

Radio - Television - Movies

By Terry Revenaugh

"Mix and Fix" Gang, a new program format for weekday entertainment, is slated for the 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. time slot on Gresham's KGRO. Entertainment offerings include "The Daytime Show" with Herb Smith. This new schedule on KGRO is designed to offer more music, less talk and more concise news thru the daytime hours.

The music is selected for its "happiness" appeal. According to Smith, the Daytime Show "Offers songs you know -- happy music to make the hours go." News on the half hour is carefully edited to give complete coverage with a maximum of three and a half minutes of talk. Dial 1230.

Regulars on KGRO include commentaries Monday through

Friday, 11:30 to 6:30 with Herb Smith; Sportlites by Roger Edy on Fridays at 5:45 p.m.; For Women Only, Monday through Friday at 3 p.m.; and Elise Ministerial Fellowship daily at 8 a.m. Dial 1230.

RACES DUE

For the second consecutive year, NBC Television will present exclusive coverage of the major stake races from Miami's Hialeah Park. The Florida track features the top three and four-year-olds among the nation's thoroughbreds in races that play a large part in establishing the "Horse Of The Year".

The NBC Telecasts on KPTV, Channel 27, will begin immediately following the NBA Basketball Games each Saturday for seven successive weeks, beginning Sa-

turday, January 19. The basketball contests are expected to conclude at 1:30 p.m.

BLONDIE, the amusing new film series about the suburban-dwelling Bumstead family, premiered with great success on NBC-TV and KPTV on Friday, January 4.

Seen each week at 8:00 p.m., the series is based on the popular comic strip. As the strip's 52,000-000 daily readers know, Blondie concerns the merry but confused adventures of Dagwood and Blondie, their children, pets, neighbors and friends.

The new series stars Arthur Lake and Pamela Britton as Dagwood and Blondie Bumstead, and features Hal Peary as Herb Woodley, Florenz Ames as Mr. Dithers, Ann Barnes as Cookie and Stuffy Singer as Alexander. Episodes are all new, created especially for television.

The premiere story found Dagwood in receipt of a telegram containing news of a supposed inheritance. The telegram, a ruse by Blondie to give Dagwood confidence in his office, change him into a cigar-smoking tycoon. Future episodes promise to be just as entertaining. BLONDIE fans foresee situations involving vacuum cleaners, iceboxes, backyards, naps on the parlor divan, and of course, Dagwood's struggles to concoct the ultimate in sandwiches.

The series, which is being filmed at the Hal Roach Studios in Culver City, California, is produced by William Haromon and directed by Hal Yates.

JERRY'S HERE!

JERRY LEWIS -- in his first solo performance on television -- will star in the full-hour "JERRY LEWIS SHOW" Saturday, January 19 on NBC Television. The live colorcast will be presented on the network and KPTV Channel 27 beginning at 9:00 p.m.

Lewis will be making his first appearance on TV since he recently signed a five-year contract with NBC. His show, as might be predicted, will be unpredictable. Lewis will clown, dance and sing his way through the 60 minutes in unrestrained fashion, indulging in expressive mugging and zany satires of people, places and customs. In addition, however, viewers will be treated to a facet of Lewis' versatility often overlooked as he sings and dances in "straight" numbers. Some of these will be from his successful nightclub act recently concluded in Las Vegas.

Lewis, who first appeared on NBC-TV in August, 1948, as half of the Martin and Lewis comedy team, is considered one of the top attractions in the entertainment business. He has appeared on the "Colgate Comedy Hour" in motion pictures, and on innumerable telethons for charitable causes. Recently, he made his first record album, to chalk up yet another triumph in a new medium.

A showbusiness baby, he was born on March 16, 1926, the only child of Mona and Danny Lewis, nightclub entertainers. While attending high school in Irvington, New Jersey, he worked up a pantomime act to a background of records. His success with the act at a resort hotel brought him to the attention of several New York show people, and he was booked professionally for other entertainment spots.

