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# TV Teletype



#### NEW YORK

Bob Stahl reports:

BING CROSBY, after much hesitation on the brink, has finally taken the TV plunge. It's definite now that he'll do several shows in the FBED WARING-General Electric Film Theater time period Sunday nights on CBS. The exact dates have not yet been decided.

Looks definite for ETHEL MERMAN to do at least two starring roles on <u>Comedy Hour</u> this season . . . Because EDDIE CANTOR guested on JACK BENNY's show last year, BENNY will reciprocate by guesting on CANTOR's first appearance on <u>Comedy Hour</u> this year, Oct. 18 . . . PAUL WINCHELL has signed to do recordings for Mercury Records.

BILL (HOPALONG CASSIDY) BOYD tops the list of headliners who will appear in Macy's annual Thanksgiving Day Parade in New York. The parade will be televised by NBC . . . Preceding New York's shindig, NBC will telecast Gimbel's 33rd annual Thanksgiving Day Parade from Philadelphia. ROY ROGERS and KUKLA, FRAN and OLLIE will head the Philadelphia festivities.

TEX McCRARY's all-out backing of PRESIDENT EISENHOWER in last year's campaign has resulted in a new TV program, The President's Week. A Sunday afternoon quarter-hour, it will have film clips of IKE in action, as well as a big-name guest . . . MEL ALLEN, sportscaster, is penning a book of sports anecdotes titled "How About That."

DEAN MARTIN and JERRY LEWIS planning a fun-filled travelog based on their recent trip to Europe for their first show of the season Oct. 4. The comedy team are revising their format this year, featuring more ad libs and wide-open clowning . . . JANE FROMAN shooting golf again for the first time since her clipper crash during the war.

It's still indefinite, but there's a good chance that <u>Garroway at Large</u> may wind up in the Friday night at 8 period on NBC. The <u>Dennis Day Show</u> would be moved to a different evening . . . BISHOP FULTON J. SHEEN bringing out a book to include all his talks from last season's <u>Life Is Worth Living</u> show. It's slated for publication Oct. 15 by McGraw-Hill.

The famed Sadlers Wells ballet troupe from England may appear on Your Show of Shows after the completion of their New York run . . . Hall of Fame planning a one-hour version of Shakespeare's "King Lear." It will star LOUIS CALHERN, who played the title role in the recent Broadway production. An adaptation of THOMAS WOLFE's "Of Time and the River" is also slated for that show.

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# as we see it

Britain is about to take the plunge into commercial television—well, almost. The Government there will set up a new TV service that will accept and telecast advertising, but will not permit sponsorship of programs.

Presumably, then, Government employees will select and produce the programs and every so often there will be spot announcements from advertisers. This will differ from the present setup in which Government employees select and produce the programs and there are no spot announcements from advertisers. Anyway, viewers there will finally have a choice of two channels.

Earl de la Warr, British Postmaster General, whose department is in charge of mail, telephones and telegraph besides radio and television, says, "There is a world of difference between accepting advertising and sponsoring. The press accepts ads, but they remain responsible for their own news columns . . . We are not going to adopt the American system of dependence upon sponsoring."

The good Earl apparently didn't consider that the press is an information medium and TV is primarily an entertainment medium. Nor did he see fit to mention that the press is not Government-controlled as is his British Broadcasting Corporation.

The American system he dislikes is private enterprise. Under that system the viewer, by accepting or rejecting a program, eventually decides what he is to see on television. The choice is not made for him by a network, a sponsor, or a Civil servant. If a sponsor's show does not attract an audience or sell goods, a new show, one that does please the audience and sell goods, must be found.

We don't care too much whether or how the British get advertising on television, but let them stop knocking our system, which is doing pretty doggoned well.—M. P.



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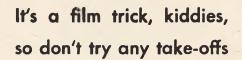
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HOW THEY MAKE

SUPERMAN



It IS a mark of the deepest affection that the production crew which earns its daily bread by shooting the Superman TV film series refers to its star, George Reeves, as "Stuporman." In any other business, this would be insulting. In Hollywood, it is the accolade.

Reeves, a man who looks a good deal younger than he is, is as goodnatured a hero as is extant in TV today. He carries the Superman role on his broad shoulders with a delicate sense of balance, kidding himself when among adults but taking it dead seriously when among the younger fry. To him, Superman is a cross between a job and a dedication. The same sense of dedication, inspired by Reeves' own genuine feeling on the subject, is evident in the attitude of the crew when one of them says, "Well, let's get Stuporman into his rig and get moving."

They're kidding on the square, ashamed to admit baldly that they go for this business of playing hero to the kids, yet at the same time sharing a secret satisfaction in knowing they

It's easy: Producer Whit Ellsworth tests the springboard, then Superman bounces when cue is given and, at top, he flies.





have a part in doing exactly that.

It is perhaps a commentary on our souped-up way of life that something dedicated to the kids of our time can be turned out on an assembly-line basis with little or no "heart" deliberately injected into the proceedings. An A. A. Milne could sit down at his leisure, turn his thoughts to the happy-faced little tykes of his era, and then lovingly pen his stories about Christopher Robin and Sir Edward Bear and Roo. Superman, with five-films-in-two-weeks shooting schedule staring it in the face, has no time for such airs. The button is pushed, the script is ground out, the cameras turn and another Superman film is finished.

#### Youngsters Most Important

The indefinable "heart" of the show springs from Reeves himself and from Whit Ellsworth, the producer. Contrary to some opinion, Hollywood is not entirely populated by pompous oafs and dollar-mad sharpshooters. Reeves and Ellsworth, while not at all averse to turning a profit from the genuinely concerned venture, are with the influence Superman has on a generation of youngsters to whom Tom Swift is an old-fashioned fuddyduddy who couldn't do anything more sensational than make a motorcycle or a flying ship or a submarine-sheer child's play in these hectic times.

Reeves and Ellsworth are chiefly concerned at the moment with the tendency of more than one youngster to take up solo flying as an avocation. If Superman can do it without wings or other visible means of support, so can they — with disastrous results. Thus the Superman crew is now rushing to completion a film short in which Reeves, as Superman, explains that only he has the power to fly and that no one else must ever try it.

Actually, of course, Reeves' flying stunts are simplicty itself to anyone even vaguely familiar with the theater — which automatically must include anyone who ever saw Maude Adams or Betty Bronson fly cumbersomely about the premises in their stage presentations of Peter Pan. Hollywood has improved on the original with the use of trick photography, produced almost entirely in the laboratory — and Reeves' dramatic entrance into a scene more often than not is accomplished by the simple expedient of having him stand on a five-foot ladder just out of camera range and leap easily into the proceedings. The power of suggestion makes the illusion quite complete, particularly to the youngsters.

#### Reeves Isn't Weapon-proof

Reeves' toughest problem, oddly enough, is that of making personal appearances. Because Superman is supposed to be impervious to such things as bullets, knives and other weapons, he is a natural proving ground for the younger inquiring mind. Also naturally, Reeves wants no part of such field tests and has had

Superman checks with Head Cameraman Hal Stine, left, and Director George Blair.





to decree that his personal appearances as Superman be made on-stage in a theater, where he at least has a sporting chance to catch any sharphoned or blunt-edged objects that might be tossed at him in a purely scientific but at the same time highly dangerous manner.

Based on the long-popular comic strip of the same name, Superman deals with the activities of Clark Kent and Lois Lane, star reporters of The Daily Planet, who keep running into crime and other adventure stories



Reeves explains stunt to Jack Larson, who plays role of cub reporter in film.

which invariably need the valiant services of Superman. Kent, of course, is Superman in disguise, which explains how Superman always seems to know precisely where he's needed.

Lois Lane, Kent's sidekick in these matters, is currently being played by Noel Neill, who played the same role in the original motion picture serial version of Superman. Phyllis Coates, however, had the part for the first 26 films, which are still making the

rounds in many cities. Jimmy Olsen, the inevitably confused cub reporter, is played by Jack Larson, while a veteran character actor, John Hamilton, roars pleasantly through the series as Perry White, editor of The Daily Planet.

Reeves himself, the two-ply star of the proceedings, is a thoroughly likeable man with a ready grin, a keen sense of humor and no illusions about his importance in the TV hierarchy.

In between his Superman chores, he has appeared recently in such pictures as The Blue Gardenia, Bugles in the Afternoon and From Here to Eternity, as well as in a number of TV dramatic films. Superman he takes genially in stride, albeit with a strong undercurrent of responsibility to the kids. He has given up smoking, believing that Superman should never be seen with a cigaret—and not trusting himself to confine his smoking behind closed doors.

He also makes a point of never being seen with a girl, an even more difficult proposition considering that he is an attractive bachelor.

# The inside story of DRAGNET

What's Jack Webb really like when he's not Sgt. Friday? How do they make DRAGNET so true to life? Don't miss the behind-the-scenes story, The Cops' Favorite Make-Believe Cop in this week's issue, now on sale.

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# Santa Claus

#### ON YOUR TV SET



Warren Hull with youngsters on Strike It Rich program.

"I wish I wuz a whipped cream pie, As gooey as can be; I wish I wuz a whipped cream pie, On Ladies Date I'd be."

For this literary effort Mrs. Edythe Guzik, of Jackson Heights, N. Y., received first prize in a Ladies Date jingle contest—a \$400 chrome and porcelain gas range.

Her experience is typical of the way in which many viewers are discovering the "Santa Claus" in their TV sets.

Over at Strike It Rich, where as much as \$9000 a week could be picked up (\$400,000 was given away last year), Warren Hull asks moneybacked questions.

The Big Payoff, replacing the Colgate Comedy Hour this summer, upped the afternoon ante of \$7000 in merchandise to \$10,000. In a year and a half on TV, Emcee Randy Merriman and Bess Myerson have handed out \$750,000 worth of clothes, plus 52 mink coats, 104 round trips to Europe and 25 automobiles.

On Break the Bank, where the bank holds any amount from \$500 to \$13,-000, the payoff is for answers to questions.

A typical question involved naming the one-time ambassador to Spain who was married to Lillian Russell. A Pittsburgh man broke the bank with this one. It was Ambassador Alexander T. Moore, also from Pittsburgh.

On Two for the Money, conducted by Herb Shriner, the average combined take for three couples is \$1500, but recently, two Navy men walked off with \$3600.

Although the questions are easy, contestants are haunted by the ticking of a clock and the sounding of a buzzer when they are wrong. One man slowed himself down considerably when, in listing words rhyming with tune, he said, "Moon, spoon, and if you'll pardon the expression, spittoon."

The real fun quiz, You Bet Your Life, the sixth most popular TV show in the country, achieved its status because of Groucho Marx. Money is incidental to Groucho's wit.

In the past year, two sets of contestants, unshaken after a bout with the master, walked off with over \$6000 each from the jackpot alone. Most people. however, "break up" in the entanglement. Typical quip: Bachelor: "I've been cooking for 56 years." Groucho: "You must be pretty well done by now."

Or: Airline pilot: "I've just imported 56 harem girls to an Arab sheik."

Groucho, "It must have been thrilling to see 56 girls take off."

The pilot: "The proper pronunciation of the word sheik is shake."

Groucho: "With 56 girls, I'd think it would be shock."

This brand of humor is scarcely in the same league with that of a show on which an emcee smeared with whipped cream is considered the funniest sight of the day. But if you plan to supplement the family income through giveaways, the smaller the show, the greater your chance.

#### **Money For Problems**

A number of other shows, some of them new, are adding to the flow of money from television. On Your Account, with Win Elliot as master of ceremonies, presses cash on people with problems. Beat the Clock, with Bud Collyer and Roxanne, is one of the game-type giveaways with merchandise and money as prizes.

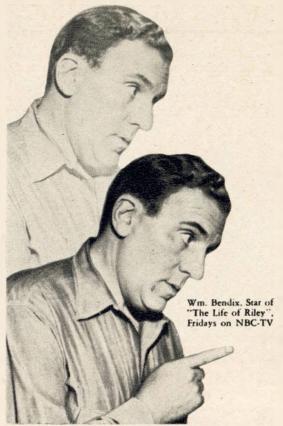
Fred Allen's new show, Judge For Yourself, introduces talent-judging as a contest and has up to \$2000 in prizes. Name That Tune, with Red Benson and Vicki Mills, uses musical clues. The new Jan Murray show, Dollar A Second, is a quiz in which the contestants race against time.

Bert Parks hands out the cash on Double Or Nothing and Jack Smith does the honors on Place The Face, although apart from the cash they are widely different shows. Bud Collyer also has introduced a new one, On Your Way.

#### Not Everybody Wins

The theory that giveaways shower loot about at random is debunked by the fact that most of them, like all other TV productions, are carefully budgeted. The big payoff, for instance, occurs once in every two to three weeks, or to one out of every 40 contestants. Bank-breakers fare about the same. Conceivably, any contestant could have the answer to any question. But as one giveaway's press agent said, "When we're over our budget, a contestant's chance of knowing the answer to the big money question is on a par with knowing the serial number on the \$5 bill in my wallet."

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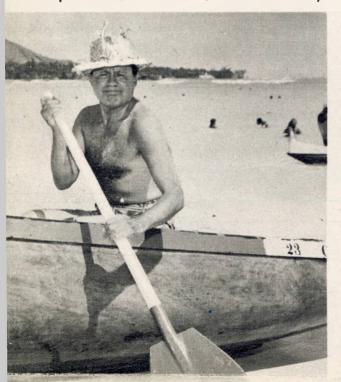
The beach boys: Jack denies his trunks are made from Bing's discarded shirts.

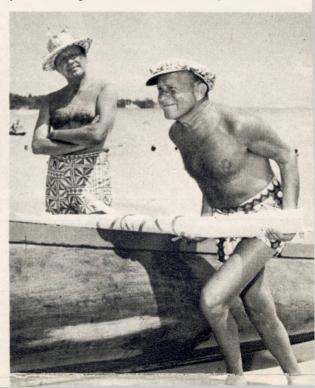


# Holiday in HAWAII

Jack is paddling his canoe on dry land just to show he can do it the hard way.

This is easier: Jack explains that he's just fiddling around while George burns.







Shuffle off to Buffalo: the routine is familiar for two veteran vaudevillians, but Jack and George will find it's a long way from Waikiki Beach to New York State.

Two of the Nation's greatest comedy teams, George Burns and Gracie Allen and Jack Benny and Mary Livingstone, spent vacations together at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel in Honolulu.

When George and Jack hit the beach, all Hawaii braced itself for a new high in comedy antics. But it turned out that, when clowning for their own amusement, the milliondollar comedians do just about the same stunts as the rest of us. The cameraman caught a fair sampling.

As George said to Jack: "We're here just for fun. What do they want us to do, bring our writers along?"

Mary Livingstone, left, and Gracie Allen join their husbands: Jack was back in time to do his September 13 show, George and Gracie's new series will begin October 5.



# TV Teletype

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#### HOLLYWOOD

#### Dan Jenkins reports:

MARY SHIPP, the Miss Spalding of the now dormant <u>Life</u> <u>With Luigi</u> show and wife of CBS Vice-President HARRY ACKERMAN, is the final choice for the Jane Stacy role in <u>My Friend Irma</u>, replacing CATHY LEWIS . . . IDA LUPINO, JOAN FONTAINE and EDMUND O'BRIEN will star alternately in a series of 39 new TV films called <u>Port of Call</u>, a glorified guided tour of the cities of the world. Much of the background film has already been shot.

EDGAR BERGEN, one of the original big-name TV film enthusiasts, will do the bulk of his six CBS-TV shows this season on a live basis. He says the canned laughter of filmed comedy shows changed his mind . . . MARTHA RAYE's first monthly NBC-TV show in the CAESAR-COCA Saturday night spot will feature MARGARET TRUMAN and ROCKY GRAZIANO as guests.

PATRICE MUNSEL will make 13 operatic TV films in Italy . . . WANDA HENDRIX and BILL LUNDIGAN are being sought to star in a Kerry Drake feature picture, after which they would take the same roles in a subsequent TV film series . . . BURT LANCASTER has been set for the October 4 MARTIN & LEWIS Comedy Hour, with FRANK SINATRA inked in for JIMMY DURANTE's Nov. 8 show.

Hollywood Director EDDIE BUZZELL will direct the first three MILTON BERLE shows, then returns here to start a new film series, Third Girl From the Right . . . ALAN YOUNG and NBC-TV are in the serious talking stage . . . Gross-Krasne Productions are now casting for a new Lorelei in the Big Town series, JANE NIGH quitting in favor of motherhood.

