

Radio Stars Scheduled As "Hobby Lobby" Hour Guests

Phil Baker, Lanny Ross, Ben Bernie, Many Others Will Appear With Dave Elman Wednesday

What Phil Baker, Lanny Ross, Ben Bernie, Gabriel Heatter, Al Pearce, Morton Downey and other radio celebrities do in their spare time will be revealed by the stars themselves on Dave Elman's "Hobby Lobby" Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. over WJZ.

Dave Elman will follow his usual procedure of questioning his guests on their hobbies and sparetime activities, and will bring forth many things that even the most avid of radio listeners don't know about the stars—that Gabriel Heatter, for example, is a veteran dog show judge.

With apologies to the song of that name, Fred Allen will interview an umbrella man, one David Kline, as his "Person You Didn't Expect To Meet" on "Town Hall Tonight" Wednesday at 9:00 p. m., over WEAf.

Kline, who makes hay when the sun isn't shining, has been plying his cloudy day trade for 40 years. He toured the country for 30 of these, sharpening knives as a sideline, but for the last 10 years has concentrated on New York. He not only mends the rain-shoots, but now, as soon as a storm threatens, rushes to subway entrances and sells umbrellas to those literally left out in the rain.

Constance Bennett, blonde lovely of the three-daughter Bennett Clan, will be the guest star Wednesday when the "Star Theatre" dramatizes "Processional," the story of a mother's sacrifice to further her son's musical career. Unusual angle on the original Johnny Green sketch is Kenney Baker's vocal solo during its dramatization. His song will be "To My Mother," a new number by Albert Hay Malotte, composer of "The Lord's Prayer." Frances Langford, the Charles Henderson chorus and David Broekman's orchestra will provide the music, while Ken Murray, Ned Sparks and Charlie Ruggles will provide the fun.

Fifteen minutes before air time . . . a sea of strange faces in the studio audience . . . and from that group of people whom he's never seen before, Jim McWilliams picks his cast for his weekly Ask-It-Basket program! The only tangibles are the questions in his Ask-It Baskets—the rest is up to

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1

Time Is Eastern Standard — Subtract One Hour for Central Time—P. M.

(Changes in programs as listed due to 15-minute network corrections)

6:00—Our American School—nbc-weaf News; Song Program—nbc-wjz-east Don Winslow rpt.—nbc-wjz-midwest Broadcasting News Period—cbs-wabc
6:05—Daily Sports Resume—wabc only Leo Weber at the Organ—cbs-chain
6:15—Malcolm Claire Story—nbc-weaf Adlan Rollin's Orchestra—nbc-wjz Howie Wing on Aviation—cbs-wabc Schemes That Skin, Skit—mbs-chain
6:25—Press News Period—nbc-weaf
6:30—Songs by Rose Marie—nbc-weaf Three Jesters and Peg—wjz-wbz-wgy Marlowe-Lyon Piano—nbs-blue chain Job Trout and Comment—cbs-wabc Georgetown U. Forum—mbs-chain
6:45—Lyrics of Romance—nbc-weaf Lowell Thomas, Talk—nbc-wjz-basic Tom Mix, Skit—vmaq-wten-kwk Enoch Light & Orchestra—wabc only Sophie Tucker's Program—cbs-chain
7:00—Amos and Andy—nbc-weaf-east To Be Announced—nbc-red-west
7:15—Aces, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz "County Seat," Dramatic—cbs-wabc Fulton Lewis, Jr., Talk—mbs-chain
7:15—Edwin C. Hill, Talk—nbc-weaf Mr. Keen, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz Lum and Abner, Dramatic—cbs-wabc Augustina College Choir—mbs-chain
7:30—Revelers—wef-kyw-wbz-wmal Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-red-chain Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz Jim McWilliams and Quiz—cbs-wabc The Lone Ranger—mbs-wor-east
7:45—J. Berch—wef-kyw-wmal-wca Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-red chain Sam Balter sps—wfl-wlv-wgn-kwk
8:00—"One Man's Family"—nbc-weaf Ben Shulds Radio Review—nbc-wjz

TOP TUNING WEDNESDAY

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7:30—Jim McWilliams and Quiz, WABC.
8:00—One Man's Family, WEAf.
8:00—Gang Busters Dramatic, WABC.
8:30—Tommy Dorsey, Music, WEAf.
8:30—Paul Whiteman and Band, WABC.
9:00—Fred Allen, Town Hall, WEAf.
9:00—The Theatre of Stars, WABC.
10:00—Kay Kyser's Class, WEAf.

Jim's uncanny judgment in choosing people "by ear," and thereby concocting a bang-up half-hour of radio entertainment Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m., over WABC.

The mother of Hoagy Carmichael, prolific composer of song hits, will join her son and former piano pupil on Tommy Dorsey's WEAf program Wednesday at 8:30 p. m., when the orchestra, on tour, will broadcast from Indianapolis, her home. She will play the "Maple Leaf Rag," swing favorite of a decade ago.

This will be Carmichael's second guest appearance on the Dorsey program. The composer of "Stardust" was a guest on Feb. 15. The program will be broadcast from the stage of the Lyric theatre, Indianapolis.

The dramatic case of Big Boy Brady, giant criminal who terrorized the west for several years, will be retold on two Gang Busters broadcasts, Wednesdays, March 1st and 8th, at 8 p. m., over WABC. A police officer who was instrumental in bringing the vicious killer to justice will describe the case to Col. H. Norman Schwarzkopf.

While still in school, young Brady developed a mania for firearms that was an ominous forecast of his future. Growing older he performed a series of escapades that earned him the hatred of the small Oklahoma town in which he lived. With the boast that he was going after "easy money" and would never be put in jail, he plunged into the underworld of the southwest.

Mercedes McCambridge, popular little Irish actress heard frequently in NBC dramatic programs, will play the leading role in "Satan's Orchid," an original play by Fran O'Brien and Ed Reynolds, which will feature the Lights Out program Wednesday, at 12:30 a. m., over WEAf.

"Satan's Orchid" written expressly for the Lights Out program, promises unusual thrills, as the plot dips deeply into the supernatural.