



June 16, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, July 7 through Friday, July 11

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Monday, July 7

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Silent Partners," starring Marian Seldes, with E.G. Marshall, host. Traveling to a "banana republic" with her millionaire employer, an unassuming secretary gets a chance to prove that she can do a lot more than type.

Sylvester Burley, Chairman of the Board of Burley Industries, accompanied by his faithful if unappreciated secretary, Margaret Tracy, arrives in a Latin American country to develop its untapped resources for his corporation. Their trip takes a hazardous turn when they are abducted by revolutionaries and Burley, with all his corporate cunning, is unable to escape the situation. It then falls to Miss Tracy to prove that she can do more than just type.

CAST:

Margaret Tracy.....MARIAN SELDES Sylvester Burley.....Mandel Kramer
 Goodloe.....Gilbert Mack

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, July 8

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Blue Tiger," starring Larry Haines, with E.G. Marshall, host. The feds, even with the help of a disenchanted girl friend, fail to put the handcuffs on an inhuman, hired killer..

Known only as Leo, a gunman for hire keeps a step ahead of federal authorities. One agent, Drury, vows to bring him in -- alone. This is a mistake, because even though Drury is able to gain the confidence of Leo's girl friend the gunman is able, at the last minute, to learn from her Drury's plans for capturing him and to fell him with a single shot. But Leo is not so successful with his next assignment -- posing as the missing son of an elderly woman whose valuable land the syndicate wants -- at almost any price.

CAST:

Leo.....	LARRY HAINES	The Man.....	Earl Hammond
Alice.....	Bryna Raeburn	Drury.....	Ray Owens

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, July 9

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Sierra Alpha 638," starring Robert Dryden, with E.G. Marshall, host. A routine airline flight from El Paso to Mexico City is hijacked by the crazed leader of a religious cult.

Sierra Alpha 638, under the command of Captain Mike Torrez, is abruptly taken over by Reverend Joy, of the Temple of the Angelical Revelation. Before captain and crew can make a move, the hijacker and his hired cohorts cut off all radio and radar contact. Only when Reverend Joy is in complete control do they discover the "true communion" of his church.

CAST:

Reverend Joy.....	ROBERT DRYDEN	Captain Mike Torrez....	Russell Horton
Comm. Bill Shane....	Robert Dryden	Lt. Doug Breck.....	Russell Horton
Anita Silvera.....	Diana Kirkwood	Ham Jesson.....	Ray Owens
	Harvey.....	Ray Owens	

WRITER: Ian Martin

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Thursday, July 10

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Conspiracy," starring Kevin McCarthy, with E.G. Marshall, host. The story of John Wilkes Booth's aborted attempt to kidnap Abraham Lincoln and his subsequent successful attempt to assassinate him.

Booth, an actor who won fame for his Shakespearean roles and who is an ardent Confederate sympathizer, first tried to abduct President Lincoln and take him to Richmond, there to hold him until the North gave up the war. When that failed, Booth, a few weeks later, managed to enter the Presidential Box at Washington's Ford Theater unobserved, and to shoot and kill the President. How he plotted both these incidents is dramatized in this broadcast.

CAST:

John Wilkes Booth.....KEVIN MCCARTHY Dr. Samuel Mudd.....Arnold Moss
Lincoln.....Russell Horton Capt. Surratt.....Court Benson

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Friday, July 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Sleepy Village," starring Martha Greenhouse and Norman Rose, with E.G. Marshall, host. A retired couple decides to settle in a small village -- until they're informed all the residents are "dead."

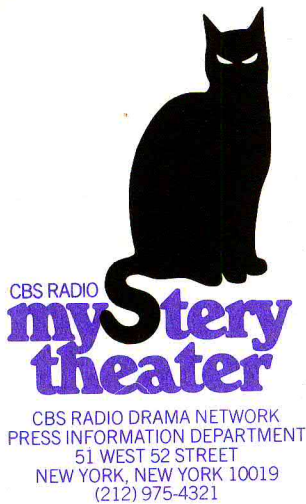
Wilma and Ralph Albertson find a small New England village and decide to settle there, but are told by Mayor Ellis Perkins the village fathers will have to meet and okay it. Ralph's irritation and suspicions are allayed by Wilma's love of the village, until Lucas, the mayor's servant, tells them all the residents are dead and they will also have to die if they want to stay.

CAST:

Wilma Albertson....MARTHA GREENHOUSE Ellis Perkins.....Court Benson
Ralph Albertson.....NORMAN ROSE Lucas.....Ken Harvey

WRITER: Fielden Farrington * * *

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June 23, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, July 14 through Friday, July 18

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Monday, July 14

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Nightmare in Gillette Castle," starring Kevin McCarthy, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young couple becomes trapped in the large, mysterious and bizarre castle built by an actor famed for playing Sherlock Holmes.

Jim Watson, a Sherlock Holmes aficionado, has a special interest in visiting Gillette Castle, the dank home of long-dead Sherlock Holmes actor William Gillette. But when Jim and his wife Pamela are separated from the castle tour group, they take a wrong turn down a corridor called "Baker Street," -- and come face to face with the castle's builder, dead since 1937.

CAST:

William Gillette.....KEVIN McCARTHY Pamela Watson.....Jada Rowland
Jim Watson.....Russell Horton Mrs. Hudson.....Carol Teitel

WRITER: Elizabeth Pennell

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Fed up with her husband's frequent and lengthy business trips, Carlotta Armiston timidly visits a singles bar. There she meets a man named Terry, who says he's away from his wife on a business trip. Terry offers to take Carlotta to a posh night spot but, while driving there, is struck by a debilitating heart attack. When police and ambulance arrive, Carlotta must think fast -- for her own sake as well as Terry's.

WRITER: Sam Dann

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The police had Tony Gerard imprisoned as the murderer of Walter Haven, who was found shot to death in his study on the eve of announcing his campaign for the Senate. But Haven's widow believes in Gerard's innocence, and she asks Tom Hendricks, a lawyer, to defend him. Hendricks accepts the challenge, only to find that more than one person may share the guilt in the Haven's death.

WRITER: Henry Sleaser

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Thursday, July 17

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Fateful Bell," starring Kristoffer Tabori, with E.G. Marshall, host. A prominent mandarin of 15th century China is ordered by the emperor to cast a bell big enough to be heard for 100 li (33 miles) -- or be beheaded.

Kuoan-Fu is petrified when the order to build the bell arrives. He sees it as an almost impossible task. Even with the aid of China's top artisans, two casting attempts fail. His only hope seems to be young Ming-Yee, a commoner who is seeking the hand of his daughter, Ko Nagai. And only Ko knows of the sacrifice that must be agreed to -- with a witch -- if the casting of the giant bell is to be successful.

CAST:

Ming Yee.....KRISTOFFER TABORI Kouan-Fu.....Ian Martin
Ko-Nagai.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Ian Martin, suggested by the short stories of LafCadio Hearn

Friday, July 18

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Death on Skis," starring Rosemary Murphy, with E.G. Marshall, host. Despite the warning of her mystery-novelist husband, a young blonde blithely goes skiing with a man she hardly knows to a remote mountain hut where two other blondes have been murdered.

Kay Wylie, always doing things people warn her not to, reaches the hut accompanied by Tony Shaw, a friend of just three days. Shaw confides that he's really a detective secretly assigned to solve the two murders and that he's taken her to the hut as a lure for the murderer who, he's convinced, is her husband, Dan. Shaw says he'll wait outside and burst in before Dan can kill her.

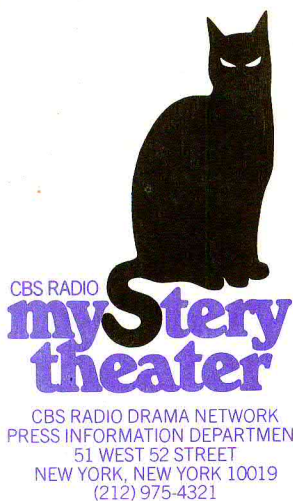
CAST:

Kay Wylie.....ROSEMARY MURPHY Tony Shaw.....Ralph Bell
Dan Wylie.....Larry Haines Otto Hornbach.....Norman Rose

WRITER: George Lowther

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July 7, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, July 28 through Friday, August 1

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Monday, July 28

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "A Ton of Gold," starring Ralph Bell and Earl Hammond, with E.G. Marshall, host. An archeologist, his wife and assistant find more than they bargain for when they travel to the desert to search for a ton of gold left behind by an ancient Indian people.

Dr. Edwin Doughty, his wife, Ruth, and his assistant, Walter Stafford, arrive in western New Mexico to uncover a treasure in gold dust hidden centuries before by the Yawe Indians. Their Indian guide agrees to lead them to the riches on one condition -- that first they hear about the curse on the Zamora gold.

CAST:

Prof. Edwin Doughty.....	RALPH BELL	Crazy Joe.....	EARL HAMMOND
Ruth Doughty.....	Carol Teitel	Walter Stafford.....	Gordon Gould

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, July 29

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Madame Sirocco," starring Bryna Raeburn and Earl Hammond, with E.G. Marshall, host. Police reluctantly accept the help of a spiritualist in their search for a missing 21-year-old girl.

Maria Svetic is aghast when her old-fashioned father Johannes tells her she is to marry a man more than twice her age. Even though she has never disobeyed her father, Maria runs away and a frantic Johannes calls the police. Lt. Luther gets nowhere in his search so Johannes, frustrated, enlists the aid of a psychic, Madame Sirocco, whom the policeman knows as a true-blue con artist.

CAST:

Madame Sirocco.....	BRYNA RAE BURN	Johannes Svetic....	William Griffis
Lt. Luther.....	EARL HAMMOND	Maria Svetic.....	Joyce Gordon

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, July 30

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Death Disk," starring Tammy Grimes, with E.G. Marshall, host. When a superior job candidate insists on knowing why she was turned down, she discovers her prospective employer is convinced she's a thief.

Selma Pruitt feels she is perfect for the job of Executive Director of the Martindale Foundation, and thought her interview with wealthy Elwood Townsend, the foundation's Trustee, was progressing smoothly until he suddenly turned her down. To her consternation, she discovers that he believes she stole a small gold disc during the interview. No one accepts her vehement claims of innocence, and soon she begins to doubt her own sanity.

CAST:

Selma Pruitt.....	TAMMY GRIMES	Elwood Townsend.....	Norman Rose
	Joe Stovall.....		Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Thursday, July 31

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Kitty," starring Teri Keane, with E.G. Marshall, host. A man, scratched badly when he tries some rough stuff on a shapely chorus girl, prefers charges against her.

Holly Methune, on her way home after a night of dancing at the Kit Kat Club, fights off a man trying to pick her up. Because his doctor says he might lose an eye from scratches inflicted by Holly, the man charges her with assault. Later, he is found dead in his apartment, his throat scratched wide open. Three more deaths by scratching follow and the police begin to wonder whether Holly and her sister, Kitty, a cat lover, could in any way be involved.

CAST:

Kitty Methune.....	TERI KEANE	Lt. Dan McKenzie.....	Bob Kaliban
Holly Methune.....	Catherine Byers	Prof. Gilmore.....	Russell Horton

WRITER: Henry Slesar

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Friday, August 1

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "A Small Question of Terror," starring Teri Keane, with E.G. Marshall, host. The state's powerful Director of Interrogation terrifies a young woman when he tells her he knows she has something to tell him.

Thoroughly frightened by stories of the tortures other people have undergone at the hands of the Director, Alexis Meade, young, attractive, engaged to be married, can think of nothing that she, as a good citizen, should tell him. Later, she learns that her mother had once said, as a joke: "Someday our Protector will protect us to death." Treasonous words, and Alexis' fiancé, while being tortured, admits that Alexis' mother did say them. But Alexis vows never to confirm this, no matter what happens to her.

CAST:

Alexis Meade.....	TERI KEANE	Eric.....	Gordon Gould
Emily Meade.....	Joan Shay	Director.....	Leon Janney

WRITER: George Lowther

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July 14, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, August 4 through Friday, August 8

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Monday, August 4

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "This Deadly Fraternity," starring Jack Grimes, with E.G. Marshall, host. The accidental death of a young fraternity pledge during his initiation leads to a legacy of guilt for the brothers of Tau Alpha Gamma.

Harry Clark reluctantly returns to his alma mater under pressure from a very important fellow alumni, his boss. There he meets classmate and fraternity brother Buck Stanley, who shares Clark's queasiness about the campus: Both were present during the Tau Alpha Gamma initiation that years earlier killed pledge Phil Fowler. And every other brother who participated in that fatal ceremony -- except Harry and Buck -- has died mysteriously on an anniversary of Fowler's death... and the next October 15th is coming up soon.

