

Fred Allen Turning Jurist For Wednesday Night Show

**Veteran Process Server Will Be Jester's Guest;
Kyser Broadcasting From Pacific
Coast**

Fred Allen, will go legal in a big way by interviewing a process server and then turning this Town Hall into a hill-billy court, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. over WEAf.

The jester, casting himself in the role of Judge Allen, has reversed the usual order of things by issuing a summons to Harry Grossman, veteran Brooklyn process server, to appear as the "Person You Didn't Expect to Meet" at the old Town Hall. Fred will put blinders on Grossman so he won't interrupt the broadcast to slap subpoenas on members of the Mighty Art Players.

The dean of process servers will tell how one can get into the best homes, uninvited, and reveal a few other tricks of the trade for apprehending the elusive legal quarry. He has received as much as \$1,000 for serving a summons, but thinks the conventional \$2.00 fee adequate in most cases.

The musical knowledge of California's native sons will be tested by Prof. Kay Kyser when he broadcasts his College of Musical Knowledge from the west coast Wednesday from 9:00 to 10:00 p. m. over WEAf. Kyser, who opened a four weeks engagement with his orchestra at the Casino on Catalina Island, will present his program from either the Casino or the NBC Hollywood studios. Recesses during the examination period will be filled by the professor's "makes you wanna dance" music, with Virginia Simms, Harry Babbitt and Sully Mason as the featured vocalists.

Tommy Dorsey's famous Clambake Seven will hold the spotlight during the weekly swing session Wednesday, from 7:30 to 8 p. m., over WEAf. Dorsey will lead his seven swingsters in a medley of recent song hits in fast tempo. In contrasting mood, the trombone specialist will join his musicians in presenting several "sweet" numbers, with vocals by Edythe Wright and Jack Leonard.

Star Theatre Songstress Frances Langford will realize one of her fondest ambitions Wednesday, when she is featured in a dramatic sketch with her own husband, Jon Hall, on the Star Theatre program, emceed by Ken Murray. Hall is the handsome young actor who rose to stardom overnight when he starred in the picture "Hurricane." Ned Sparks and Kenny Baker will also occupy feature spots on the half hour show.

Puzzling questions on American Generals who have played prominent roles in every major conflict from the Revolution to the World war, will be featured by Jim McWilliams in a special basket on his Ask-It Basket program, Wednesday, over WABC at 6:30 p. m.

As a forewarning, McWilliams urges listeners to read Junior's history book before the broadcast, so that they may be able to give scholarly dissertations on Pickett's Charge, Benedict Arnold's betrayal, Pershing's Argonne Drive, and other such historical events.

"Should President Roosevelt Have a Third Term" will be the

BEST BETS WEDNESDAY

P. M.

- 6:30—George Jessel in a Jamboree, WJZ.
- 6:30—Jim McWilliams Quiz, WABC.
- 7:00—One Man's Family, WEAf.
- 7:00—Gang Busters Dramatic, WABC.
- 7:30—Paul Whiteman and Band, WABC.
- 7:30—Tommy Dorsey, WEAf.
- 8:00—Fred Allen Town Hall, WEAf.
- 8:00—The Theatre of Stars, WABC.
- 9:00—Kay Kyser's College, WEAf.

subject debated by Jay Franklin and Mark Sullivan, Washington newspaper columnists, during the 20th broadcast in the weekly NBC series, "The Public Interest in Democracy," to be heard Wednesday, from 9:30 to 10 p. m. over WJZ.

Franklin will open the debate, giving reasons why he regards it as desirable and even imperative that Mr. Roosevelt be retained in

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(Daylight Time One Hour Later)

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

- 5:00—Our American School—nbc-weaf
- News, Dance Music Orch.—nbc-wjz
- Broadcasting News Period—cbs-wabc
- 5:05—Edwin C. Hill's Talk—cbs-wabc
- 5:15—News Malcolm Claire—nbc-weaf
- To Be Announced—nbc-wjz
- Howie Wing on Aviation—cbs-wabc
- "Sugar School" Feature—nbs-chain
- 5:20—Names Make News—weaf only
- NBC Concert Orch.—nbc-red-chain
- Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz
- Sports; Leo Weber, Organ—cbs-wabc
- 5:45—Bill Stein on Sports—weaf only
- NBC Concert Orch.—nbc-red-chain
- Lowell Thomas, Talk—nbc-wjz-basic
- Jann Brandt, sports—nbc-blue-chain
- Doris Rhodes & Song—cbs-wabc
- The Johnson Family—wor-wol-only
- 6:00—District Attorney—nbc-weaf-ea
- Amos & Andy, Skit—cbs-wabc-east
- The Aeolian Ensemble—cbs-chain-west
- Fulton Lewis, Jr., Talk—nbs-chain
- 6:15—Ink Spots & Quartet—nbc-weaf
- Mr. Keen, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
- Lum and Abner Dramatic—cbs-wabc
- 6:30—Revelers—weaf-kyw-wbz-wmal
- Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-red-chain
- Geo. Jessel in a Jamboree—wjz only
- Dancing Music Ore.—nbc-blue-chain
- Jim McWilliams and Quiz—cbs-wabc
- Lone Ranger Drama—nbs-wor-east
- 6:45—Hu. Nature in Action—nbc-wjz
- Sam Balter on sports—wiv-wgn-wkw
- 7:00—"One Man's Family"—nbc-weaf