

Radio-Television

TELE-VIEWS

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By DAVE BLACKMER

Salem radio and television fans are already beginning to respond to our call trying to find Red Skelton fans in this area . . . Many think they should can Milton Berle and put Red on more often . . . Others say Red is funny at some times . . . Join in the poll, drop Tele-Views your ideas on Red . . .

KPTV's contest for Miss TV of '53 is currently in full swing . . . Several hundred photos already entered . . . For further info write to KPTV . . . Maybe we can have another Salem winner, following Mrs. Sarah Whitney's triumphant win Tuesday in the centenarian contest.

Local service station has a television set in their office . . . Service station operators don't have to miss their favorite TV show . . . Customer buying gas can go in and watch Red Buttons, Mr. Peppers, etc., while gent is checking gas, oil, tires and so on . . . Wonder if they have a hard time shooing away the crowd?

YOURS FOR THE TELE-VIEWING

THURSDAY

Kate Smith Show, at 1:00. The Kateds, DeMarco sisters and America sings.

Matinee Theater at 3:00. "The Girl Who Dared." Lorna Gray, Peter Cookson.

MY Hero at 7:00. Beanblossom's marvelous memory wins him an important mission to Washington with a "Top Secret."

Burns and Allen at 8:30 A make-up man whistles in Geo. and Gracie's dressing room at they prepare to do "Romeo and Juliet." The superstition prompts Gracie to hide the car so George won't have an accident.

The Unexpected at 9:00. "Leopards in Lightning." Group goes into the plateau country of Congo Basin and members of the safari were never heard from again. American detective unravels the mystery.

Ford Theater at 9:30. Dan Duryea, George Brent in "Double Exposure."

Hollywood Wrestling at 10:30. Mr. Moto and Hans Schnabel vs. Lord James Blears and Bobby Managoff. (tag teams).

FRIDAY

Kate Smith Show at 1:00 Eddie Heywood trio; teenage segment with four foreign students; singers from Israel—Cantor Samuel Malavsky and his six children presenting the Jewish Seder service.

Matinee Theater at 3:00. "Whispering Footsteps." John Hubbard, Rita Quigley.

Quix Kids at 5:00. Fran Allison of Kukla, Fran and Ollie as guest star.

Cavalcade of Sports at 7:00. Paddy Young of New York vs. Ernie Durando of Bayone, N.J., 12-round middleweight bout from Madison Square Garden.

Big Story at 9:00. Rudy Haas of San Francisco Examiner finds a new angle to help solve the murder of San Francisco's best-known women golfer.

Dennis Day Show at 10:00. Dennis discovers he is the object of affection of seven-year-old Susan and also Susan's teacher.

Favorite Story at 10:30. "The Fury." Conflict on small island off Italian coast. Poor fisherman is constantly re-buffed by girl he has loved since his childhood.

Nite Owl Theater at 11:45. "It Could Happen to You." Alan Baxter, Owen Davis.

VERY HAPPY AT 103



Mrs. Shara Whitney, 1270 North 16th, was the happiest woman in Salem Tuesday afternoon following a presentation of a trophy she won after being announced the "most beautiful centenarian in Oregon." Mrs. Whitney is 103 years of age. Jan Webster, public relations agent for Portland television station KPTV, is shown making the presentation of the cup.

Corona Borealis Is Visible On Clear Nights This Week

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The skies above us glitter with the stellar lights which have since ancient times been familiar to all who have learned the art of looking up. From the earth these distant stars often seem to fall into natural groupings which, according to the more imaginative, outline various inanimate objects, animals and heroes.

We still use most of the designations given the stellar groups—we call them constellations—by the classical nations a few thousand years ago. Perhaps most of these groups look very little like the objects they are supposed to depict, yet there are some in which the resemblance is quite marked. We shall attempt here to point out one such constellation, Corona Borealis, or the Northern Crown.

On Television

KPTV (Channel 27)

(Only programs scheduled in advance)

- THURSDAY**
- 11:00 a.m.—Freedom Rides
 - 11:30 a.m.—Hollywood Reel
 - 11:45 a.m.—Garry Moore
 - 12:00 p.m.—Big Patrol
 - 12:30 p.m.—Welcome Travelers
 - 1:00 p.m.—Kate Smith
 - 1:30 p.m.—Feminine Angia
 - 2:15 p.m.—Arthur Godfrey
 - 2:30 p.m.—Strike It Rich
 - 3:00 p.m.—Matinee Theater
 - 4:15 p.m.—Search for Tomorrow
 - 4:30 p.m.—Love of Life
 - 4:45 p.m.—Suzanne Truett Fiction
 - 5:00 p.m.—Howdy Doody
 - 6:00 p.m.—Range Rider
 - 6:30 p.m.—Doris Edwards, News
 - 6:45 p.m.—Time for Beany
 - 7:30 p.m.—Dinah Shore
 - 7:45 p.m.—News Caravan
 - 8:00 p.m.—Frodocho Marx
 - 8:30 p.m.—Burns and Allen
 - 8:50 p.m.—The Unexpected
 - 9:30 p.m.—Nite Owl
 - 10:00 p.m.—Martin Kane, Detective
 - 10:30 p.m.—Hollywood Wrestling
 - 11:30 p.m.—Nite Owl
- FRIDAY**
- 12:00 a.m.—Big Payoff
 - 12:30 p.m.—Welcome Travelers
 - 1:00 p.m.—Kate Smith
 - 2:00 p.m.—Double or Nothing
 - 2:30 p.m.—Strike It Rich
 - 3:00 p.m.—Matinee Theater
 - 4:15 p.m.—Search for Tomorrow
 - 4:30 p.m.—Love of Life
 - 4:50 p.m.—Quix Kids
 - 5:30 p.m.—Roy Rogers
 - 6:00 p.m.—Claco Kid
 - 6:30 p.m.—Doris Edwards, News
 - 6:45 p.m.—Time for Beany
 - 7:00 p.m.—Cavalcade of Sports
 - 7:45 p.m.—News Caravan
 - 8:00 p.m.—Abbott and Costello
 - 8:30 p.m.—You Asked for It
 - 8:50 p.m.—Big Story
 - 9:30 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs. North
 - 10:00 p.m.—Dennis Day
 - 10:30 p.m.—Adolph Menjou
 - 11:00 p.m.—Club Embassy
 - 11:15 p.m.—Life of Riley
 - 11:30 p.m.—Nite Owl
 - 11:45 p.m.—Nite Owl