CAST:

Harry Clark.....	JACK GRIMES	M.J. Trimble.....	Court Benson
Helen Clark.....	Valeka Gray	Buck Stanley.....	Russell Horton

WRITER: Ian Martin

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Tuesday, August 5

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Star Sapphire," starring Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. A man who adopts a teen-aged girl discovers he can hypnotize her into doing anything.

Dan and Bessie Ferris, both 52, live on a farm they inherited, but have never had children. Dan arranges with a foundling home to adopt a teen-ager, Edna Kelly, to help Bessie, an invalid for the past 10 years, and some day to inherit the farm. Edna is fascinated by Dan's star sapphire ring and he discovers that when she stares at it, he can hypnotize her. He uses his new power discreetly -- until, under hypnosis, she becomes a crack rifle shot.

CAST:

Dan Ferris.....	FRED GWYNNE	Edna Kelly.....	Evie Juster
Bessie Ferris.....	Carol Teitel	Paul.....	Court Benson

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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Wednesday, August 6

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Mysterious Hanging of Squire Huggins," starring Paul Hecht and Patricia Elliott, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young couple, itinerant peddlers in old New England, report the hanging of Squire Huggins -- but find him quite alive.

Dominicus and Sarah Pike, en route to the home of Huggins, meet a stranger who claims the squire was hanged by brigands. But when Dominicus repeats the tale, the squire is discovered alive and well, and the peddler is put in jail. Sarah arranges his escape and, during their flight, another stranger reports the hanging anew. Dominicus now hatches a plot to get at the bottom of the mystery.

CAST:

Dominicus Pike.....	PAUL HECHT	Sheriff.....	Robert Dryden
Sarah Pike.....	PATRICIA ELLIOTT	Bartender.....	Ray Owens

WRITER: James Agate, Jr., adapted from the story by Nathaniel Hawthorne

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Thursday, August 7

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Face in the Coffin," starring Kristoffer Tabori and Roberta Maxwell, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young couple's inadvertent look into an open coffin marks them both for death.

Tim and Dorothy Doyle visit a funeral parlor late one night to pay their respects to his Aunt Emma, deceased. Somehow they manage to enter the wrong room and see a coffin containing the body of a man thought by Tim -- a member of the U.S. Justice Department -- to be a famous judge due to soon hand down a decision on building a controversial gambling casino. What is certain, though, is that their inadvertent peek has resulted in someone trying to kill them both.

CAST:

Tim Doyle.....	KRISTOFFER TABORI	Mr. Starewell.....	Bob Kaliban
Cathy Doyle.....	ROBERTA MAXWELL	Senator Henderson.....	Fred Gwynne

WRITER: James Agate, Jr. * * *

Friday, August 8

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Strange Case of Lucas Lauder," starring Robert Lansing, with E.G. Marshall, host. A condemned man promises his prison warden a horrible future after the execution.

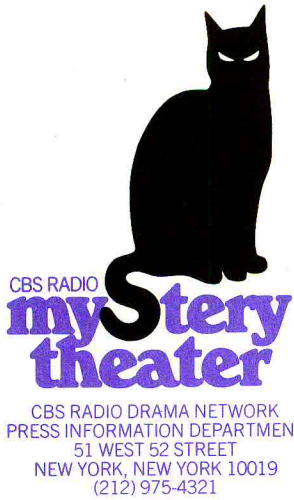
Guy Richards, a respected university professor, has admitted to the brutal knife murders of four women. Now about to die, he tells Warden Lucas Lauder that when he is executed the evil spirit, that of Jack the Ripper, will be passed on to the warden just as it was passed on to him. Lauder, though convinced Richards is insane, starts toying with a carving knife that very night and even, for reasons he cannot explain, threatens his wife.

CAST:

Lucas Lauder.....	ROBERT LANSING	Guy Richards.....	Ralph Bell
Joan Lauder.....	Lenke Peterson	Eric.....	Ira Lewis
	Miss Compeley.....	Patricia Peardon	

WRITER: George Lowther

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July 21, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, August 11 through Friday, August 15

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Monday, August 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Master Minds," starring Russell Horton, with E.G. Marshall, host. When a valuable diamond and ruby necklace disappears at an opulent English ball in 1922, American and British law enforcement agents join forces to catch the thief.

American police detective Diana Lake combines her talents with those of Inspector Conway of Scotland Yard in a chase across the ocean to search for the necklace believed stolen by dashing Bradley Leighton. Lake and Conway are convinced that Leighton has hidden the jewels somewhere on the luxury liner HMS Romanic. To recover them, Diana attempts to divert ladies' man Leighton from the necklace to herself.

CAST:

Bradley Leighton.....RUSSELL HORTON Inspector Conway.....Court Benson
Diana Lake.....Carole Teitel

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis.

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Tuesday, August 12

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Fourth Reason," starring John Lithgow and Teri Keane, with E.G. Marshall, host. A congressman tries to turn the disappearance of a brilliant oil engineer into a stepping stone to the presidency.

Irene Thatcher asks her congressman for help when her husband, an oil engineer on the verge of a major technological breakthrough, does not return from a trip to Paris. The congressman orders his assistant, Purvis, to investigate, hoping he is stepping into an international oil plot that will turn him into a national figure. But Tom Thatcher has disappeared for reasons only he knows -- and can control.

CAST:

Purvis.....	JOHN LITHGOW	Congressman.....	Court Benson
Irene Thatcher...	TERI KEANE	Toomey.....	Arnold Moss

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, August 13

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Return of Edward Blair," starring John Lithgow, with E.G. Marshall, host. When a long-gone resident of a sleepy Washington farm town reappears, he finds a reception that is far from warm.

One rainy night, a young drifter pounds on the door of a quiet ranchhouse and the answering servants, Andrew and Sarah, believe it is their master -- Edward Blair -- come home at last. When Blair later is unable to understand the hostility with which his hometown greets him, Sarah begins to suspect that perhaps this man is not Blair at all. The real Blair might never have returned to Lost Cabin.

CAST:

Edward Blair.....	JOHN LITHGOW	Jack Manning.....	Earl Hammond
Andrew.....	Robert Dryden	Sarah.....	Joan Shea

WRITER: Roy Winsor

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Thursday, August 14

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Dead You Can't Bury," starring Jada Rowland, with E.G. Marshall, host. The ghost of a man's first wife keeps warning his second wife that her life is in danger.

At her brother's instigation Amanda Harrow, who is still mourning their father's death, marries wealthy lumberman Andrew Trevelyan. Amanda consented to the marriage even though a woman in her dreams warned her the wedding will seal her doom. The ghost, the first Mrs. Trevelyan, knows something Amanda doesn't. Soon after the wedding Amanda falls from a horse due to an unbuckled stirrup, but her injuries are not fatal -- this time.

CAST:

Amanda Harrow.....	JADA ROWLAND	Mrs. Trevelyan.....	Carol Teitel
Andrew Trevelyan.....	Lloyd Battista	Ralph Harrow.....	Ian Martin

WRITER: Ian Martin

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Friday, August 15

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Eye of Death," starring Joan Hackett, with E.G. Marshall, host. A photographer vows she'll put behind bars the man she's sure murdered her mother.

Greg Manchester, whose first wife died from an overdose of sleeping pills, marries the mother of a talented photographer, Sandy Oakes. When her mother drowns in a bathtub Manchester inherits all the Oakes family money. Sandy becomes certain her mother's death was no accident and accuses Manchester of murder. She hopes that someday he will make a fatal mistake and that she will be there to record it with her camera.

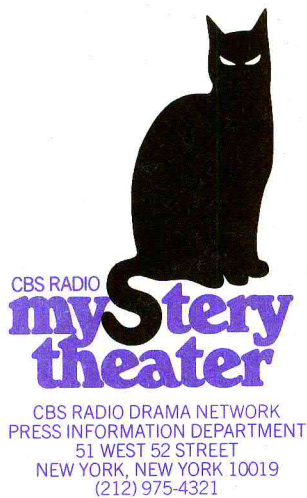
CAST:

Sandy Oakes.....	JOAN HACKETT	Greg Manchester.....	Ralph Bell
Rose Oakes.....	Joan Shay	Joe Norman.....	Robert Dryden

WRITER: George Lowther

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August 4, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, August 25 through Friday, August 29

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Monday, August 25

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Poor Lester," starring Teri Keane and Norman Rose, with E.G. Marshall, host. Zeus grants a devoted wife's request to take her husband's place in a fatal car crash.

With the crunch of metal and the shattering of glass, Juliet Keyworth loses the one inspiration in her life -- her husband, famed agronomist Dr. Lester Keyworth. Grief-stricken, she rushes from the hospital wishing she could have died in his stead. The great god, Zeus, appears to her and, with some reluctance, grants her request, with one catch -- she see how "Poor Lester" fares without her.

CAST:

Juliet.....TERI KEANE
Zeus.....NORMAN ROSE

Lester.....Earl Hammond
The Queen.....Joyce Gordon

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, August 26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Inner Eye," starring Roberta Maxwell, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young woman, who has a disagreement with her boyfriend, becomes frantic when she realizes, in a vision, he is going to kill himself.

Carl Ashton swears he's been destroyed when Betsy refuses to go off to Europe with him in search of fame and fortune. Betsy is deeply hurt when he leaves and she becomes overwrought when, through a series of visions, she "sees" he plans to shoot himself. Accompanied by a psychiatrist, her mother and a police sergeant, Betsy sets out to stop Carl -- but they always seem to be just behind him.

CAST:

Betsy.....	ROBERTA MAXWELL	Mother.....	Teri Keane
Carl Ashton.....	Gordon Gould	Doctor.....	Court Benson

WRITER: Elspeth Eric * * *

Wednesday, August 27

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "A Feast of Death," starring Jada Rowland, with E.G. Marshall, host. In Paris during the tumultuous years of World War I, a penniless seamstress meets a charming and mysterious entrepreneur who vows undying love for her.

Beautiful Yvette is so entranced when she is swept off her feet into the arms and sumptuous lifestyle of her new lover, Jacques, that she thinks little about the origin of his incredible wealth. When he is arrested suddenly, Yvette turns to his friend Andre for help. As she pours out her story it becomes apparent to them that perhaps Jacques is not at all who he presents himself to be.

CAST:

Yvette.....	JADA ROWLAND	Jacques.....	Robert Dryden
Andre.....	Ray Owens	Danielle.....	Joan Lovejoy

WRITER: Elspeth Eric, based on a true story

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WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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WRITER: Elspeth Eric, based on a true story

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Thursday, August 28

(Time) WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Wanted, a Husband," starring Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. Adaptation of an O. Henry short story in which two gentle grafters use a widow's loneliness to fill their pockets with cash.

Jeff Peters and Andy Tucker, thrown off a freight train in Cairo, Ill., meet Wilhemina Trotter, a widow slinging hash in a rundown restaurant. Together they plan a scam for men seeking a mate, with Wilhemina and a \$2,000 bank account as lures. Everything moves briskly -- the cash rolls in -- but Wilhemina soon becomes a fly in the ointment. She falls for one of the applicants -- and wants to marry him.

CAST:

Jeff Peters.....FRED GWYNNE Wilhemina Trotter.....Bryna Raeburn
Andy Tucker.....Ian Martin P.J. Nethersole.....Ray Owens

ADAPTED BY: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Friday, August 29

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Intermediary," starring Frances Sternhagen, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young man vows to give up his large inheritance if it means living in a house in which he grew up unhappily.

Frank Ellingwood, a young, successful engineer, is left a sizable inheritance by his stepmother -- provided he and his wife, Laura, move into the Long Island mansion in which his stepmother lived and where he grew up, very unhappily. He says no to the money, but Laura visits the mansion, falls in love with it and insists they move in. Frank reluctantly agrees, but soon wishes he hadn't. Laura begins to talk and act just like his hated stepmother.

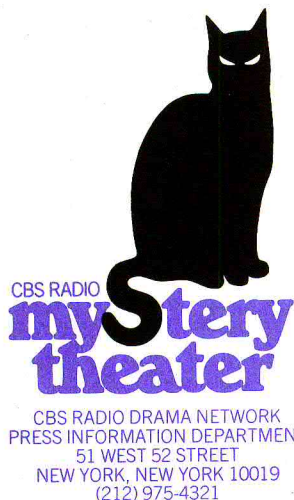
CAST:

Laura Ellingwood.....FRANCES STERNHAGEN Frank Ellingwood.....Ralph Bell
Jonas Clark.....Leon Janney

WRITER: Fielden Farrington

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August 11, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, September 1 through Friday, September 5

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Monday, September 1

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Power of Zeus," starring Russell Horton, with E.G. Marshall, host. In the year 3000, when a disintegrating ozone layer threatens the world with annihilation, a husband and wife research team travels to a far-away planet to search for a solution.