Four years later, in 1946, he paired with Dean Martin when they played the same bill at the Atlantic City's "500 Club". Their partnership reached the heights of national success until the Fall of last year when both Martin and Lewis decided to pursue their careers on an individual basis.

In November, 1956, they signed a new contract with NBC-TV which calls for two one-hour programs during the January to June period of 1957, and eight one-hour shows annually for the four seasons thereafter.

Appearing with Lewis will be highly rated young songstress Judy Scott and other guests.

HIGHLIGHTS

WEEKEND HIGHLIGHTS: Friday, January 18, 6:30 p.m., Channel 12: Operation Tomorrow takes up Modern Rocketry -- when a famous rocket designer shows present day techniques for rocket design. Largest missile with a brain. The Falcon, is shown shooting down an attacking bomber.

Saturday, January 19: 4:30 p.m., Channel 12: The Jackie Robinson Story; starring the great athlete from UCLA, himself. Just retired from professional baseball, Jackie is seen in his top form as the nation's number one sports figure. 1930 release.

Showtime on Six, Channel 6, 10:30 p.m. "How Green Was My Valley," Academy Award Winner -- with Walter Pidgeon, Maureen O'Hara, Roddy McDowall and Barry Fitzgerald; 1941 winner; story of Welsh mining town.

SANDY GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

BY LAURA ADAMS

Open House for the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grades was held after the PTA meeting January 15th.

Last Friday the practice game that was scheduled with Gresham was postponed.

The boys did play a game with the High School boys the same day. They lost with a score of 26 to 48.

The high scoring players from the high school were Mike McCormick and Karl Mc Dermid. The high scoring players from the elementary school were Jim Wolf, Phil Clapp and Lloyd Hodge.

Our second league game was played January 18th at Esatcada.

The school has purchased a new book case for a library corner for the teachers. The teachers now have a place for books and magazines about their profession.

The students in Mrs. Krebs' room, in keeping with the weather, have been making snow men and penguins.

In Mrs. Sutherland's 4th grade class Joan Woodard has moved to the state of Washington. The students have just finished making booklets showing the various kinds of materials.

Mr. French's class has been learning how to introduce speakers. They had two visitors the past week, Mr. Lofstedt, Police Chief, and John Metzger, Post Master, came to explain their department work.

The students in Mrs. Montgomery's class have been studying batteries and the telegraph system. They have been writing reports and stories about birds.

Mrs. Will's second grade class has been writing original stories. They are also learning about periods and capital letters.

The students in Mrs. Miller's 3rd grade class have been making Indian Teepees to go along with their study of Indians.

The teachers who were absent during the past week were Mrs. Ellis, Miss Walters and Mrs. Rech.

HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

MONDAY, January 21
Creamed Potato
Weenie
Buttered Green Beans
Bread -- Butter -- Milk
Fruit
TUESDAY, January 22
Chili

Molded Peach Salad
Spice Muffins, Butter
Milk
WEDNESDAY, January 23
Vegetable Soup
Celery Stick
Peanut Butter Sandwich
Plum Cobbler
Milk
THURSDAY, January 24
Roast Potato
Meat Gravy
Carrot Stick
Bread -- Butter -- Milk
Fruit
FRIDAY, January 25
Tomato Rice Soup
Cheese Apple Salad
Bread -- Butter -- Milk
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Helpers Fete Octogenarian

The Kelso Helpers met January 9 at the home of Mrs. Violet German.

The ladies baked and decorated a birthday cake for John Holman on his 84th birthday.

The ladies will visit Fairview Home in Salem on January 23. The next meeting is January 30 at the home of Mrs. Paul Levan.

Stork Shower Held For Matron

Mrs. Thomas Caddy, Troutdale, and her mother, Mrs. Vance Hewitt, Sandy, were co-hostesses Saturday at a baby shower in the Hewitt home in honor of Mrs. Ben Spahr. Twenty-one guests played games and enjoyed refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee.

