

'Downeast Smile-In'-Yankee humour series on ETV

Heard the one about Mr. Perkins' privy, Ed Grant's flying stove, or the unusual funeral of Aunt Mehitable? These and other tall tales of Maine are part of a series of three programs in color, "A Downeast Smile-In," with storyteller Marshall Dodge. The first of the series will be seen Sunday, August 16 at 7:30 p.m. on the Nebraska Educational Television Network.

Filed in rugged Maine, "A Downeast Smile-In" brings to public television the unique character and humor of the downeast Yankee, humor which has made Marshall Dodge famous with collectors of interesting records through his albums of "Bert and I" stories. Maine's rocky coast is used as a backdrop for stories of sailing ships, lobstermen, and the funeral of poor Aunt Mehitable, who turned out to be an admiral in full dress uniform. It's humor with a poke, not a punch, when NETN viewers watch this new series. "A

Downeast Smile-In" was produced by the Maine ETV Network under a grant from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

Outstanding Nebraska high school basketball players from across the state will be seen Saturday, August 22 at 8 p.m. when the Nebraska Educational Television Network presents coverage of the Second Annual Nebraska High School All-Star Basketball Game.

The game, which is sponsored by the Nebraska Coaches Association, takes place at Pershing Auditorium in Lincoln on Friday, August 21. It features a North and South squad comprised of top high school basketball players. Over 4,000 spectators attended the event last year and a record crowd is expected this year.

Versatility may be the key for the South squad in that half of the members of the 12-man squad performed at more than one position during their high school careers. Commenting on

the team, South head coach Bill Kropp of Aurora and assistant coach Bill Ramsay of Cozad said they are looking for a "pretty mobile club."

Height, and plenty of it, marks the North squad selected this year by the Nebraska Coaches Association for its second All-Star Game. The North averages 6-3; an inch per man taller than last year when the North dropped a 60-45 contest. North coach Gene Kruger of Elkhorst says "the size of the squad is impressive." He is assisted by Bob Morris of Alliance.

Chet Atkins is nationally known as "Mr. Guitar," and he takes the nickname seriously. On Sunday night, August 16 at 9 p.m. Atkins joins Arthur Fiedler and the Boston Pops on "Evening at Pops" in a night of the best guitar music in or outside of Nashville.

Although Atkins is considered a country-western artist, he is comfortable with any kind of music. On the "Evening at Pops" colorcast, he is soloist in

a medley of American traditional songs and in the lively "Battle of New Orleans" and "Sugarfoot Rag."

Again with the Pops, Atkins performs Cobb's "Alabama Jubilee," and the perennially whistled, "Colonel Bogey March." On his own, Nashville's Mr. Guitar will play a selection of romantic themes, including "Autumn Leaves," "Lara's Theme" (from the film "Dr. Zhivago") and the brisk theme from "Zorba the Greek."

Also on the program as performed by Arthur Fiedler and the Pops, are Sousa's sprightly "Washington Post March," and Copland's "An Outdoor Overture." Anderson's "Irish Suite," and a Pops arrangement of last year's superhit "Those Were The Days."

"House and Home on Vacation" seen Sunday, August 16 at 5 p.m. will visit Scout's Rest Ranch, the home of Buffalo Bill Cody in North Platte. Program hostess Janet Huss visits with historian George LeRoy about

Cody's life. Historic articles on display in the museum will be shown and discussed. Later in the week on Thursday, August 20 at 7:30 p.m. the program visits Pine Ridge Recreation Branch.

Two nationally outstanding children's programs have special guests this week on the Nebraska Educational Television Network.

Dead-pan comedian Pat Paulsen, folk-singer Pete Seeger and soul-singer Lou Rawls visit "Sesame Street" which is seen in color at 4:30 p.m. daily Monday through Friday. Paulsen stops by to visit the residents of the famous street on Monday, August 17; Seeger sings Wednesday, August 19; and Rawls visits Thursday, August 20.

Internationally famous American pianist Van Cliburn plays the first piano piece he learned when he visits "Misterogers Neighborhood" Monday, August 14. Bobby

Rashorne plays his drums during his visit to the neighborhood Tuesday, August 18. The program is seen in color daily Monday through Friday at 5:30 p.m.

Of special interest to NETN viewers this week are the following programs:

— "NET Festival-Cukor," Tuesday, August 18, 8 p.m. in color. Hollywood director George Cukor discusses his forty-year career with cinematographer William Fraker. Segments from some of his great films are shown including "Gaslight," "Camille," and "David Copperfield."