Republic Studios clearing the decks for production of TV films on its own lot, first major movie studio to announce such plans. Seven independently-produced film series already are being shot there . . . BING CROSBY ENTERPRISES, producers of Rebound and Crown Theater, have suspended TV film production "indefinitely."

GORDON MAC RAE has set up a corporation to produce a film series of his own now that he's out from under his Warner Bros. contract. Warners, incidentally, now have only five stars under exclusive contract... RCA-NBC will have sunk no less than \$25,000,000 into color TV by the end of this year.

DAVID NIVEN and CHARLES BOYER have wound their season's <u>Four Star Playhouse</u> chores in advance, freeing NIVEN to make a picture in London and BOYER to play the lead opposite MARY MARTIN in "Kind Sir" on Broadway, opening Nov. 4 . . . SEYMOUR BERNS, an old Hollywood hand, is directing the <u>Red Skelton Show</u> on CBS-TV.

# OHIO TELETYPE



Sales continue to soar on BONNIE LOU's <u>Tennessee Wig</u> <u>Walk</u>... The new WHIO-TV tower is up to 200 feet already ... Target date for completion is November 15th with a remote chance of making the grade by the middle of October ... WLW-TV will carry the World Series exclusively in the area.

GEORGE BRYANT has replaced DICK HYDE, at least temporarily, on <u>Cinderella Weekend</u>...Cincinnatians will be pleased to know that Dick will again be seen locally via WCPO when the ERN WEST-MORE show gets underway on a nationwide hookup out of New York.

The PHANTOM RANGER'S new horse TRIGGER JR. won a gold cup for his performance at the Cheviot Fair last week . . . By the way TRIGGER SR. is ROY ROGER'S horse . . . Officials of King Records have informed WLW that BONNIE LOU'S waxing of Seven Lonely Days is currently heading the Holland Hit Parade.

Channel nine begins airing Star Quest from 11:00 a.m. to noon Sunday . . . The show will feature amateur talent but aims to stick pretty much with adult performers and avoid the inordinate number of cute but talentless kids that invariably run away with such contests.

EARL GREEN has switched channels; from two to six . . . Hayrider FREDDIE LANGDON took First Prize in the International Fiddler's Contest at the Kentucky State Fair at Louisville last Thursday.

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# THE 3 R's AND MARTY

If YOU'RE very young and even if you're not "as young as you used to be," you're sure to enjoy WKRC-TV's "Play School". Especially designed for children from the ages of 4 to 6 it has been endorsed by both the PTA and the Board of Education. You might think with such an exalted seal of approval that "Play School" is "all work and no play". But that's just where you're wrong. For the past couple of years, the authors of "Play School" have been working very hard to build the kind of a show that not only mothers and teachers but small fry too, will welcome. And here at last is just such a show. . . . because



Marty Kay spinning a tale to an attentive youngster audience and Angie, the poodle.

from all reports the children love their "Play School" and mothers and teachers have echoed the children's sentiments.

The two guiding spirits of the show are well equipped for their jobs as writer and director. Martha Ransohoff is a U.C. lecturer in child development, and acts as educational director adviser at the same time assisting C'amri Cameron, wife of a U.C. Sociology professor who writes and directs the show. And who should know better how to write for children than a mother of two preschool children? Mrs. Cameron was associated

with the theater in California and Indiana before Katie, 5 and David, 3 altered her career.

#### Painless Education

Both Martha and C'amri long had cherished the belief that there must be a way for television to entertain children and at the same time sneak in a little education. With this in mind they set up the present format of "Play School" and even added some ideas to help children entertain themselves. The result is a most entertaining half hour program.

The cast is a small one; it consists of a pretty television actress, Marty Kay and a picturesque French Poodle by the name of Angie. These two with Shirlee Jester, talented staff pianist, make a very gay and interesting trio. Angie, by the way is a thorobred but she's not a trick poodle. She'll jump over a stick or shake hands with you and generally cooperate but it's evident she's happiest when she's pleasing Marty. She seems only too glad to obey when commanded to relax and watches the "squiggle" game with the greatest of interest.

The "Squiggle Game" is one of the highlights of the show. To "Squiggle" all you have to do is have paper and pencil handy. Then draw a straight line. You're then asked to mail your "Squiggle" to Marty who will turn it into a lovely bird or duck or maybe a kitten, autograph it and send it back to you. Judging from the number of "Squiggles" received this is a very popular feature of "Play School".

Equally popular is the song which Marty sings, at the same time inviting all the children at home to join her. And since no children's program would be complete without a story, Marty tells about all her lovely feathered friends and illustrates with some of the Natural History Museum's finest bird specimens. You may even be rewarded for watching the program by being introduced to a real live parakeet and finding out just how to care for it. As in all children's stories, there is a moral to Marty's tales. And the moral of our story is if you want to know just what the small fry are interested in these days don't miss "Play School" on WKRC-TV, Channel 12 daily Mon. thru Fri., from 8 to 8:30 a.m.



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#### **Mysterious Mysteries**

Now that you've published the presentday crop of top Western Stars' pictures, why not give us oldtimers a nostalgic thrill and do the same by the oldsters such as Hoot Gibson, Tim McCoy, Ken Maynard, etc? After all, their movies are still on TV. And although some of them are a little over-acted, they still bring back pleasant days. . . . Too bad they took Lee Tracy off the Martin Kane show and otherwise loused up one of the best whodunits on TV. You once stated they needed a new format. Well, now they need their old program back plus Tracy. The plots are so complicated now that I'm sure no one takes the trouble to figure them out. It would take too long.

Springfield, O.

Harold F. Griffin

Only takes Mark Stevens a half hour.

#### Frank Buck Music

Why does Willie always give Buddy Ross a big fanfare before he plays his accordian? We think Brownie is just as good but he gets no big introduction. We would also like to see more jungle shows.

Fountain City, In.

C. H. Brown

With what sort of introduction?

#### International Giveaways

The hurricane must have steered Havana's channel four into Lewisburg Friday, Sept. 11. The program was a giveway called *Spin The Wheel* in English along with a Spanish title.

Lewisburg, O.

Clayton M. Line

Looks like it'll take more than a hurricane to get rid of the giveaways.

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- 6:45 2 3 FORECAST—Farm News Howard Chamberlain will emcee.
- 7:00 2 4 5 TODAY—Garroway
  Dave and Frank Blair give news,
  weather, sports with records and
  fashions.
  - ODN'S CLUBHOUSE—Variety
    Don Roberts, host and Loco the
    Clown with Willie Wonderful films
    and special educational, sports
    and hobby topics.
- 8:00 WESTERN ROUNDUP—Movie
  Full length movie of the West.
- 8:30 2 5 MORNING MATINEE

  Judy Perkins and Russ Brown
  - WHI OPENERS—Variety
    Jack Jacobson, Charlie Reeder
    Ted Ryan.
- 8:45 (1) KIDS ONLY—Children

  Jip Houston hostess to guesta.
  - © CBS NEWS

    Late news from around the world.
- 8:55 @ MID-MORNING MEDITATION
  Five minutes of prayer.
- 9:00 2 3 DING DONG SCHOOL Nursery school of the air,
  - WHEEL OF FORTUNE—Fri
  - **O UNCLE AL—Children**Sketches for the kiddies
- 9:15 @ THIS IS THE LIFE-Fri. only
- 9:30 2 3 MOVIES FOR MOM
- 9:45 (1) FOR THE LADIES

  Series of films especially for the woman of the house.
- 10:00 2 3 HAWKINS FALLS Life in a small town.
  - **② ② I'LL BUY THAT**—Friday only

    Mike Wallace, moderator.
  - 2 P ARTHUR GODFREY—T. & Th
  - O PROSPECTOR BILL—Storyteller Chats for the housewife.
  - TAKE TEN—Lockard Murray Lockard, assisted by Roger Garrett, Dick Zubet

- 10:15 @ @ 5 THE BENNETTS-Serial
  - GARNET GRAYSON SUGGESTS Beauty and household tips.
- 10:30 2 3 THREE STEPS TO HEAVEN
  Story of a small town girl's adventure and romance when she comes to live in New York.
  - **O LADIES HOME THEATER**Full length movie.
  - ® ® STRIKE IT RICH—Quiz

    Warren Hull host to contestants.
  - KITCHEN SHOW—Hints

    Norma gives recipes and tips.
- 10:45 **② ⑤ FOLLOW YOUR HEART**Nicky, a gangster, comes to wish
  Julie.
- 11:00 **② ③ GLAMOUR GIRL**Harry Babbitt, host and emcee.
  - Den Nelson, host.
  - O UNCLE AL'S CORNER—Kids
    Al Lewis draws for the kiddies.
  - @ JEAN'S KITCHEN FAIR
- 11:15 @ @ LOVE OF LIFE—Serial
- 11:30 2 2 5 FIFTY-FIFTY CLUB
  Ruth Lyons and Willie Thatt.
- 11:45 @ @ @ GUIDING LIGHT

#### **AFTERNOON**

- 12:00 MIDDAY NEWS—Reports
  Local and national report.
  - STREETMAN—Interviews
    Lou Emm chats with passersby.
  - **O** WESTERN THEATRE
  - O GLOBETROTTER—News Norman Dohn's midday news.
  - © CINDERELLA WEEKEND
    Valuable prizes given daily.
- 12:10 (D) FARMTIME—Bill Zipf
  Latest farm and market reports.
- 12:15 **3 PHANTOM RIDER**—Western Full length western feature.
  - VIRGINIA PATTERSON
  - (i) LOVE OF LIFE—Serial
    In the midst of failure and defeat,
    Van sees her way clearly with
    Paul.

- 12:30 @ @ GARRY MOORE SHOW
  - 1:00 ② SHOPPING WITH CORNELIA Fashion views and shopping news.
    - **O** SHOOT THE WORKS
    - 6 MOTHER'S MOVIE—Film
      "The Mystery" with Robert Armstrong.
    - O NITA'S GUEST BOOK Nita Hutch chats informally.
    - D D DOUBLE OR NOTHING Bud Collyer, emcee.
    - MATINEE MOVIE—Film Full length movie shown.
  - 1:30 **2** COFFEE CLUB—Variety
    Betty Ann Horstman, hostess
    - MOVIE MATINEE-Film
    - 10 10 10 LINKLETTER'S PARTY
  - 1:45 © FIVE MINUTES TO LIVE BY Inspirational talk.
  - 1:50 @ MOTHER'S MOVIE-Cont'd
  - 1:55 2 HELLO NEIGHBOR—Talk
    Guest minister, priest or rabbi.
  - 2:00 2 3 SKATE SMITH SHOW

    Frankie Carle and his orchestra.

    Myron Cohen, comedian and the Katydids.
    - PAUL DIXON SHOW
       Wanda Lewis sketches as well as pantomimes.
    - D THE BIG PAYOFF—Quiz Randy, Bess and Betty Ann.
  - 2:15 3 BREAK THE BANK
    Audience participation program.
  - 2:30 2 3 WELCOME TRAVELERS

    Tommy Bartlett greets tourists.
    - VIRGINIA PATTERSON
      United Lutheran Church representative guest.
    - Tom Gleba and Jeanne Shea.
    - © BOB CROSBY SHOW

      Guest, Donna Reed, screen star.

      "It's a Great Big Wonderful
      World", "Dear Old Girl".
  - 3:00 2 3 5 ON YOUR ACCOUNT
    Win Elliot emcees interviews.
    - SIX IS COOKIN'—Hints
      Culinary tips by Betty Syx.
    - **⊘** ERNIE LEE SHOW—Music Music by the Kentucky Colonel.
    - (\*) LADIES' HOME THEATRE "Gangs of Chicago."
- 3:15 UNCLE BOB—Kids
  Entertainment for the kiddies.
  - LADIES MATINEE—Movie
    "Storm Over Bengal".

- 3:30 2 4 5 LADIES CHOICE—Varetiy
  Johnny Dugan, singing host.
  - TIME OUT FOR MYSTERY
  - BRIDE AND GROOM
     John Nelson hosts TV nuptigis.
- 3:45 MOVIE MATINEE—Film
  "His Lordship Regrets".
  - © SHARP COMMENTS

    Miss Sharp brings news and views.

    News of interest to central Ohioans.
- 4:00 **2 ATCM SQUAD**—Science

  Steve Elliot investigates the strange
  device which has landed in Colorado and assist it in its "desire"
  to escape from earth in the fifth and final episode of "A Strange Visitor to Colorado".
  - 6 PIC-A-PAC—Dick Hageman Dick Hageman and Jane Lynn.
  - O AUNT FRAN—Children Aunt Fran brings favorite stories.
  - PHANTOM RANGER—Movie
    "King of the Stallions."
- 4:15 2 4 GABBY HAYES-Western
- 4:30 2 3 HOWDY DOODY—Kids
  With Buffalo Bob and Clarabel.
  - 6 PROSPECTOR BILL—Storyteller Bill introduces a western film.
- 4:35 (1) SONGTIME—Kids
  Featuring Mary Ellon Schott as
  "Miss Donnie".
- 4:45 SIX-GUN PLAYHOUSE—Film

  WESTERN ROUNDUP—Film
  Full length western show.
- 5:00 2 SUPERMAN—Space Hero
  Starring George Reeves, Phyllis
  Coates, Jack Larson and John
  Hamilton.
  - COMEDY CARNIVAL—Kids Animated cartoons for the kiddies.
  - 6 CARTOON CARNIVAL—Kids
    Animated cartoons set to music.
  - **② ② W KENNY ROBERTS**—Kids
- 5:20 @ SPORTS AND WEATHER
  Ball scores and weather outlook.
- 5:30 @ MEETIN' TIME
  Sally Flowers and Billy Scott.
  - GABBY HAYES—Western
    Tales as only Gabby himself can
    spin them.
- 5:40 POLICE BLOTTER—Report Local police reports.
- 5:45 5 FIVE-FORTY-FIVE REPORT
  Weather and news by Peter Grant.
  - NEWS, SPORTS AND WEATHER
    Complete evening roundup.
  - SPORTS NEWS—Report
    Scores and results.

# Friday September 25

- PAT HARMON'S SPORT SHOW Comments on sports of the day.
- P VARIETY TIME—Film
- 5:55 WEATHER TOWER—Report

  Ted Ryan's forecast of the weather

#### **EVENING**

6:00 2 6 TV SOUNDSTAGE

"Exit Laughing". Arnold Moss, Ruth Matteson, Pat Breslin. A woman learns the whereabouts of her missing husband via newspaper headlines after 12 years of mystery.

- 6:00 6 9 CAPTAIN VIDEO
  - **OPERATION UNIVERSE**Adventures of the 25th Century
  - © CHEERS AND JEERS
    Charlton Wallace and criticism.
- 6:10 © SPORTS—Reports

  Comments from the world of sports.
- 6:15 (1) SPOTLIGHT REVUE—Variety

  Quarter hour of films with music.
  - NEWS AND REPORTS
    Today's news; tomorrow's weather.
- 6:25 © RAIN OR SHINE?—Report

  Joe Holbrook gives latest weather
  - WEATHER—Reports

    Daryl Parks gives report.
- 6:30 2 3 EDDIE FISHER—Music Guest, Morton Downey.

  - O D CBS NEWS—Edwards
    Doug Edwards relates the news.
- 6:45 **2 3** NEWS CARAVAN

  John Cameron Swayze's report.
  - O PERRY COMO SHOW

    Selections are "P. S. 1 Love You",
    "Row, Row, Row", "You Alone"
    and "Triplets".
- 7:00 2 4 5 THE GOLDBERGS

Rosie runs into unforseen obstacles when she plans to send Sammy a tape recording of a typical family dinner.

(Sponsored by RCA Victor.)

O O OZZIE AND HARRIET

"Operation Economy". Ozzie decides to save money but ends up trying to save face.

(Sponsored by Hotpoint appliances.)

7:00 7 10 12 MAMA—Comedy
Katrin enters business college and
meets an interesting young man.