In a future world split into two halves, the Anglos and the Asiatics, early prophecies about the ozone layer have come true and food production is severely jeopardized. Renowned scientists Jonathan and Miranda Troy must race against time to formulate a soil compound able to withstand the destructive power of the sun's unfiltered rays. But while on their special mission to the planet Zeus, they accidentally discover another formula -- with the power to both save and destroy the world: Composite X.

CAST:

Jonathan Troy.....RUSSELL HORTON President.....Earl Hammond
Miranda.....Patricia Elliott

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

Caroline Spencer has taught for many years while daydreaming of all the places she has never been and saving her money to travel. One day she meets Laurence Stanford at a party and he encourages her to pack her bags. On her first trip to France, Caroline gets involved with an unscrupulous cousin who manages to take all her hard-earned funds and dash all her hopes. But she's not down yet.

Caroline Spencer.....MARIAN SELDES Larry Stanford.....LARRY HAINES
Cousin George.....Ray Owens

ADAPTED BY: James Agate, Jr. * * *

Wednesday, September 3

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Leave Well Enough Alone," starring John Beal, with E.G. Marshall, host. Short story writer Guy de Maupassant becomes involved in a real-life plot when his neighbor marries a young woman less than half his age.

De Maupassant swallows his natural cynicism when neighbor Henri Lantin, a middle-aged government clerk, marries 18-year-old Celeste in an apparently happy match. His uncharacteristic optimism is reinforced when Henri, acting on an anonymous note, spies on his wife during one of her frequent solo trips to the opera -- and finds Celeste properly in the company of a woman friend. Only when de Maupassant discovers the truth about Celeste's penchant for cheap jewelry is his faith in life's irony restored.

Guy de Maupassant.....JOHN BEAL Henri Lantin.....Court Benson
Celeste.....Tracey Ellis

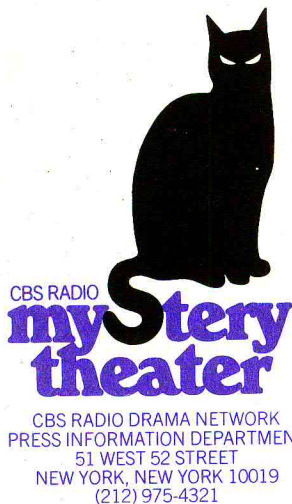
WRITER: Sam Dann

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Thursday, September 4

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August 18, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, September 8 through Friday, September 12

(Consult local station
for time of broadcast.)

Monday, September 8

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Hand in Glove," starring Russell Horton, with E.G. Marshall, host. Following a miracle transplant, the hand of a psychotic murderer begins to rule the life of a young doctor after being attached to his arm.

When a blazing shootout in the halls of University Hospital leaves murderer Jed Gant dead and Dr. Dan Crane with an irreparably damaged hand, head surgeon Stewart Courtney performs a daring transplant using the dead man's hand. The transplant is successful but Dan is haunted by Gant's dying vow to curse him from beyond the grave. His new hand seems to fulfill that curse: With a will of its own, it threatens to bring the killer back to life!

CAST:

Dr. Dan Crane.....RUSSELL HORTON Laurel Blair.....Diana Kirkwood
Dr. Stewart Courtney.....Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Nancy Moore

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Tuesday, September 9

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Two of a Kind," starring Kristoffer Tabori, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young man living on the income of a wealthy maiden aunt devises a scheme to keep her in a sanitarium.

Because his Aunt Louise will cut off his allowance on her release, free-spending Wally starts making plans to ensure her being recommitted. With \$25,000 of her money, he rents two identical adjacent apartments and furnishes each in the very same manner. He plans to make his Aunt Louise react so violently that the men in the white coats will demand to make her a patient again.

CAST:

Wally.....KRISTOFFER TABORI Casey.....Russell Horton
Aunt Louise.....Martha Greenhouse

WRITER: Henry Slesar

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Wednesday, September 10

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Ocean of Emptiness," starring Paul Hecht and Teri Keane, with E.G. Marshall, host. The first husband-and-wife astronaut team in space travels near the speed of light to the unfathomed region of the planet Jupiter.

Chloe and Ned Miller, piloting the spaceship Hyperion, leave Earth in the year 1995 to explore uncharted areas of the galaxy. Their expected dangers become even more terrifying once they reach the planet. In Jupiter's orbit they receive a radio transmission...that they've been dead for 100 years.

CAST:

Ned Miller.....PAUL HECHT Chloe Miller.....TERI KEANE
Voice.....Arnold Moss

WRITER: Arnold Moss

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Thursday, September 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Private Demon," starring Norman Rose, with E.G. Marshall, host. A gentle, elderly scholar murders a young instructor, who has pointed out a serious fault in his favorite research project.

Shortly after he is told he can expect a Nobel Prize for his life-long research on the people of ancient Chaytor, Prof. Jeremiah Soames is confronted by a young instructor, David Porter, who's also researched Chaytor and who points out a major flaw in the older man's work. In a rage, Soames stabs him to death with a Chaytorian knife and makes it appear that Porter had been mugged in his car. The police are convinced this is what happened -- but the dead man's wife isn't.

CAST :

Prof. Soames.....NORMAN ROSE David Porter.....Bob Kaliban
 Portia Porter.....Carol Teitel

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Friday, September 12

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Bulletproof," starring Patricia Elliott, with E.G. Marshall, host. Bullets fired from an ex-con's gun seem evidence enough to send him to the gas chamber.

Rocky Starke, reunited with his wife, Kim, after two years in jail, is accused of murdering Johnny Mallory, a thug with whom Rocky has had some decided differences of opinion. The bullets that killed Mallory were fired from Rocky's gun which, he admits, has never left him since he got a night watchman's job. The owner of a shooting range tries to help Rocky, but is gunned down on the way to police headquarters. Only Kim may be able to save him.

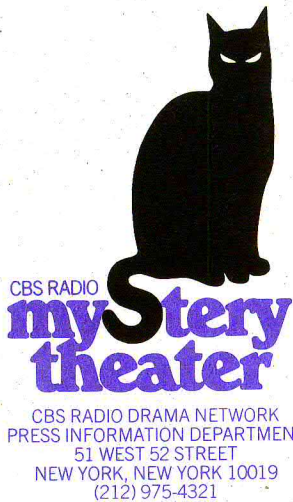
CAST:

Kim Starke.....PATRICIA ELLIOTT Lt. Chambers.....George Petrie
Rocky Starke.....Mason Adams Frank Starke.....Earl Hammond
Fat Jack.....Ian Martin

WRITER: Ian Martin

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August 25, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, September 15 through Friday, September 19

(Consult local station
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Monday, September 15

"Number One," starring Larry Haines, with E.G. Marshall, host.
The long-suffering wife of a philandering film star is given a chance
to finally turn the tables on her husband.

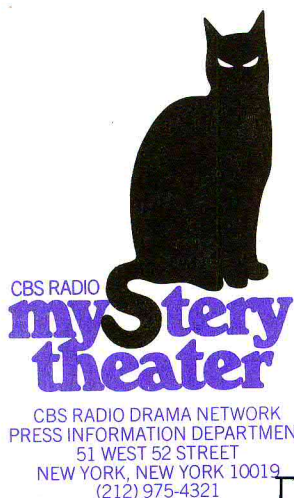
Movie star Bart Wallace insists his wife Ruth accompany him on
location for a new picture. She knows it will co-star his latest
beautiful "protege" and is prepared for yet another long, lonely siege.
But as the company begins to shoot in the isolated mountain ranges of
a Latin American country, a roving band of revolutionaries suddenly
appears. Their freedom will be given on one condition -- that Ruth
spend the night with the daring leader of the bandits, Numero Uno.

CAST:

Bart Wallace.....LARRY HAINES Numero Uno.....Earl Hammond
Ruth Wallace.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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August 29, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, September 22, through Friday, September 26

(Consult local station
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Monday, September 22

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Mysterious Rochdale Special," starring Ralph Bell, with E.G. Marshall, host. A clever crook, imprisoned in Marseilles at the turn of the century, believes his role in an unsolved crime may win his freedom, in this story adapted from Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.

Herbert Lernac, a proud French master-criminal in prison for a crime beneath his dignity, importunes celebrated lawyer Clement Roget to hear out his claim to have master-minded the greatest unsolved mystery in England. The disappearance of the Rochdale Special, a private train traveling from Liverpool to London in 1893, has baffled Scotland Yard and railroad officials for nearly a decade. Lernac thinks his knowledge of the affair will get him off the hook from his current charge -- the cold-blooded murder of a greengrocer in front of three witnesses.

CAST:

Herbert Lernac.....RALPH BELL Superintendent Potter.....Court Benson
Clement Roget.....Ian Martin Inspector Collins.....Robert Dryden

WRITER: Murray Burnett, adapted from a story by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Tuesday, September 23

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Let George Do It," starring Russell Horton, with E.G. Marshall, host. The failure of a cheap, tiny auto-engine part leads an unhappily married traveling salesman to contemplate murder.

Perry Foster is forced to spend an afternoon in a sleepy New England village when the accelerator clip on his car snaps. While waiting for a mechanic to locate a new clip, Foster meets and falls for gift-shop owner Eleanor Crosbie. She is willing to marry him if he will help her murder her elderly husband for his quarter-million-dollar insurance policy. Foster is tempted -- until talking with the mechanic.

CAST:

Perry Foster.....RUSSELL HORTON Sid Rawlings.....Ian Martin
Eleanor Crosbie.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, September 24

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Murder of Caesar," starring Earl Hammond and Paul Hecht, with E.G. Marshall, host. The final days of Julius Caesar, fraught with auguries and betrayal, are dramatized from contemporary accounts by Plutarch, Cicero and Seutonius.

An exhausted, aging Caesar returns home from the Roman conquest of Spain to the acclaim of citizens and the suspicions of senators. He confides a death wish to his best friend, Brutus. A clique of senators led by Cassius and Cicero may make that wish come true. But first they have to lure Caesar from his home.

CAST :

Caesar.....	EARL HAMMOND	Calpurnia.....	Joan Shea
Brutus.....	PAUL HECHT	Cicero.....	Gordon Gould

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, September 25

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Obsession," starring Robert Dryden and Mandel Kramer, with E.G. Marshall, host. A very successful mystery story writer demands that the police lock him up before he commits a terrible crime.

Emmett O'Hara pleads with his long-time friend, Police Chief David Chase, to put him in jail. If he doesn't, O'Hara is sure he'll commit a perfect -- and horrible -- crime. Chase refuses and urges his friend to see a psychiatrist about his obsession. But it's not long before the chief realizes he has made a big mistake -- he should have locked O'Hara up and thrown away the key.

CAST:

Emmett O'Hara.....	ROBERT DRYDEN	Muriel Chase.....	Teri Keane
David Chase.....	MANDEL KRAMER	Rosalie.....	Carol Teitel

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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Friday, September 26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Where Angels Fear to Tread," starring Michael Tolan, with E.G. Marshall, host. A professor, experimenting in astral projection, leaves his body at home while committing a murder.

Ken Robinson, a professor of parapsychology, has learned to free his astral body from its earthly prison. The first time it happens he cannot recall what he did, until the owner of a local bar and grill presents him with a \$600 bill for damages. The second time he does remember -- and he thinks he has murdered someone. The third time he does commit murder, but not even the police will believe him.

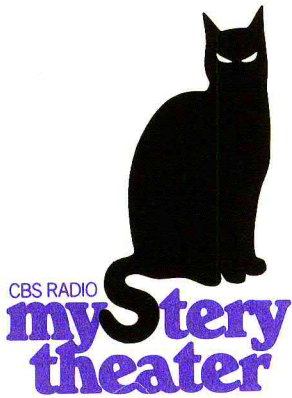
CAST:

Ken Robinson.....	MICHAEL TOLAN	Junious Dutton.....	Court Benson
Mildred Robinson.....	Bryna Raeburn	Chief Laner.....	Robert Dryden

WRITER: George Lowther

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September 15, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, October 6 through Friday, October 10

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Monday, October 6

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Second Sight," starring Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. A safe-cracker framed for murder calls on his worst enemy to save him.

