

Connie Bennett Will Mark Anniversary Of Movie Start

Bela Lugosi, "Horror Man," To Be Guest On Jessel's Celebrity Program; Mrs. Roosevelt To Be Heard

Having just completed her 10th year in pictures, Constance Bennett will celebrate by making her first personal appearance tour starting with a dramatic spot on the Kate Smith Hour in its WABC broadcast Friday at 8 p. m.

Also introduced by Kate will be her regular featured performers including Abbott and Costello, the Kate Smith singers under the direction of Ted Straeter, Parker Fennelly and Arthur Allen in "Snow Village," the Jack Miller orchestra and Ted Collins.

The Songbird of the South in the second program of her new fall series will sing the new ballad, "A Man and His Dream," "Over the Rainbow," from the "Wizard of Oz," and "Day In and Day Out." The Kate Smith Singers will offer the novelty songs, "An Apple for the Teacher" and "Well, All Right" assisted by Johnnie Williams and his swing instrumentalists.

Abbott and Costello find their comedy in Columbus Day, while Fennelly and Allen carry their characterization of ancient but mentally sprightly New Englanders into another humorous episode.

Bela Lugosi, the movie horror man, makes an appropriate guest on George Jessel's "Celebrity Program" over WEAFF Friday, at 9:30 p. m. Others to be heard are Courtney Riley Cooper, noted author; Benay Venuta, popular singer, and the Radio Rogues, featured in "Helzapoppin'." An added attraction will be the return of the Merry Maes to the program. They will be heard with Peter Van Steeden's orchestra.

A football medley on the eve of important gridiron games will be offered by Johnny Green's orchestra as a highlight of the "Johnny Presents" program over WABC Friday at 9 p. m. Among those saluted will be West Point with "On, Brave Old Army Team," the University of Michigan with "Victors," and the Washington and Lee Swing. Other numbers include "South of the Border," with a vocal by Floyd Sherman, "Good Morning" by the Swing Fourteen, and a piano solo of "My Prayer" by Maestro Green. There will be another "Perfect Crime" story written by Max Marcin and directed by Jack Johnstone. Johnny the Call Boy acts as master of ceremonies.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will speak from New York thru the facilities of WEAFF to make her address to the Camp Fire Girls on the occasion of their annual convention in Berkeley, California, on Friday at 10:45 p. m. Mrs. Roosevelt, who is Honorary Chairman of the National Advisory Council of the Camp Fire Girls, Inc., will speak on "The Challenge of the Future."

Lucille Manners, soprano, will be heard in the plaintive "Kentucky Babe," of Geibel as a feature of the Cities Service concert Friday, at 8:00 p. m., over WEAFF. Miss Manners also will sing Ronald's prelude "Cycle of Life" and "Beautiful Lady" by Caryll. Ross Graham, baritone, will be heard in Coates' "I Heard You Singing," and Friml's "Love Me Tonight," a duet with Miss Manners. The orchestra under the direction of Dr. Frank Black will play De Falla's Spanish Dance No. 1, La Ruconga by Salta, and Victor Herbert's Habanera and Vaquero's Song. Grantland Rice will give the second in his series of football forecasts.

Armed with a collection of 500 ballads, 280 of which he wrote himself, Carson Robison and His Buckaroos will return to WJZ on Friday, to be heard weekly from 8:30 to 9:00 p. m.

As before, the series will feature

BEST BETS FRIDAY

P. M.

- 8:00—Lucille Manners Concert. WEAFF.
- 8:00—Kate Smith Variety Hour. WABC.
- 9:00—Abe Lyman Waltzes. WEAFF.
- 9:00—Johnny Presents. WABC.
- 10:00—Guy Lombardo. WEAFF.

SATURDAY FOOTBALL

- 1:45—Michigan vs. Iowa. WJZ.
- 2:45—Notre Dame vs. Southern Methodist. WEAFF.

songs of the plains and an original drama, written by Robison and based on his own experiences in the west. Robison will play the role of the sheriff. The Buckaroos, who joined Robison in 1932, are Pearl, John and Bill Mitchell. During the summer Robison and his group made their third tour of the continent.

The Buckaroos have one of the widest followings on the air. They have found favor with royalty and statesmen in Europe. In this country they have twice played at private gatherings of President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

The Saturday football menu offers five of the country's outstanding football games: Cornell vs. Princeton, WABC; Michigan vs. Iowa, WJZ; Notre Dame vs. Southern Methodist, WEAFF; and Navy vs. Dartmouth, followed by Harvard vs. Chicago, MBS.

Iowa, which last week ran up the biggest score in Big Ten history in downing Indiana 32 to 29, will face Michigan at Ann Arbor. Bill Stern, sports announcer, will be at the WJZ microphone at 1:45 p. m., to report the game. Iowa was in the cellar of the Big Ten last year, but shows early season indications, according to Stern, of giving Michigan, last year's title holders, a stiff battle.

Fort Pearson will describe the Notre Dame-S. M. U. game at South Bend, Ind., beginning at 2:45 p. m., over WEAFF. Dick Nesbitt, former backfield star of the Chicago Bears, will assist Pearson, giving the color account.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13

Eastern Standard—Subtract One Hr. for CST, 2 Hrs. for MT—P. M.

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

- 6:00—Helen Marie Briscoe—nbc-weaf News; Earl Wild, Pianist—nbc-wjz News Broadcasting Period—cbs-wabc Gus Lazzaro's Ensemble—mbs-chain
- 6:05—Alma Kitchell's Prog.—nbc-wjz Edwin C. Hill's Talk—cbs-wabc-basic Englehardt Ensem.—cbs-chain-west
- 6:15—Malcolm Chalmre; News—nbc-weaf Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz "Uncle Jonathan" Comed.—cbs-wabc
- 6:30—Capt. Healy Stamps—weaf-only John Gurney, Basso—nbc-red-chain Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz H. V. Kaltenborn, Com.—cbs-wabc Console Reveries Program—cbs-west Dance Music Orchest.—mbs-chain
- 6:45—Bill Stern on Sports—weaf-only Silhouettes by Salon—nbc-red-chain Lowell Thomas, talk—nbc-wjz-basic Tox Mix Adventures—nbc-blue-west European News Broadcast.—cbs-wabc The Johnson Family—wor-wol-only
- 7:00—F. Waring Time—nbc-weaf-east Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz Amos & Andy, Skit—cbs-wabc-east Aristocrats in Song—cbs-chain-west Fulton Lewis, Jr., Talks—mbs-net
- 7:15—"I Love a Mystery"—nbc-weaf Lum & Abner Skit—cbs-wabc-basic Serenade at Organ—cbs-wjz