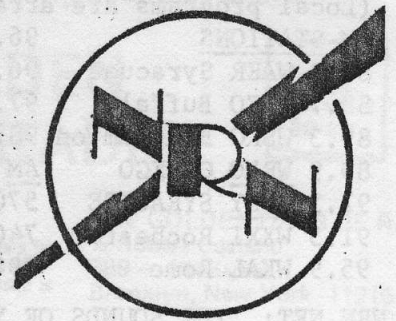




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And now... these messages

CHANGES: Gerry Orlando's program, COMEDY'S GOLDEN MOMENTS (WCNY-FM 91.3 Syracuse) moves to 6 to 8 pm effective May 23, 1976. Also, RAY BOYCE's show begins at 10 pm, effective May 7, with JAZZ REVISITED moving to Fri. 8:30 to 9 pm effective that same date (both are heard on WCNY-FM 91.3 Syracuse). NPR network has announced the following: THE GOON SHOW ends its first run and immediately goes into repeats (see WRVO-FM listings, page 6), and THIS IS RAGTIME ends its current series during May. All of these programming changes, and others, are reflected on pages 2, 6 and 8 of this issue of THE NOSTALGIA NEWSLETTER.

POWER: WRVO-FM 89.9 Oswego has announced that its power increase (which will make its signal and programming available to many more Central NY listeners, and improve the quality for many others) will be in effect by early July, possibly earlier (assuming no unexpected weather delays or technical problems).

GROWTH: Last issue we told you THE NOSTALGIA NEWSLETTER would be 8 pages every month - well, we were wrong! This issue is our first 10-page issue, and next month's may be even larger. And, as this is typed, we have 189 subscribers - an increase from last month's record number. Thanks to all of you, our subscribers, and to these advertisers and underwriters: THE H.J. EKLUND COMPANY (page 9), TED NETTLETON PHOTOGRAPHS and RATCLIFF RADIO & TV SERVICE (page 5), THE GOLDEN DAYS OF RADIO MAGAZINE and ROB (page 3), and STEVE LEWIS (page 7). Support them!

CON: THE FIRST ANNUAL NOSTALGIA MINI-CON will be held at the studios of WCNY-FM at 506 Old Liverpool Road, Liverpool, NY (just north of Syracuse, off Int. 81 and NY 57) on SAT. JUNE 26, 1976. Exhibits will open, and film showings will take place, from 10 AM to 10 PM. Special old-time radio and nostalgia broadcasts are scheduled from 7 AM to 8 PM. ALL EVENTS, AND PARKING, ARE FREE! (Cont'd page 7).

"SOUNDS OF YESTERDAY" SPECIALS: May is birthday month for Bing Crosby (72 on May 2), Fred Astaire (77 on May 10) and Bob Hope (73 on May 29). Special birthday salutes are planned for each on THE SOUNDS OF YESTERDAY. For dates and details, see page 10 of this issue.

MORE INSIDE: PROGRAMMING: See pages 2, 6, 8 & 10. WHERE TO TUNE: See page 2. ARTICLES & FEATURES: See pages 4 & 7 (& above). MOVIES: page 4. ADS: pages 3, 5, 7 & 9. MORE NEWS: pg. 7.



IF THIS BOX IS MARKED, YOU MUST RENEW NOW OR NO MORE ISSUES WILL BE SENT! SEND \$1.25, \$2.50 OR MORE TO: THE SOUNDS OF YESTERDAY, THE NOSTALGIA RADIO NETWORK, BOX 24, LIVERPOOL, NEW YORK 13088. Make remittance payable to -- THE SOUNDS OF YESTERDAY. Please mention if you hear the program on WCNY-FM or WRVO-FM.