Arthur "Fingers" Dickson, to whom no safe is safe, is caught by millionaire P.J. Ginestera in the act of burglarizing his mansion. Fingers escapes empty-handed and unharmed. So when the police arrest him for Ginestera's murder, Fingers claims it's a set-up. But only Sgt. James Greenwood, who was forced to retire when he was blinded in the course of arresting Fingers on another caper -- and no friend of the thief -- can get Fingers off the hook.

CAST:

Sgt. James Greenwood....FRED GWYNNE	"Fingers" Dickson....Earl Hammond
P.J. Ginestera.....Robert Maxwell	Zelda Ginestera.....Carol Teitel

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, October 7

Capt. Norman Burgess, without a clue in his investigation of the brutal murder of a Chinese woman, is intrigued by information provided by Dr. Toon Hoy, whose wife was a friend of the victim. While sleeping, Mrs. Hoy, with a voice sounding much like the murdered woman's, has described the last moments of her friend's life. Burgess is skeptical, but he's willing to use anything to help catch the murderer.

WRITER: Roy Winsor * * *

Fast-talking and full of schemes for success in America, Charles Guiteau believes himself on the way to the top when he marries Anna, a wealthy lawyer's niece. But the marriage sours as the pair flees creditors from city to city. Guiteau flings himself into politics with visions of earning a grand appointment. He is crushed when his candidate, James Garfield, ignores him after the successful campaign. Guiteau feels betrayed -- and his deadly response makes history.

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, October 9

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "In the Name of Love," starring Teri Keane and Norman Rose, with E.G. Marshall, host. A millionaire advertising executive panics when her "daughter," a movie star, disappears.

Celeste Manning, the advertising mogul, meets a billionaire industrialist, Roger Carlson, on a flight from Paris and tells him a personal secret -- that she has a daughter. But it's only an illusion, since the "daughter" is really movie star Maureen Lovell, long-admired by Celeste, who never married. When Maureen, who's taken to using drugs, disappears, Celeste panics and begs Carlson to help her -- and her "daughter."

CAST:

Celeste Manning.....	TERI KEANE	Joe.....	Robert Dryden
Roger Carlson.....	NORMAN ROSE	Maureen Lovell.....	Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Friday, October 10

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Rise and Fall of the Fourth Reich," starring Paul Hecht, with E.G. Marshall, host. Two Nazis find an elderly Hitler alive in Mexico City and make plans for his return to power in Germany.

Dr. Hans Bundershaff and a man who calls himself Gunther Binder end their long search for Hitler in Mexico City, where he's discovered near death and alone in a hovel. After Dr. Bundershaff manages to rejuvenate the old Nazi leader, Hitler announces plans to start a putsch in Germany to make him Der Fuehrer once again.

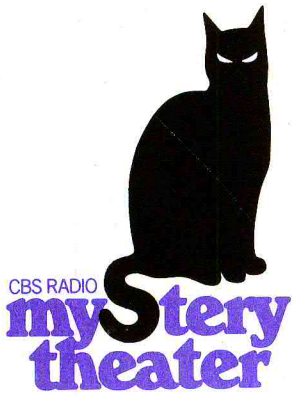
CAST:

Gunther Binder.....	PAUL HECHT	Dr. Stiller.....	Ken Harvey
Dr. Bundershaff.....	Joe Silver	Hitler.....	Robert Dryden

WRITER: Henry Slesar

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September 29, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, October 20 through Friday, October 24

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Monday, October 20

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Honest Mistake," starring Earl Hammond, with E.G. Marshall, host. An aging hit man can't resist taking on one last job.

Eddie Pond and his wife, Frances, would be an ordinary suburban couple if it weren't for one thing: Eddie is a killer for hire. But Eddie has been in the business too long, and even his employer thinks Eddie should retire. Nevertheless, Eddie agrees to silence a witness before he can testify. The intended victim should be easy to find -- he's the only Roderick T. Hammersmith in the phone book.

CAST:

Eddie Pond.....EARL HAMMOND Frederick T. Hammersmith...Ian Martin
Frances Pond.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, October 21

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Old Maid Murders," starring Tammy Grimes, with E.G. Marshall, host. The spinster secretary of a presidential adviser discovers her employer may be a traitor.

Laura McRae devoted the best years of her life to Dr. Morgan Lowecraft, a famous scholar and confidante of the President. When Lowecraft asks Laura to hand-deliver an annotated manuscript to its author in Florida, an airport mix-up inadvertently provides her with a look at the document. What Laura reads convinces her that Lowecraft may be betraying national secrets.

CAST:

Laura McRae.....	TAMMY GRIMES	Dr. Morgan Lowecraft...	Norman Rose
Dr. Waller.....	Earl Hammond	Colonel.....	Court Benson

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, October 22

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Confession," starring Paul Hecht and Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. An involuntary witness to a humiliating confession falls in love with the confessor's daughter.

Easy-going David Saville hardly knows his wheeler-dealer step-brother Edgar, more than twice his age. So, when David invites his older brother to join him at a resort, he has no idea that Edgar will turn the vacation into a bitter confrontation with a slightly dishonest business associate. Edgar forces David to join the confrontation -- not knowing that the businessman's daughter has become the object of his affection.

CAST:

David Saville.....	PAUL HECHT	Edgar Saville.....	FRED GWYNNE
John Guest.....	Norman Rose	Laura Guest.....	Valeka Gray

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, October 23

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Maud-Evelyn," starring Paul Hecht, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young man's attempts to prove himself in the eyes of his lover lead to a macabre fantasy world in this story adapted from Henry James.

Lavinia sets a strict condition for agreeing to marry English heir Peter Harkness: He must pursue a career with a future. Harkness takes up the challenge by becoming a travel companion to an unusual London couple, who draw Harkness into a strange intrigue.

CAST:

Peter Harkness.....PAUL HECHT Lavinia.....Carol Teitel
George.....Lloyd Battista

WRITER: G. Frederick Lewis from a story by Henry James.

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Friday, October 24

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Return to Shadow Lake," starring Nat Polen, with E.G. Marshall, host. A couple, marooned in a snowstorm at their summer cottage, experience a strange case of deja vu.

Stu Ralston, seeking his missing wife, Claudia, goes to Shadow Lake and thinks he sees intruders in a neighbor's cottage. The alerted owners, Ken and Martha Harris, drive up and become snow-bound. Martha hears voices and the fireplace mysteriously blazes, but there is no sign of vandals. That night, however, they witness a scene between an unearthly Claudia and the Ken of a year ago.

CAST:

Ken Harris.....NAT POLEN Stu Ralston.....Robert Kaliban
Martha Harris.....Joan Lovejoy Lou Potts.....Robert Maxwell
Claudia Ralston.....Joan Loring

WRITER: Fielden Farrington

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PRESS INFORMATION

September 29, 1980

1980-81 ACADEMIC 'COLLEGE BOWL' TO BEGIN
SECOND YEAR ON CBS RADIO NETWORK OCT. 18

COLLEGE BOWL, "the varsity sport of the mind," will begin its second year on the CBS Radio Network on Saturday, Oct. 18, with the 1980-81 premiere pitting Harvard/Radcliffe vs. Yale, it was announced today by Frank Miller, Vice President, Programs. Art Fleming returns to host COLLEGE BOWL for the second year.

CBS Radio will broadcast 40 COLLEGE BOWL contests, each 30 minutes long, with teams selected from the more than 500 schools that will enter this year's competition. The 1980-81 season on the Network includes 22 regular-season matches, 15 playoff games, the National Championship and the All-Star game. The season will conclude on July 18, 1981, with the World Championship. CBS Radio will broadcast one game each week, to be heard Saturday or Sunday.

Richard M. Brescia, Vice President and General Manager of the Network, stressed that "CBS Radio is delighted to again be able to offer listeners throughout the country the excitement and mental stimulation of COLLEGE BOWL. These programs provide an added dimension of fun and scholarly challenge for our listeners, as we invite the audience to match wits with some of the country's top scholars."

In addition to the two teams opening the season on the Network, the initial rounds of COLLEGE BOWL play this year will include 1979 Champions Davidson College, Temple University, Texas A&M, the University

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of Rochester, State University of New York at Stony Brook, Vanderbilt and Rider College.

Fleming, who was twice nominated for the Emmy Award during his 12-year stint as moderator of "Jeopardy" on television, recently joined KMOX-AM, CBS Owned station in St. Louis, as host of the afternoon drive-time program TOTAL INFORMATION PM, which he will continue in addition to his COLLEGE BOWL duties. He also has appeared as an actor in several television programs and films.

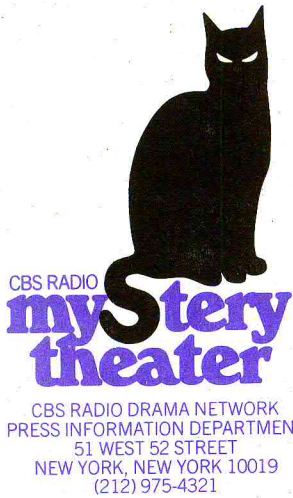
The question-and-answer format of COLLEGE BOWL games pits two four-member teams in competition to accumulate the most number of points scored by correct answers to questions asked by the moderator. There are two types of questions: Toss-ups, worth 10 points, and bonus questions, worth from 20 to 35 points. Games are played in halves, and a toss-up question, open to both teams, begins each half. A team must correctly answer the toss-up to be given the chance to answer a bonus question.

Questions for COLLEGE BOWL games are researched and authenticated by the editorial staff of Reader's Digest, and cover a wide range of academic topics: Literature and the arts; natural sciences, and history.

Executive Producer and Chairman of COLLEGE BOWL is Don Reid. Richard Reid, President of COLLEGE BOWL Co., is Producer of these broadcasts.

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October 6, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, October 27 through Friday, October 31

(Consult local station
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Monday, October 27

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Gilbert Stuart," starring Gordon Gould, with E.G. Marshall, host. Good intentions may ruin a young curator's reputation, in this story adapted from Edith Wharton.

John Rose knows perfectly well that the painting poor Mrs. Cecily Fontaine wants him to buy is not the Gilbert Stuart she claims. As curator of a small museum Mrs. Fontaine's brother founded, he is too kind to tell her it's a fake, and too professional to buy it. So his brother Jeff and Eleanor, his fiancée, try to be helpful -- and end up forcing John to acquire the painting with money he is not authorized to spend.

CAST:

John Rose.....	GORDON GOULD	Mrs. Fontaine.....	Carol Teitel
Eleanor.....	Tracey Ellis	Jefferson Rose.....	Lloyd Battista

WRITER: James Agate, Jr., from a story by Edith Wharton

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Tuesday, October 28

Sylvester Burley, Chairman of the Board of Burley Industries, and his faithful if unappreciated secretary, Margaret Tracy, arrive in a Latin American country to help develop its untapped resources. Their trip turns dangerous when they are abducted by revolutionaries and Burley, with all his corporate cunning, is unable to cope. But Miss Tracy soon proves her resourcefulness.

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, October 29

Lewis Olcott, of a prominent investment family, is caught reducing his firm's bank account by several million dollars. He claims his once-magic touch with money declined into embezzlement from the shock of discovery that he was adopted into, not descended from, the Olcott financial dynasty. And the missing millions are in the hands of two con artists who convinced him to steal the money for his true heritage -- a Balkan kingdom.

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, October 30

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Sierra Alpha 638," starring Robert Dryden, with E.G. Marshall, host. A routine airline flight from El Paso to Mexico City is hijacked by the crazed leader of a religious cult.

Sierra Alpha 638, under the command of Captain Mike Torrez, is abruptly taken over by Reverend Joy, of the Temple of the Angelical Revelation. Before captain and crew can make a move, the hijacker and his hired cohorts cut off all radio and radar contact. Only when Reverend Joy is in complete control do they discover the "true communion" of his church.

CAST:

Reverend Joy.....ROBERT DRYDEN Captain Mike Torrez.....Russell Horton
Anita Silvera.....Diana Kirkwood Ham Jesson.....Ray Owens

WRITER: Ian Martin

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Friday, October 31 (Halloween)

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Dracula," starring Mercedes McCambridge, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young woman suspects the hand of the dreaded Count Dracula in her friend's horrible death.

Visting her desperately ill friend, Lucy Westenra, Mina Harker discovers that the frightening cause of her doom is the vampire Dracula. Professor Van Helsing, versed in arcane lore, is consulted by Lucy's fiancé, Dr. John Seward. Van Helsing tells them only a bizarre ritual will stop Dracula and save Lucy's soul.