- 7:30 2 3 LIFE OF RILEY—Comedy
  "Chester A. Riley" believes that
  he is exercising horse sense when
  he buys a broken down nag.
  - FISHING FOR FUN Dana Williams, Columbus sportsman and businessman.
  - ② ⑩ ② MAN AGAINST CRIME
    "Sic Transit Gloria". Mike Barnett
    ignores a warning not to testify
    in a waterfront rackets inquiry and
    solves a puzzling murder.
  - MY FAVORITE STORY Adolphe Menjou host.
- 8:00 2 3 5 BIG STORY—Drama

  The story of a reporter, William A.
  Graves of the Springfield, Mo.,
  Leader and Press, who helped clear
  a man unjustly suspected of a
  double murder.
  - O LIFE BEGINS AT 80—Panel Georgiana Carhart and Fred Stein, panelists.
  - 7 (D) PLAYHOUSE OF STARS "Desert Tragedy" starring Broderick Crawford. A Chicago gunman travels to Arizona in search of hidden gold.
- 8:30 ② TIMES SQUARE PLAYHOUSE
  "Mardi Gras". Herbert Marshall
  takes us aboard a coastal steamer
  with Ellen Martin and her aunt
  when they dock at New Orleans
  at Mardi Gras.
  - ORIENT EXPRESS—Drama "The Diamond" with Francaise Rosay, Marylin Buferd.
  - OROCKY KING—Mystery "Acid Test". A dead man is found outside the city limits, stripped of all identification.
  - \*\*ProofLights Theatre "Double Exposure" starring George Brent, Dan Duryea. George Brent portrays an easily angered city editor bent on exposing a crooked political machine.
  - HALF HOUR THEATER

    "Girl or Ghost" with Gloira
    Saunders.
  - **(i)** HOLLYWOOD THEATRE "Hemmingway".
- 9:00 2 3 CAVALCADE OF SPORTS

  Danny Nardico ys. James J. Parker,
  10 round heavyweight bout from
  St. Nicholas Arena, New York.
  - OCHANCE OF A LIFETIME Dennis James, emcee.

- \*\*Murder in Short Pants''. When Pam and Jerry have their nephew, Little Jace, visit them, he turns out to be a junior super-sleuth.
- 9:30 **② ② DOWN YOU GO**—Quiz Dr. Bergen Evans, moderator. Panelists: Toni Gilman, Carmelita Pope, Francis Coughlin and Robert Breen.
  - "Double Exposure" starring George Brent, Dan Duryea. George Brent portrays an easily angered city editor bent on exposing a crooked political machine.
  - OUTDOOR RAMBLER
    Jim Thomas, emcee, shows outdoor
    films.
- 9:45 2 3 GREATEST FIGHTS-Film
- 10:00 2 4 S ALL STAR MOVIE-Film
  - 4. "Brute Man" with Tom Neal.
  - 5. "Riot Squad" with Richard Cromwell.
  - O DOORWAY TO MURDER
  - NEWS—Reports
    News with Don Wayne.
  - **O PANTOMIME HIT PARADE**Stars Dottie Mack with Bob Braun.
  - **® LOOKING WITH LONG**
  - FRONT PAGE NEWS

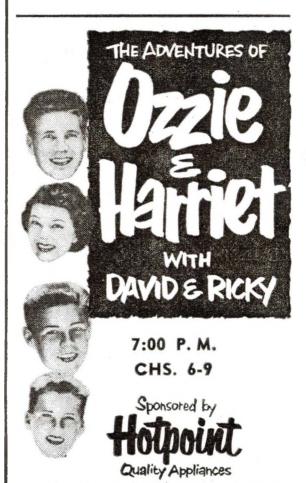
    George Palmer gives latest reports.
- 10:05 SPORTS—C. Hinkle

  Ball scores and sports news.
- 10:10 @ ERNIE LEE SHOW—Songs
  - WEATHER—Daryl Parks
    Report for the next 24 hours.
- 10:15 (1) TV WEATHERMAN—Reports

  Bob McMasters gives the weather.
  - PHOME THEATRE—Movie
    "Old Fashioned Girl" and "Gangs in Chicago."
- 10:25 TEORASCOPES—Earl Flora
  Latest results from the sports world.
- 10:30 SPORTS SCOPE—Lu Emm
  Lu chats informally with a guest.
  - CAVALCADE OF FASHION
- 10:45 ® TO BE ANNOUNCED
- 11:00 2 3 THREE CITY FINAL—News Peter Grant's world summary.
  - **3** SOHIO REPORTER—News Summary by Warren Guthrie.
  - NEWS WITH PEPPER
    Bill Pepper's news analysis.
- 11:10 © SPORTS SHOW—Joe Hill

  Joe Hill comments on sports today.

- DLOCAL EDITION—News fred Brophy gives top local news.
- SPORTS DESK—Reports
  Latest scores in sports.
- 11:15 @ @ FAMILY PLAYHOUSE
  - 4. The Mozart "Story" with Hans Holt.
  - 5. "So's Your Aunt Emma" with Zasu Pitts.
  - 6 HOME THEATRE—Movie
    "Pvt. Angelo" with Peter Ustinov.
  - PENNY ARCADE—Movie
    "Million Dollar Weekend" stars
    Gene Raymond.
  - STARLIGHT THEATER --- Movie
- 12:15 @ NEWS—Late Reports
  - NEWS—Late Reports
     Latest bulletins.
- 12:45 6 LOCAL NEWS
- 12:50 **G** REAR BUMPER—J. Shepherd Jean Shepherd's records.
  - 1:00 6 WEATHER AND NEWS Final report.





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SUNDAYS AT 7:30 P. M. STARTING SEPTEMBER 27



# Saturday September 26

- 7:00 © BREAKFAST SERIAL—Film
  7:15 ② ⑤ INDUSTRY ON PARADE
  Presented by the NAM.
- 7:30 2 SUN UP TRAIL
  Full length western feature.
  - **O** FILM FEATURETTE
  - **6** WESTERN FOR YOUNGSTERS
- 8:00 **3 SUNRISE WESTERN THEATRE**The goodie gets the baddie this morning.
- 8:30 2 4 5 MORNING MATINEE

  Hostess Judy Perkins and Russ
  Brown entertain studio guests.
- 8:30 THIS IS THE LIFE

  Freddie Fisher and one of his pals
  lose one of Grampa's priceless
  collector-stamps
  - © F.O.P. QUIZ—Panel Show Police quiz on sports and safety.
- 9:00 2 3 G CADLE TABERNACLE

  Message by Rev. James DeWeerd.

  Music by the Swanee River Boys.
  - O TOOTSIE HIPPODROME Variety show for the children.
  - CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP
    Brownies from Centerville, Ohio.
  - P SMOKIN' GUNS—Western "King of the Stallions."
- 9:30 2 TV STORY HOUR—Film

  Complete movie for all the family.
  - FILM—Featurette
  - **5** ATOM SQUAD—Science

    Drama concerning secret government operators.
  - SMILIN' ED—Kids "The Bee Hunter." Smilin' Ed presents the story of "Little Fox's" adventures the day the Sioux lad tries his skill at finding wild honey.
- THE BIG WHEELS—Kiddies
  Red Thornburg chaperones winner.
- 10:00 ② A HEALTHIER COLUMBUS
  A frank health discussion.
  - TV STORY HOUR---Movie

  - P FILM FEATURETTE
- 10:15 @ MAGIC WINDOW

  Care and feeding of animals.
- 10:30 @ CARTOONS—Film

  Animated funnies for the kids.
  - TV STORY HOUR "Young and Willing" with Susan Hayward.
  - SPACE CADET

    "The Outpost of Danger".

#### 10:30 10 10 PROCKET RANGERS

"The Looters of Leeron". A gang of prospectors smuggling atomic materials from an unknown planet shanghai Rod Brown to work in their mines.

- A scientific discussion and demonstration.
  - **O** FILM FEATURE
- 11:00 D BIG TOP—Circus Acts
  The Flying Hartzells, trapeze artists; Sonny Cole, elephant act;
  the Two Adamsons, perch act;
  Payo and Mae, unicycle juggling
  - **O UNCLE AL**—Kiddies
    Al Lewis entertains the kiddies
- 1-1:30 2 3 FOR EVERY MAN
  Chase College discusses legal problems that befall all families.
  - **6** FUTURE PILOT—Instructive
    Aviation instruction with Ken Frisco
- 11:45 © COLUMBUS FIRE DEPARTMENT Tips on fire prevention.
- 11:55 @ 6 FIVE MINUTES TO LIVE BY Inspiration through prayer
- 12:00 @ TO BE ANNOUNNCED
  - 4 CARTOON CARNIVAL
    Animated cartoons for the kiddies
  - S EXCURSION

    Burgess Meridith points out interesting places and subjects around the country.
  - 6 FILM—Featurette
  - **⊘** CARTOON—Film
  - SMILIN' ED—Kids
    "The Bee Hunter."
  - MOPALONG CASSIDY
    Hoppy catches up with outlaws of the old west.
  - THE LONE RANGER

    A crime suspect helps the Lone
    Ranger trap a ruthless bandit in
    order to prove his own innocence.
- 12:30 **② ⑤** PRE-GAME SPORTS SHOW Preview of the collegiate activity for the day.
  - WESTERN THEATRRE—Film "Roarin' Lead".
  - **O** FEATURE FILM FARE
  - The two madmen of mirth

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DEALER

# Saturday September 26

12:45 2 4 6 COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL

Dartmouth vs. Holy Cross at Lynn, Mass. Mel Allen and Lindsey Nelson will announce.

- O PREVIEW WITH JOE HILL Joe runs down the present baseball situation.
- 12:55 BASEBALL Tentative Cleveland Indians vs. Detroit Tigers.
  - 1:00 D D LONE RANGER—Western A crime suspect helps the Lone Ranger trap a ruthless bandit in order to prove his own innocence.
  - 1:30 @ CARTOONS-Film Animated cartoons on film
    - 10 TWO FOR THE SHOW Complete movie for the family.
    - P HOLLYWOOD PLAYHOUSE Full length film drama.
  - 2:00 @ GOLDEN WEST-Film Full-length western
    - 2 O BASEBALL—Tentative Cincinnati Reds vs. Milwaukee
  - 2:30 P TRAVEL TIME—Film Films of interesting places in U.S.A.
  - 3:00 GOLDEN WEST FILM O ON STAGE CINCINNATI Presenting local young talent
  - 3:30 **② ③ ⑤** SCOREBOARD—Sports Sports scores from around the country.
    - SILVER THEATRE-Movie Full-length movie.
    - **O** WESTERN THEATRE Tentative showing of "Strange Voyage".
    - O COCO'S CIRCUS—Amateurs Amateurs perform for Coco.
    - 10 TWO FOR THE SHOW—Cont d
    - P GREEN THUMB—Horticulture Tips in gardening.
  - 3:45 2 3 WRESTLING --- Columbus Frankie Talaber vs. Whitey Walberg; Eddie Gosset vs. Lou Klein; Ray Stevens vs. Joe Scarpello.
  - 4:00 @ WESTERN ROUNDUP-Film
    - PREPORT TO CINCINNATI Cliff Mercer is moderator
  - 4:30 D LOOKIN' ON-Film Filmed travelogue and commentary.
  - 4:45 P THE CHRISTOPHERS
  - Guest interviewed by Father Keller. 5:00 6 FILM FEATURE—Movie

Half hour drama.

ODRAW YOUR CONCLUSIONS Bob Penny host to charade team.

- O SIX-GUN PLAYHOUSE
- 12 BIG PICTURE-Film

Authentic Films of World War II.

5:30 6 HOPALONG CASSIDY

Hoppy catches the baddies of the old west.

- THE BIG PICTURE-Film Authentic Films of World War II.
- WESTERN THEATRE-Movie "Western Racketeer".
- D COWBOY G-MEN-Film Pat and Stoney working for the government catch a couple of crooks.
- P VARIETY TIME-Film
- 5:45 Q Q G TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - PRED BARBER-Sports The old redhead chats informally.
- 6:00 2 4 6 ORIGINAL AMATEUR HR. Ted Mack host to talented contestants.
  - The Korn Kobblers, zany musicians are featured.
  - M WILD BILL HICKOK-Film A girl, disguised as a man, saves the life of Wild Bill in a story of stolen guns and a decoy pack train.
  - (P) CINDERELLA WEEK END Audience participation show. Big prize is trip to New York.
- 6:30 2 4 5 ETHEL AND ALBERT Ethel buys a ring and by some strange circumstance, her friend's and neighbors think she has stolen
  - M BEAT THE CLOCK Contestants race the clock for prizes. Bud Collyer, host.
  - TERRY AND THE PIRATES Terry and Hotshot are in trouble in the Orient.
  - MKIT CARSON—Western Kit and El Toro land a couple of gunmen.
- 7:00 2 4 5 MIDWESTERN HAYRIDE Willie Thall, emcee. Regulars include Red and Zeke Turner, Bonnie Lou, Buddy Ross.
  - ORINGSIDE WITH RASSLERS Interviews with famous matmon.
  - 10 10 12 JACKIE GLEASON SHOW The lovable comedian assisted by Art Carney, Audrey Meadows and the June Taylor Dancers.
  - O SHOWCASE THEATER-Film Complete movie for the family.

- 7:30 MADISON SQUARE GARDEN

  Pro Tennis—Jack Kramer and
  Pancho Segura vs. Frank Sedgeman
  and Ken MacGregor; Basketball—
  N. Y. U. vs. Dayton; Boxing—Willie Troy vs. Bobby Jones; Hollywood Ice Review.
- 8:00 2 4 5 SHOW OF SHOWS

  Stars Sid Caesar and Imagene
  Coca with Carl Reiner and guests.
  - SATURDAY NITE FIGHTS Joey Giambra vs. Tuzo Portuguez, 10 rounds; middleweights.
- 8:30 MY FAVORITE HUSBAND

  George Cooper decides to go duck hunting with the boys but when Liz finds out the feathers fly at home.
  - O ARTHUR MURRAY SHOW Guests are Carl Erskine, Gil Hodges, Russ Meyer and the Billy Williams Quartet.
- 8:45 FIGHT TALK—Interview

  Guest Homer Smith, Captain of the Princeton University Football team.
- 9:00 © WRESTLING FROM CHICAGO

  Jack Brickhouse describes the action.
  - ② ① ② MEDALLION THEATRE

    A corpse with a slashed throat, is found in a locked room. A careful search fails to turn up any weapon and Inspector Grodman, recently retired from Scotland Yard, decides to investigate the case.
  - GOLDEN THEATRE—Film Full length movie is shown.
- 9:30 ② ③ HIT PARADE—Music
  "Ain't Misbehavin" . . . the dancers; "Jingle, Jangle, Jingle" by
  Dorothy Collins.
  - MIRROR THEATER—Drama "Heads or Tails" starring Joanne Dru and John Ireland,
  - INTO THE NIGHT—Mystery Half hour of mystery and intrigue.
- 10:00 2 4 5 WRESTLING—Dayton
  Ruffy Silverstein vs. Jack Vansky;
  Jackie Nichols vs. E. Francis; Tony
  Cosenza vs. Hercules McIntire.
  - "The Chivaree'. A time-honored custom of serenading newlyweds on their wedding night, until the couple invite the serenaders in for refreshments.

10:00 @ JEWELER'S SHOWCASE

"The Lone Rider of Brooklyn". A youngster from Brooklyn wins a cow pony and, after sadly learning that the city has no place for his horse, finds a happy solution to his problem through the wisdom of his cowboy hero.

- PRONT PAGE NEWS
  George Palmer reporting.
- 10:10 (P) WEATHER—Daryl Parks
  10:15 (2) SPORTS SHOWCASE—Guests
  Ronald Gibbs, guest.
  - PHOME THEATRE—Movie
    "Lead Soldiers" "Fighting Mad."
- 10:30 ROCKY KING—Mystery
  "Cold Fire". A conflagration destroys the warehouse of a retail appliance store and a charred body is found in the ruins by the police.
  - GOLDEN THEATRE—Film "Curley" starring Larry Olson and Frances Rafferty.
  - "One for the Road." An ex GI is threatened with a murder charge and the only witness who can prove
- his innocence is missing in Korea.

  11:00 To NEWS—Reports

  Final reports with Ted Ryan.
  - MYSTERY THEATRE—Movie
    "House of a Thousand Candles".
- 11:10 WEATHER—Reports

  Complete regional forecast.
- 11:15 SATURDAY NITE THEATRE
  "Chance of a Lifetime" with Basil
  Radford.
  - WRESTLING—Chicago Jack Brickhouse describes the action.
- 12:00 **② NEWS**—Reports
- 12:15 @ MIDNIGHT MYSTERIES
  - SATURDAY THRILLER—Film "Hidden Enemy" with Warren Hull.

