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Light's Jubilee To Be Broadcast

Four T-V Networks To Carry Spectacular

Victor Young, noted composer and conductor, will be musical director of "Light's Diamond Jubilee," it has been announced by David O. Selznick, producer of the two-hour four-network television spectacular to be broadcast on October 24 as the climax of this year's celebration of the 75th anniversary of Edison's invention of the electric light.

Young will compose a complete original musical score for the show, Selznick said, and he will have charge of all musical arrangements for the program. He will also conduct a large orchestra which will be especially assembled for the show. In announcing the signing of

Young, Selznick made it clear that "Light's Diamond Jubilee" will not be predominently a musical show. However, he said that he still cannot divulge the nature of the program, which has been called "the best kept secret in Hollywood."

Prior to today's announcement, Selznick had revealed that both Helen Hayes and Joseph Cotten have been signed for the show. 'Casting is in its final stages, Selznick said, and he expects to announce the signing of a number of other top-flight stars in the very near future.

In addition to Young, Selznick will have at least two other great names on his side of the television cameras when "Light's Diamond Jubilee" is broadcast on October 24. Ben Hecht, noted author and dramatist, arrived in Hollywood earlier this week for conferences with Selznick and to put the finishing touches on the master script of the show.

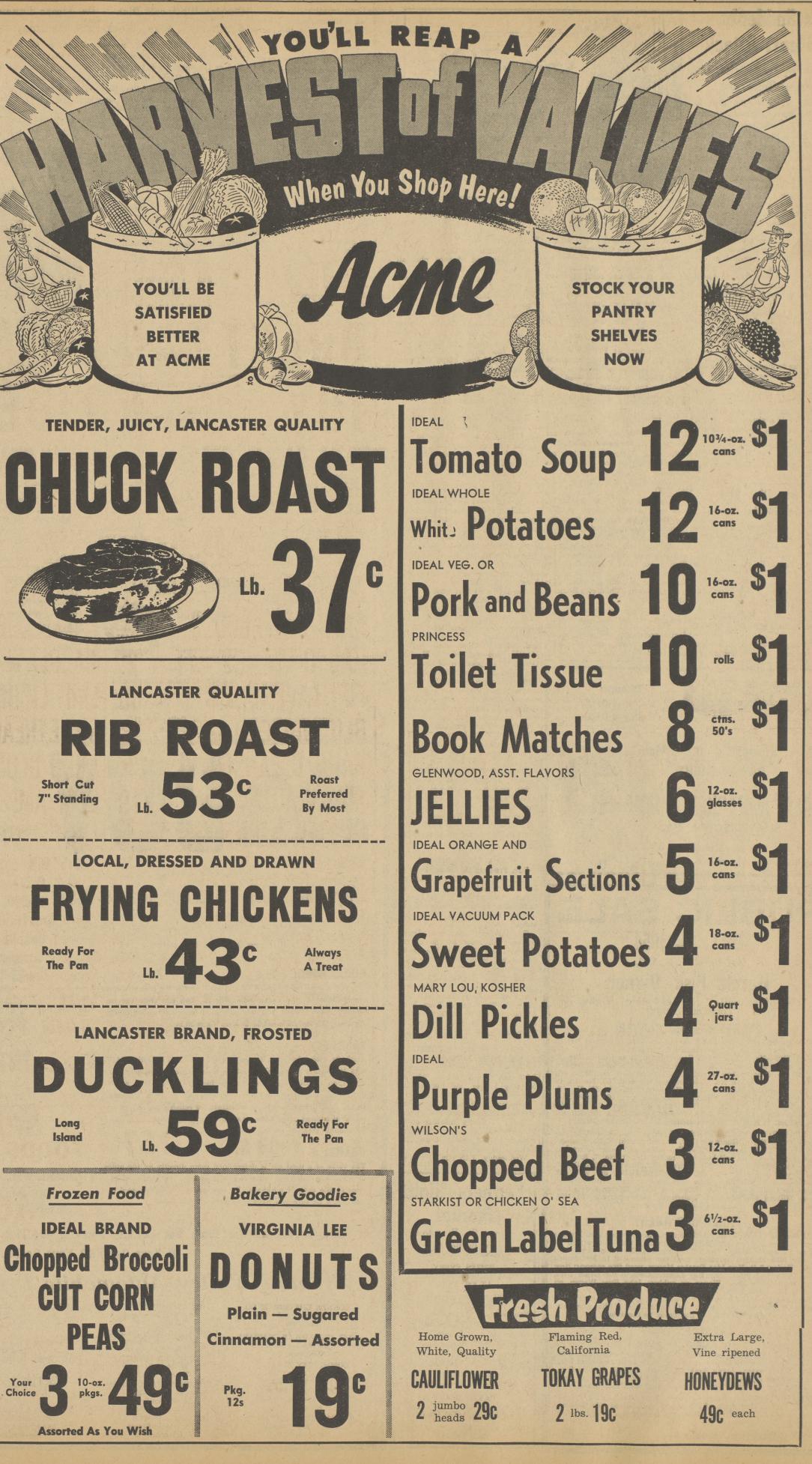
King Vidor, the director whose film credits include great pictures all the way back to "The Big Parade," will make his television debut as director of an important section of "Light's Diamond Jubilee."