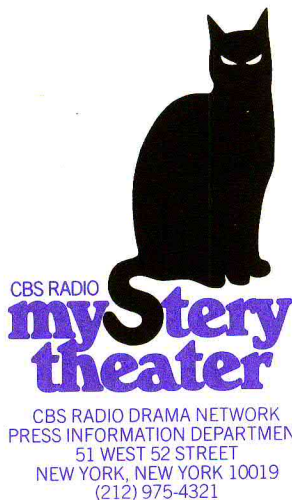
CAST:

Mina Harker.....MERCEDES McCAMBRIDGE Count Dracula.....Michael Wager
Lucy Westenra.....Marian Seldess Van Helsing.....Stephan Schnabel
Dr. John Seward.....Paul Hecht

ADAPTATION: George Lowthar

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October 10, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, November 3 through Friday, November 7

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Monday, November 3

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Guilty," starring Paul Hecht, with E.G. Marshall, host. A frustrated playwright claims responsibility for a long-unsolved murder, in this story adapted from Edith Wharton.

Henry Graham hasn't written a hit play in 10 years. When he tells his lawyer, Peter Ashton, that his plays have failed since then because that's when he murdered his rich uncle, Ashton thinks the man is crazy. So does the D.A. Graham ends up in a sanitarium -- until Ashton locates a witness that can put him in the jail cell his conscience prefers.

CAST:

Henry Graham.....	PAUL HECHT	Robin Draper.....	Joyce Gordon
Peter Ashton.....	Lloyd Battista	D.A.....	Ray Owens

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis, adapted from Edith Wharton

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Tuesday, November 4

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Nightmare in Gillette Castle," starring Kevin McCarthy, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young couple becomes trapped in a large, bizarre castle built by an actor famed for playing Sherlock Holmes.

Jim Watson, a Holmes aficionado, has a special interest in visiting Gillette Castle, the dank home of long-dead Sherlock Holmes portrayer William Gillette. But when Jim and his wife Pamela are separated from the castle tour group, they take a wrong turn down a corridor called "Baker Street" and come face to face with the castle's builder -- dead since 1937!

CAST:

William Gillette.....KEVIN MCCARTHY Pamela Watson.....Jada Rowland
Jim Watson.....Russell Horton Mrs. Hudson.....Carol Teitel

WRITER: Elizabeth Pennell * * *

Wednesday, November 5

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Question," starring Kristofer Tabori, with E.G. Marshall, host. A successful actress seeking her inner self returns to her ancestral home for contemplation.

Actress Mary Mannering abruptly leaves her starring role in a long-running Broadway play to return to her family's seaside estate. At the old mansion, abandoned except for its faithful caretaker, Joshua, she hopes to recapture the sense of self years of acting have worn away. But the empty home seems to hold more ghosts than answers, until a strange young man named Jamie brings the past to life.

CAST:

Jamie.....KRISTOFER TABORI Joshua.....Robert Dryden
Mary Mannering.....Teri Keane

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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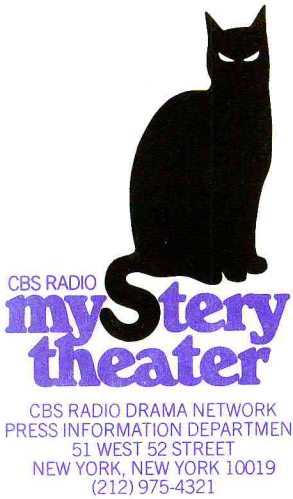
Thursday, November 6

The police have Tony Gerard imprisoned as the murderer of Walter Haven, who was found shot to death in his study on the eve of announcing his campaign for the Senate. But Haven's widow believes in Gerard's innocence, and she asks lawyer Tom Hendricks to defend him. Hendricks accepts the challenge, only to find that more than one person may share the guilt in Haven's death.

WRITER: Henry Sleasar * * *

Nick Palmer, unfaithful parasite of his wife Jen, frames her for murder when she takes away his allowance and power of attorney. Nick convinces the police that Jen, in a fit of jealousy, killed a woman who was painting his portrait. Jen's art teacher, Chat Chatterton, knows there is a flaw in Nick's story, but can't seem to figure it out.

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October 20, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, November 10 through Friday, November 14

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Monday, November 10

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Dagger of Almo-hades," starring Patricia Elliott and John Lithgow, with E.G. Marshall, host. The legend of an assassin's knife carves out a living death for a beautiful English lady in this story from Arthur Conan Doyle.

The beauty of Jennifer Wilson, an English adventuress in Colonial India, breaks hearts and causes duels until her marriage to Lord Andreas brings her back to London and conventional society life. But there her scandalous involvement with famed surgeon Sir Gilbert Stone incites Lord Andreas to a vicious act of revenge that pits Stone's modern blade against the ancient dagger of Indian assassins.

CAST:

Jennifer Wilson...PATRICIA ELLIOTT Sir Gilbert Stone.....Earl Hammond
Lord Andreas.....JOHN LITHGOW Major Lytton.....Court Benson

WRITER: Murray Bennett, from a story by Arthur Conan Doyle

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Tuesday, November 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "A Ton of Gold," starring Ralph Bell and Earl Hammond, with E.G. Marshall, host. An archeological team's search for Indian treasure also yields an ancient mystery.

Dr. Edwin Doughty, his wife, Ruth, and his assistant, Walter Stafford, arrive in western New Mexico to uncover a treasure in gold dust hidden centuries before by the Yawe Indians. Their Indian guide agrees to lead them to the riches on one condition -- that first they hear about the curse on the Zamora gold.

CAST:

Prof. Edwin Doughty.....	RALPH BELL	Crazy Joe.....	EARL HAMMOND
Ruth Doughty.....	Carol Teitel	Walter Stafford.....	Gordon Gould

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, November 12

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Natural Sugar," starring Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. A famed actor's role as a murder victim on stage becomes real life when he is murdered.

Actor Emmett Brundage, co-starring with his wife Louisa in a play about murder, is actually poisoned on stage. The investigation of police Captain Altman uncovers a whole cast of suspects who would like the cranky actor dead. But one suspect has the most convincing motive of all -- self-defense.

CAST:

Captain Altman.....	FRED GWYNNE	Louisa Brundage.....	Evelyn Juster
	Fred Bantom.....	Russell Horton	

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, November 13

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Death Disk," starring Tammy Grimes, with E.G. Marshall, host. When a job candidate insists on knowing why she was turned down, she discovers her prospective employer is convinced she's a thief.

Selma Pruitt thought her job interview with wealthy Elwood Townsend, Trustee of the Martindale Foundation, was progressing smoothly until he suddenly turned her down. To her consternation, she discovers that he believes she stole a small gold disc during the interview. No one accepts her vehement claims of innocence, and soon she begins to doubt her own sanity.

CAST:

Selma Pruitt.....TAMMY GRIMES Elwood Townsend.....Norman Rose
Joe Stovall.....Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Friday, November 14

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "That Hamlet Was a Good Boy," starring Will MacKenzie, with E.G. Marshall, host. To trap the murderer of his father, a young man resorts to a device used by Hamlet in the Shakespearean play.

After his father's death, Doug Cardwell strongly opposes his mother's and uncle's plan to sell the family business. When the ghost of his father reappears and tells Doug that his uncle smothered him to death, Doug and his fiancée, an amateur movie maker, hit upon the device, a play within a play, used by Hamlet in Shakespeare's drama. With it, they hope to catch the conscience of Uncle Stanley and make him confess.

CAST:

Doug Cardwell.....WILL MacKENZIE Gertrude Cardwell.....Grace Matthews
Phyllis.....Jennifer Harmon Edmund Cardwell.....Joe Silver

WRITER: Fielden Farrington

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October 27, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, November 17 through Friday, November 21

(Consult local station
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Monday, November 17

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Eleventh Plague," starring Russell Horton, with E.G. Marshall, host. The crew of a three-year mission to a distant planet defeats a physical enemy, only to face a more subtle and deadly danger.

Capt. Joel Taylor, of the U.S. Space Command in the year 2065, has carefully chosen his crew for a three-year mission to Planet A-15 in the Antares System. But as soon as they erect a base camp the planet's mysterious lone inhabitant -- Corsini -- threatens the team. The crew rallies to destroy the dangerous creature, only to confront a more powerful threat to their existence.

CAST :

Capt. Joel Taylor.....RUSSELL HORTON Corsini.....Lloyd Battista
Lt. Esquilla.....Ian Martin

WRITER: Henry Slesar

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Tuesday, November 18

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "This Deadly Fraternity," starring Jack Grimes, with E.G. Marshall, host. The accidental death of a young fraternity pledge during his initiation leads to a legacy of guilt for the brothers of Tau Alpha Gamma.

Harry Clark reluctantly returns to a reunion at his alma mater, where he meets fraternity brother Buck Stanley. They were both present during an initiation years earlier that killed pledge Phil Fowler, and every other participant has died mysteriously on an anniversary of Fowler's death...and the next Oct. 15 is near.

CAST:

Harry Clark.....	JACK GRIMES	M.J. Trimble.....	Court Benson
Helen Clark.....	Valeka Gray	Buck Stanley.....	Russell Horton

WRITER: Ian Martin

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Wednesday, November 19

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Iron Horse," starring Norman Rose, with E.G. Marshall, host. A bandit and a horse-trader team up to turn a 250-kroner debt into a fortune.

Mendel, a dealer of horses in a small Central European village in the early 1800s, owes the local lord 250 kroner and, to make matters worse, his inability to come up with a dowery loses his daughter's suitor. It seems like more bad luck when a bandit catches him alone in the forest, but the clever bandit has a scheme he claims will make them both rich.

CAST:

Mendel.....	NORMAN ROSE	Bandit.....	Robert Dryden
Malke.....	Evie Juster	Avrum.....	Earl Hammond

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, November 20

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Mysterious Hanging of Squire Huggins," starring Paul Hecht and Patricia Elliott, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young couple, itinerant peddlers in old New England, report the hanging of Squire Huggins -- but find him quite alive.

Dominicus and Sarah Pike, en route to the home of Huggins, meet a stranger who claims the squire was hanged by brigands. But when Dominicus repeats the tale, the squire is discovered alive and well, and the peddler is put in jail. Sarah arranges his escape and, during their flight, another stranger reports the hanging anew. So Dominicus hatches a plot to get at the bottom of the mystery.

CAST:

Dominicus Pike.....PAUL HECHT Sheriff.....Robert Dryden
Sarah Pike.....PATRICIA ELLIOTT Bartender.....Ray Owens

WRITER: James Agate, Jr., adapted from the story by Nathaniel Hawthorne

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Friday, November 21

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Widows' Auxiliary," starring Lenka Peterson, with E.G. Marshall, host. A woman claims all the members of her husband's club are robots controlled by another planet.

Carl Simms is invited to join the prestigious Executives Club, which also excites his wife, Julie. But Rose Lathrop, whose husband already is a member, informs Julie that all the men are robots, since the initiation consists of an operation to mechanize their brains. She and Julie undertake a dangerous plan in order to save Carl and destroy the club and its members.

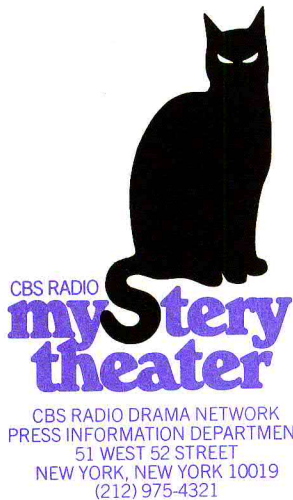
CAST:

Julie Simms.....LENKA PETERSON Rose Lathrop.....Carol Teitel
Carl Simms.....Gordon Gould Alfred Lathrop.....Arnold Moss
J.D. Mason.....Court Benson

WRITER: Fielden Farrington

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November 3, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, November 27 through Friday, November 28

(Consult local station
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Monday, November 24

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Killer Instinct," starring Ralph Bell and Teri Keane, with E.G. Marshall, host. A series of deaths seem planned to help a businessman's fortune.

Harrison Craig had begged his wife, Marlene, to give him her \$50,000 inheritance to invest in a new business venture. It was a sad coincidence that it took her death for him to get the money. Her physician, Dr. Bardel, goes straight to Police Lt. Barry, claiming Harry murdered his patient. When two more deaths help Harry's new business venture, the case seems stacked against him. But then, one other possibility arises.

