

Frank Knox to Be Heard Tonight in Broadcast of Notification Ceremony; F. D. R. Quebec Talk on Air Tomorrow

President to Respond to Good-Will Greetings of Canadians.

Broadcasts of a political nature again will hold the radio spotlight tonight and tomorrow, with addresses by President Roosevelt and Col. Frank Knox, scheduled for Coast-to-Coast airings.

The President is to be heard from Quebec, in the course of ceremonies welcoming him to Canada on an official good-will visit. Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor General of Canada, also is to be a speaker, and other participants in the broadcast will include the Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Canadian Prime Minister; Premier Adolphe Godbout of the Province of Quebec and Mayor J. C. Grogan of the City of Quebec. The broadcast will be on the air for 45 minutes at 8:30 a. m. tomorrow, on the Mutual and NBC-Blue networks.

WFBM is to bring local listeners Col. Knox's notification ceremonies at 8 tonight for an hour. If you wish to hear an additional 15 minutes, tune in WGN. The event will take place in the Chicago Stadium, with 50,000 expected to attend the rally.

National Chairman John D. M. Hamilton and Chauncey McCormick are slated to precede Senator Steiwer, who will deliver the notification speech. Col. Knox is expected to speak for about 30 minutes.

NBC decided to put the Knox ceremonies only on its Blue network tonight, thereby breaking Bing Crosby's record of political interruptions. Bing has assembled his usual interesting array of guests, which tonight is to include Dolores Costello Barrymore, Albert Spalding and Vera Van, singing star of last season's "May Wine." They'll be on WLW at 8 o'clock.

Speaking of guest artists and variety hours, Messrs. Crosby, Vallee, Bowes, Powell and the rest will have their only female rival impresario, Kate Smith, back again in September. Though vacationing at Lake Placid, Kate already is at work with her announcer-manager Ted Collins on the new 60-minute show.

The rotund songstress once more will bring listeners colorful figures from the world of sports and current events, and on-the-scene narratives of front page exploits. She also is planning plenty of new angles, which aren't to be revealed until opening night.

Folks will want to be sitting at home on Thursday night, this week, with Show Boat, the Vallee program, Bing Crosby, Major Bowes' "amateurs" and Kate Smith's "professionals" to choose from. And you ever notice, on the current Thursday WLW schedule, that Pleasant Valley, Rudy Vallee and Death Valley appear consecutively?

News-Week magazine is out to steal a march on "The March of Time." Beginning tonight, the weekly is to have part of Rudy Vallee's time for a dramatization of current events, whenever possible, they hope to have the persons actually concerned in the story before the microphone.

It will be interesting to see whether the real participants will be able to recite their stories for radio audiences with the realism that marks the Time magazine broadcasts.

Good Music

BY JAMES THRASHER

To call Frank Black "versatile" is to speak only half the truth. Versatile he certainly is, but he also possesses an almost unbelievable capacity for hard work.

As musical director for NBC, his 12 or more daily working hours at the studio are filled with rehearsals, broadcasts, arrangements, new compositions, copyrights and the business end of making radio music. How he finds time to read and review records for a monthly magazine, learn about the latest in music and crystallize their interpretations for public performance, and make guest appearances we do not know.

He is heard from time to time, however, outside his regular radio role; as his appearance this week as conductor of the Great Lakes Symphony Orchestra in Cleveland. Two of these concerts are to be broadcast, the first tonight at 7:30 o'clock on NBC's Blue network.

Tonight's program will contain three Wagnerian excerpts: "The Overture and Bacchanale from 'Tannhauser,' the 'Prelude and Love Death' from 'Tristan and Isolde,' and the 'Prelude to 'Die Meistersinger.' At 8:30 p. m. tomorrow over WIRE, Dr. Black is to conduct a part of Beethoven's Fifth Symphony and the 'Espana' Rhapsody of Chabrier.