P WHERE TO TUNE FOR OLD-TIME RADIO & NEW-RADIO SHOWS & NOSTALGIA IN CENTRAL NY:
 A (Local programs are arranged by station, & network shows by network, in listings below)
 G FM STATIONS 96.3 CFMK Kingston# 870 WHCU Ithaca 1390 WFBL Syracuse
 E 88.3 WAER Syracuse 96.9 WOOR Utica 930 WBEN Buffalo 1420 WALY Herkimer
 88.7 WBFO Buffalo 97.3 WHCU Ithaca 940 CBM Montreal+ 1450 WKAL Rome
 2 89.3 WSKG Binghamton 98.3 CKLC Kingston# 950 WIBX Utica SHORTWAVE STATIONS
 89.9 WRVO OSWEGO AM STATIONS 960 CKWS Kingston# 6085 49 CBC Int'l Svc
 91.3 WCNY SYRACUSE 570 WSyr Syracuse 1180 WHAM Rochester khz m
 91.5 WXXI Rochester 740 CBL Toronto# 1340 WMBO Auburn
 95.9 WKAL Rome 790 WNY Watertown 1350 WRNY Rome #: Ontario; +: Quebec.

NRN NET: THE SOUNDS OF YESTERDAY - WCNY-FM SAT. 6 to 8 pm X WRVO-FM following FRI. 8 to 10 pm X Allen Rockford & Don Richardson, co-hosts. Featuring THE GOON SHOW from NPR. (Begins @ 5 pm on WCNY-FM on 5/29). SEE PAGE 10.

WCNY-FM: COMEDY'S GOLDEN MOMENTS - Gerry Orlando, host. SUN. 5:30-7:30 pm 5/2, 5/9 & 5/16, then 6 to 8 pm 5/23 and after. SEE PAGE 8.
 RAY BOYCE - big bands, jazz & nostalgia - now FRI. 10:00 pm to 1 am.

WAER-FM: THE BEST OF OLD-TIME RADIO - THU. 7 to 7:30 pm - Allen Rockford, host. PAGE 6.
 BROADWAY & ALL THAT JAZZ - THU. 7:30 to 8 pm - Anthony Wellman, host. PAGE 6.

WRVO-FM: GREAT RADIO MYSTERIES - WED. 6 to 6:30 pm, rptd Sun. 7 to 7:30 pm. PAGE 6.
 RADIO THEATRE - SUN. 10 to 11 pm - dramas from old & new radio series. PAGE 6.

CBS NET: CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATRE (7 nights per week on all stations) - WFBL-AM 12:06 to 1 am X WBEN-AM 11:30 pm to 12:24 am X WIBX-AM 11:06 pm to Midnight X WHAM-AM 10:06 to 11 pm X WNY-AM 8:06 to 9 pm X WHCU-FM 7:06 to 8 pm.

NPR NET: THE GOON SHOW - See NRN NET above - ALSO: WRVO-FM SUN. 12:30 to 1 pm, rptd SAT. 8:30 to 9 pm (SEE PAGE 6) X WBFO-FM SUN. 7:30 to 8 pm.
 JAZZ REVISITED - WCNY-FM FRI. 8:30 to 9 pm, rptd SAT. 5:30 to 6 pm X WRVO-FM SAT. & SUN. 7:30 to 8 pm (diff. shows) X WSKG-FM SAT. 6:30 to 7 pm.
 THIS IS RAGTIME - WCNY-FM (Ends 5/16) SUN. 7:30 to 8 pm X WRVO-FM SAT. 8-8:30.
 I'M SORRY, I'LL READ THAT AGAIN! - WRVO-FM WED. 5:30 to 6 pm, rptd SAT. 7 pm.

MBS NET: NIGHTWATCH (5-minute dramas) - WSyr-AM SAT. @ 8:15, 9:05 pm; SUN. @ 7:45, 8:15, 9:05 pm X WMBO-AM TUE.-SAT. @ 12:05 am X WALY-AM MON.-FRI. @ 8:30 pm.

WOOR-FM: MARVEL COMICS ON THE AIR: THE FANTASTIC FOUR (5-min. adv.) - MON.-FRI. @ 8:30 am, rptd @ 8:30 pm.

