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The makers of Johnson's Wax and Johnson's Self-Polishing Glocoat present Fibber McGee and Company, with Jim Jordan as Fibber, Donald Novis, the Four Notes, Billy Mills' Orchestra, and our special guest for tonite - Zasu Pitts. The show opens with "DRUMS IN MY HEART" 1

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ORCH: (SWELL MUSIC TO FINISH) (APPLAUSE)

("RIDIN' AROUND IN THE RAIN") (FADE)

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CAN'T BE KEPT DOWN. IT'S ALWAYS FLYING UP ON ITS ROLLER.

SO, AS OUR CURTAIN RISES TONIGHT.....

SOUND: (SHADE FLYING UP)

(OFF MIKE) Dad rat the dad ratted thing, anyway.....

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'I says no thanks. I can't use a electric razor. I got so

much personal magnetism I short-circuit 'em. (LAUGHS)

FIB:

I'll have a decorator come out here on some pretext he'll think I'm in the market for a lotta stuff and then I'll

ask him kinda casually how to fix this shade ... (1000000)

(PHONE CLICK)

Hello, operator gimme oh is that you, Myrt? Still workin' for the phone company, eh Myrt? How's everything,

Myrt? It is, sh? What's your old man doin', now? Oh

same thing eh? 90 days. Well he ain't so dumb...he'll

miss all this winter weather and he'll be sprung in the

spring ... Oh, speakin' o' springs ... connect me with some

good interior decoratin' outfit will you, Myrt?

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no-co pleasance like hococo HEDLO, DECORATIN' COMPANY?

FIBBER Medee, 79 WISTFUL VISTA. Listen ... Send me out a

expert who knows somethin' about carpets and furniture and

draperies/and all stuff like that there ... oh yes - and

window shades. . . Okay, bud thanks. (CLICK) Now, let's

La wine

SOUND:

OORBELL) FIB:

(DOOR LATCH)

OLD MAN:

Hello there, Johnny. I gotta punchboard here ... , care to

take a chance owna electric razor? Two bits a punch.

FIB: No thanks, Old Timer ... I don't believe so.

OLD MAN: BHHHHHH!

FIB:

Heh heh heh ... that's pretty good, Johnny, but that ain't the way I heered it. The way I heered it --(WINDOW SHADE RATTLING UP)

Hey what was that, Johnny?

SOUND:

OLD MAN:

FIB:

MAN:

Oh, just the window shade can't keep it down. Oh. Well, THE WAY I HEERED IT, ONE FELIER SAYS TO THE OTHER PELIER, "SAYYYYYYY," HE SAYS I SEE WHERE ALL THE BIG NATIONS ARE BUILDING UP THEIR AIR FORCES. LOOKS LIKE THE NEXT WAR WOULD BE THE THIRD ONE TO BE FOUGHT IN THE AIR." "ZAT SO?" INTERROGATED TOTHER FELLER WHO FIT THE OTHER TWO?" "WELL," VOUCHSAFED THE FIRST FELTER, "WINCHELL AND BERNIE FOR ONE AND BENNY AND ALLEN FOR THE OTHER!" Heh heh heheartes Reminds me of the aviator who practiced flying thru tunnels, Johnny ... he wanted to be an ace in the hole! Heh heh heh I like this young feller wonder why I .

only meet him on Tuesday nights.

(DOOR SLAM)

That old dodo. I'll bet he thinks our anti-aircraft FIB:

division wears skirts. Gotta get this shade fixed before---

(DOORBELL)

NOW WHAT THE -- COME IN!

(DOOR LATCH)

Mrs. Uppington ... HIYAH UPPY? You look like the original

merry widow. What you lookin' so happy about?

Oh, Mr. McGee I simply had to tell you ... reahlly

(LAUGHS) I'm simply walking on air!

YOU? . . . Walkin' on air, Uppy? That's an awful kick FIB: in the teeth for the law o' gravity,

Mr. McGee,.,.I.,..(LAUGHS)..., would you think I was just a UPP: silly girl, if I told you ... Oh my! (LAUGHS) If I told you I was in LOVE? My deah, ., ., I'm simply FLUTTERING. ., reahlly.... at lahet I have met my dream man, ...