— "Spectrum," Tuesday, August 18, 9:30 p.m. in color, examines the plight of six million "problem drinkers" on the program "The Alcoholic American." The program looks at the alcoholic and his family — what their medical and social problems are, and what kinds of treatment are available.



Photo by Jim Dean

71-year-old Clyde Torrey of Swans Islands, Maine, and Marshall Dodge appear in "A Downeast Smile-In," on channel 12 at 7:30 p.m. Sunday.

Chem profs in Europe

Four members of the Department of Chemistry at the University of Nebraska have received grants to study and conduct research and to study at the Institute of Physical Chemistry. Dr. Eckhardt will return to the campus in September while Dr. Buecker will be on leave during the fall semester.

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Dr. Lawrence Parkhurst is in Napoli, Italy at the Consiglio Nazionale Delle Ricerche Laboratorio Di Embriologia Molecolare. He received a senior faculty fellowship to study in Italy and will return to the campus in September.

During the month of September Dr. D. M. S. Wheeler will study at the School of Pharmacy at the University of London under a NATO fellowship. He will work on techniques that will be useful in studying some chemical problems involving fungi pathogenic to trees.

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Ag College grads stay in Nebraska

Almost 60 per cent of the students who graduated with a Bachelor's Degree from the University of Nebraska College of Agriculture in 1964 still reside in the state, and 80 per cent of those who have left Nebraska would return if comparable jobs were available, a recent survey reveals.

Assistant Director of Residence Instruction Stanley Matzke, Jr., of the NU College of Agriculture, announced that the survey — taken annually of the Ag College class which graduated five years previously — revealed 23 of 106 replying graduates (22 per cent) farming in 1969, with 42 (40 per cent) employed in business and industry, and 14 (13 per cent) working for governmental agencies. Others were distributed in educational work, military service and graduate study.

Most 75 per cent of the 1964 graduates classified themselves as having an agricultural or ag-related occupation in 1969, and about 50 per cent of the graduates noted that they had vocational agriculture in high school, Matzke said. "Those actually engaged in production agriculture operated an average of 1,778 acres in 1969 — a sizable operation in most areas of the state."

Students graduating in 1964 realized incomes in 1969 ranging from \$1,300 (military service) to \$35,000, with an average for those working full time of \$10,623, Matzke pointed out.

Also of significance was the finding that more than three of every 10 students who graduated in 1964 have attained an M.S. or Ph.D. degree, or are currently working towards that goal. Thirty-five of the 106 students (33 per cent) furthered their education at the University of Nebraska or at one of 18 other graduate schools across the nation.

"The College of Agriculture is constantly being made aware of the needs reflected through our graduates so that the College's education programs can be adjusted accordingly. We make the findings and criticisms on the annual surveys available to our faculty so that changes can be implemented as needed," Matzke concluded.

Home Ec girls get on-the-job experience

Cambridge, England — Brazil, South America — San Francisco, California. These are several of the cities, near and far, that are serving as on-the-job classrooms for University of Nebraska College of Home Economics food and nutrition majors.

Seven recent food and nutrition graduates are fulfilling a one year internship requirement before they are recognized as dietitians by the American Dietetic Association (ADA). Three women taking internship appointments at universities, including the University of Nebraska, are including graduate work in their internship program. The NU program leads to a master's degree as well as ADA certification.

The Externship Program gives dietetic undergraduates a salary, college credit and relevant work experience before graduation. The 21 women enrolled in this program are working at hospitals and universities throughout the country and overseas. Two women are taking their externship with the People To People Program in Europe.