Dr. Black was born in Philadelphia of Quaker parents. Intended as a successor to the dairy business that his father founded, young Frank's interest were diverted by music and chemistry. The latter he studied at Harvard College.

Upon graduation, he was offered two jobs, one as chemical engineer, the other playing piano in a Harrisburg hotel. He took the Harrisburg job, completed his New York weekly piano lessons with Raphael Jaffy, and finally came back to Philadelphia as leader of a theater orchestra and editor of a musical journal.

It was in his editorial capacity that Dr. Black met the Revelers Quartet, and became their coach and accompanist. His first radio work was a more serious nature was organization of his "string symphony," presenting works of Bach, Mozart and Beethoven. Another important early assignment was that of "conductor" on the series which featured the pianist, Josef Lheytens.

Few broadcasts are able to change their musical personality as quickly and completely as Dr. Frank Black. He may lead a "swing" band one hour, conduct a Bach concerto the next. But he manages always to retain his devotion to good music and his abiding faith in America as one of the world's most musical nations.

VIOLINIST'S DOG IS MUSIC CRITIC



If it works on the dog, it ought to work on the public, seems to be the opinion of Albert Spalding, distinguished American violinist who is to appear on Bing Crosby's program at 8 o'clock tonight, via WLW. The interested audience is Max, a Belgian police dog, who, as one of Mr. Spalding's "best friends and severest critics," sits in on many practice sessions in the violinist's Great Barrington, Mass., home.

THURSDAY EVENING PROGRAMS

(The Indianapolis Times is not responsible for inaccuracies in program announcements caused by station changes after press time.)

INDIANAPOLIS WFBM 1230 (CBS Net.)	INDIANAPOLIS WIRE 1400 (NBC Net.)	CINCINNATI WLW 700 (NBC-Mutual)	CHICAGO WGN 720 (Mutual Net.)
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He's Frank Galahad, Crumit's Wife Says

NEW YORK, July 30. — Frank Crumit should have been dealt a hand at King Arthur's Round Table. For when it comes to chivalry, the radio midgetologist is so-high with his co-star and missus.

At rehearsal Frank always carefully sets up Julia's microphone for her—and we be unto him who changes it. He insists on leading the band for the first rehearsal she gives selections. He sits in the control room to make sure everything sounds the way she likes it. And when they sing a duet, he lets her have the microphone.

Yes, sir, he's Galahad Crumit to his wife.

"That's the trouble with radio. You just get used to one job and you have to change," remarked Harry Forthick on leaving his sponsor after 14 years of continuous service with him.

Go-Goo will quack again Oct. 4 over a Coast-to-Coast network. Incidentally, Joe Penner will be present, too.

Even Show Boat, which for years has been content to let its own veteran company take care of the

Best Short Waves

THURSDAY

BERLIN—4:15 P. M.—"Don Juan," symphonic poem by Richard Strauss, DDD, 11.7 mcs.

TOKYO—5 P. M.—Overseas program, GSP, 13.1 mcs, GSP, 15.4 mcs.

LONDON—4:45 P. M.—The Castle of Dumbarton, GSP, 13.1 mcs, GSP, 15.4 mcs.

MADRID—8 P. M.—Children's program, Time Signal, RAO, 8.97 mcs.