Your dream man, eh? Wall-FIB: cares thing, , , who is the fguy, Bory 1 Do I know him?

Oh I don't think so, Mr. McGee ... but he is simply DIVINE ... UPP: so romantic, .. , so handsome , . , and his manners, my deah ... , So Continental; He even writes poetry to me! Oh I'm SUCH a happy girl!

Listen, Uppy....quit palpitatin' a minute and gimme the FIB: lowdown, , , who is he? lessering it all day free.

Oh you simply MUST meet him, Mr. McGee ... Horatio is SUCH a UPP:

HORATIO! FIB:

UPP:

Yes, ... HORATIO K. BOOMAH ... , what a LOVELY name ... , don't UPP: you think so?

Say, LISTEN, Uppy, that guy is --FIB:

Oh I don't know why ALL you men don't cultivate such CHAHMING manners, Mr. McGee ... , (LAUGHS) Why, do you know that lahst night he kissed my hand so hard my diamond ring same offe (LAUGHS) Isn't that the SWEETEST thing, ... realhly ... (LAUCHS) Well, I simply must be going ... Horatio is coming for tea, ... Good by Mr. McGee (DOOR SLAM)

FIB:

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UPP:

Kissed her hand so hard her diamond ring come off! Wait'll FIB: he hugs her so hard her necklace falls in his pocket. I wonder if I oughta warn her about that guy.

SOUND: (DOOR OPEN AND CLOSE)

MILLS: Say Fibber ...

Oh. hiyah, Billy ... Hiyah, Don. What's the matter? FIB:

Well, you know that big wrestler that lives across the DON:

street?

Oh you mean Gus the Grunt? What about him? FIB:

He says you've been flirting with his wife. DON:

Why, Don I ain't never done no such a thing ... how'd he FIB:

ever get that idea?

MILLS: He says you keep trying to signal her with your window

shade. Raising it and lowering it all day long.

FIB: Aw fer the -- Listen, fellas -- that shade is on the bum....

I can't help it if it won't stay down.... It's just --

(CLATTER OF SHADE)

THERE! YE SEE? I never touched it. FIB: .

Well, we understand it, but that wrestler doesn't ... LOOK. DON:

He's over there on his front porch, ... sheking his fist

this way. look - he's women our live - hurry up a FIB: : may, Don - monte that ill rules him down

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Oh go ahead, Dong, Till sing your number, FIB:

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I doubt it -- ho's a tough cookie. MILLS:

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(RATTLE OF PAPER) to be taken after that, it is my harm

DON: What are you doing?

Lookin' ahead a couple o' pages to see what he does to me FIB:

> Nope ... it's okay ... go ahead and sing, Don. "HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN", TITLE TO BE I DUIT IN LOWER SERVICE STATE

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(2ND REVISION) -10-2ND SPOT That was great Don ... that was one of the most beautiful ----FIB: (DOOR KNOCK) SOUND: (OVER SOUND) Oh, oh - there's that wrestler -- let's take a FIB: peek at him -- Boy, what a bruiser ... look at them muscles .. he makes Man Mountain Dean look like a foothill. Oh well, I'll have to talk to him. (DOOR OPEN AND CLOSE) In the stless dend to these stather to join a SOUND: H-h-hiyah...bud FIB: Nyyahhhhh.... gotta some o' your bones to pick weeth me! MAN: Now wait a minute, bud...control yourself. I can explain FIB: everything. Type. Brabaka sperin' the Allaint brasshes for You better talk-a fast, keed. You are a flirt weeth my wife MAN: weeth those window shade. Whadda you mean by those ... hah? Now listen, Champ...you ARE a champ, aint you? FIB: Sure....I'm a champ theese-a week. Nexta week it is Louis MAN: Madisko's turn for to be champ. After that, it is my turn again. Kappi Goy, was they spre) had, by way of the spread Well, that's fine, but look, Gus... I ain't been flirtin' with FIB: your wife or anybody else, see? That window shade is bustedit keeps flyin' up....and I pull it down again... I'll have it fixed today ... sure ... (MAUSE) and shop I had have the deponstration to walk