Some 300 companies and organizations of the electrical industries throughout the country are celebrating the 75 years of electrical progress that started with Edison's invention of the electric light. That celebration reaches a climax on October 24 with the broadcast of "Light's Diamond Jubilee" over 310 interconnected stations, the largest network in television history.

Selznick will make his television debut with the show, which is expected to be the biggest spectacular in a season of spectaculars. Both Cotten and Vidor, who are with him on this show, were also with him in "Duel in the Sun," the biggest grossing outdoor film in the history of motion pictures. Cotten also appeared in "Since You Went Away" and "Portrait of Jenny," among many others, and Vidor was the director of such film classics as "Street Scene," "Billy the Kid" and "The Citadel."

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Young has a long string of outstanding movie scores to his credit, among them "For Whom the Bell



Tolls" and "The Quiet Man." His song, "My Foolish Heart," is an all-time popular favorite.

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Mrs. Harvey Sink, Harris Hill Road, Trucksville, has returned to her home after being a patient in the Nesbitt Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Webster Shaver Avenue, Shavertown, spent the weekend in Philadelphia.

Gary Mathers, Trucksville, has returned home after being a patient in the Nesbitt Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hontz and son, Harrisburg, formerly of Shaver Avenue, Shavertown, visited their old friends and neighbors this past weekend.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sabatini, has returned to her home in Meadow Crest, Trucksville, after being a patient in the Nesbitt Hospital. Merlin Werkheiser, East Center Street, Shavertown, has gone to work in Florida.

Mrs. Benjamin Pangborn, Keyport, N. J., is visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bell, Shaver Avenue, Shavertown.

Jeffrey Hildebrand, Trucksville, is ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Baker, Rice Street, Trucksville, have returned to their home after a two week trip through the middle west.

It's good to see Ronald Kestor back at his old job in the Acme Market. He received his honorable discharge from the Navy a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martz, West Center Street, Shavertown, are vacationing in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bennett, School Street, Shavertown, had as guest over the weekend, Rev. Elmer Bennett, New York State.

Durbin Class To Sponsor Reading Of "Carousel"

Durbin Class, Dallas Methodist Church, will sponsor a musical reading of the Broadway musicale "Carousel" October 19 at 8:15 p.m. Mrs. John Detray will be soloist, Mrs. Noel Thomas narrator, Mrs., Thomas Lehman pianist. Tea will be served. Chairman is Mrs. Robert Van Horn. Mrs. Raymond Elston has charge of tickets; Mrs. Sheldon Mosier, refreshments; Mrs. Verne Groff, decoration; Mrs. L. L. Richardson, publicity.