#### **TUNEFUL and TERRIFIC!**

# JOUR HIT PARADE

presented by LUCKY STRIKE SATURDAYS, 9:30 P.M. — Chs. 2-4-5

# Sunday September 27

- 7:00 © KNOW YOUR WORLD

  Travelogue for your viewing pleas-
- 8:00 © FAITH FOR TODAY

  Guest minister each Sunday.
- 8:30 2 5 CHURCH BY THE ROAD

  Guest Minister and choir each
  week.
  - THIS IS THE LIFE

    Wealthy businessman Roger Brownlee accepts the challenge to work
    on a neighborhood mission committee and immediately has some
    shaky moments.
- 9:00 @ TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - **4** NEW HORIZONS—Film
  - **6** FILM FEATURE
  - **GOOD SHIP ZION**—Religious

    Rev. Loren Kolb and the Gospel

    Mariners Quartette.
  - UNCLE BOB AND THE COMICS Sunday funnies read and explained to the kids.
- 9:30 @ TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - FILM—Short Subjects
  - CARTOONS—Film
    Filmed fun for the kids.
  - Town MEETING OF THE AIR
    Timely topics brought into focus
    by the panel.
- 10:00 2 DOWNHOMERS—Music
  Instrumental combo and special
  song arrangements with Guy Campbell, Shorty Cook, Hank Gunder
  and Rusty Rogers.
  - **2** THE WORLD THIS WEEK Review of the week's news.
  - 6 FILM—Short Subjects
  - PRAIRIE RAMBLERS—Music Special folk music.
  - SPOTLIGHT ON YOUTH Teenagers on parade.
  - THE CHRISTOPHERS

    Factual discussion with guest ce-
  - P SMOKIN' GUNS-Film
- 10:15 THE PEALES—Talk

  Discussion of everyday problems
  by Doctor and Mrs. Norman Vin-
- cent Peales.

  10:30 ② ⑤ HOME FIXIN'
  - THE BIG PICTURE

    Authentic films of our Army in action.

Economical tips on home repairs.

**10** TO BE ANNOUNCED

#### 11:00 2 4 5 THEATRE FOR YOUTH

Animated Cartoons with musical background for the kiddies pleasure.

- WESTERN THEATRE-Film
- O ACCORDION HOUR

Music for your listening pleasure.

- GHENRY GNOME
   Strictly for the kiddies.
- PRELIGIOUS—Show
- 11:30 **② STARQUEST**

Amateurs parade before the cameras.

P FACT FORUM
Discussion show with a purpose.

#### **AFTERNOON**

12:00 2 4 5 STARMAKER REVUE

Amateur talent from the tri-state area will perform.

- **6** FILM FEATURE
- SWAP SHOP—Ted Ryan

  Ted Ryan introduces items that people want to swap or sell.
- O JOHNNY MACK BROWN
- "Prairie Express."

  TWO GUN PLAYHOUSE
- University professor discusses interesting topics.
- 12:30 ② DAYTON SALES EXEC. CLUB

  Dayton business men discuss timely topics.
  - **4** TIME CHANGE SHOW
  - 5 FLORAL MAGIC
    Floral tips for the home.
  - TI'S YOUR WORLD

    Guest and panel discuss problems of the day.
- 12:45 ② G CITY FARM EXTRA
- Farm problems on review.

  1:00 2 TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - JIMMY RAWLINS SHOW

    Amateur talent on parade.
    - DIAMOND SQUARE DANCE
    - O COMMUNITY CHEST Special DuMont presentation with special guests.
  - PRESCRIPTION FOR LIVING
    Health problems on review.
  - © COLUMBUS TOWN MEETING

    Panel discussion with Columbus
    citizens.
- 1:30 @ PROMOTION SHOW
  - OCOWBOY G-MEN—Western
    "Hang the Jury."
  - Rev. Morris Coers conducts service.
- 1:45 @ @ PRE-GAME HIGHLIGHTS

  Preview of today's football activity.

#### 2:00 2 4 5 PRO FOOTBALL

Chicago Bears vs. Chicago Cardinals.

#### **300** PRO FOOTBALL

Pittsburgh Steelers vs. Detroit Lions at Detroit.

- REQUEST THEATRE—Movie
- SUNDAY CINEMA—Movie "Dangerous Ground" and "Shamrock Hill."
- 3:00 ( COLUMBUS CHURCHES Services from a local church.
- 3:30 ® TO BE ANNOUNCED
- 4:00 TOU ARE THERE

"The Moscow Purge".

- JUVENILE JURY—Panel Jack Barry moderates small fry panel.
- 4:30 3 ZOO PARADE—Animals
  R. Marlin Perkins displays animals
  from Lincoln Park Zoo.
  - **O PRO FOOTBALL ROUNDUP**

Late scores from around the league.

- Ulberace—Music Classical and popular selections by the noted piano stylist.
- P STARS OF TOMORROW

  Amateur show with youngsters.
- 4:45 @ SPORTS AND NEWS
  Late round-up and news flashes.
  - **◆ GAME IN REVIEW**Summary of today's football game.
  - **6** TO BE ANNOUNCED
- 5:00 2 3 HALL OF FAME—Drama
  The story of Catherine Parr, the
  Queen who outlived Henry VIII
  and saved the lives of his children,
  including the future Queen Elizabeth, in a time of strife and dissension.
  - O SUPER CIRCUS—Acts Claude Kirschner, ringmaster, assisted by Mary Hartline and Nicky and Scampy.
  - LAMP UNTO MY FEET

    "The Difference" by Belly

"The Difference" by Palmer Thompson. Guest panelist: Dr. Roscoe Foust, Church of the Ascension, New York City. Moderator: Dr. Lyman Bryson.

- **OMNIBUS**—Drama
- 5:30 MAN OF THE WEEK

Outstanding figure discusses important topics.

- 6:00 2 KIT CARSON—Western
  Kit and El Toro catch some more
  bandits of the old West.
  - MEET THE PRESS—Panel
     Martha Roundtree and Lawrence
     Spivak with guest and newsmen.
  - **6** LIFE OF ST. PAUL—Religious "Visit to Corinth",

#### **1** TO BE ANNOUNCED

O CISCO KID-Western

Another adventure of the old West with Cisco and his buddy Pancho.

- 6:00 (1) ADVENTURE—Educational
  Film clips of life among the
  Australian Aborigines. Guest is Dr.
  Harry Shapiro.
- 6:30 **2** YOUR TV THEATRE—Film Half hour Hollywood stories.
  - ② S ROY ROGERS—Western "Dead Man's Hills". Roy and Pat Brady track down a gang of outlaws encamped near an old silver mine in an area known to be arid and dangerous.
  - GEORGIE JESSEL SHOW

    Guests: Lilo, French chanteuse,
    star of "Can Can" and Jan Peerce,
    Metropolitan opera tenor.
  - TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - **O** YOU ARE THERE

"The Birth of a National Anthom".

- THE OHIO STORY
  An interesting incident in the growth of a great State.
- (P WILD BILL HICKOK
  "Flashy Sweetwater Singer". The
  attempt of Wild Bill and Jingles
  to deceive a straight-laced parent
  as to the true vocation of his
  daughter, a singer in a dance hall,
  touches off kidnappings, hot pursuits and a series of pistol battles.
- 6:40 @ EDITORS DESK—News

Five minute summary of late news.

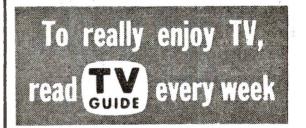
- 6:45 (1) TV WEATHERMAN

  Bob McMaster and the weather report.
- 6:55 @ SPORTS SHOW

Five minutes of sports news.

- 7:00 2 2 PAUL WINCHELL SHOW
  Paul Winchell and guest Sally Forrest portray an employer and his
  employee engaged in a psychological duel.

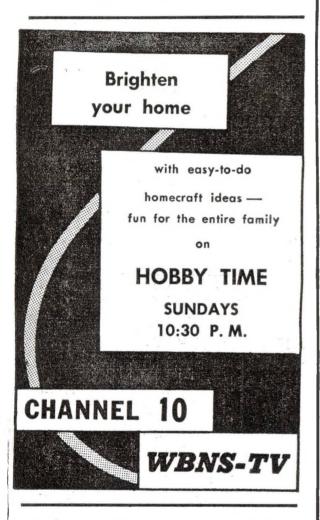
  - OZZIE AND HARRIET—Comedy "Operation Economy". Ozzie trys to save money but winds up trying to save face.



# Sunday September 27

- 7:00 (D) QUIZ KIDS—Panel

  Joe Kelly asks questions of the youngster brain trust.
- 7:30 ② ⑤ MR. PEEPERS—Comedy
  Harvey shows the home movies
  that he and Marge took during
  the summer.



SUNDAY'S FUN DAY WHEN YOU WATCH

# PRIVATE SECRETARY

Starring ANN SOTHERN presented by LUCKY STRIKE SUNDAY 7:30 p.m., Chs. 7-10-12

#### 7:00 FRANK LEAHY SHOW

The Notre Dame football coach interviews the coaches of his school's football opposition each week.

O PRIVATE SEC'Y—Comedy
Susie tries to make sure that her
job will be open on her return
from vacation, but doesn't count
on a well disguised glamour girl
replacing her.

#### 7:45 @ O COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL

Filmed review and commentary of previous Saturday's Notre Dame football game.

#### 8:00 2 4 5 THE BIG PAYOFF

Randy Merriman and Bess Myerson present their "dream" quiz.

① ① ② TOAST OF THE TOWN
Guests: Patachou, French singer;

Peter Lind Hayes and Mary Healy; Darvas and Julia, dance team; Walter Dare Wahl, comedian.

- 9:00 2 4 5 TV PLAYHOUSE—Drama
  "0 For 37". A young baseball
  player discovers that his home is
  just as important as his career.
  - O WALTER WINCHELL—News Dynamic news commentator with his unique brand of exclusives.
  - Pred Waring and all the Pennsylvanians return.
- 9:15 ③ ORCHID AWARD—Variety
  Host is Donald Woods with the
  DeMarco Sisters as guests.
- 9:30 O THE PLAINCLOTHESMAN

A father makes a desperate effort to bring romance into the life of his eldest with tragic results.

- ② PARTHUR MURRAY PARTY

  Guests: Richard Tucker, tenor;

  Billy De Wolfe, comedian; Burton's Birds.

  Output

  Description:

  Des
- HOLLYWOOD OFF BEAT "Unlucky Three".

#### 10:00 2 4 5 LETTER TO LORETTA

Miss Young portrays a youthful society matron who attempts to give her young son the parent-child relationship his father fails to understand.

O DOLLAR A SECOND—Quiz Two contestants vie against each other and time. Jan Murray, emcee. 10:00 © THE WEB—Mystery
"Combination for Murder". A
wealthy young woman marries a
fortune hunter against the wishes
of her aunt and learns of his true
character.

TV PLAYHOUSE—Film
"One Stronge Day".

# 10:30 @ MAN AGAINST CRIME Mike Barnett (Ralph Bellamy) has a close call with death as he solves another case.

- EXCURSION—Guest & Topics
   Roland La Starza discusses sports
   and sportsmanship.
- OHIO STATE FOOTBALL

  Joe Hill with film clips of yeter-day's game.
- ② ② WHAT'S MY LINE

  Host John Daly and panelists

  Dorothy Kilgallen, Arlene Francis,

  Bennett Cerf and Steve Allen with

  Television's number one quiz game.
- **©** GEORGIE JESSEL SHOW
- 11:00 2 3 THREE CITY FINAL

  Peter Grant's world-wide report
  with cutouts for local news.
  - **O NEWS**—Reports

    Earl Green reporting.
  - SUNDAY NEWS SPECIAL Don Hollenbeck's world report.
  - STARLIGHT THEATRE
    "Grandpa Goes To Town."
  - PRONT PAGE NEWS
    George Palmer reporting.
- 11:15 @ @ FAMILY PLAYHOUSE
  5. "Skyway" with Ray Walker.
  - Pretender" with Albert Dekker, Katherine Craig.
  - **O** SUNDAY NITE THEATRE
  - 10 HOBBY TIME
  - PHOME THEATRE "Counterfeiters."
- 11:30 ARMCHAIR THEATRE—Movie "Covered Trailer".
- 12:15 @ NEWS—Reports
  - **O** NEWS—Reports



### "LETTER to LORETTA"

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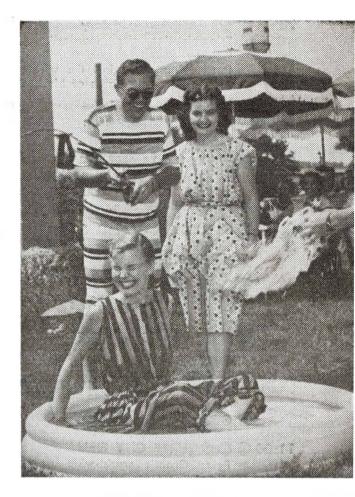
V/LW D's "Coffee Club" is one show on which the audience can wave away at the camera to their hearts' content without fear of being branded "TV Idiots" or any of the uncomplimentary monickers commonly attributed to the overzealous video guest. Hostess Betty Ann Horstman operates on the theory that the various women's groups come to the Dayton station to have a good time and that it's her job to see to it that they do. With teammates Arvie Recore and Dick Shafer and vocalist Nancy Rifner, Betty Ann has been showing her guests a good time on the "Coffee Club" for the past two years.

Graduating to video from WONE and WING, Betty Ann started out on channel two on a thrice weekly 15 minute afternoon spot. In short order she was advanced to a daily billing and teamed with Arvie and Dick with a time extension to a half hour. The combine adopted the "Coffee Club" title in January, 1952, a long time ago by video standards, and with an average of six sponsors daily, it's a pretty good bet they'll be with us for some time to come.

#### Talent Pool

The success of "Coffee Club" is all the more amazing when you consider that the show has inadvertently served as a talent pool for a couple of New York network programs. Practically everyone knows the tale of the McGuire Sisters, who started here. Successor Barbara Rettig followed suit by guesting with Arthur Godfrey and winning a two week engagement on the Garry Moore show during the summer. By this time Betty Ann & Co. were veteran improvisers and promptly pulled 17 year old vocalist Nancy Rifner out of the grab bag. Of course, established protocol practically dictates that she too will follow in the nomadic footsteps of her predecessors.

But there can be no doubt that the afternoon standby will weather the storm as gracefully as it has in the past; for instance when Jim Bolen was sidelined by the same union edict that benched Neal VanElls on Studio Wrestling. Then there was the back injury to Arvie Recore from which he's still recuperating. Troupers that they are, Betty Ann took to more



### JIVE AND JAVA

#### The "Coffee Club" Conti and High Water

pantomime and Dick Shafer took to more instruments, and the "Coffee Club" continued on schedule.

Ably directed by Bill Brescka, a colleague of playwright Rod Serling at Antioch College, the "Coffee Club" is a 24 hour a day proposition with the cast. Several evenings each week, the crew gets together, usually at Betty Ann's, and all concerned give the show a going-over while the two Horstman daschunds, Baron and Countess, and Dick's fox terrier, Bozo, follow suit with the furniture.

#### Critical Critic

The show's most intense critic is Mrs. Shafer, whom Dick met at a USO dance in Charleston, S.C. about a decade ago. Maggie watches the show religiously with



### **A SESSION**

#### nues Through Heat, Hail

an eagle eye out for flaws, miscues and various faux pas. But there have been a few impromptu mishaps whose detection hardly required an eagle eye.

If there has ever been a time that the cast questioned the wisdom of the cliche about the show going on, it was the afternoon Arvie Recore tore his bathing suitin the most obvious place, naturally. Hamming it up in the very best Godfrey style, the crew decided that bathing suits and swimming pools should be the order of the day. Unfortunately, the pools were of the inflated rubber variety and the bathing suits were resurrected from the gay nineties. But everyone managed to get wet and Arvie was able to secure a little additional ventilation on one of the warmest days of the year; all of which

The whole "Coffee Club" cast gets in the act on the lawn of the Dayton studio.

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seemed to be the main idea of an outdoor production.

The show's other 'family' critic is Betty Ann's husband, Jim Venable, who coaches the star's pantomimes. Jim is a veteran of the New York productions of "Oklahoma" and "Bloomer Girl" and has directed his own stock company; which is how the two met, when Jim was in Dayton producing the Junior League Follies.

#### No Canned Commercial

A past master of the unrehearsed commercial, Betty Ann once pounced on the opportunity of interrogating one of the few male studio guests on the merits of such-and-such a product. Common courtesy and good taste would seem to entail an endorsement of the product in accepting an invitation to a program for which the sponsor foots the bill. But the law of averages still hasn't been repealed and Betty Ann happened on a minister, who was no doubt justified in putting honesty above all else when he replied, "No, I hate the stuff." Thinking the curt reply to be a gag, or perhaps out of sheer desperation, Betty Ann hurriedly inquired about still another product, to which the high-principled cleric replied. "No, I don't like that either." The next day Betty Ann was back on the job as usual and not in the hospital bed that would have claimed a lesser showman after such a disaster.