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Leetle faller ... I am let you go this time ... but DONT LET MAN: ME HAPPEN TO YOU, AGAIN! (GRUNTS ... GROANS ... GRUNTS ... GROANS) FIB: Her. what's the matter. . . you sick, bud? MAN: Donta be a-foolish. I am having wrestling match tonight and this is-a my time for the rehears (GRUNTS ... GROANS ... GRUNT) (FADE OUT) I'll bet some o' them wrastlers don't know whether to join a FIB: Athletic Club or the Actor's Guild. The only thing that's on the level with them is the convert. Oh well, I guess I -WIL: Well, Hello there Fibber. Oh Hiyah Harpo. Whatcha wearin! the ridin! breeches for? FIB: I've gota Charley horse. WILE How'd ja get that? FIB: Scrubbing floors. I was foolish enough to demonstrate to a WIL: housewife how much labor there was in the old-fashioned way of rubbing and scrubbing floors and lincleum--as if she didn't know! Boy, was that work! Then, by way of contrast, I showed her how Johnson's Self-Polishing Glocoat would keep her floors and lineleum clean and sparkling with no effort at all...you know....no rubbing or buffing? and then --Ain't he wonderful, folks !! . he's sincere about it, too! (LAUGHS) and when I got thru the demonstration, she said, WIL: YOU MEAN I JUST HAVE TO POUR A LITTLE GLOCOAT OUT AND SPREAD IT AROUND? and I said yes, madam, .. that s all you have to do. Get that enthusiasm, folks. and h FIB: And then she started to put on her hat and I said, WHERE ARE WIL: YOU GOING MADAM? and she said .. THIS IS THE BEST NEWS I'VE HAD FOR YEARS ABOUT GLOCOAT .. I'M GOING TO SPREAD IT AROUND Those she attack to the total you want got about saven! FIB: mency by buyin! It in the larger Sizes,

Chemory I ran after her and told her that,

WIL:

That was great, Harpo ... You know, I admire you very much. FIB: Oh gee. I have a WIL: I do, really. FIB: Oh go on. You just say that. WILS No I mean it, Harpo. Say, do you know how to fix a window FIB: shade that won't stay down? No I don't. Fibber. Why don't you go out and buy a new one? WIL: Nossir, not me....I'll fix that shade myself or bust a FIB: leg tryin' See you later. Okay. Pal... WIL: Now then... where'd I put that screw driver. Oh yes ... now FIB: to take that shade down. (DOOR BELL) SOUND: Oh dad rat it COME IN! FIB: (DOOR LATCH ... SLAM) SOUND: Ah there ... Mr. McGee? . HAL: Yes, Bud....what's on your mind? FIB: I... ah ... I am from the Wistful Vista Decorating Company. HAL: Mr. McGee ... I am the chief interior decorator. You gotta cold. Bud? FIB: HAL: Ng...why? Oh I dunno....you bein' a interior decorator ... and that FIB: bass, voice ... kinda fooled me.

That's very good, very good, - or is it?

HAL:

IB: Have a cigar, Bud? the state of the control of the Thanks ... I have one . for from personer, with interior AL: . IB: Got two? Oh, thanks, of in trees a same paper welger. IAL:

Not at all. Say, you have some very interesting pleces here, haven't you....very interesting. This rug now looks like a genuine Cahoolistan. May I ask what you. paid for it? 2,000 Par At . . Steple 18 page attain

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HAL: 2.000. eh? FIB:

Yes, but I'll never save soap wrappers, again,...takes too long. Say, can you tell what's wrong with this window shade, Bud? The dad ratted thing keeps flyin' up all the time. davi:

Is that so ... catch doesn't work, probably ... now let me

see, -- those things on the mantelpiece, McGee.... are they...ahhhh....family...ah....treasures,....or...ah.... Well, some are and some aren't, Bud... that marble venus with the 8-day clock in her stomach was a wedding present...since Molly's been sick I been too bashful to wind it. And

that coccanut with the face painted on it is a souvenir of ... er ... well, just a souvenir.