CAST:

Harrison Craig.....	RALPH BELL	Lt. Ruth Barry.....	TERI KEANE
Marlene Craig.....	Martha Greenhouse	Dr. Bardel.....	Court Benson

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, November 25

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Master Minds," starring Russell Horton, with E.G. Marshall, host. When a valuable necklace disappears at an English ball during the roaring twenties, American and British police join forces to catch the thief.

American detective Diana Lake combines her talents with those of Inspector Conway of Scotland Yard in a chase across the ocean to search for the necklace believed stolen by dashing Bradley Leighton. Lake and Conway are convinced that Leighton has hidden the jewels somewhere on the luxury liner HMS Romanic. To recover them, Diana attempts to divert ladies' man Leighton from the necklace to herself.

CAST:

Bradley Leighton.....RUSSELL HORTON Inspector Conway.....Court Benson
Diana Lake.....Carole Teitel

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Wednesday, November 26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Breakout," starring Paul Hecht and Bob Kaliban, with E.G. Marshall, host. Two World War I French flying aces break out of a German prison, in this tale based on a true story.

Anselme Marchal and Roland Garros, boasting dozens of air victories between them, find themselves locked inside Germany's Scharnhorst prison. A month of careful planning gets the pair outside the prison gates, and halfway to the Dutch border. But the Germans are close on their trail. Will that farmhouse ahead be their only hope for safety, or hold a German enemy?

CAST:

Anselme Marchal.....PAUL HECHT Roland Garros.....BOB KALIBAN
Renata.....Bryna Raeburn Colonel.....Ray Owens

WRITER: James Agate, Jr., based on a true story

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Thursday, November 27

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Return of Edward Blair," starring John Lithgow, with E.G. Marshall, host. When a long-gone resident of a sleepy Washington farm town seemingly reappears, he finds a reception that is far from warm.

One rainy night, a young drifter pounds on the door of a quiet ranchhouse. The answering servants, Andrew and Sarah, believe it is their master -- Edward Blair -- come home at last. When the drifter is unable to understand the hostility with which the town greets him, Sarah begins to suspect that perhaps this man is not Blair at all. The real Blair might never have returned to Lost Cabin.

CAST:

Edward Blair.....	JOHN LITHGOW	Jack Manning.....	Earl Hammond
Andrew.....	Robert Dryden	Sarah.....	Joan Shea

WRITER: Roy Winsor

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Friday, November 28

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Master Computer," starring Augusta Dabney and Robert Dryden, with E.G. Marshall, host. A couple realizes they can't be seen or heard by anyone else.

Returning from a Maine vacation, Grace and Harry Clayton discover that they have apparently become invisible to neighbors, co-workers and everyone else. Grace wonders if they are dead, but Harry disagrees since all else around them is normal. Finally, someone appears who can both see and hear them and tells the Claytons of an incredible computer malfunction.

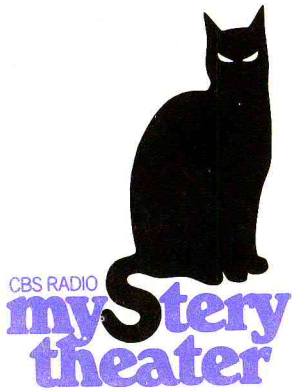
CAST:

Harry Clayton.....	ROBERT DRYDEN	Alma Rhodes.....	Joan Shay
Grace Clayton.....	AUGUSTA DABNEY	Pete Rhodes.....	Nat Polen
	Mr. Handy.....		Robert Maxwell

WRITER: Fielden Farrington

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November 10, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, December 1 through Friday, December 5

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Monday, December 1

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Human Error," starring Larry Haines, with E.G. Marshall, host. A bored, retired man borrows his wife's car to go to the race track and, on the way, finds a new romance.

While planning his rare trip, Harry Margolies is so engrossed in conversation with a close friend that he runs a red light and knocks down a pretty young woman. Harry wonders if this is the golden opportunity to put some excitement back into his life -- especially when the girl gives him her phone number. But his all-knowing friend reminds him of a complication -- his wife, Isabel.

CAST:

Harry Margolies.....LARRY HAINES Friend.....Jack Grimes
Isabel.....Evelyn Juster

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Tuesday, December 2

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Kill Now - Pay Later," starring Fred Gwynne and Tony Roberts, with E.G. Marshall, host. A wealthy young man is so driven by his desire to marry a waitress that he ends up murdering his overbearing aunt.

When Stuart Belden, spineless scion of the first family of Belden Corners, declares his love for waitress Maude Henderson, Sheriff Hollister predicts the resultant violence because of Stuart's powerful Aunt Melisande. After the crime, Sheriff Hollister vows to bring Stuart to justice, but is thwarted because only Maude knows where the murder weapon is.

CAST:

Sheriff.....	FRED GWYNNE	Stuart Belden.....	TONY ROBERTS
Maude Henderson.....	Teri Keane	Aunt Melisande.....	Bryna Raeburn

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, December 3

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Poor Lester," starring Teri Keane and Norman Rose, with E.G. Marshall, host. Zeus grants a devoted wife's request to take her husband's place in a fatal car crash.

With the crunch of metal and the shattering of glass, Juliet Keyworth loses her great love, famed agronomist Dr. Lester Keyworth. Grief-stricken, she rushes from the hospital wishing she could have died in his stead. The great god, Zeus, appears to her and, with some reluctance, grants her request, with one catch -- she see how "Poor Lester" fares without her.

CAST:

Juliet.....	TERI KEANE	Zeus.....	NORMAN ROSE
Lester.....	Earl Hammond	The Queen.....	Joyce Gordon

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, December 4

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "A Feast of Death," starring Jada Rowland, with E.G. Marshall, host. In Paris during World War I, a penniless seamstress is drawn to a charming entrepreneur with a mysterious source of income.

Beautiful Yvette is so entranced when she is swept off her feet into the arms and sumptuous lifestyle of her new lover, Jacques, that she thinks little about the origin of his incredible wealth. When he is suddenly arrested, Yvette turns to his friend Andre for help. As she pours out her story it becomes apparent to them that perhaps Jacques is not at all who he presents himself to be.

CAST:

Yvette.....	JADA ROWLAND	Jacques.....	Robert Dryden
Andre.....	Ray Owens	Danielle.....	Joan Lovejoy

WRITER: Elspeth Eric, based on a true story

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Friday, December 5

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Eavesdropper," starring Arnold Moss and Patricia Wheel, with E.G. Marshall, host. A professor, working on a secret space project, conceives of a way to scare off those trying to steal his plans.

Prof. Dwight Addison, developing a mathematical concept to achieve the time bypass necessary for interstellar travel, is certain his laboratory, car and home are all bugged by enemies after his formula. To thwart them, he puts together an ingenious device certain to strike fear in the heart of even the most tenacious wiretapper.

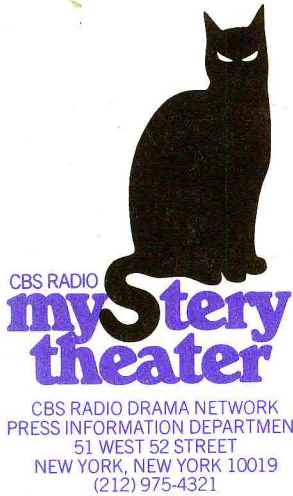
CAST:

Dwight Addison.....	ARNOLD MOSS	Jane Addison.....	PATRICIA WHEEL
Edgar.....	William Redfield	Pearl.....	Joan Arliss

WRITER: Fielden Farrington

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November 17, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, December 8 through Friday, December 12

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Monday, December 8

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Power of Zeus," starring Russell Horton, with E.G. Marshall, host. A husband and wife research team in the year 3000 travels to a far-away planet to save earth.

In a future world split into two halves, the Anglos and the Asiatics, the ozone layer is disintegrating. Renowned scientists Jonathan and Miranda Troy must race against time to formulate a soil compound able to withstand the destructive power of the sun's unfiltered rays. But while on their special mission to the planet Zeus, they accidentally discover another formula -- with the power to both save and destroy the world.

CAST:

Jonathan Troy.....RUSSELL HORTON President.....Earl Hammond
Miranda.....Patricia Elliott

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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Tuesday, December 9

De Maupassant swallows his natural cynicism when neighbor Henri Lantin, a middle-aged government clerk, marries 18-year-old Celeste in an apparently happy match. His uncharacteristic optimism is reinforced when Henri, acting on an anonymous note, spies on his wife during one of her frequent solo trips to the opera -- and finds Celeste properly in the company of a woman friend. Only when de Maupassant discovers the truth about Celeste's penchant for cheap jewelry is his faith in life's irony restored.

Guy de Maupassant.....JOHN BEAL Henri Lantin.....Court Benson
 Celeste.....Tracey Ellis

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Wednesday, December 10

When a blazing shootout in the halls of University Hospital leaves murderer Jed Gant dead and Dr. Dan Crane with an irreparably damaged hand, head surgeon Stewart Courtney performs a daring transplant using the dead man's hand. The transplant is successful but Dan is haunted by Gant's deathbed curse. His new hand seems to fulfill that curse: With a will of its own, it threatens to bring the killer back to life!

Dr. Dan Crane.....RUSSELL HORTON Laurel Blair.....Diana Kirkwood
Dr. Stewart Courtney.....Mandel Kramer

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, December 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Ocean of Emptiness," starring Paul Hecht and Teri Keane, with E.G. Marshall, host. The first husband-and-wife astronaut team in space travels near the speed of light to the unfathomed region of the planet Jupiter.

Chloe and Ned Miller, piloting the spaceship Hyperion, leave Earth in the year 1995 to explore uncharted areas of Jupiter. Their expected dangers become even more terrifying once they reach the planet. In Jupiter's orbit they receive a radio transmission...that they've been dead for 100 years.

CAST:

Ned Miller.....PAUL HECHT Chloe Miller.....TERI KEANE
Voice.....Arnold Moss

WRITER: Arnold Moss

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Friday, December 12

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "You're Only Young Twice," starring Ann Shepherd and Norman Rose, with E.G. Marshall, host. A deranged scientist perfects a formula for human rejuvenation and will stop at nothing to guard his secret, including murder.

Scientist Nathan Hardy's obsession to keep his human rejuvenation formula a secret terrifies his wife Beth, who summons her sister Jessica Stone for help. Hardy tells Jessica he can guarantee her renewed youth if she will marry him, but Jessica rejects him and tells Beth about his proposal. The deranged scientist then makes plans to poison Jessica, but his diabolical scheme seems jinxed by an unexpected murder.

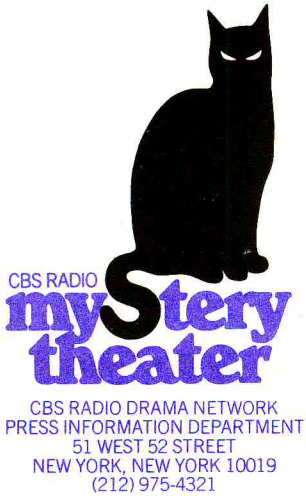
CAST:

Jessica Stone.....ANN SHEPHERD Nathan Hardy.....NORMAN ROSE
Beth Hardy.....Virginia Dwyer Jim Blake.....Earl Hammond

WRITER: Fielden Farrington

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November 24, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday, Dec. 15 through Friday, Dec. 19

(Consult local station
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Monday, December 15

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Number One," starring Larry Haines, with E.G. Marshall, host. The long-suffering wife of a philandering film star finally is given a chance for revenge.

Movie star Bart Wallace insists his wife Ruth accompany him to a remote Latin American location for a new picture. She knows it will co-star his latest beautiful "protege," and is prepared for yet another long, lonely siege. But as filming begins, they are captured by revolutionaries. And their freedom is conditional on Ruth spending the night with the bandit leader-- Numero Uno.

CAST:

Bart Wallace.....LARRY HAINES Numero Uno.....Earl Hammond
Ruth Wallace.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, December 16

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Threshold," starring Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. A small Montana town, destroyed by atomic experiments in the 1940s, mysteriously comes back to life 40 years later.

Scientist-turned-shopkeeper Jeff Tanner and his friend, Shane Boggs, seem to be the only people who know or care about strange goings-on at Dry Lake, a ghost town in the mountains. An enigmatic couple has bought up the whole town, a vacant wasteland since it was contaminated by radioactivity 40 years before. But then, who is doing all the construction work Tanner and Boggs hear each night?