But the 23 year old lass has been at the game too long to become unnerved very easily. A graduate of U. D. and summer stock, Betty Ann has been on the stage since she was six, campaigning with her politician grandfather. Her workday usually starts about 6:00 a.m. what with personal appearances and radio engagements on WIZE, Springfield, WKNB, Richmond, and WING, Dayton in addition to her TV schedule. She's usually home by about 6:00 in the evening, unless she has a late hour benefit or some such. Besides the "Coffee Club" her favorite chore is a four hour disc jockey session on Saturday afternoon via WING. As Betty Ann puts it, "What woman wouldn't enjoy just gabbing for four hours?"

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#### DAYTIME PROGRAMS

MONDAY — THURSDAY

- 6:45 2 5 FORECAST—Farm News Howard Chamberlain with news.
- 7:00 2 5 TODAY—Dave Garroway

  Mon.: Football Roundup.

Tues.: Garroway interviews the man in the street outside his 49th street studio.

Wed.: World Series Feature—Remote from Yankee Stadium featuring interviews.

Thurs.: Film of the six most beautiful women in New Orleans.

- ODN'S CLUBHOUSE—Kids

  Don Roberts, host and Loco the

  Clown with Willie Wonderful films

  and special educational, sports
  and hobby topics.
- 8:00 WESTERN ROUNDUP—Movie Full length feature of the west.
- 8:05 MORNING REFLECTIONS

  Ten minutes of religion.
- 8:15 **7** UNCLE BOB—Kids

  Bob Campbell with his kids show.

  Watch for the special TV Guide contest coming up shortly.
- 8:30 @ UNITED NATIONS APPEALS
- 8:35 (1) TOURING THE TOWN

  Jip Houston guides you through Columbus.
- 8:45 MORNING SERIAL—Film
  Film feature divided into segments.
- 8:55 @ MID-MORNING MEDITATION
  Five minutes of prayer.
- 9:00 2 3 MOVIES FOR MOM Full length film feature.
  - O UNCLE AL—Children
    Drawings for the kiddies.
  - TAKE TEN—Lockard Murray Lockard, assisted by Roger Garrett and Dick Zubel.
- 9:30 WHI OPENERS—Variety

  Jack Jacobson, Ted Ryan and
  Charlie Reeder with comedy-variety.
- 10:00 2 3 DING DONG SCHOOL
  Frances Horwich and her childrens school of the air.
  - Arthur and all the gang. From his home in Virginia.
  - WOMAN'S PAGE—F-M-W Th. Hints for the housewife.
  - FASHIONS BY FOLEY—Tues.

    Bernice Foley, fashion expert.

- 10:15 GARNET GRAYSON SUGGESTS

  Beauty and household tips.
- 10:30 **② ⑤** GLAMOUR GIRL—Ladies Harry Babbitt, host and emcee.
  - **© LADIES HOME THEATRE**Housewives take time out for 190m feature.
  - KITCHEN SHOW—Hints
    Norma gives recipes and cooking tips.
- 11:00 @ 6 HAWKINS FALLS—Serial

  An accident is attributed to a hill and run driver, and suspicions bring about some unusual reactions.
  - UNCLE AL'S CORNER—Kids
    Al Lewis draws for the kiddies.
- 11:15 2 4 5 THE BENNETTS—Serial
  Wayne Bennett finds himself caught
  in a web of circumstances. What
  starts as a case against o con man
  ends in murder.
  - BAIRD'S PUPPETS—T-Th. Bill and Cora Baird with their Marionets.
  - TO BE ANNOUNCED-T-Th.
- 11:30 2 5 THREE STEPS TO HEAVEN
  A small town girls romance and adventure in the big city.
  - (2) (1) STRIKE IT RICH—Quiz
    The quiz with a heart. Warren
    Hull emcees with guest lending a
    helping hand.
- 11:45 **② ③** FOLLOW YOUR HEART

  Story of a society girl's engagement to a man of her mother's choice.
  - O NITA HUTCH—Guest Book Nita chats informally.
- 12:00 2 3 FIFTY-FIFTY CLUB

  Ruth Lyons and Willie Thall with chatter and surprises for the ladies.
  - MIDDAY NEWS—Reports Local and national news reports.
  - P BRIDE AND GROOM A couple tell their love story and are married before the cameras.
  - O COLIN CALLING
  - GLOBETROTTER—News
     Norman Dohn's middoy news reports.
- 12:10 (D FARMTIME—Bill Zipf
  Latest farm and market reports.
- 12:15 **O PHANTOM RIDER**—Movie Western feature will be shown.
  - The trials and tribulations of Vanessa Dale and the travel agency business.
- 12:30 **D D** SEARCH FOR TOMORROW

  Joanne's fight to keep her young daughter and find happiness with the man she loves.

#### 12:45 7 10 12 GUIDING LIGHT—Serial 1:00 2 4 6 WORLD SERIES—Tentg-

tive. Wednesday-Thursday.

O POP THE QUESTION

Audience participation quiz show.

- STREETMAN—Lou Emm Interviews by Lou from downtown
- O PAUL DIXON SHOW
- 10 TO BE ANNOUNCED
- **P** CINDERELLA WEEKEND Winner of quiz receives week end for two in New York.
- 1:15 **O** VIRGINIA PATTERSON—Ladies News, views and interviews with Virginia assisted by Charlie Reeder.
- 1:30 2 SHOPPING WITH CORNELIA Shopping news and fashion views.
  - 4 S MOVIE MATINEE—Film Full length feature film.
  - SIX IS COOKIN'—Hints Culinary tips by Betty Syx.
  - Mon.: Garry tackles the all important problem of what women should do with their old mink coats. Selections are "Granada" and "Love

me, Love Me.'

Tues.: Garry and Durward debate the relative advantages of their heights. Ivan Sanderson brings a rare animal. Denise sings "Life is A Beautiful Thing."

Wed.: Garry portrays "The Little Man." Song "Oh, Ma Ma."

Thurs.: Garry and cast demonstrate how conversation can be simulated.

2:00 2 TRAILHANDS—Musc

Folk music for your listening pleasure.

- 6 HERE'S NITA—Variety Nita Hutch, hostess and femcee.
- F-M-W

Bert Parks asks the questions.

- 1 PILL BUY THAT-T-Th Mike Wallace, host and emcee.
- **(1)** HOMEMAKERS HOBNOB—T-Th Tom Gleba and Jeanne Shea.
- **O** PAUL DIXON SHOW Pantomimes with Paul, Wanda and Sis.
- 2:30 2 COFFEE CLUB—Variety Betty Ann Horstman, hostess to guests. TV GUIDE story appears on page A-16.
  - **4** SHOOT THE WORKS

Spook Beckman emcees audience participation show.

**5** PIC-A-PAC—Dick Hageman

Dick Hageman and Jane Lynn with their giveaways.

**O O O** LINKLETTER'S PARTY

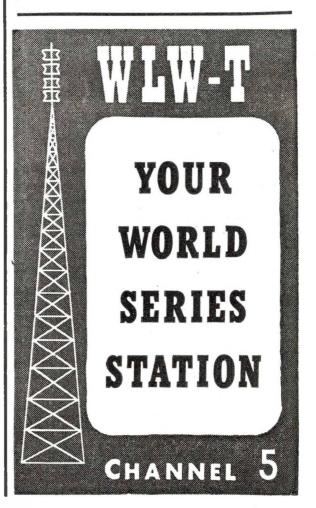
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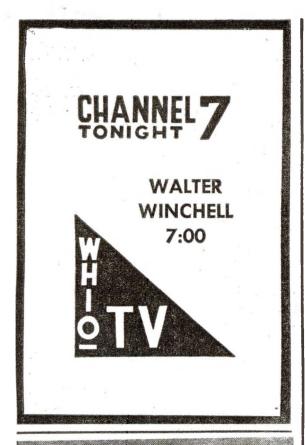
Hailing from Amery, Wisconsin, Arvie Recore is practically a Gem City native since being discharged from the AAF at Wright-Patterson Field in 1945. Instead of returning to the dairy country, Arvie decided to stick around and he's been a regular on Dayton radio and TV ever since. He's married and the father of three sons and a daughter.

Dick Shafer is a native of Troy but attended high school at Stivers in Dayton before journeying to George Washington University in St. Louis. In the service Dick led an Army band that greeted returning hospital ships in Charleston Harbor. Upon discharge in 1946, Dick made the west coast nightclub circuit before returning to more familiar surroundings in 1949.

Petite Nancy Rifner is a senior at Wilbur Wright High School and "Coffee Club" is her first professional engagement.

Considering the excellent company she's in she can plan on a long and successful career.





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# Monday September 28

- 3:00 2 3 SKATE SMITH SHOW

  Barbara Carroll Trio; King Odum
  Quartett; Drama; Ballentine, The
  Magician.
  - O PAUL DIXON SHOW
    Pantomines with Paul, Wanda and
    Sis.
  - THE BIG PAYOFF
    Randy Merriman and Bess Myerson.
- 3:30 VIRGINIA PATTERSON

  Courteous driver is quest.
  - BRIDE AND GROOM

    John Nelson hosts TV nuptials.
  - WESTERN THEATRE FILM
  - **P** BOB CROSBY SHOW
- 3:45 MATINEE MOVIE
  - **O** SECOND CHANCE
- 4:00 **② ⑤** WELCOME TRAVELERS Tommy Bartlet greets tourists.
  - TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - AUNT FRAN—Children Aunt Fran brings favorite stories.
  - **PLADIES' HOME THEATRE**
- 4:30 2 5 ON YOUR ACCOUNT Win Elliot emcees quiz show.
- 4:35 (1) SONG TIME—Music
  Featuring Mary Ellen Schott as
  "Miss Donnie."
- 4:45 WESTERN ROUNDUP
  Full-length western movie.
- 4:55 P NEWS AND WEATHER
- 5:00 2 TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - 4 G ATOM SQUAD—Science
  - **3-0-1 KENNY ROBERTS**—Kids Bobby Wagner, dances.
  - SIX GUN PLAYHOUSE "The Purple Vigilantes."
- 5:15 **② ③ ⑤** GABBY HAYES

  Western tales (mostly tall).
- 5:30 **② ⑤** HOWDY DOODY—Kids With Buffalo Bob and Clarabell.
  - **©** EARLY HOME THEATRE
  - CARTOONS—Film
    Animated cartoons for the kids.
  - **®** SUN DOWN RANCH
- 5:55 WEATHER TOWER—Ryan
  Ted Ryan's forecast of the weather.
- 6:00 @ TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - **©** COMEDY CARNIVAL Filmed cartoons for the children.
  - 6 ALL STAR MOVIE—Hageman
  - **PERNIE LEE**—Music Songs by the Kentucky Colonel.

#### **6:00 PLAYHOUSE THEATRE**

"Romance of the Rio Grande."

- RAMAR OF THE JUNGLE Jon Hall stars as Ramar.
- **D** EARLY HOME THEATRE
- 6:20 SPORTS TODAY

Short resume of the sports news.

- **6:25 @ PAINT INSTRUCTIONS**
- 6:30 @ MEETIN' TIME—Interviews
  Sally Flowers with Billy Scott.
  - SOHIO REPORTER
    Late day news roundup.
  - CHET LONG—News Local and national news of the day.
  - Palmer Palmer
- 6:40 **O POLICE BLOTTER**Local Police reports.
  - **D** EDITORS DESK
  - **Daryl Parks reporting.**
- 6:45 THREE STAR FINAL
  Early evening news flashes.
  - WAITE HOYT
     Sports resume and interviews.
  - TV WEATHERMAN

    Bob McMasters and the weather.
  - Daryl Parks reporting.
- 6:55 © FLORASCOPES—Reports
  Earl Flora's sports news.
- 7:00 O TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - PATTI O'HARA SHOW Snappy music with peppy Patti.
  - O O CAPTAIN VIDEO

"Operation Treachery." Traitor Marcus Gayo has placed a Martian Boy, the exact image of the Video Ranger, on board the Galaxy.

- WALTER WINCHELL
  Rapid fire news commentary.
- OLD DUTCH POLKA

  Johnny Vadnal and his band.
- 12 TO BE ANNOUNCED
- 7:10 5 PETER GRANT—News
  Late local and national news.
- 7:15 ② SERENADE—Music Popular music stylings.
  - 1 LIGHTS ON MUSIC
  - O NEWS—Reports
    Earl Green and the news.
  - ORCHID AWARD—Variety
    Host is Donald Wood with DeMarco Sisters as quests.
  - MARGE AND JEFF

A cocker spaniel named Paisley brings despair and laughter to the lives of a pair of newlyweds. Stars Marge Greene and Jess Cain.

\*\*D NEWS—Reports

Late local and national news.



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ENTERTAINMENT

# The PAUL DIXON Show

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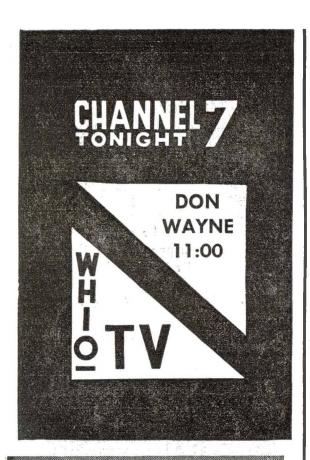
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7:25 @WEATHER—Report Daryl Parks reporting.

7:30 2 5 DANCE PARTY—Variety Kathryn Murray hostess to guests.

② BOB AND RAY—Comedy The satire kids spoof the conventional.

**O** THE JAMIE STORY

Starring Ernest Truex and Brandon de Wilde. The perfect understanding that develops between Jamie, the little orphan boy, and his grandfather.

**10 10 CBS NEWS**—Edwards Doug Edwards' world summary.

7:45 2 3 5 NEWS CARAVAN
John Cameron Swayze's report.

PERRY COMO SHOW

8:00 Q Q S NAME THAT TUNE

Comedy-musical quiz featuring Red Benson and Vicki Mills, vocalist.

TALENT PATROL—Acts
Arlene Frances hostess to Army
talent

The Burns and Allen

Gracie and Blanche Morton go to the movies to see "We're Not Married". Gracie thinks the judge in the picture looks like the judge who married her and George, therefore, they're legally not married.

TWENTY QUESTIONS—Quiz Animal, vegetable and mineral game.

8:30 2 5 VOICE OF FIRESTONE
Guests: Mildred Miller, mezzo so-

prano and Jerome Hines, Bass. Selections include "Only a Rose", "One Alone", "Habanera" and "Son Lo Spirite".

BIG ISSUE—Discussion Panel discussion of world affairs.

② ① ② TALENT SCOUTS

Godfrey presents professional talent trying to get the big break.

WRESTLING—Film

The grunt and groaners in action.

9:00 2 6 TO BE ANNOUNCED

JUVENILE JURY—Kids Jack Barry moderates with panel of children from three to twelve years of age.

6 BOXING—New York
Coley Wallace vs. Bill Gilliam, 10
rounds; heavyweights.

RACKET SQUAD—Drama
Captain Braddock investigates the
case of a wealthy widow

#### 9:30 2 3 ROBERT MONTGOMERY

"The Big Money". The story of a World War I hero who devoted his entire post war existence to pursuing money, a commodity he was certain was the cure for all ills and the answer to all problems.

#### 2 2 10 RED BUTTONS SHOW

Red is a shoeshine boy in a takeoff on Mickey Spillane.
 Red's first apartment.

The company includes Joe Silver, Jean Carson, Sam Birch and Ralph Stantley.

PFOREIGN INTRIGUE
Sydna Scott and Jerome Thor.

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"Hound-Dog Man" with Jackie Cooper. The story of a 12-year-old boy's desire for a dog and his attachment to a "no good" hunter.

OBOXING—New York
Coley Wallace vs. Bill Gilliam, 10
rounds; heavyweights.

#### 10:30 2 3 WHO SAID THAT

Walter Kiernan, quotemaster, asks questions of guest panelists.

#### 11:00 2 3 THREE CITY FINAL Peter Grant's world-wide report.

**O** SOHIO REPORTER

Warren Guthrie and the news.

#### FRONT PAGE NEWS

Don Wayne reporting.

NEWS WITH PEPPER Final report of the day.

**P NEWS**—Reports

#### 11:10 @ JOE HILL—Sports

Joe Hill gives latest news on sports.

#### **O** SPORTS DESK

Colin Male with late scores.

#### **®** RAIN OR SHINE?

Late weather information.