Hmmmmm. A souvenir.

Oh yes I got quite a valuable collection o' souvenirs, FIB. Bud. A leather watch fob from Petoskey, Michigan with my initials burned in it ... a glass paper-weight from Niagara Falls....Look - it's got a picture of the Falls blew right into it. Tricky, eh? And that kewpie doll there, I won at the county fair in Fort Wayne SOUND:

(SHADE FLIES UP)

Oh dad rat it ... there it goes again. FIB:

HAL:

FIB: This shade. Here, bud, fix it for me, will you? HAL:

Oh - so that's all you called me out here for! I thought so -- I won't waste another minute here. I know your ilk. Good day!!

(DOOR SLAM)

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FIB:
DOORBELL:
FIB:
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            Ohhh dear, . I'm so glad there's somebody home come on in,
PITTS:
            Wilbur ...
KID:
            Okay, ma.
DOOR SLAM
            Oh Hiyah sis ... (This is really ZaSu Pitts, folks, but we
FIB:
            wanna keep her in character)
APPLAUSE:
            What can I do for ye, sis? Have a chair ... just throw that
FIB:
            fishin tackle on the floor ... that's it .. Now -- what can I
            do for ye?
            Well, I was talking to Mr. Wilcox and he said you were
PITTS:
            having some trouble about firing a window shade, and that
                     Same and Author will be to the Control of Branch and a
FIB:
           G so I thought maybe you could be interested in one of these
PITTS:
            books I am selling to put Wilbur thru school -
SOUND:
            CRACKLING OF WOOD:
            WILBUR. 11 You're breaking the nice man's fishpole;
PITTS:
KID:
            I know it.
            All night dear. as long as you know what you're doing ...
PITTS:
            And WILBUR ... don't mark on the wall paper with your
            crayons ....
KID:
            Why not?
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Well, do

you like mister?

Doesn't show up very well there, dear...go out in the hall PITTS: where the paper is lighter LISTEN SIS... You know what that kid just done? HE BUSTED FIB: MY BEST FISHIN' ROD! I paid 18 bucks, for that pole. Oh did you really? and he broke it all by himself ... My PITTS: goodness, he's going to be a very strong man when he

grows up... Oh, then you're gonna let him grow up? YOU say you're sellin' a book, sis? What's the name of it?

It's called "THE HANDYMAN'S GUIDE TO SIMPLE REPAIRS, OR WHAT TO DO TILL THE PLUMBER COMES". It's really two books in one.... I guess that's why it costs so much more than its worth. WILBUR! Careful with that air rifle dear ...

WHAT AIR RIFLE? I AIN'T GOT ANY AIR RIF-

SHOT: GLASS TINKLE SOUND:

FIB:

PITTS:

FIB:

FIB:

HEY THAT'S MY TARGET RIFLE ... GIMME THAT GUN, YOU LIL! -FIB: YOU LIL! - GIMME THAT GUN.

Wilbur....you mustn't shoot people. Anyway, not till after PITTS: Mother sells the book.

> (SIGHS) Listen sis...does that book tell how to repair a window shade that's gone haywire?

Oh yes ... what window is it for? PITTS:

The front window FIB:

Then it will probably be in the front of the book now PITTS: let me see ... window shade ... WILBUR! ... what are you doing, dear?

Carvin' my initials on the piano leg. KID:

Well, don't cut yourself ... and pick up the shavings after PITTS: you like a good boy ... oh dear ... what were we talking about . mister?

Window shades, sis. Find anything about them in the books production of the second contract to

My goodness, I don't seem to let me look again window-boxes...windmills...windshield wipers...oh, don't you just LOVE windshield wipers... the way they go back and forth...back and forth ... I always feel like waving back at them don't you?

