

Modern Bluebeard Will Be District Attorney's Prey

Chiller Broadcast Set For 9:30 P. M. Wednesday;
Mortimer Meek To Get Taste Of Rich Men's Problems

A modern Bluebeard, who marries rich women for their money and then disposes of them in his own unique manner, is the prey of the D. A. and his aids, "Miss Miller," and "Harrington," in "The Case of the Bitter Sweet," the chiller to be heard on the "Mr. District Attorney" program over WEFW at 9:30 p. m., Wednesday.

The story gets its title from the killer's penchant for feeding his wives poisoned candy. Written by Jerry McGill and directed by Ed Byron; with Jay Jostyn, Vicki Vola and Len Doyle.

Mortimer Meek gets an unexpected taste of rich folks with rich men's ailments when a dyspeptic millionaire, married to one of Agatha's old school friends, drops in with his wife for an unheralded visit with the Meek family during the broadcast of Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. over WABC. Frank Readick, Adelaide Klein, Jack Smart, Ann Thomas

and Marjorie Davies star in the series with Elliot Jacoby and his band furnishing the musical background.

Verbal fireworks may be expected when radio brings together two of the nation's wittiest hostesses, Elsa Maxwell and Ika Chase on Penthouse Party, Wednesday, Dec. 17, 9:30 p. m. via WJZ. Both ladies are now brushing up on their rapier-like wit, so wise-cracks should fly thick and fast. In addition, there'll be songs and music by Vaughn Monroe and his orchestra, plus the sultry vocals of Yvette.

Boogie man will meet boogie-woogie man when Boris Karloff is guest of Eddie Cantor on the "Time To Smilt" program over WEFW Wednesday, at 9:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17

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

(Alterations in program as listed due entirely to changes by networks)

- 5:45—Dining Sisters in Song—nbc-red
- The Tom Mix Serial—nbc-blue-east
- W. Van Dyne Songs—nbc-blue-west
- Scattergood Baines, Serial Series—cbs
- Captain Midnight's Serial—mbs-east
- 6:00—Denver String Orches.—nbc-red
- The Vagabonds Song—nbc-blue-east