns on their "Time to Smile" broadcast with Benay Venuta, Frank Bingman and Felix Mills and his orchestra over WLW Wednesday at 9 p. m.

Songstress Benay Venuta will introduce a surprise rendition of "I'm Stepping Out With a Memory," and she and announcer Frank Bingman will interpret the currently popular song "You Can't Brush Me Off."

In honor of the latest trend in motion pictures, the team will present their own "Western" drama, without aid of Hollywood

cowboys or "oomph girls." Abbott will also take Lou Costello on a tour thru Costello's 75-room Hollywood mansion just before the loan sharks seize him.

An unusual radio technique—the use of a narrator who utilizes all the devices of a demagogue in challenging the democratic way of life—will be heard in "The American Way of Life", on Wednesday, at 7:00 p. m., EST, over WJZ.

The program, ninth in the "This, Our America" series, is designed to show that material resources mean little for national defense unless all Americans know what they are preparing to defend.

Answering each point of challenge by the "narrator-demagogue" will be significant figures in America's history — Thomas Jefferson, Benjamin Franklin, Patrick Henry, Sam Adams, Francis Marion, as well as farmers, artisans, and homemakers of the revolutionary period; the men who framed the Monroe Doctrine in 1823, the early western homesteaders, and finally, Abraham Lincoln.

David Brockman's orchestra will feature "Little Boy Blue On Broadway," from "Manhattan Fairy Tale Suite," on the Star Theatre program Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. over WJR. Frances Langford will sing "Say Si Si" and "Waiting For The Ships That Never Come In," and Kenny Baker will feature "Tippy Tim" and "Lost Chord."

Agatha Meek plans an elegant tea party for the local society set of her town on the Meet Mr. Meek program Wednesday 6:30 p. m. over WJR, but unfortunately forgets, that this is the one day a week she allows Mr. Meek to cook wieners and sauerkraut. Mortimer, unaware of Agatha's tea party, suddenly finds himself and his cooking the center of the ladies' attention. Share and share alike his motto, he invites the ladies to share the "hot-dogs" which are an overwhelming success and the party strikes a new social note for Agatha, who is voted the outstanding hostess of the year.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28

Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hrs. for MT.—Daylight Time One Hour Later

(Changes in programs as listed due to last minute network corrections.)

- 4:45—The O'Neills, Sketch—nbc-weaf
- Bud Barton's Sketch—nbc-wjz-east
- W. Van Dyne Song—nbc-blue-west
- Scattergood Baines Serial—cbs-wabc
- Dance Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
- 5:00—L'I Abner's Sketch—nbc-weaf
- News; Vocal Program—nbc-wjz-east
- Children's Hour rpt—nbc-blue-west
- News Broadcasting Time—cbs-wabc
- News; Dance Orchestra—mbs-chain
- 5:05—Edwin C. Hill—cbs-wabc-basic
- The Chicagoans Orchestra—cbs-west
- 5:15—Dance Music; News—nbc-weaf
- Bill Stern Sports; Music—wjz-only
- Hedda Hopper on Movies—cbs-wabc
- Capers from Keyboard—cbs-Dixie
- 5:30—Capt. Healy Stamps—weaf-only
- Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-red-chain
- Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-wjz-east
- Paul Sullivan News—cbs-wabc-basic
- Chicago's Swing Serenade—cbs-west
- Novelty Orchestra Prog.—mbs-chain
- 5:45—Paul Douglas Sports—nbc-weaf
- Lowell Thomas News—nbc-wjz-basic
- European War Broadcast—cbs-wabc
- To Be Announced (15 m.)—mbs-net
- 6:00—Waring Time—nbc-weaf-east
- Judy Aces Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
- Amos 'n' Andy, Skit—cbs-wabc-east
- CBS Concert Orchestra—cbs-west
- Tulton Lewis, Jr., Talk—mbs-chain
- 6:15—European War News—nbc-weaf
- Mr. Keen, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
- Lanny Ross in Song—cbs-wabc-basic
- Paul Sullivan news repeat—cbs-west
- 6:30—Revelers—weaf-kyw-wbz-wual
- Bob Hanson Baritone—nbc-red-chain
- Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz
- Meet Mr. Meek, Comedy—cbs-wabc
- Lone Ranger Drama—mbs-wor-east
- 6:45—H. V. Kaltenborn—nbc-weaf
- Sara Baller, Sports—wgn-kwk-wkrc
- 7:00—Hollywood Playhouse—nbc-weaf
- This Our America, Drama—nbc-wjz
- Uncle Jim's Question Bee—cbs-wabc
- Sheep and Goats Club—mbs-network
- 7:30—Party at Plantation—nbc-weaf
- Manhattan at Midnight—nbc-wjz
- J. Hersholt, Dr. Christian—cbs-wabc
- The Green Hornet, Play—mbs-chain
- 7:55—Elmer Davis, News—cbs-wabc
- 8:00—Abbott and Costello—nbc-weaf
- To Be Announced (30 m.)—nbc-wjz
- Theater of Stars, Variety—cbs-wabc
- Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
- Comment—kstp-kwk-wfl-wbal-whit
- 8:30—Mr. District Attorney—nbc-weaf
- Roy Shield Encore Music—nbc-wjz
- To Be Announced (30 m.)—cbs-wabc
- Canada's String Serenade—mbs-wor
- 9:00—Kay Kyser's College—nbc-weaf
- War Comment; Ink Spots—nbc-wjz
- Glenn Miller & Orchestra—cbs-wabc
- Raymond G. Swing, Talk—bs-wor
- 9:15—Public Affairs Talks—cbs-wabc
- News; Talk on Aviation—mbs-wor
- 9:30—National Symph. Or.—nbc-wjz
- War News; Gene Rowe—cbs-wabc
- Weber Pageant of Melody—mbs-wor
- 10:00—News & Dance—nbc-weaf-east
- Fred Waring's repeat—nbc-red-west
- News; Dance Music Orch.—nbc-wjz
- Sports, News Period—cbs-wabc-east
- Amos and Andy's repeat—cbs-west
- Dance Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
- A. Mitchell Answer Man—mbs-west
- 10:05—Ed Hill rpt. (10 m.)—cbs-Dixie
- 10:15—Dance & News to 1—all chains
- Lanny Ross rpt. (15 m.)—cbs-west

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