CAST:

Jeff Tanner.....FRED GWYNNE Charles Fairly.....Ian Martin
Shane Boggs.....Robert Dryden Mrs. Fairly.....Bryna Raeburn

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Wednesday, December 17

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Mysterious Rochdale Special," starring Ralph Bell, with E.G. Marshall, host. A turn-of-the-century convict in Marseilles believes his role in an unsolved crime may win his freedom, in this story adapted from Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.

Herbert Lernac, a master-criminal imprisoned for a crime beneath his dignity, begs celebrated lawyer Clement Roget to believe he planned the greatest unsolved mystery in England: The disappearance of a private train -- the Rochdale Special -- 10 years earlier. Lernac thinks this knowledge will get him off the hook from his current charge -- a murder witnessed by three people.

CAST:

Herbert Lernac.....RALPH BELL Superintendent Potter.....Court Benson
Clement Roget.....Ian Martin Inspector Collins.....Robert Dryden

WRITER: Murray Burnett, adapted from a story by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Thursday, December 18

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Murder of Caesar," starring Earl Hammond and Paul Hecht, with E.G. Marshall, host. The final days of Julius Caesar are dramatized from contemporary accounts by Plutarch, Cicero and Seutonius.

An exhausted, aging Caesar returns home from his conquests to the acclaim of citizens and suspicions of senators. He confides a death wish to his best friend, Brutus, and a clique of senators led by Cassius and Cicero hope to make that wish come true. But first they have to lure Caesar from home.

CAST:

Caesar.....	EARL HAMMOND	Brutus.....	PAUL HECHT
Brutus.....	Joan Shea	Cicero.....	Gordon Gould

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Friday, December 19

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Stay Out of Dutchman's Woods," starring Paul Hecht, with E.G. Marshall, host. Newlyweds, wandering in a dense New England forest, encounter a beautiful specter.

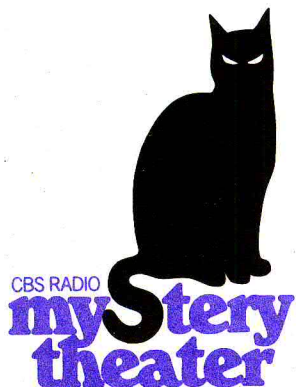
Peg and Ronny Andrews go hiking in Dutchman's Woods where, according to legend, the ghost of a beautiful woman named Katrina has been seeking male companionship for 200 years, ever since her jealous husband murdered her for infidelity. When Peg and Ronny became separated, Katrina confronts Ronny and lures him deeper into the woods. Peg finds them, and believes she has a way to put Katrina's wandering soul to rest forever..

CAST:

Ronny Andrews.....	PAUL HECHT	Lou Griffin.....	Santos Ortega
Peg Andrews.....	Jada Rowland	Sarah Griffin.....	Mary Jane Higby
	Katrina.....	Joan Lorrington	

WRITER: Fielden Farrington * * *

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December 1, 1980

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, Dec. 22-26

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Monday, December 22

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Ruby Lamp," starring Mandel Kramer, with E.G. Marshall, host. A neighbor's experiments in mind-reading help a young couple overcome a terrible moment from the past.

The marriage of Paul and Edith Morrison is suffering from the strain of a secret Paul withholds from his wife "for her own good." While visiting Prof. Matthew Horner to escape Edith's nagging, Paul learns of a process that can photograph thoughts, using a ruby lamp and unexposed film. He agrees to experiment with it -- and the resulting image changes his marriage forever.

CAST:

Paul Morrison.....MANDEL KRAMER Matthew Horner.....John Beale
Edith Morrison.....Teri Keane

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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Tuesday, December 23

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Hero's Welcome," starring Tony Roberts, with E.G. Marshall, host. A man, thought drowned in an act of heroism, discovers on returning to his hometown that he is more appreciated dead than alive.

Russ Anderson became a hero when his friends saw him dive from a lifeboat to save a drowning woman, and thought he never came up. In reality he drifted to a Pacific atoll, an amnesiac, later becoming son-in-law to the island's chief. When his memory finally returns, Russ decides to go home to his wife and friends. But he finds it was easier for them to cope with a dead hero.

CAST:

Russ Anderson.....	TONY ROBERTS	Frank Evans.....	Russell Horton
The Chief.....	Bob Kaliban	Dotty Anderson.....	Joyce Gordon

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, December 24

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "A Christmas Carol," starring host E.G. Marshall as Ebenezer Scrooge, the miserly London merchant in Charles Dickens' immortal classic.

On Christmas Eve, Scrooge returns to his living quarters with no thought of celebrating the holiday season. When a request for charity is made of him in the name of his dead partner, he answers that the Christmas spirit is wasteful and foolish. Only after he goes to sleep and is visited by three apparitions -- the Ghosts of Christmas Past, Christmas Present and Christmas Yet To Come -- does Scrooge change his mind.

CAST:

Ebenezer Scrooge.....	E. G. MARSHALL	Marley's Ghost.....	Robert Dryden
Bob Cratchit.....	William Redfield	Ghost of the Past...	Marian Seldes
Fred.....	Ian Martin	Mrs. Cratchit.....	Evie Juster

ADAPTED BY: Ian Martin

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 3

Christmas Day, Thursday, Dec. 25

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "A Holiday Visit," starring Lloyd Battista and Diana Kirkwood, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young couple, driving to their first family Christmas in 12 years, is detoured in an Ohio ghost town.

A business trip gives Skip and Joan Bartram a company-paid opportunity for a long-delayed Christmas reunion with Joan's family. But as they near Joan's hometown, their car skids off the icy road on a lonely strip of highway -- and the couple finds shelter in a deserted small town that brings forgotten memories back to Joan.

CAST:

Skip Bartram.....	LLOYD BATTISTA	Joan Bartram.....	DIANA KIRKWOOD
Mother.....	Bryna Raeburn	Dad.....	Robert Dyden

WRITER: Bob Juhren

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Friday, December 26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Second Sight," starring Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. A safe-cracker framed for murder calls on his worst enemy to save him.

Arthur "Fingers" Dickson is caught by millionaire P.J. Ginestera in the act of burglarizing his mansion. Fingers escapes empty-handed and unharmed. So when the police arrest him for Ginestera's murder, Fingers claims it's a set-up. But only Sgt. James Greenwood, who was forced to retire when he was blinded in the course of arresting Fingers on another caper -- and no friend of the thief -- can get Fingers off the hook.

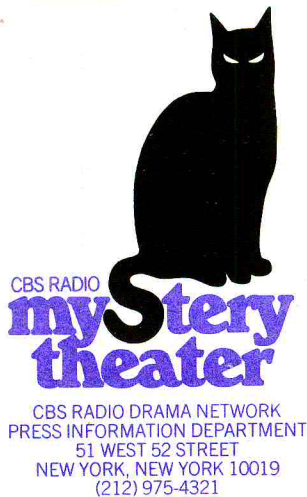
CAST:

Sgt. James Greenwood.....	FRED GWYNNE	"Fingers" Dickson..	Earl Hammond
P.J. Ginestera.....	Robert Maxwell	Zelda Ginestera....	Carol Teitel

WRITER: Sam Dann

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December 8, 1980

'CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER' BEGINS EIGHTH SEASON JAN. 12;

DRAMAS HAVE BROUGHT LAURELS TO NETWORK, HI BROWN

The creaking door that opens CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER on Monday, Jan. 12, also will open the eighth season of the Network's much-praised drama series. CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER premiered in January 1974 on 79 stations. Today, the number of stations broadcasting the weekday series on the CBS Radio Drama Network has more than tripled.

Richard M. Brescia, CBS Radio Network Vice President and General Manager, says this success "is a testimony to the skill of Hi Brown, MYSTERY THEATER creator and Executive Producer, and to the great actors who perform in the series.

"Several other radio drama formats have been attempted during the seven-year period we've been presenting MYSTERY THEATER," Brescia comments. "However, only the MYSTERY THEATER has been able to stand up to the test of time imposed by both the listener and the affiliate. I hope more developments in radio drama will be tried. We believe that drama can play a vital role in future programming."

Hi Brown, whose seminal role in radio drama has spanned packaging and acting in "The Rise of the Goldbergs" to his present spot producing and directing MYSTERY THEATER, notes: "We begin our eighth year with the greatest excitement because the entire form of the theater of the imagination, radio drama, has literally become alive in the last eight years. Listener response to MYSTERY THEATER has been overwhelming."

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The most gratifying thing about that response, Brown says, is that much of it is from young people "who never have had the experience of radio drama as we knew it. They are our greatest listeners. This is especially exciting to me," Brown explains. "To me, the written word and the spoken word are the same, and with the many MYSTERY THEATER adaptations of the great writers -- Oscar Wilde, de Maupassant, Hawthorne, Henry James, Edith Wharton and of course our Shakespeare programs, to name just a few -- we have helped teach a generation to read, by dramatizing the excitement of these wonderful authors.

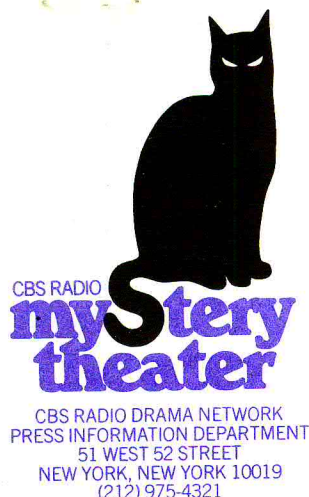
"For instance, last year, the National Education Association gave MYSTERY THEATER their seal of approval," Brown adds.

Brown also stresses the importance of CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER as a showcase for young actors, citing Russell Horton, Tony Roberts, Kristofer Tabori, Patricia Elliot, Paul Hecht, Amanda Plummer, Roberta Maxwell and John Lithgow as some of the talented cast members heard regularly on MYSTERY THEATER productions. "We have created another world of expression for these actors with our eighth season of the series," he says. "I feel very happy about that."

Acclaim for CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER and Hi Brown has been enthusiastic since its first broadcast. The series has been honored with coveted Peabody and Mystery Writers of America awards, among others. Brown himself has received "Broadcaster of the Year" accolades from San Francisco State University, Brigham Young University and Texas Tech, and was recently singled out by New York City's The New School with a special commendation for his contributions to radio drama for the past half-century.

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HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, Dec. 22- Jan. 2

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, December 29

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Portrait of an Assassin," starring John Lithgow and Patricia Elliott, with E.G. Marshall, host. A deluded immigrant, spurned by the man he worked to elect, decides to save the country by killing the politician, in this study of President Garfield's **assassination**.

Full of schemes for success in America, Charles Guiteau believes himself on the way to the top when he marries Anna, a wealthy lawyer's niece. But the marriage sours as the pair flees creditors from city to city. Guiteau flings himself into politics, but is crushed when his candidate, James Garfield, ignores him after the successful campaign. Guiteau feels betrayed -- and his deadly response makes history.

CAST:

Charles Guiteau.....JOHN LITHGOW Anna Guiteau.....PATRICIA ELLIOTT
Morland Finley.....Robert Dryden

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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Tuesday, December 30

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Napoleon and the Queen of Sheba," starring Kristofer Tabori, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young man heading for a life of crime is given a friendly push toward legitimacy by a modern-day witch.

Eddie, fresh out of prison, seems to be heading right back when he attempts to hold up a grocery run by Tom Garcia and his sister, Inez. After her brother overpowers him, Inez prevails upon the grocer to release Eddie. But it will take more than a casual kindness to help Eddie -- he works for "Little Napoleon," the tough local mobster.

CAST

Eddie.....KRISTOFER TABORI	Inez Garcia.....Evie Juster
Tom Garcia.....Ian Martin	Little Napoleon.....Court Benson

WRITER: Sam Dann

Wednesday, December 31

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Bright Golden Murders," starring Tammy Grimes, with E.G. Marshall, host. A widow is obsessed with the vague circumstances surrounding her husband's murder.

The death of Ellsworth Payne, an atomic scientist who parlayed his knowledge into a successful business, seemed to be an act of revenge for fooling around with the wrong guy's girl. But his shocked widow Doris begins to think differently when his secretary starts talking about Ellsworth's revolutionary discovery and a mysterious "they" who want the secret. Doris' list of "plotters" soon grows.

CAST

Doris Payne.....TAMMY GRIMES	Stanley Platte.....Russell Horton
Ellsworth Payne.....Ray Ownes	Mrs. Talmadge.....Martha Greenhouse

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER...3

Thursday, January 1

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Catch the Smallest Devil," starring Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. A mean-hearted businessman gets a second chance to change his selfish ways.