At about 10 p.m. any night this week look toward the east. High in the sky a bright star, orange in color, will be easily seen. It is the only one of that brilliance in that general region of the heavens. This is Arcturus. From this star, trace to the left a short distance through some fainter stars, then down a little. If the air is quite clear, you will see a little half circle of about half a dozen rather faint stars. The open part of the figure is toward the left. This is the Northern Crown. The brightest object is Alphecca, the gem of the crown. It is sometimes called Gemma.

According to one Greek myth, this is the crown presented by Athenian Theseus to Ariadne, daughter of the king of Crete, after her scheming had saved Theseus from the terrible monster in the labyrinthian cave to which her father attempted to sacrifice him. Another classical story names Bacchus as the donor of the crown after Theseus had deserted Ariadne.

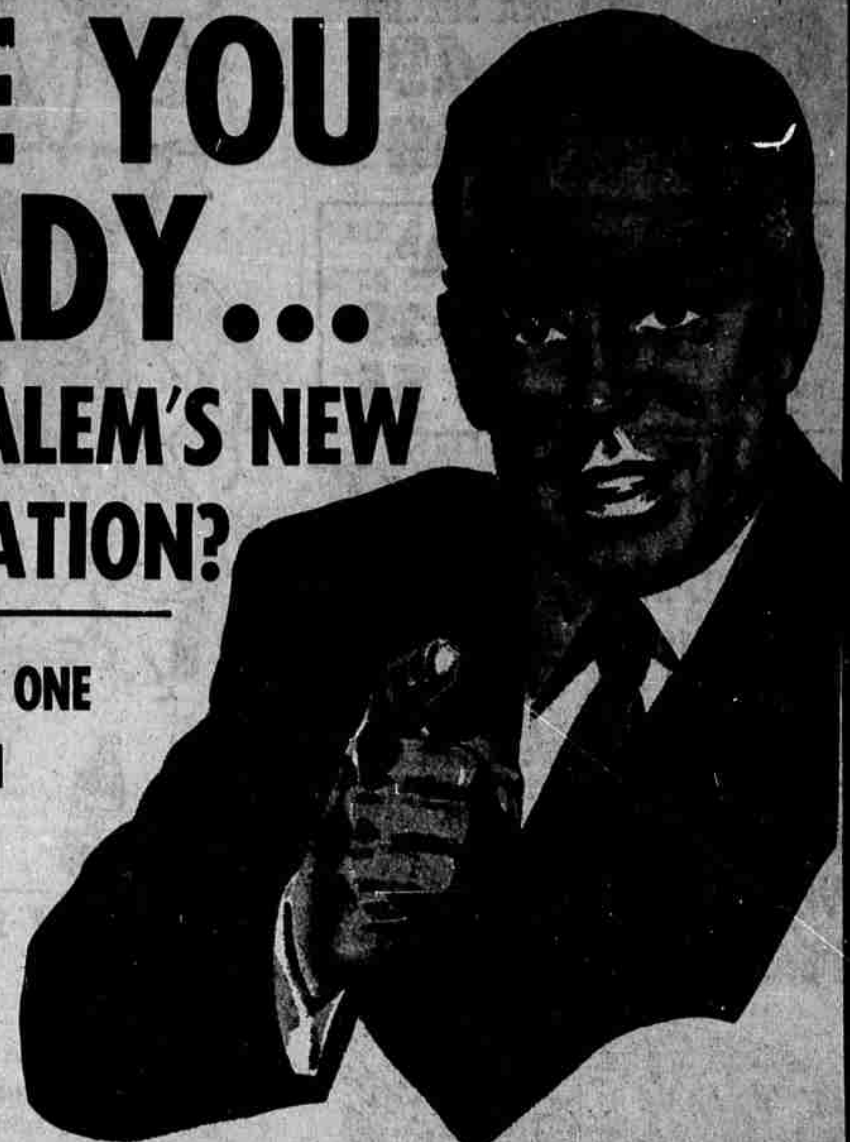
But surely a more pleasing legend is that of the American Shawnee Indians. To them the stars of this charming sky-group were the Celestial Sisters. One day White Hawk, a mighty hunter, when in search of game, suddenly emerged from the woods onto an extensive prairie. He was greatly amazed when he came upon a large circular path beaten in the grass but with no trail leading from the outside.

As White Hawk stood wondering at the unusual sight, suddenly there came slowly floating down from the blue heavens a silver basket carrying a bevy of beautiful maidens. When the basket gently alighted on the ground, the maidens leaped out and began dancing around the circular beaten path, one keeping time on a silver ball.

White Hawk hurried toward them, but the Celestial Sisters—for that was who they were—ran swiftly to their basket and soon were on their way back to the azure skies where now at night they shine in the half circle of stars known to us as the Northern Crown.

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