ETV Schedule for August 11-25

- TUESDAY, AUGUST 11**
- 4:30 SESAME STREET (Color) Bob Opar and the children discuss transportation. Oscar explains why you can't drive a car across the ocean. Letters: L, K, N, Numbers: 6 & 7. The Anything Muppets sing "Yellow Submarine" and "Seven Dials."
 - 5:30 MISTEROGERS' NEIGHBORHOOD (Color) Misterogers works on his surprise present for Mr. McFeely's birthday. Chet Brockert stops by and asks Misterogers to guess what his gift will be. Teenage gymnasts work out at the Castle gym.
 - 6:00 TYPE RIGHT Lesson No. 10. Introduces new keys "3, 7, 7" (UoN).
 - 6:30 SONIA MALKINE ON CAMPUS (Color) Michael Cooney joins Sonia Malkine in this concert in the Dickinson College Studio Theatre.
 - 7:00 FACT OF THE MATTER (Color) Harry Homewood, veteran news analyst and Chicago Sun Times editorial writer, analyzes the week's top news. (CEN)
 - 7:30 THE BOOKSHELF Drs. Clarence Forsberg and Darrel Berg review "Between Parent and Teenagers" by Haim G. Ginott. (UoN)
 - 8:00 NET FESTIVAL (Color) "In the Name of Allah" presents recitations from the Koran and the lights of the city of Mecca in this documentary examination of Islam, the fastest growing religion in the world. Actor James Janssen. (UoN)
 - 9:30 BACKYARD FARMER R.F.D. A panel of agricultural information specialists answer questions mailed in by viewers concerning lawn, garden and household care. George Round hosts. (UoN)
 - 10:00 TYPE RIGHT Lesson No. 11. Introduces new keys "5, 9," and "drag-in." (UoN)
 - 10:30 THE FORSYTE SAGA "The Afternoon of a Dryad" repeats from Sun., Aug. 7, 8 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12**
- 4:30 SESAME STREET (Color) Today there are sidewalk games on Sesame Street. Big Bird tries them all. Letters: L, K, 2, Numbers: 9 & 10. Susan tells what happens when letters of the alphabet decide to change places.
 - 5:30 MISTEROGERS' NEIGHBORHOOD (Color) Miss Emille reads a book about old mother turtle and her little turtle one, and Misterogers has some live turtles.
 - 6:00 TYPE RIGHT Lesson No. 11. Introduces new keys "5 and 9," and "drag-in." (UoN)
 - 6:30 YOU ARE THERE The camera returns to day 25, 1947 to record the story of a professor's struggle to educate the blind in "The Triumph of Braille."
 - 7:00 MAGGIE AND THE BEAUTIFUL MACHINES (Color) Maggie and the beautiful machines (made of rubber and steel) that give her life. She points out that everyone has their own.
 - 7:30 EVENING AT POPS (Color) The Boston Pops with guest conductor Tyrone Thomas. (UoN)
 - 8:30 BOOK BEAT (Color) Robert Cromie interviews William Gaylin, M.D., author of "The Service of My Country: War Resisters in Prison."
 - 9:00 ON BEING BLACK (Color) Top comedians Dick Gregory, Redd Foxx, Mabley, Stu Gilliam, and Timmie Rogers appear in "Laughing to Keep From Crying." Their laughter is about the black American each knows so well and about white America, too. Leon Bibb hosts.
 - 10:00 ACCENT (Color) Paul Zouhary and Gilbert Kalish perform "Southwest's Sonnets in a Major, Op. 7, No. 1."
 - 10:30 SPEAKING FREELY (Color) Veteran Hollywood actor James Stewart discusses his career with host Edwin Newman.
- THURSDAY, AUGUST 13**
- 4:30 SESAME STREET (Color) Kermit the Frog has problems giving a lecture on the Letter S, and a cooperative monitor helps him. Letters: L, K, N, Numbers: 6 & 7. Bob and the children clap and play games in rhythm.
 - 5:30 MISTEROGERS' NEIGHBORHOOD (Color) Misterogers visits the workshop of Mr. Zandavus, a glassblower, who is making a small glass bicycle for Mr. McFeely.
 - 6:00 P.A.R.L. ELEMENTARY PROCEDURES (Color) Lesson focuses on "Subsidiary Relations." (UoN)
 - 6:30 CAREERS (Color) "The Clergy" is discussed by several members of the clergy and four high school students.
 - 7:00 WASHINGTON WEEK IN REVIEW (Color) Washington correspondents Peter Lispage, Chicago Daily News, Neil MacNeil, Time Magazine, and Paul Gardner, The Baltimore Sun analyze key issues behind the headlines. (NET)
 - 7:30 HOUSE AND HOME ON VACATION Janet Huss visits Scout's Rest Ranch, the home of Buffalo Bill Cody in North Platte. Historian George LeRoy will discuss Cody's life and show articles on display in the museum. (UoN)
 - 8:00 AMERICA (Color) "The Outer Islands" allows viewers to go island-hopping, by land, sea and air. Focus on seldom-seen locations in the state of Hawaii. Jack Douglas hosts.
 - 8:30 WORLD PRESS (Color) Roger Boas moderates this weekly report of commentary on major events as published in the foreign press. (NET)
 - 9:00 1958 (Color) Metromedia's vivid view of the environment is a fictionalized account of what will happen to this country if the worst that is predicted happens. Mike Evans, anchor, shows how from pollution-ridden 1985, is pathetically polling his correspondents, one by one, in interlocking order.
 - 9:30 BACKYARD FARMER Viewers call questions on lawn, garden, and household care to the studio of Shoppers' KUDN studio in LINCOLN CALL 422-7111 in Omaha call 558-1404. (UoN)
 - 10:00 TYPE RIGHT Lesson No. 12. Introduces new keys "4, 8, 0," and line length. (UoN)
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