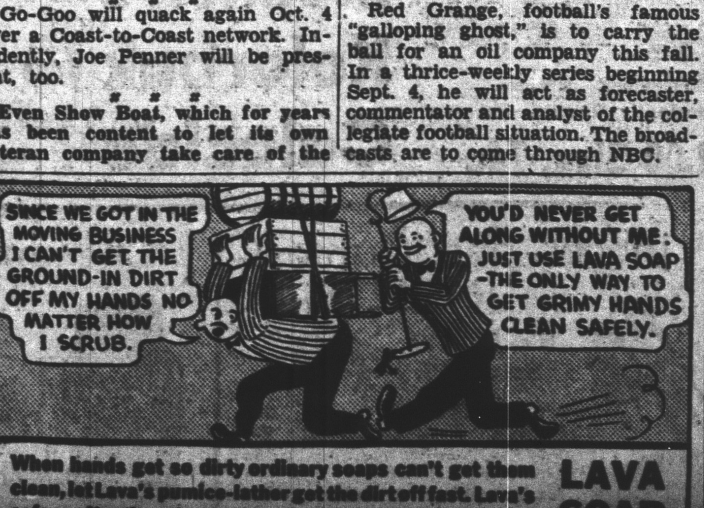
BERLIN—4:30 P. M.—The Radiating Race of Aeroplanes and Motor Cars to the City of the Olympic Games, DDD, 11.7 mcs.

CARACAS—7:30 P. M.—Popular orchestra, YVRO, 8.8 mcs.

LONDON—8:50 P. M.—Ancient Melodians, GSP, 11.7 mcs, GSP, 15.4 mcs.

Red Grange, football's famous "galloping ghost," is to carry the ball for an oil company this fall. In a three-weekly series beginning Sept. 4, he will act as spokesman, commentator and analyst of the college football situation. The broadcasts are to come through NBC.

When hands get so dirty ordinary soap can't get them clean, let Lava's wonder-soap get the dirt off fast. Lava's safe... its glycerine is good for the skin. Get Lava.



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With Major Hoople



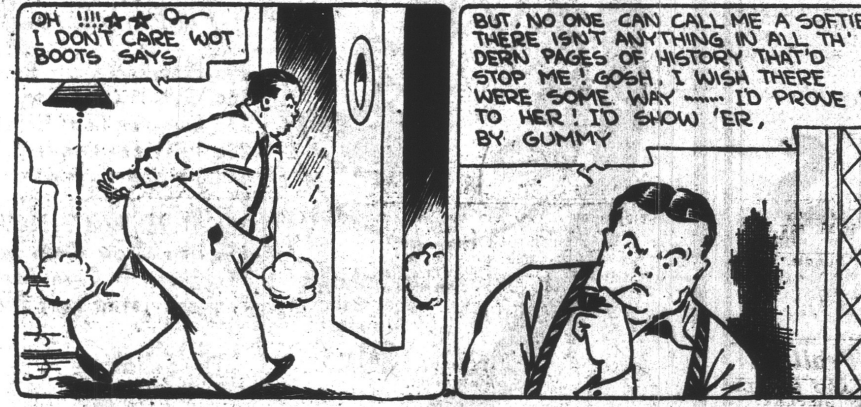
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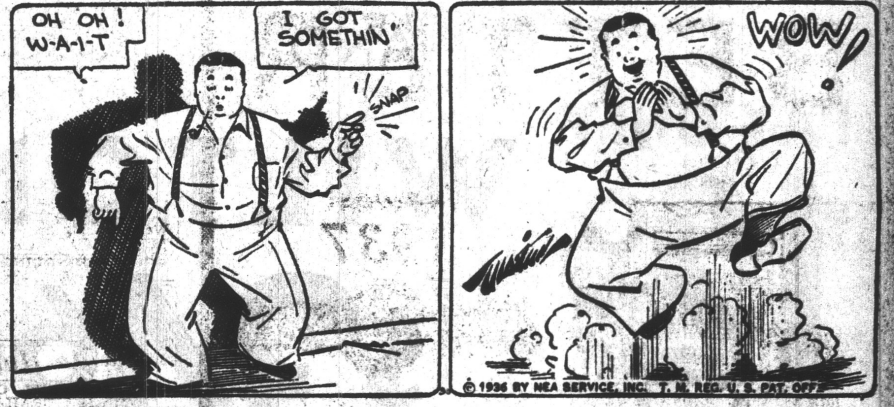
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By Al Capp



By Brinkerhoff



By Martin



By Blosser



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By Thompson and Cull