Listen, sis, about the window shade ... FIB: Oh yes the window shade ... let me look again and ... WILBUR ... PITTS:

don't swing on the chandelier - you might fall... There's matches in the kitchen, Wilbur, if you'd like to FIB: burn the house down.

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FIB:

PITTS:

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Okay. Later, maybe.
KID:
           Oh dear .... isn't he sweet ... he's 80 much company for me...
PITTS:
            He's so much company I'd like to see him incorporated and
FIB:
            then cut up into small shares, none preferred. But about
            those window shades sis, ... what does the book say?
            Oh dear ... I don't seem to be able to find it ... anywhere ...
PITTS:
            But I'll have the publisher send you some special material
            about that ... , what was your name, mister?
            Fibber McGee, sis,..
FIB:
            Not really ... not the Fibber McGee that broadcasts for
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That's me, sis.... FIB:

PITTS:

Oh, WILBUR....here's a radio comedian. PITTS:

Johnson's Wax?

Who -- that guy? KID: FIB:

Oh now, shucks, folks, I ... OUCH!!!! HEY WHAT'S THE IDEA

O' STICKIN' THE PIN IN ME, BUD? F/8;

CALLES CARROLL CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF TH KID:

PITTS:

Will. You see mister, somebody told Wilbur that the leading radio comedian was made out of wood and he's simply dying to meet him ... well thank you mister, so much .. COME ON

(DOOR LATCH & SLAM)

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WILBUR...

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(SIGHS) WELL! Imagine all this trouble rolled up
FIB:
            in one little window shade. ... I make good notion to
FIB:
            (DOOR LATCH) They Libber !
MILLS!
            Oh hello, Billy ... . what you so excited about?
FIB:
            Haven't you heard? They're taking him for a ride!
MILLS:
            Takin' who for a ride? William
FIB:
MILLS: 9/ PAUL REVERE!
             Who's takin' him?
FIB:
            The Four Notes ....
MILLS
            Hot dog..... I'll call up Harpo and tell him the Glocoats
 FIB:
             are coming, ... no, that was the redcoats, wasn't it? Oh
             well....go ahead, Billy.... PAUL REVERE! With the Four
             Notes!
             "PAUL REVERE" ... FOUR NOTES
 ORCH:
             (APPLAUSE)
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FIB:

That was the Four Notes, singin' PAUL REVERE, - one if by land and two if by N.B.C. Nice riding Kids. do? Ch., os: . . fix that window shade I guess first

DOORBELL

FIB:

Say what is this? I'm gonna have to build me a concentration camp where I can think. COME IN!

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waste town to many that I have been

DOOR LATCH

The purely and fact tive the sale time a success with AH THERE, scatterbrain ... glad to find you at home ... like to BOOM:

ask you a question.

Oh hiyah Boomer. Say what's this about you and Mrs. FIB:

Uppington?

BOOM:

Oh yes ... charming girl, Mrs. Uppington ... looks like the beginning of a beautiful friendship ... really does ... been seeing quite a bit of each other. . though with that backless evening gown of hers I've been seeing a bit more of her than she has of me...

FIB:

Now listen, Boomer ... Mrs. Uppington is a very wealthy woman and a good friend o' mine. and I don't like the idea of a YOU TITE THE DEAR GIRLAL AND

BOOM:

y, that's what I wanted to inquire about intlocuts. Is the old warhorse really in the clover, or

does instinct fail me?

FIB: .

Say I don't like this at all, Boomer ... death The idea of a gyp artist like you writing poetry to a nice woman like her. Poetry! You may think you're gettin' away with something for a while, Kipling, but it won't be for long, fellow. I ad like

Is that so, .. how would you like to see a little sonnet I BOOM: dashed off for the old .. for the charming creature: ..

FIB:

Boy I WOULD like to see any poetry you wrote.