Mrs. Loren Caddy and Mary Lou, Troutdale; Mrs. Arlene Burnham, Fairview; Mrs. Maria Ritter and Mrs. Lottie Goddard, Gresham, were out of town guests at the party.

SANDY THEATRE

Thurs. - Sun. Jan. 17-20

The McConnell Story

In CinemaScope and Color

Alan Ladd

June Allyson

Also

The Burning Hills

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Natalie Wood

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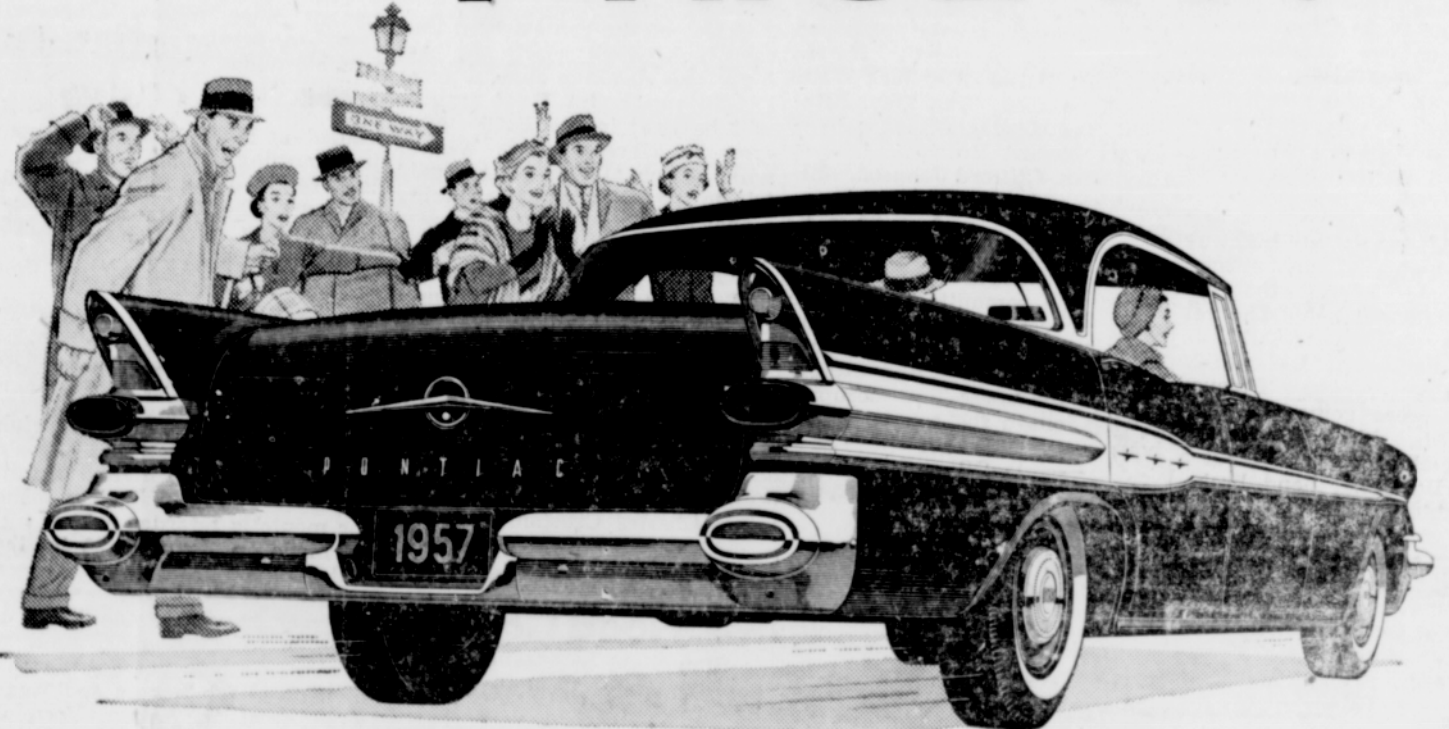
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