#### P NEWS AND WEATHER

George Palmer and Daryl Parks.

#### 11:15 Q Q G FAMILY PLAYHOUSE

"Vacation Days" with Freddie Stewart.

#### **O** HOME THEATRE

"Strange Impersonation" with Brenda Marshall and William Gargan.

#### PENNY ARCADE

"Paris Underground".

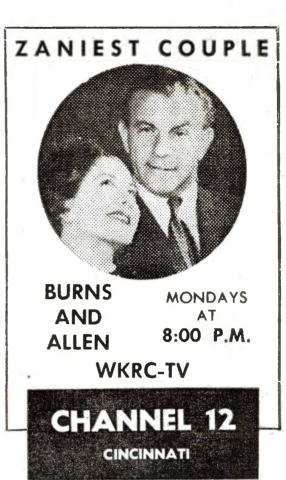
#### **O** PANTOMIME HIT PARADE

Dottie Mack, Colin Male and Bob Braun.

#### P HOME THEATRE—Film

#### 11:30 TARMCHAIR THEATRE

"Girl From God's Country" with Chester Morris.





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  The Kateds, The Katydids, and the Showtimers.
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    Corky Moore, song and tap dancing
  - SIX GUN PPLAYHOUSE "Frontier Vengance."
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- S ALL STAR MOVIE—Hageman
- FRNIE LEE—Music
  Songs by the Kentucky Colonel.
- PLAYHOUSE THEATRE
  "Circus Girl" with Robert Livingston.
- **D** TO BE ANNOUNCED
- **P** EARLY HOME THEATRE
- 6:20 **②** SPORTS TODAY

  Short resume of the sports news.
- 6:25 @ PAINT INSTRUCTIONS
- 6:30 **② MEETIN' TIME**—Interviews Sally Flowers with Billy Scott.
  - SOHIO REPORTER
    Late day news roundup.
  - **© CHET LONG**—Reports
  - Palmer NEWS—Palmer
- 6:40 **O POLICE BLOTTER**—Reports Local police reports.
  - © EDITORS DESK

    Local and national news reports.
  - (D WEATHER—Report
    Local and national news of the day.
- 6:45 **3** THREE STAR FINAL Early evening news flashes.
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    SPORTS DESK
  - Roundup from the world of sports.

    PAT HARMON SPORT SHOW
    Comments on sports of the day.
  - TV WEATHERMAN

    Bob McMasters and the weather.
  - Parks Parks
- 6:55 (i) FLORASCOPES

  Earl Flora's sports news.
- 7:00 **2** POLKA REVUE—Music Johnny Vadnal and his band.
  - OHIO NEWS—Reports Local and national news.
  - **6** NEWS—Reports
  - ☼ CAPTAIN VIDEO "Operation Treachery." Traitor Marcus Gayo has placed a Martian Boy, the exact image of the Video Ranger, on board the Galaxy.
  - Jerry Lester in a new audience participation quiz show.
  - Outdoor sport show.
  - **10** TO BE ANNOUNCED
- 7:15 ② ⑤ PATTI O'HARA SHOW

  Snappy music with peppy Patti.
  - BOB CONSIDINE—News News, views and interviews.
  - NEWS—Reports Earl Green reporting.

#### 1:15 @ MARGE AND JEFF

A cocker spaniel named Paisley brings despair and laughter to the lives of a pair of newlyweds.

**P NEWS**—Reports

#### 7:30 2 5 DINAH SHORE Music

Popular singer with popular songs.

- ALL GIRL ORCHESTRA

  Music with the Hormal all girl orchetsra.
- **6** TO BE ANNOUNNCED
- ROCKY KING—Mystery

  "Open and Shut". Rocky King
  finds himself the motive and the
  means for a sabotaged plane.

② ① ② CBS NEWS—Edwards
Doug Edwards' world summary.

#### 7:45 2 4 5 NEWS CARAVAN

John Cameron Swayze's report.

WHAT'S YOUR TROUBLE

Talk by Rev. Norman Vincent Peal
and his wife.

LINKLETTER AND THE KIDS

Art interviews the children.

D JANE FROMAN—Music
Bermuda setting. . . . Jane sings
"Blue Skies" and "Let's Call the
Whole Thing Off" and "No Other
Love." The quartet offers Noel
Coward's 'Mad Dogs and Englishmen" and 'Sing a Tropical Song."

#### 8:00 2 5 MILTON BERLE SHOW

Tallulah Bankhead: Tallulah is producing a play and wants Frank Sinatra for the leading man. Milton Berle tries to beat him out of the part.

**6 O** TO BE ANNOUNCED

1 TWO TO GO

"One Minute Please", a comedy panel show with John K. Mc-Cafferey, Anne Lee, Jimmy Cannon, and Morey Amsterdam and Agnes Rogers.

(P) GENE AUTRY—Western "Rio Renegades".

#### 8:30 6 9 THE MUSIC SHOW

Songs and scores of popular and classical successes.

**O** CAVALCADE OF AMERICA

Dramatic series saluting famous events and personalities in American history.

FINAL DECISION—Panel Columbus lawyers discussion.

PRED SKELTON—Comedy
See next week's TV GUIDE for
feature story.

#### 9:00 2 4 5 FIRESIDE THEATRE

"Domestic Tranquility" starring "The Four Greeks",

#### 9:00 D BOSTON BLACKIE

While investigating an ordinary jewel robbery, Blackie is suddenly confronted with the extreme necessity of discovering the whereabouts of o twenty-four-hour time bomb.

#### O O DANNY THOMAS SHOW

Starring Danny as a successful entertainer striving to give more time to his home and family. Jean Hagen plays Margaret, Danny's wife and Sherry Jackson and Rusty Hamer are their children.



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#### 9:00 1 P THIS IS SHOW BUSINESS

Guest panelist Jacqueline Susann. Guest artists are John Raitt, baritone; Phil Foster, comedian; Gloria Gilbert, bellerina.

#### 9:30 2 4 CIRCLE THEATRE

"A Time to Live". Although remarried, a war widow who finds that she cannot get over the loss of her first husband travels to France to visit his grave, in the hope that it may help to solve her problem.

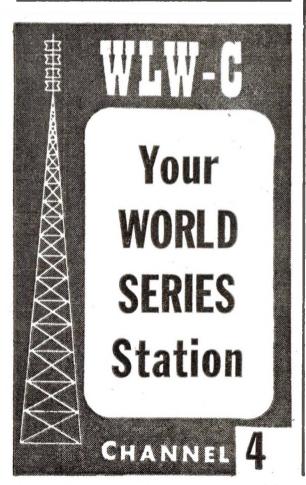
**⊙** ABC ALBUM—Drama

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#### 

A jealous spinster tells a mortician to arrange her funeral and them goes home to her younger sister, whom nobody has seen outside of the house.

1 LED THREE LIVES

#### 10:00 2 5 JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

Professional panelist: Milt Gabler of Decca Records.

**O** TO BE ANNOUNCED

#### **② ⑩ ② DANGER**—Mystery

"Once Over Lightly" with Joe Maross. A barber, in trouble with gangsters, runs into a close shave.

• FEATURE MOVIE—Film 'Scattergood Banes.'\*

#### 10:30 2 5 FOREIGN INTRIGUE

Robert Camron stars in a European mystery thriller.

**5** TO BE ANNOUNCED

#### O O O NAMES THE SAME

Robert Q. Lewis, emcee. Panels Joan Alexander, Bill Stern and guest.

D SEE IT NOW—Murrow

Ed Murrow and his news specials.

P DEATH VALLEY DAYS

The old wrangler with an interesting story.

#### 11:00 @ O THREE CITY FINAL

Peter Grant's world-wide report.

SOHIO REPORTER Warren Guthrie and the news.

Marren Gomme and the m

Final report of the day.

NEWS AND WEATHER George Palmer and Daryl Parks.

11:10 O JOE HILL—Sports

Joe Hill gives latest news on sports.

**O** SPORTS DESK

Colin Male with late scores

TAIN OR SHINE?

Late weather information.

#### 11:15 **② ② ⑤** FAMILY PLAYHOUSE

5. "Sweethearts of Sigma Chi" with Elyse Knox.

**6** HOME THEATRE

"Quiet One" with Donald Thomp-

#### PENNY ARCADE

"Song of the Open Road" with Edgar Bergen and W. C. Fields.

O PANTOMIME HIT PARADE

Stars Dottie Mack with Bob Braum and Colin Male.

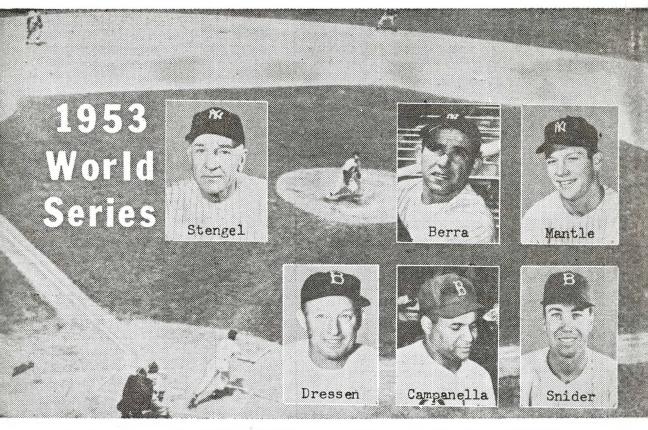
#### 11:30 1 ARMCHAIR THEATRE

"Desperate Adventure".

P HOME THEATRE—Movie

12:15 **②** NEWS—Reports

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#### 1:00 P. M. WEDNESDAY — 2-4-5 — WORLD SERIES

Brooklyn Dodgers (Manager: Charles Dressen)
vs. New York Yankees (Manager: Casey Stengel)

First two games from Yankee Stadium. Third and fourth games from Ebbets Field. Fifth game, if necessary, from Ebbets Field. Sixth and seventh games if necessary, from Yankee Stadium.

Sportscasters: Mel Allen, Jack Brickhouse

Lineups: Subject to change.

**NEW YORK** 

Noren; 28 Renna. Catchers: 29 Silvera; 32

Houk. Pitchers: 18 McDonald; 21 Kuzava;

23 Miller; 24 Gorman.

DROOKETTA	14E VV 1 OKIK
19 Gilliam 2B	12 McDougald 3B
1 Reese SS	15 Collins 1B
4 Snider CF	9 Bauer RF
42 Robinson LF	8 Berra
39 Campanella C	7 Mantle CF
14 Hodges 1B	14 Woodling LF
6 Furillo RF	1 Martin 2B
3 Cox 3B	10 Rizzuto SS
Pitchers: 17 Erskine, 28 Roe, 34 Meyer, 25 Milliken, 30 Loes Pitchers: 30 Lopat, 16 Ford, 17 Raschi, 22 Reynolds, 11 Sa	
Brooklyn Bench: infleld: 2 Morgan; 5 Belardi. Outfield: 8 Shuba; 32 Antonello; 29 Thomp-	New York Bench: Infield: 6 Carey; 42 Coleman; 36 Mize; 45 Bollweg. Outfield. 25

Facts and Figures: This is the fifth straight pennant for the New York Yankees.

There are many ifs in the starting lineups:
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Stengel might also gamble with Johnny Mize at first.

BROOKLYN

son; 38 Williams. Catcher: 10 Walker. Pitchers: 1 Labine; 18 Hughes; 45 Podres;

46 Wade; 49 Black.

If a left-hander starts for the Dodgers, Bauer will start in the outfield; if a right-hander starts, Noren will probably get the nod from Stengel.

# Wednesday September 30

- 3:00 **2 6** KATE SMITH SHOW

  Show will not be seen if World

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  - THE BIG PAYOFF
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  - BRIDE AND GROOM
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  - **O D KENNY ROBERTS**—Kids Western songs for the children.
  - SIX GUN PLAYHOUSE "The Oregon Trail."
- 5:15 2 3 5 GABBY HAYES
  Western film serial.
- 5:30 **2 3** HOWDY-DOODY—Kids
  Buffalo Bob and Clarabell.
  - **THE STREET STATE**Complete movie for the family.
  - CARTOONS—Film
    Animated film for the children.
  - **1** TO BE ANNOUNCED
- 5:45 @ MIDWEST PET PARADE
- Animals parade before camera.
- 5:55 WEATHER TOWER—Ted Ryan
  Ted Ryan with the latest weather.
- 6:00 @ WILD BILL HICKOK

The attempt of Wild Bill and Jingles to deceive a straight-laced parent as to the true vocation of his daughter, a singer in a dance hall, touches off kidnappings, had pursuits and a series of pistod battles.

- 4 COMEDY CARNIVAL
  Animated cartoons for the kids.
- 6 ALL STAR MOVIE—Hageman Full-length feature film.
- **PERNIE LEE**—Songs
  - Songs by the Kentucky Colonel.
- PLAYHOUSE THEATRE "Meet the Boyfriend."
- **O** SUPERMAN

George Reeves in another adventure with the Daily Planet.

- THE BIG TEN HIGHLIGHTS
  Football films of last week's games.
- 6:20 @ SPORTS TODAY

  Jimmy Crum with th sports news.

- 6:25 @ PAINT INSTRUCTIONS
- 6:30 **2 MEETIN'** TIME—Interviews Sally Flowers and Bill Scott.
  - SOHIO REPORTER

    Early evening news reports.
  - CHET LONG—Reports Chet's analysis of the news.
  - © SUPERMAN

    Clark Kent and the man of steel join forces to capture a criminal.
- 6:40 POLICE BLOTTER—Reports
  Cincinnati police reports.
  - EDITORS DESK Five minutes of late news.
- 6:45 THREE STAR FINAL

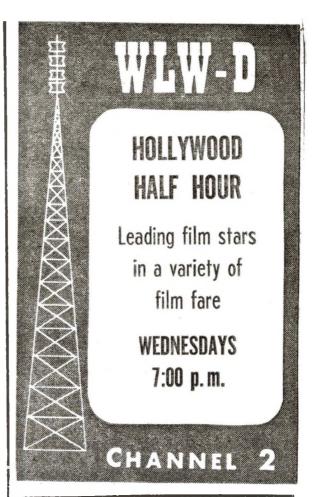
  Earl Green and the news.
  - WAITE HOYT—Sports
     Sports news and interesting interviews.
  - TV WEATHERMAN

    Bob McMasters and the weather.
  - P SPORTS REPORTS

    Daryl Parks with the sports news.
- 6:55 (1) FLORASCOPES—News
  Earl Flora and the sports news.
- 7:00 2 HOLLYWOOD HALF HOUR
  Filmed drama with a Hollywood cast.
  - 4 HIGH SCHOOL HUDDLE
  - 6 NEWS—Reports
    Late roundup of world events.
  - O CAPTAIN VIDEO

    "Operation Treachery." Traitor
    Marcus Gayo has placed a Martian
    Boy, the exact image of the Video
    Ranger, on board the Galaxy.
  - GAME OF THE WEEK
    Film clips of the collegiate football
    game of last week.
  - MARCH OF TIME Westbrook Van Voohris narrates film dealing with an interesting world topic.
  - CHEERS AND JEERS
    Charlton Wallace and guest answer fans' letters.
- 7:10 P GEORGE PALMER—News
  Local and national news.
- 7:15 2 3 5 LIGHTS ON MUSIC

  Light music for your listening pleasure.
  - NEWS—Reports Earl Green reporting.
  - MARGE AND JEFF
    A cocker spaniel named Paisley
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    the lives of a pair of newlyweds.



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# "MY LITTLE MARGIE"

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# Wednesday September 30

- 7:30 2 5 EDDIE FISHER—Music

  Don Ameche host to guest. Eddie sings top tunes of the day.
  - **6** TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - O (D) CBS NEWS—Edwards
    Doug Edwards and his world-wide
    summary,

DATE WITH JUDY

Judy and Ozzie are in trouble again.

7:45 2 4 5 NEWS CARAVAN

John Cameron Swayze reporting.

Perry and Fontane sisters sing top tunes of the day.

8:00 @ @ I MARRIED JOAN

When her loquacious tongue almost causes hubby Brad Stevens to lose his chance at a Federal Judgeship, Joan is warned that not only is silence golden but that tattling another secret all over town will have dire consequences for her.

OJOHN HOPKINS—Science "Conquest of Pain". The discovery and development of anesthetics will be discussed and demonstrated.

O P GODFREY AND FRIENDS

Arthur and all the gang with variety and music.

TALENT PATROL

Arlene Francis hostess to Army talent.

8:30 2 4 5 MY LITTLE MARGIE

"Go North, Young Lady". Margie turns the tables on her father and Mr. Hopewell when they try to break her spirit during an outing in the Canadian wilds.