BOOM:

Certainly certainly ... just to show you my affection is sincere I'll show it to you...now where did I put that sonnet..sonnet....here's a short length of rubber tubing...very handy if you run out of gasoline on a quiet street at night, in fact it's the only time a sucker gets an even break. ... instruction book for small bore revolvers .. never use a revolver on small bores myself ... I just leave

Two extortion letters...returned for insufficient

postage. . . and a check for a short beer . . WELL WELL . . . IMAGINE THAT ... NO SONNET! Must have left it in my room at the hotel, , too bad I'm locked out ... WELL I MUST BE FF

BOY I'M HAVING THA WITH THE DEAR GIRL. ...

good day, Tumbleweed!

DOOR OPEN AND SHUT:

FIB:

Now why did Uppy have to fall for a four flusher like him. the she sin't the SILLIEST woman, no wonder the 400 is two thirds zeros. Oh, well this ain't gettin' that window shade fixed..let's see

CLATTER OF TOOLS: FLAP OF SHADE.

FTB:

FIB:

OH HERE'S WHAT'S WRONG . THIS DINGUS HERE AIN'T ATTACHED TO THE GADGET THAT TWIDDLES AROUND THE WHATSIT ... Why didn't I see that before.

RATCHET . The markly hearing to that a nonert, (PATSE) SOUND:

Yessir...that does it...now to put it back up and ...

I better climb up on the table and chair... Popularing Aug. The in the last thank alter

SOUND WOOD CLATTER. . . RATTLE OF SHADE

(OFF MIKE) Up she goes ... (SMALL SOUNDS) ... THERE .. I GUESS FIB:

It's fixed for good now!

OH...HEY! HELP...I'M FALLIN!! FIB:

SOUND TERRIFIC CRASH. SUSTAINED.

Ohhhhh Ohhh ... oh my .. I .. I wonder if I can reach the phone FIB:

from here...Ahhh...(CLICK) Hello..Operator...Gimme Wistful

Vista 9670 ... ohhhhh... : 1 and a you pay for sain and that

SOUND: PHONE CLICKS and sed you say end-third mana Wishout Loads

Wilcox speaking. Salty divided in spacetation of pur WIL:

That you Harpo? This is Fibber ... FIB:

You? Township Diagr Sires Thay're selling feet up dan't WIL:

Remember that window shade that I was havin' the trouble FIB:

with?

Yes? WIL:

Well, remember I ways I'd fix it, or break my leg doin' it? FIB:

OH YOU GOT IT FIXED? WIL:

NO.. I BROKE MY LEG! FIB:

"WHATEVER IT IS" FADE FOR ORK:

FIBBER MCGEE & COMPANY FEBRUARY 7, 1939 TUESDAY 6:30 PM PST NBC

SECOND COMMERCIAL

WILCOX:

TIME: 60 Seconds.

CUT-IN FOR PACIFIC COAST STATIONS

CUE: (Wilcox) ... Fibber will be back in just a moment. (PAUSE)

But now please listen for an important announcement. For a limited time only, your dealer is featuring JOHNSON'S WAX and JOHNSON'S SELF-POLISHING GLO-COAT in special Giant Size cans. These Giant size cans contain one-third more than the regular cans, but during this sale you can get them for the same price as the regular size cans. This gives you onethird more for your money! Now is the time to stock up on JOHNSON'S WAX and JOHNSON'S GLO-COAT. The supply of the Giant sizes is strictly limited. When they are gone, you won't be able to get them again. Remember when you buy the Giant size cans of JOHNSON'S SELF-POLISHING GLO-COAT or JOHNSON'S WAX (paste or liquid), you pay for only one pint or one pound and you get one-third more without cost. JOHNSON offers this extra dividend in appreciation of your loyalty to the JOHNSON PRODUCTS. Ask your dealer tomorrow for JOHNSON'S Giant Sizes. They're selling fast so don't delayl

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FIB:

Folks, we wanna thank ZaSu Pitts for appearin' on our show tonight, and I hope a nice girl like her didn't mind bein' mixed up in such shady doings. And, in case you're interested, I didn't really bust my leg ... I just turned my ankle, .. which I thought was kinda of a cute twist to end the show with.

ORK:

UP TO FINISH

AHEM ... Good night, folks.

APPLAUSE

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