

Pat Ellis And Rathbone To Be Guests On Crosby Hour

Cinema Stars Will Swap Small Talk With Bing And Bob; Pretty U. C. L. A. Co-ed May Be Heard

With Patricia Ellis and Basil Rathbone on his guest list, and Pat Friday, pretty U. C. L. A. co-ed, scheduled to appear if she has recovered from the throat ailment that kept her away from the Music Hall last Thursday, Bing Crosby will touch on topics ranging from modern music to classical poetry during his broadcast with Bob Burns and John Scott Trotter's orchestra Thursday from 9 to 10 p. m.

Miss Ellis will chat with Burns and Crosby about Hollywood topics, and Rathbone is expected to have another of his favorite poems to introduce to the host of the hall. Crosby will sing "Delightful Delirium," "When You Were Sweet Sixteen," "If I Didn't Care," and "Don't Worry About Me."

William Gaxton and Victor Moore, the Damon and Pythias of modern musical comedy, now starring in the Broadway hit, "Leave It To Me," will dash across the street between the first and second acts of their show, to make a guest appearance on "Tune-Up Time," Thursday evening.

The famous comedy team will deliver a routine from "Leave It To Me," and sing two of the most popular hits from the show. Both will broadcast in their stage costumes. Gaxton as the smart-aleck foreign correspondent will sing "From Now On," while Moore, in the role of the timid American ambassador in Moscow, will be heard in "I Want To Go Back to Topeka," a song which has not been given on the air before.

Other highlights of the broadcast will include two real musical treats prepared by Maestro Andre Kostelanetz and his 45-piece orchestra. The first will be a Kostelanetz treatment of "Stardust," Heagy Carmichael's classic; the second, a streamlined version of Wagner's immortal Magic Fire Music, from "Die Walkurie."

A musical kaleidoscope, ranging from concert selections by Dalcis Frantz, internationally famous pianist, to "Three Little Fishes," as interpreted by "Baby Snooks" (Fanny Brice) and the "Jitterbug Trio," will be the predominant feature of Good News of 1939, Thursday at 8 p. m. over WEAf. Robert Young will also present songstress Connie Boswell, regulars Frank Morgan, Hanley (Daddy) Stafford, Warren Hull, Meredith Willson's orchestra, and dramatic guest stars.

Frantz, a concert virtuoso, will lend a note of distinction to the program, joining maestro Willson and the orchestra in a "Concert Hall" arrangement of Bach's "Organ Prelude in D Major" and "March," from "The Love For Three Oranges," by Prokofieff.

By contrast, "Baby Snooks," assisted by jitterbugs Frank Morgan, Robert Young, and Meredith Willson, will sing "Three Little Fishes," more agonizingly known as "Fee Itty Fitties." Connie Boswell, popular rhythm-singer, will

BEST BETS THURSDAY

P. M.	
6:00	Joe E. Brown's Comedy, WABC.
6:20	The All Star Revue, WEAf.
7:00	Redy Vallee's Hour, WJZ.
7:00	Kate Smith Variety Hour, WJZ.
8:00	Good News Variety Hour, WEAf.
8:00	Major Bowes and Amateurs, WABC.
9:00	Bing Crosby and Bob Burns, WEAf.
9:00	Kostelanetz and O'Keefe, WABC.

provide a happy medium with "And the Angels Sing" and "Lullaby of Rhythm."

The Group Theatre, for the third time this season, will present one of its own Broadway successes on the Kate Smith Hour with a version of "Men in White" over WABC Thursday at 7 p. m. Frances Farmer and Luther Adler will head the cast.

The third in the current radio series, "Men in White" was the first Broadway production of the Group theatre and the drama that launched that enterprising organization of thespians on the sea of success. It was sensational in many ways, but particularly because the original cast was composed entirely of unknowns, many of whom have become established names of the stage or in motion pictures since. Miss Farmer and

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Eastern Standard—Subtract One Hr. for CST, 2 Hrs. for MT—P. M.	
(Daylight Time One Hour Later)	
(Changes in programs as listed due to last-minute network commitments)	
5:00	The Rhythmairs, Or.—nbc-wef
5:00	News; Dance Music Or.—nbc-wjz
5:00	Broadcasting News Period.—nbc-wabc
5:00	Sam Fran. Peace Prog.—mbs-chain
5:05	Edwin C. Hill, Talk—nbc-wabc
5:15	News; Malcolm Claire—nbc-wef
5:15	Songs of Patricia Gilmore—nbc-wjz
5:15	Howie Wing on Aviation—nbc-wabc
5:15	Jane Anderson and Piano—mbs-chain
5:30	Songs Sweet & Low—nbc-wef
5:30	Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz
5:30	To Be Announced (15 m.)—nbc-wabc
5:45	Bill Stern on Sports—wef only
5:45	Dancing Music Or.—nbc-red-chain
5:45	Lowell Thomas, Talk—nbc-wjz-basic
5:45	Leon Brandt, sports—nbc-blue-west
5:45	Sam Wynn and Her Song—nbc-wabc
6:00	Justice Attorney—nbc-wef-chain
6:00	Howe Averb, Drama—nbc-wjz-chain

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