BOXING—ABC From Ridgwood Park. Bob Finnegan describing action.

PAN AMERICAN SHOWTIME The Latin trend prevails with music and dancing.

9:00 ② ③ KRAFT TV THEATRE
"Lobblies Never Lie."
The story which tells of the small

invisible beings who surround Mr. Mergenthwriker and all others whose hearts are pure.

**7 9 (1) STRIKE IT RICH**Guest helping hand is Bob Feller of the Cleveland Indians.

Melvyn Douglas stars in another mystery thriller.

9:30 WRESTLING—Chicago

Wayne Griffin describes the action
from Chicago.

Garry Moore emcees. Panel includes Bill Cullen, Jayne Meadows, Henry Morgan and Faye Emerson.

ON YOUR WAY-Quiz

10:00 **② ⑤ THIS IS YOUR LIFE**Ralph Edwards recreates the life of a celebrity and brings in people who have contributed to the person's life.

Johnny Bratton vs. Al Wilson, 10 rounds; wetlerweights.

MOVIE AT TEN
"Ring Around the Moon" with
Donald Cook.

10:30 @ BADGE 714—Mystery

Join the Police in this mystery
thriller.

② ⑤ BONINO—Comedy Ezio Pinza stars in a family type comedy.

10:45 **10** SPORTS SPOT

Mel Allan interviews sports personalities immediately following boxing bout.

RINGSIDE ROUNDUP

Ed Kennedy with interesting sports

11:00 **2 4 5** THREE CITY FINAL Peter Grant and the news.

SOHIO REPORTER
Warren Guthrie and the late news.
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NEWS WITH PEPPER
Bill pepper and the late news.

NEWS AND WEATHER George Palmer's roundup.

11:10 JOE HILL—Sports

Joe brings the late sports flashes

SPORTS DESK

Colin Males with sports news.

11:15 2 3 5 FAMILY PLAYHOUSE
5. "Police Bullets" with John

Archer.

HOME THEATRE

"Daughter of the West" with

Martha Vickers and Philip Reed.

PENNY ARCADE

"Danger Zone" with Hugh Beaumont, Edward Brophy.

PANTOMIME HIT PARADE Stars Dottie Mack with Bob Braue and Colin Male.

M ARMCHAIR THEATRE

**1** HOME THEATRE

12:15 **(2)** NEWS—Reports

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    Jana Demas your host for feature.
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  George Palmer and Daryl Parks reporting.
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  - Renny Roberts—Kids
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  - COMEDY CARNIVAL Filmed fun for youngsters.

- **3** ALL STAR MOVIE—Hageman
- Ernie sings your favorite songs.
- PLAYHOUSE THEATRE "Grizzleys Millions"
- © CISCO KID—Western
  Cisco and Pancho trail the killer
  of County Prosecutor Burdette.
- **PEARLY HOME THEATRE**
- 6:20 4 SPORTS TODAY
- 6:25 @ PAINT INSTRUCTIONS
- 6:30 @ MEETIN' TIME—Interviews
  Sally Flowers and Billy Scott.
  - **O** SOHIO REPORTER
  - **©** CHET LONG—Report
  - P NEWS—Reports
- 6:40 POLICE BLOTTER—Report
  Traffic and safety report.
  - **O** EDITORS DESK
  - WEATHER-Parks
- 6:45 THREE STAR FINAL
  - **O** SPORTS DESK
  - **O** PAT HARMON SPORT SHOW
  - 10 TV WEATHERMAN

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  Daryl Parks and the sports roundup.
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  - THE LONE RANGER
    "Desperado at Large."
  - WOODY HAYES—Sports OSU Coach airs views on coming grid campaign.
  - 10 BE ANNOUNCED
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  Bill Stern shows films of famous
  sports events.
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NEWS—Reports George Palmer and the early summary.

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  Dinah sings top tunes of the day.
  - ALL GIRL ORCHESTRA Music by the Hormel all girl orchestra.
  - THE LONE RANGER "Desperado at Large".
  - Classical and popular piano stylist. Doug Edwards gives national and world-wide reports.
  - ① ② CBS NEWS—Edwards

    John Cameron Swayze reports.
- 7:45 **② ③ ⑤** NEWS CARAVAN

  John Camron Swayze reporting.
  - D JANE FROMAN SHOW

    Baseball Theme: Jane opens with
    "Take Me Out to the Ball Game,"
    "Two Loves Have I," "You, You,
    You," and "Let's Be Buddies."
- 8:00 2 5 YOU BET YOUR LIFE

  The barb-witted interrogator quizzes contestants.
  - Quiz show with guest stars as panelists.
- 8:30 2 TREASURY MEN IN ACTION
  "The Case of the Adding Machine". Federal agents attempt to
  prove income tax evasion in the
  case of the nations number one
  racketeer.
  - 5 I LIVED THREE LIVES
    A new film package from Hollywood.
  - O DOORWAY TO DANGER Doug Carter is assigned to smash a narcotics ring.
  - O D P FOUR STAR PLAYHOUSE
- 9:00 2 4 5 DRAGNET—Jack Webb Sgt. Joe Friday (Jack Webb) tracks down a killer.
  - **6** TO BE ANNOUNCED

  - O DOTTIE MACK SHOW

    Pantomimes with Dottie, Bob and
    Colin.
- 9:30 2 5 FORD THEATRE—Drama
  "Tangier Lady" starring Scott
  Brady and Patricia Medina. A
  sophisticated European adventuress
  endangers the life of an American
  expatriate when she falls in love
  with him.

- **6** TO BE ANNOUNCED
- ② ① ② BIG TOWN—Drama Steve Wilson's story is provided by a courageous mother's self sacrifice for her young son and her blind husband.
- MOVIE TIME
  "Don't Trust Your Husband."
- 10:00 2 3 MARTIN KANE—Mystery
  Kane catches a murderer and almost gets killed in the process.
  - **3** TO BE ANNOUNCED
  - PENTAGON U.S.A.

    Narrator: Robert Pastene replaces

    Addison Richards.
- 10:30 2 HOLLYWOOD THEATRE—Film
  2 MIRROR THEATRE
  - "Because I Love Him" starring Joan Crawford. A woman is warned by her physician that her husband has but one year to live and sets out to see that he achieves perfect happiness the coming 12 months.
  - **5** SOUNDSTAGE—Drama
  - 3 DANGEROUS ASSIGNMENT Stars Brian Donlevy as a government agent.
  - **7 (i) (ii) (CITY HOSPITAL**—Drama Melville Ruick stars.
- 11:00 2 4 5 THREE CITY FINAL Peter Grant and the news.
  - **⊙** SOHIO REPORTER

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  - FRONT PAGE NEWS

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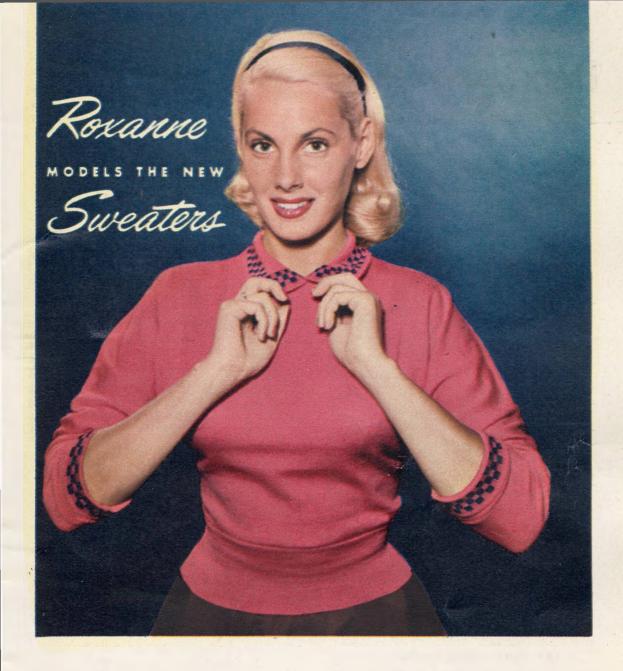
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  - Late Ohio weather.

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    "Fame is the Spur" with Michael
  - Redgrave.

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- 12:15 **② NEWS**—Reports
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THE traditional sweater, the alltime love and classic of women's dress, returns to the fashion scene this year as news. Sweaters go everywhere from supermarkets to cocktail parties and, happily, seem at home in all places.

Roxanne, hostess of Beat the Clock, says she would rather put money into a good sweater than an expensive dress, because, "Sweaters last longer, never go out of style and they always are in good taste."

Roxanne models a coral wool sweater with navy checkerboard trim. The loose-fitting dolman sleeves are in the new three-quarter length and have turn-back cuffs. Her favorites also include a wool cardigan in pastel pink, and an Orlon cardigan with

felt applique, patterned into petals and accented with pearls.

She suggests that a set of Peter Pan collars will do wonders for any sweater collection. A collar covered with felt flowers or beading can be snapped onto a cardigan to transform it into an evening jacket. Pearl or rhinestone buttons add another interesting touch to the cardigan. For an evening out, she often wears a pull-over with ball fringe and a black velvet cummerbund.

For the budget-minded woman, Roxanne considers the new sweater look a dream. With an assortment of sweaters, a few basic skirts and a little originality, she can turn these into a full fall wardrobe.

(Sweater by Rosanna Knitwear)

## in the cast



Durward Kirby: TV's biggest giveaway.

COMIC Garry Moore, forever on the prowl for gimmicks to add to his daytime TV pleaser, decided recently that it was about time he staged a stupendous giveaway. Scanning the premises of CBS's Mansfield Theater for the biggest item to give away, Garry's eyes went no further than his strapping six-foot-four-inch announcer, Durward Kirby. Big Durward, it was decided, would have to go.

As resigned to his fate as a latter-day Patrick Henry, Kirby was immediately made the subject of a contest: "Why I Want Durward Kirby For My Very Own." The housewives' reaction to "owning" Moore's wavy-haired sidekick for 48 hours was amazing. Five hundred entries poured in every day.

#### Started In Chicago

Actually, Durward's comic abilities were discovered years ago on the Chicago-originated Club Matinee which starred Garry and Ransom Sherman. Although he was billed as the program's announcer, Rance and Garry put Kirby through the same sort of

comedy shenanigans he pulls off on the Moore show.

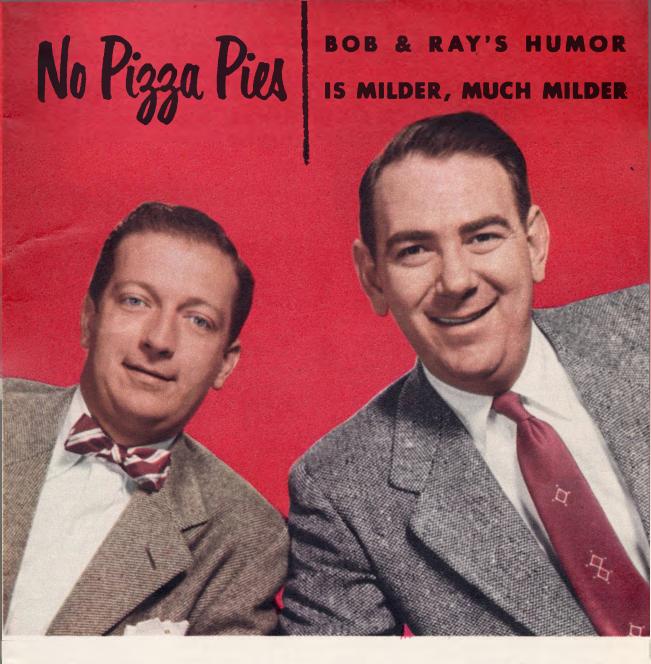
Durward uttered his first tone into a microphone as a student announcer at Purdue University. After graduating, he landed a job with a radio station in nearby Indianapolis. In Cincinnati and later in Chicago he built up a reputation as a competent commercial spieler and special events man and in 1941 Kirby won the H. P. Davis Announcer's Award.

#### Durward Is Versatile

When Garry made his TV debut on CBS, he asked Durward to "live it up" with him as on Club Matinee. Since then Kirby's announcing chores on the Moore show have really been secondary. As announcers go, he is easily the most versatile in the business.

Those thousands of letter writers who wanted to "own" Durward knew exactly what first prize meant. Not just Kirby, but Winston L. Mittenjuice, the wisecracking hayseed who thinks he's irresistible to women. Lots of others, too. An East Indian swami, an Italian chef, a quack doctor named Beebe. They're all Durward Kirby, one commercial announcer who found the perfect formula for getting strict attention: he went out and got an act.





NE THING can be said about the satirical team of Bob and Ray: they are hardly a household word. Possessed with a sly, tongue-in-cheek impudence and a healthy disregard for some of the more sacred items of our times, the spoofers have about the same general appeal that might be accorded a Bach fugue or a T. S. Eliot couplet. As one network official explained it, "What Arthur Godfrey's got, Bob and Ray ain't."

Even the hoards of star-struck bobby-soxers who can leaf through their smudged autograph books and show you signatures of the entire Aldrich family, every panelist on Juvenile Jury (including its alumni) and a few page boys to boot, will

admit that two fellows named Bob Elliott and Ray Goulding have somehow escaped their attention.

Unless tipped off in advance, an uninitiated viewer watching the Bob and
Ray brand of straight-face humor for
the first time might just furrow his
brow in bewilderment and switch
channels. Other folks, who realize
Bob and Ray are making exquisite
fun of some of their favorite television performers, are apt to turn the
dial in protest. Still others, who prefer their humor broader, don't care
for Bob and Ray for the same reason
they don't care for rutabagas.

The boys themselves realize that rating-wise they'll probably never crash the upper atmosphere populated by the Lucys, the Berles and the other chosen ones. Says Ray, perhaps a little too pessimistically, "I'd guess that only one person out of 80 likes us."

The guess seems to be a bad one. Bob and Ray don't have a tremendous following, but it is a decidedly loyal



Bob in earphones imitates Godfrey.

one and certainly not as sparse as Ray indicates. Most of the critics praise the boys. The trade itself considers them far more clever than most of the comics working the TV circuit. Their fans can quote them endlessly. At first NBC was thoroughly sold on the pair, des-

on the pair, despite the fact that prospective spon-

sors stayed away in droves. Relations between the boys and the network "steadily worsened," as they say in the trade, and recently they signed a contract with ABC.

Bob (he's the shorter one) and Ray seem to derive most relish from kidding radio and television, their bread and butter. Cigaret commercials are among their pet targets. One memorable spoof was the "Forbush Frankfurter Test" in which four franks were disrobed of their casings to prove which was rounder, firmer, etc. Not only was "Forbush" a clear winner, but the makers of "Forbush Franks" debunked other frankfurter claims:

Bob (holding up a frankfurter): Frankfurter A claims to relieve gout, embolism, near-sightedness, itchiness and fleebus.

Ray: The makers of Frankfurter B claim it is kinder to the F zone—F for frank, F for furter. Yet 339 out of 340 physicians have testified there is no such zone.

Bob: "Forbush Frankfurters" claim nothing. Positive proof that "Forbush Frankfurters" are the best made.

For over a year Bob and Ray pounded away at cigaret comparison tests. Sample:

Interviewer (Bob): I see, sir, you are knocking a chip off the old block.

Ray (in carpenter's garb): That is correct.

Bob: Tell me, sir, have you ever seen me before or have you received any remuneration for this interview?

Ray: I have never seen you before nor have I received any remuneration for this interview.

Bob: Which chip off the old block would you like to knock off first—ours or yours?

Ray: I'll try yours first. (He proceeds to knock a chip off the block.)

Bob: Now, will you try our block, sir. (Ray complies.) Now, sir, you have knocked an old chip off your block and off our block. Which do you prefer?

Ray (enthusiastically): Oh, yours. Your chip flew more gracefully. And its milder—much milder.

The boys have run the gamut of soap operas, so that practically no soap is safe from their ribbing. Some of the Elliott-Goulding epics have unmistakable counterparts — Mary Backstayge, Noble Wife; Hartford Harry, Linda Lovely, Helen Harkness, Sob Sister, and Mr. Trace, Keener Than Most Persons. Although the sponsors of the show were none too happy, the cast of "Mary Noble, Backstage Wife," never failed to tune in the Bob and Ray parody of their show. The boys saw to it that even the plot lines were strikingly alike.