WHCU-AM & FM: SOUNDS OF THE PAST - SUN. 4:06 to 5 pm - musical nostalgia & OTR excerpts.

WKAL-AM & FM: MAKE BELIEVE BALLROOM (big bands) - SUN. 9:35 to 10:30 am.

WRNY-AM: BEST OF THE BIG BANDS - SUN. 10:05 to 11:30 am.

WXXI-FM: BIG BAND GO-ROUND - SUN. 1 to 3 pm.

CKLC-FM: NOSTALGIA NIGHT - SUN. 5 to 7 pm - Includes complete ½-hr. old-time radio show; Those Great Years of the Movies; 60 minutes of big band music.

CFMK-FM: GUILD HALL MYSTERY THEATRE - SAT. 6:30 to 7 pm - Drama & horror, produced by Queens University.

CKWS-AM: RADIO'S GOLDEN AGE - SAT. 6 to 6:30 pm, SUN. 7 to 7:30 pm - complete ½-hr shows.

CBM-AM: DRAGNET - MON. 5 to 5:30 pm - starring Jack Webb & Barton Yarborough.

CBC NET: ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FARCE - CKWS-AM SAT. 6:33 to 7 pm (comedy)†.

ANTHOLOGY - CKWS-AM SAT. 10:03 to 11 pm (drama)†.

DR. BUNDOLO'S PANDEMONIUM MEDICINE SHOW - CFMK-FM & CKWS-AM SAT. 11:10 to 11:40 pm (satire, parody)†.

INSIDE FROM THE OUTSIDE - CFMK-FM & CBC-SW FRI. 7:30 to 8 pm (satire)†.

CBC STAGE - CFMK-FM SAT. 8:30 to 9:27 pm (drama)†.

BUSH & SALON - CFMK-FM SUN. 3:03 to 4 pm (drama)†.

CBC PLAYHOUSE - CFMK-FM SUN. 10:30 to 11 pm (mystery, horror, fantasy)†.

† Some CBC shows may be heard on CBL-AM &/or CBM-AM (both 50,000 watts). Times may vary.

LATE NEWS NOTE: Charles Michelson, Inc., New York City distributor of vintage radio shows has made a deal with V & R Advertising (NYC ad agency) for bartering (trading out) of "Gunsmoke", "The Shadow", "Tarzan", "Fibber McGee & Molly" in top-75 radio markets... This practice is now common in TV, but "new" (actually revived) for radio.

FREE: For a free copy of the WRVO-FM PROGRAM GUIDE, write JOHN KRAUSS, WRVO-FM, Lanigan Hall, SUNY, Oswego, NY 13126. Mention you saw it here!

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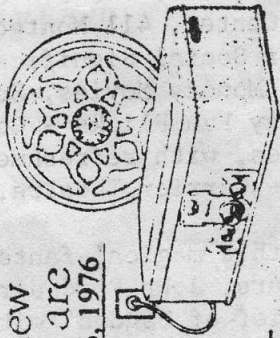
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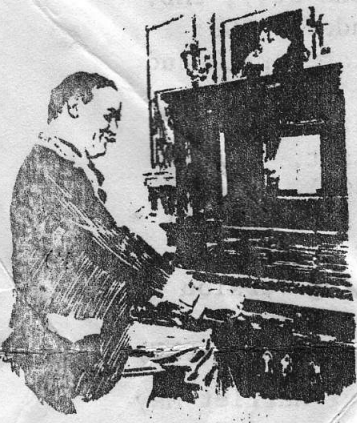
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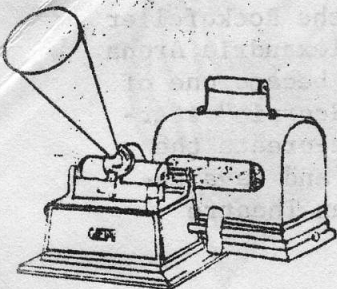
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