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## What Goes?

It is interesting to ponder on the changes that have occurred in the United States in the past eight years.

Eight years ago, the Democrats were leading the United States hurriedly down the road to socialism, and one of the big reasons was social security. Yet, today, the Republicans are campaigning on the fact that 14 million more people are covered than were eight years ago.

The storage bins that dotted the rural areas of the United States were another sign of creeping socialism infringing on the American way of life eight years ago. Today, those bins, and more, are still bulging with growing surpluses.

Massive government, centered in distant Washington, was the most decisive sign of a socialistic party running our government, yet 25,000 employees have been added to the Agriculture department alone in the past eight years.

Eight years ago, change, merely for the sake of change, was the crying need of a country that was dominated by these terrible features. Today, we are told, change is a foolish thought, because we need men of "experience" controlling our government.

Eight years ago, it was said, this nation was spending itself to death, but today, even larger budgets are needed for national defense, and in the next four years, through patriotic sacrifice, we can spend our way out of the farm problem.

In short, all the miseries that befell America after the wonderful early thirties, and the even better times of McKinley, until 1952, were putting an unbearable weight on the shoulders of the citizens of this country.

Granted, the above might smack a wee bit of sarcasm. But, despite, or because of, the past eight years, there are still a lot of level-headed Americans who are proud of the accomplishments of this nation from 1932 until 1952. Those same Americans are also proud of what has transpired since 1952. They might be puzzled, though, as to why all the criticism, while fondly embracing just what was being criticized.

And, after embracing it, why the criticism still continues, when there are needs and programs for the future that are of much more importance.

The test of a political party is not in its ability to be elected. It is in its ability to govern, direct, and LEAD, after elected.

## TV PROGRAMS

Central Daylight Time

## WANE-TV

Channel 15

MONDAY

Evening  
6:00—Life of Riley  
6:25—Now I'll Tell One  
7:00—Tom Calenbergs News  
6:45—Ding Dong—News  
7:00—Shotgun Slade  
7:30—To Tell The Truth  
7:45—The Price Is Right  
8:00—Father Knows Best  
9:00—Talent Scouts  
10:30—Nixon-Kennedy Debate  
11:00—Phil Wilson News  
11:15—Man About Town  
TUESDAY  
7:30—Peppermint Theatre  
7:45—Willy's Wonderful  
8:00—CBS News  
8:30—The Kangaroos  
9:00—Coffee Cup Theater  
10:15—Debbie Drake Show  
10:30—Video Village  
11:00—Love Lucy  
11:30—Clear Horizons  
Afternoon  
12:00—Love of Life  
12:30—The Day Tomorrow  
12:45—Guiding Light  
1:00—Ann Colone's Woman's Page  
1:25—News  
1:30—As The World Turns  
1:35—The Circus  
2:00—Houseparty  
2:00—Millionnaire  
3:00—Verdict Is Yours  
4:00—Big Day  
4:15—Secret Stories  
4:30—Edge of Night  
5:00—Dance Date  
Evening  
6:00—Life of Riley  
6:25—Now I'll Tell One  
7:00—Tom Calenbergs News  
6:45—Ding Dong—News  
7:00—Shotgun Slade  
7:30—Bishop Sheen Program  
10:30—A Strange Adventure

TUESDAY

Morning  
6:30—Continental Classroom  
7:00—Today  
8:30—Coffee Break  
9:15—Faith To Live By  
10:00—Dough Re Mi  
11:00—The Price Is Right  
11:30—Concentration

Afternoon  
12:15—The Weatherman  
12:15—Farms and Farming  
12:30—It Could Be You  
1:00—The G.I. Consequences  
1:30—Burns And Allen  
2:00—Jan Murray Show  
2:30—Loretta Young Theatre  
2:45—The Dr. Pollock Show  
3:00—From These Roots  
4:00—Comedy Playhouse  
4:30—Bozo Show

Evening  
6:00—Gateway to Sports  
6:15—News  
6:30—Pete Smith Show  
6:45—The Brinkley Report  
7:00—Phil Silvers

8:30—Alfred Hitchcock Presents  
9:00—The Bob Hope Show  
10:00—Dow How of Great Mysteries

11:00—News and Weather  
11:15—Sports Today  
11:30—Jack Parr Show

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Evening  
6:00—Popeye and Rascals Show  
6:30—Popeye Draw McGraw  
7:00—Popeye and Rascals Show

7:15—News  
7:30—Cheyenne  
8:00—The Street Beat

8:30—Great Debate

10:30—A Strange Adventure

TUESDAY

Morning  
11:30—Ladies Day

Afternoon  
12:00—Restless Gun  
12:30—About Faces

1:30—Mr. D. A.

2:00—Day In Court

2:30—Storybook

3:30—Beat the Clock

3:30—Who Do You Trust

4:00—American Bandstand

4:30—Rin Tin Tin

Evening  
6:00—Popeye and Rascals Show  
6:30—Woody Woodpecker  
7:00—Popeye and Rascals Show

7:15—News  
7:30—TBA

8:00—Rifleman

8:30—The Big Easy

9:00—Special Earp

10:00—Alcoa Presents

10:30—When Gangland Strikes

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6:00—Gateway To Sports  
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6:30—The Pete Smith Show

6:45—Bravos—Brinkley Report

7:00—Bravo Sillion

7:30—Riverboat

8:00—Walt's Fargo

8:30—Peter Gunn

9:00—The Great Debate

10:30—Jackpot Bowling

11:00—News & Weather

11:15—Address by President

Eisenhower

12:00—Sports Today

12:30—Jack Paar

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