Bob and Ray's take-offs on over-stocked sales, special offers and kits for all purposes, have drawn a shocking number of serious replies. Listeners have written to "I Want to Keep Up With the Jones-

es," NBC, New Ray in fright wig York, to obtain a as dissolute heir. phony TV set

equipped with antenna "to show off to your neighbors." They have taken the boys up on offers of cracked phonograph records ("they were dropped just a few inches off the delivery truck."), sweaters with the letter "O" on them ("if your name doesn't begin with "O" we can have it



Audrey Meadows joins Bob and Ray: when the sketch calls for a gal, Audrey's the one.

legally changed for you; sweaters come in two styles, turtle-neck or V-neck. State what kind of a neck you have."), deep freeze lockers, "deep enough to accommodate a family of four." The Kind Hunter's Kit was offered for "softhearted people who love to hunt but hate to kill." It contained bullets that drop to the ground and are packed with vitamins for the animals.

In an effort to find the right slot for Bob and Ray, NBC shunted the boys around, spotting them here and there. Some of the program switches were unfortunate ones.

The team's initial dip into TV was stormy. When the popular Kukla, Fran and Ollie were cut to 15 minutes, Bob and Ray were given the vacated spot. Which, of course, prompted outraged K.F.O. fans to brand the two radio comics as puppet-haters. They departed this early evening show a few months afterward.

When the boys finally landed a sponsor on a late-evening program, they ran into agency trouble or sponsoritis. It seems the men who sign the paychecks didn't dig their comedy stars and asked them to dish up a more obvious form of humor. "Throw pizza pies at each other," was one of the suggestions. After 13 weeks, when option time rolled around, Bob and Ray left the show by mutual consent.

The team is probably best remem-

bered for its regular guest stints on Dave Garroway's morning show, Today. Garroway, a B. & R. fan, would solemnly introduce the two and the boys conducted interviews, with Bob generally handling the straight lines and Ray providing the answers.

Although their own ratings are modest, Bob and Ray have no qualms about spoofing some of the TV performers who boast tremendous audiences. Their favorite target is Arthur Godfrey—or, as portrayed by Bob—"Arthur Strudley and His No Talent Scouts." Dressed in a sailor suit, a First World War aviator's hat and strumming a ukulele, Bob gives a devastating impersonation—complete with "by gollys" and informal Godfrey-type commercials for "Metchnikoff's Caviar Teabags."

Their take-offs on Ed Sullivan ("We've flown in from the Middle East for their first American performance the only two-man Arabian drill team in the world. Let's give the boys a warm New York welcome."); Ed Murrow ("See It Now and Then"); Dragnet ("Fishnet") and the Stork Club (Ray in a one-sided conversation with two store dummies), rank as unequaled TV satires.

Like caviar and rutabagas, Bob and Ray don't appeal to all tastes. But lots of people consider TV's top satirists as pretty wonderful fare. Now if the Elliott-Goulding fandom can only convince the right people that ratings don't mean a thing . . .

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# SPORTSCASTERS ANSWER RED SMITH ON THE GREAT CURVEBALL QUESTION

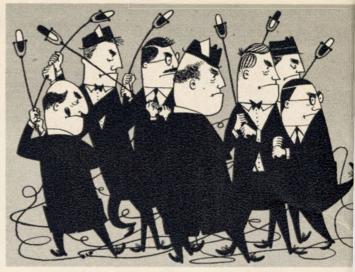
By Guy Læbow
Second Vice President,
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THE EXECUTIVE BOARD of the Sports Broadcasters Association, representing its 40 or more members, takes strong exception to an article authored by Sports Writer Red Smith in TV GUIDE.

Mr. Smith, in our opinion, has lashed out in an unwarranted, crass and, we would prefer to believe, unsolicited attack on the sportscasting profession. Because of his method of half-truths, distortion of fact and unbelievably irresponsible use of quotes, we feel he has questioned the integrity of each individual sportscaster.

The author starts off by uttering disdain for any baseball announcer who claims he can differentiate between an inside pitch, a curve or what not 200 yards away. The batter and pitcher, according to Mr. Smith, seldom agree what has been thrown. Here, Mr. Smith lacks the reporter's researching methods. Were he to dig deeply, he would discover perspective is a great factor in focus. Isn't it easier to estimate a dance pattern from the back of a theater? Why not then the curve of a ball or its relation to the batter from a distance? With his ob-

Editor's Note: In his TV GUIDE column, Red Smith marveled that a baseball announcer "maybe 200 feet" behind home plate could tell his audience whether a pitch was a slider, screwball or whatever. This is the sportscasters' side of the question. Next week: Red Smith.

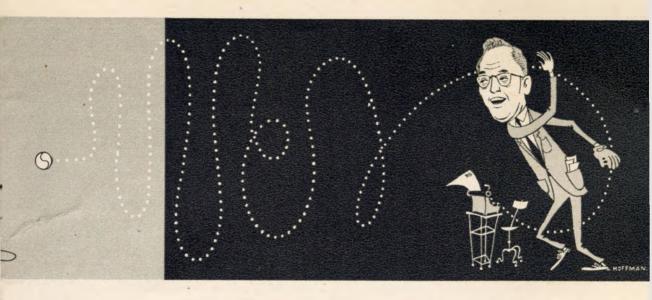


vious desire to create confusion, Mr. Smith quotes a batter as saying he hit one type pitch and the pitcher saying he threw another type. Therefore, if these two differ, how, Mr. Smith asks, can the announcer presume to be right?

Mr. Smith, at first glance, seems to make his point. But the truth of the matter is that most experienced ball-players, questioned about a ball at which they had swung, preface their answer with: "I think it was . . ." Those few words, you will admit, change the entire complexion. Actually, if the batter could tell accurately what he was receiving, he would get a hit most every time. The baseball announcer sees the pitch after it has completed its mission: curved . . . sunken . . . or sailed.

Usually, the announcer has a "book" on every pitcher in the league he broadcasts. Let's say Pitcher Jones has a fast ball, curve and screwball. He's a left-hander facing a left-handed batter. His first pitch curves into the batter. Result: the announcer concludes logically this is the screwball. He follows this logicalizing in all reports he must make within seconds. But more, Mr. Smith sneers as he berates the broadcaster for daring to call a slider pitch.

It's miraculous, says Mr. Smith, when you discover many ballplayers are not at all sure there is a slider pitch. It's equally miraculous Mr. Smith does not know, or perhaps does not wish to tell, the whole story. And



the whole story is that an overwhelming number of players and experts do admit the existence of a slider.

For example, Frank Yeutter, Philadelphia baseball writer and former president of the Baseball Writers Association of America, in his book about Philadelphia Pitcher Jim Konstanty, calls him the greatest of all slider pitchers. Frankie Frisch and Rogers Hornsby, on a recent TV program, discussed the abilities of certain sliderball pitchers. And, writing for a sport magazine, Casey Stengel said there is a dearth of .300 hitters today compared to 20 years ago because today's young players have not learned to solve—yes, our good friend -the slider. Had enough?

How less ominous the average announcer would have been made to seem if Mr. Smith had admitted the practice of calling pitches originated with the great sports writers many years before the invention of radio, instead of being passed off as a poisoned brew dished up to make you, the listener and viewer, more susceptible to beer or cigarets.

Mr. Smith reaches an incredibly low level of journalism when he uses quotation marks around the phrase attributed to sports announcers: "If they can hear this, they're not watching, and what they can't see won't hurt them." Quotes, as every school-boy writer knows, are used to narrate exact words—not the implication or approximate meaning, but the precise wording.

Which sports announcer, we ask, ever has made such a remark? To our knowledge, no one in the Sports Broadcasters Association, which includes almost every sportscaster and his writing assistant in New York City. It is damaging to every announcer for Mr. Smith to use quotes so wildly. Mr. Smith should name the specific announcer in fairness to all, but then it is obvious nothing in his article can be construed as fair.

For this article is unfair to the vast army of ambitious young men all over the country attending college and private classes, learning the business of sportscasting, striving hard to learn the sports, players and broadcasting techniques, training their eyes and minds for quick accurate assessments, dreaming of entering a dignified and respected profession, looking with understandable awe upon the decent men of the sportscasting profession who occupy high positions of acceptance with their public.

Mr. Lebow's statement is on behalf of these officers and members of the Sports Broadcasters Association: Joe Hasel, president; Sam Taub, first vice-president; Bob Allison, secretary; Len Dillon, treasurer; Bill Ackman, Larry Allen, Mel Allen, Sam Aro, Nat Ash, Judson Bailey, Red Barber, Buck Canel, Geoff Davis, John Derr, Jack Dillon, Jimmy Dolan, Don Dunphy, Bryan Field, Bob Finnegan, Jack Fraser, Major Al Frazin, Marty Glickman, Al Helfer, Russ Hodges, Harold Holtz, Ted Husing, Hal Janis, Paul Jonas, Frank Litsky, Stan Lomax, Bernie London, Ken Lydecker, Jocko Maxwell, Jack McCarthy, Dean Miller, Johnny Most, Harry Nash, Bob O'Connor, Bud Palmer, Kal Ross, Chris Schenkel, Vince Scully, Bill Slater, Tom Slater, Bob Smith, Bill Stern, Art Stockdale, Harry Wismer.

# HOW TV LOOKS TO THE

They Like Adult Shows
Better Than
Network Kiddies Programs

By Marvin Epstein
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THE eight-year-old youngsters in my third grade class prefer adult television programs to the ones produced especially as kiddies' shows. And my class is as representative a cross-section of children as Temple University is able to select in and around Philadelphia.

the country, the television industry should do some program reshuffling.

Situation comedy shows, My Friend Irma, Date with Judy, Stu Erwin, I Married Joan, along with I Love Lucy, are the children's undisputable favorites. There are 19 children in my class and they turned in a total of 140 written reports on the programs they liked best. Of the 140 reports, 46 were on situation comedies. No one turned in a report on I Love Lucy because that program was discussed in class and the children agreed unanimously that they liked it.

These children said during our discussions that they don't like variety shows except Milton Berle's Star Theater, vintage of '52-'53. However their



Critics at work: the author and his students discuss TV program qualifications.

Boys and girls of Oak Lane Country Day School, which is a laboratory school of the University, come from homes of varying economic levels and are of different races and religious faiths. If the likes and dislikes of this cross-section of children are similar to those of children in other parts of written reports reveal that they do indeed like certain other variety shows: the ones that satisfy the same appetite as comedies, westerns and adventure programs.

In their reporting the boys and girls did not miss many of the comedy programs beamed into the Phila-

## THIRD-GRADERS

delphia area. Included in this list of favorites are Mr. Peepers, The Nelsons, and Date With Judy. This type program apparently has two things that attract the children: from program to program the TV characters are familiar although the things they do are varied, and they do many things that the children themselves would like to do or have happen in their family group or small world.

All the children liked Milton Berle's 1953 series. They look for "the funny parts with Milton and Maxie."

When the youngsters were asked when they began to like Milton Berle, unhesitatingly they said, "When Maxie came on." This change of format made the show more like their other

#### SHOW PREFERENCE CHART

		Number of
Type of	Order of	Written
Show*	Preference	Reports
Detective &		
Mystery	6	- 11
Comedy	1	46
Plays	7**	6**
Variety	2	21
Quiz	8	5
Westerns	3	20
Puppets	4	16
Adventure	5	15

Note: \* The children turned in no written reports on the following classifications — Musical, Interviews, News, Sports, Love.

\*\* MAMA was the only "Play" mentioned in the reports.

favorite comedy programs.

The other variety shows that have the children's interest are Arthur Godfrey, Red Skelton and Red Buttons. They have the same common denominator of appealing humor. The youngsters say, Red Skelton—"Red makes such funny faces," "It's funny."

Red Buttons—"He plays like different people," "Red pretends to be a little boy." Arthur Godfrey—"I like the jokes and some singers," "It's funny," "Arthur's funny."

The excitement of You Asked For It makes for the other notable exception in the variety group. (As many children handed in written reports on this show as for the other three combined.) The children say, "There are dare-devils," "They have exciting things," "They show hard things to do," "There are people who do amazing things."

Western, adventure and mystery programs (they see many of the ones shown at a reasonable hour) provide the blood and thunder that children from time immemorial have sought. This is what they say about some of these shows: Roy Rogers—"It has adventure to it like a mystery," "Roy's dog is helping people." Lone Ranger—"It is exciting." "Tonto gets into trouble and the Lone Ranger gets him out," "The mask." Ramar of the Jungle—"It is exciting," "They go different places," "It's right in the jungle," "Ramar is helping people."

By vote and reports puppet shows do not fare badly. They say "Howdy Doody is interesting because it is full of fun. He shows the old-time movies—I would like more movies, and Howdy Doody is always getting in trouble." They like "Clarabelle and Mr. Bluster," and say, "The fancy names are funny," but it is "Babyish," and "It is too silly." Kukla, Fran and Ollie is "always different."

Quiz shows? Beat the Clock is "interesting," "funny," and "they do a lot of stunts." Strike It Rich—"Poor people win money."

The expressions about TV by this one group of boys and girls seem to substantiate that which psychologists and educators have known for a long time: for passive entertainment eight and nine-year-olds like adventure, mystery and detective stories, dramas of domestic life, slapstick and adult comic programs.



Howard Freeman scans documents as Harrison Dowd and Barbara Winchester look on.

PROGRAM
OF THE WEEK



WITH the antics of the Aldrich Family apparently having run their course on TV, sponsors of that show recently replaced it with a new series of live, half-hour dramas. The new program, titled Campbell TV SoundStage, is sometimes good and sometimes bad but generally rates a look-in by fans of TV drama (NBC, Friday nights).

Like all TV shows which feature different casts and a different story each week, SoundStage is subject to the ability of its writers. And since TV has just about exhausted the supply of available one-act plays and short stories which might be adapted, it must depend almost entirely for story material on originals written especially for the show. There's where the difficulty enters.

Either the program's budget will not permit the hiring of better writers

or else the producers think they can gamble with weak scripts. Whatever the reason, several of the stories spotted thus far on *SoundStage* would hardly have done credit to a Hollywood "B" movie. There is the same stilted emphasis on pseudopsychological themes, pseudo-sophisticated farce and semi-suspense tales.

A recent story, for example, was a murder mystery set in a psycho-analyst's office. The script violated every tenet of good whodunit writing by telegraphing the climax within five minutes after the opening curtain. It was so obvious that it hurt. Another story dealt with a wife's endeavors to remake her husband's character and the ensuing troubles. Where have we heard that one before?

The actors appearing on Sound-Stage are mostly well-known TV performers who have learned the medium the hard way—by working in it week after week. They often are able to inject real quality into the show. Settings, camera work and other technical credits are good.—R. S.

# DOWN

OWN YOU GO is one of the few TV "sleepers" of recent years. It cropped up unheralded on the Du Mont network, and almost immediately was hailed as a new departure in TV panel programs, offering erudition as well as entertainment. (Du Mont, Friday nights.)

Not the least of the program's innovations, but certainly one of the chief reasons for the program's success, is its moderator, Dr. Bergen Evans. Dr. Evans is a professor of English at Northwestern University. But far from being the traditional absent-minded professor, he has considerable wit, charm and humor, all

of which he projects to TV viewers. The game itself is a simple wordguessing contest. Originally, the program tended to emphasize quotes from classical plays, little-known titles, etc.



Dr. Bergen Evans: wit, charm and humor.

Recently, in an apparent effort to broaden the show's appeal, the panelists have been given easier quotes,

some of the pun variety.

Sitting on the panel are Francis Coughlin, Toni Gilman, Carmelita Pope and Robert Breen. The two distaffers have brains as well as beauty, and the male members often surprise with their seeming wealth of knowledge about remote subjects.

Down You Go originates from the studios of Du Mont's affiliate station

in Chicago.

### FINE TUNING



#### By OLLIE CRAWFORD

NDERWATER television sets shown in London. The channel they get best must be the English Channel.

These sets could be just the thing for sunken living rooms.

The sets cost \$19,600 each, which is enough to sink most of us. The new set is sort of a Davy Jones' Looker. Instead of taking soundings, it will enable the British to take lookings. Television sets have been in some pretty tough dives, but nothing like this. Where these sets operate, the No. 1 tune on the Hit Parade is "Fifteen Men on a Dead Man's Chest."

TV sets now have demonstrated that they can operate in fresh water. salt water or seltzer water.

Perry Como sang: "Put your arms around me, honey, hold me tight," and two days later he got a fan letter from an octopus. They polled the mackerels on their favorite show and it turned out to be "I Love Loose Sea."

The next step will be a sca-going version of the Ezio Pinza show called Bonito.

The fish are a little wary of TV. They keep hearing that a Fisher with a Dragnet will pull them to Shore.