Wealthy, tight-fisted J. Barnabus Whitney, hospitalized for heart surgery, wakes up New Year's Day in typical fashion: He insults his nurse, scorns his doctor and turns the visiting chaplain out of his room. But under sedation, he has a troubling dream -- and wakes up full of resolutions to do good before it's too late.

CAST:

J. Barnabus Whitney.....FRED GWYNNE	Dr. Fowler.....Court Benson
Nurse Lydia Mae Stewart...Teri Keane	Chaplain Peterson..Norman Rose

WRITER: Nancy Moore

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Friday, January 2

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Sins of the Fathers" starring Patricia Elliot, with E.G. Marshall, host. A reporter on assignment unexpectedly discovers that she is really an adopted child.

When reporter Felice Powers obtains an interview with grand jury witness Jennie Carroll, a local bar owner, the talkative innkeeper unwittingly reveals that Felice was really born to one of her waitresses 26 years ago. Powers immediately takes up a new assignment: To discover her real parents.

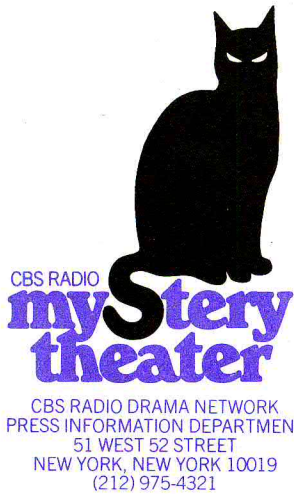
CAST:

Felice Powers.....PATRICIA ELLIOT	Dad....Mandel Kramer
Jennie Carroll.....Carole Teitel	Joe Blackwood...Ian Martin

WRITER: Sam Dann

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January 18, 1982

TAMMY GRIMES TO BECKON LISTENERS THROUGH CREAKING DOOR

OF 'CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER' BEGINNING FEB. 1

Tammy Grimes will be beckoning listeners through the creaking door and into the macabre world of CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER when she becomes hostess of the long-running radio drama Feb. 1.

Grimes is taking over from E.G. Marshall who explains, "I'm forced to bow out because of my difficult assignment schedule. Tammy and I are old colleagues and friends. She brings to MYSTERY THEATER a wonderful voice that gives words resonance beyond the sum of their letters."

A familiar presence to MYSTERY THEATER fans, Grimes has starred in many of the radio dramas over the past five years, including an acclaimed performance as Nefertiti in the 1978 five-part series about the Egyptian Queen. Of her new role, she promises, "I'm going to be provocative, just as E.G. was provocative as host. MYSTERY THEATER brings back the kind of excitement that radio can offer, and it's getting stronger all the time. It's terrifically exciting to be part of the circle of magic that MYSTERY THEATER creates."

Hi Brown, Executive Producer and Director of CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, applauds Grimes: "She's sensational. Tammy adds something so fresh and new it'll knock listeners on their ears."

He adds, "The creaking door and Tammy Grimes were just destined to meet at some point."

A distinguished and versatile actress, Grimes most recently starred in the musical "42nd Street". Her work on Broadway has been honored with two Tony Awards, for "The Unsinkable Molly Brown" and "Private Lives". She has also appeared in numerous film and television productions, and has recorded a number of records, including all of Maurice Sendak's works for Caedmon Records.

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JANUARY 25th thru 29th, 1982

"Death Will Not Silence Me" -- Monday, January 25th

Mary Todd Lincoln speaks.

(TEASER TAPE)

Marian Seldes plays the wife of Abraham Lincoln in this special dramatization of Mary Todd Lincoln's life on CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, at _____ tonight. HEAR IT HERE!
(time)

"To Be An Empress" -- Tuesday, January 26th

The scene is snow-bound Russia.

(TEASER TAPE)

Amanda Plummer stars as Catherine the Great in "To Be An Empress," on CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER tonight at _____. It's a thrilling tale of royal intrigue. HEAR IT HERE.
(time)

"A Handful of Dust" -- Wednesday, January 27th

Listen to these fearful words.

(TEASER TAPE)

An ancient curse throws a long shadow in "A Handful of Dust" on CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER. Paul Hecht is featured tonight at _____. HEAR IT HERE.
(time)

"Dickens of Scotland Yard" -- Thursday, January 28th

A woman has been arrested. Listen.

(TEASER TAPE)

Author Charles Dickens tries his hand at solving a crime on CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER. Paul Hecht stars in "Dickens of Scotland Yard" tonight at _____ . HEAR IT HERE.
(time)

"The Code" -- Friday, January 29th

Here's a curious conversation.

(TEASER TAPE)

Tonight on CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER -- a circus mind-reader becomes involved in murder. Carole Teitel and Russell Horton star in "The Code" at _____ tonight. HEAR IT HERE.
(time)



January 11, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, February 1-5

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, February 1

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Good Ship Aud", starring Earl Hammond, with E.G. Marshall, host. A legendary Irish patriot gives the last full measure of devotion to his country.

Sir Roger Casement's dedication and patriotism to his nation has reaped world recognition. But the freedom fighter is not given much rein to enjoy his reputation -- his tactics are foiled and he is arrested for treason.

CAST:

Roger Casement.....EARL HAMMOND King Leopold.....Court Benson
Count Van Bethmann...Lloyd Battista Gee Gannister.....Marian Seldes

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, February 2

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Diana the Huntress", starring Teri Keane, with E.G. Marshall, host. A psychologist tries to unravel events leading up to a domestic shooting.

Dr. Ullman's decision could save or condemn Diana Manley, nicknamed "Diana the Huntress" by local press after shooting her husband, a doctor. Dr. Ullman's dilemma: Did Diana shoot her husband the instant she found out about his infidelity, or had she really planned the shooting all along?

CAST:

Diana Manley.....TERI KEANE Alan Manley.....Earl Hammond
Janet.....Jada Rowland Dr. Ullman.....Arnold Moss

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, February 3

Teenager Mary baffles her family when she wakes up one morn with a spanking new personality and recognizes no one. Her family enjoys Mary's sweetened temperment -- but are horrified by the increasing frequency of these bizarre personality changes.

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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Charley Ingalls is quite charmed by Jane Wilson, outgoing and athletic, but her twin sister Vanity is decidedly less friendly. Then, Charley discovers the "twins" are really split personalities in the same body -- and that Vanity is trying desperately to murder her extroverted counterpart.

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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A headstrong ghost, Clayton Logan, finds he can not rest in peace when he perceives that the old homestead has been run amok. The problem is, neither can anyone else when he decides to pitch in and get his relatives out of the jam.

WRITER: Bob Juhren

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January 18, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, February 8-12

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, February 8

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Change of Heart", starring Louis Turenne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A businessman takes his ex-fiancee's nickname for him to heart.

Millicent Sanford's parting shot to corporate king-pin Roger Skipworth as she broke off their engagement was to call him a "pig." Not long afterwards, Roger is rushed into the hospital where an ailing heart valve is replaced by a porcine substitute...and Roger begins to think there may be something after all to Millicent's remark.

CAST:

Roger Skipworth....LOUIS TURENNE
Pruitt.....Sam Gray

Millicent Sanford....Patricia Elliott
Mr. Speckle.....Joan Shea

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, February 9

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Dog-Walker Murders", starring Lloyd Battista, with E.G. Marshall, host. A young man uses an old circus trick to get rich quick.

Randy Garfield, raised in the circus, is an old hand at hypnosis. He finds the skill comes in handy at his new job managing a bank's safety deposit boxes -- he just hypnotizes rich old ladies into giving him the contents. The only problem is, what will he do with his unwitting benefactors, once they learn they've been bilked?

CAST:

Randy Garfield....LLOYD BATTISTA
Sgt. Collins.....Carole Teitel

Shirley Cooper....Martha Greenhouse
Lt. Cassidy.....Ian Martin

WRITER: Ian Martin

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Wednesday, February 10

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Sand Castle", starring Norman Rose and Jada Rowland, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young woman tries to overcome the childhood loss of her baby brother.

Every day, Maureen Hart returns to the same spot on the beach to make endless intricate sand castles that each night are wiped away by the tides. It takes a kindly young poet who manages the nearby bird sanctuary and an elderly naturalist to unravel the mystery of her long afternoons at the shore.

CAST:

Jeremy Denham.....NORMAN ROSE
Ralph Poole.....Gordon Gould

Maureen Hart.....JADA ROWLAND
Elinor Hart.....Teri Keane

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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Thursday, February 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The White Rabbit", starring Norman Rose, with E.G. Marshall, host. Britain's top agent is sent to rescue a French Resistance leader.

Wing Commander Forest Thomas earns the respect of De Gaulle and Churchill for his brave exploits early in World War II. So he becomes the natural choice to rescue the radio voice of the Resistance, Commander Passy, held by the Germans. But although the noted agent has escaped from prison before, he has never tried to break into a well-guarded German camp.

CAST:

Forest Thomas.....NORMAN ROSE
Churchill.....Earl Hammond

De Gaulle.....Louis Turenne
Commander Passy.....Lloyd Battista

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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Friday, February 12

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Bargain", starring Russell Horton and Mandel Kramer, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A Formula One racer must chose between the track and his girl.

Pete Marvin, racked up in the hospital for the seventh time this year, finally coaxes a yes out of Gloria Granville to his marriage proposal -- if he'll leave racing. Pete agrees, only to discover that some people have a strong enough financial stake in his driving to want Gloria out of the way forever.

CAST:

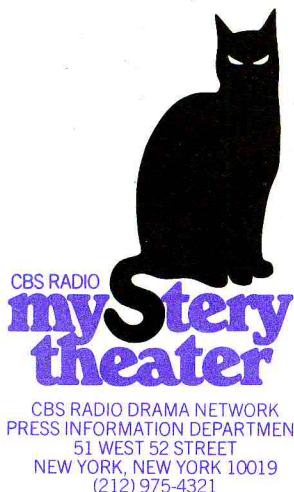
Roger Ferris.....RUSSELL HORTON
Pete Marvin.....Bob Kaliban
C.B. Granville.....Ray Owens

Marty Krasner.....MANDEL KRAMER
Gloria Granville.....Tracey Ellis

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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January 26, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, February 15-19

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, February 15

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The .44 Connection", starring Marian SelDES, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Clues are abundant but unobserved in the murder of a ruthless capitalist.

Jeremy Lewis had plenty of enemies who might have killed him with an antique Colt, including the wife he was trying to divorce and his black-mailing mistress. But then there's another possible suspect: Nellie Murdock, descendant of a Custer lieutenant, recently fired by Lewis after 25 years' devoted service.

CAST:

Nellie Murdock.....MARIAN SELDES
Jack.....Fred Gwynne

Liz Lewis.....Evie Juster
Lt. Carson.....Lloyd Battista

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, February 16

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Song of the Siren", starring Mandel Kramer, with E.G. Marshall, host. A reporter tries to track down the cause of a prominent scientist's madness.

Reports of Prof. Davis' 125-pound weight loss and delirium during a desert expedition are too irresistable for Roy Rismond to ignore. The ambitious reporter decides to retrace the anthropologist's desert mission, knowing only that Davis believes reptilian creatures of the Age of Dinosaurs are still alive.

CAST:

Roy Rismond.....MANDEL KRAMER
Arlene Davis.....Evie Juster

Professor Davis.....Ian Martin
Nurse.....Joyce Gordon

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, February 17

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Washington Kidnap", starring Paul Hecht, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Convicted counterfeiters stumble upon a plot to kidnap George Washington.

Henry Dawkins' great artistic talents are directed toward one goal: printing his own version of George III's legal tender. When his engraving operation lands him and friend Isaac Young in prison, they discover they serve time with a host of Tory sympathizers who are eager to use Henry's ability for their own Loyalist cause -- bringing George Washington to England in chains.

CAST:

Henry Dawkins.....	PAUL HECHT	Isaac Young.....	Bob Kaliban
George Washington.....	Mandel Kramer	Sgt. Thomas.....	Bob Maxwell

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Thursday, February 18

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Harry's Taxi and the T Machine", starring Larry Haines, with E.G. Marshall, host. An unemployed 21st-century scientist invents a transmigration machine.

Harry and his wife's grandfather have successfully sent a chair and case of wine through space, but they really want to try their invention with a human subject. How was Harry to know his curious wife Gladys would accidentally send herself flying into intermolecular space?

CAST:

Harry.....	LARRY HAINES	Gladys.....	Carole Teitel
Grandpa.....	Robert Dryden	Cornelius.....	Bernie Grant

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Friday, February 19

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Victim", starring John Lithgow, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An apparently innocent man is framed for murder.

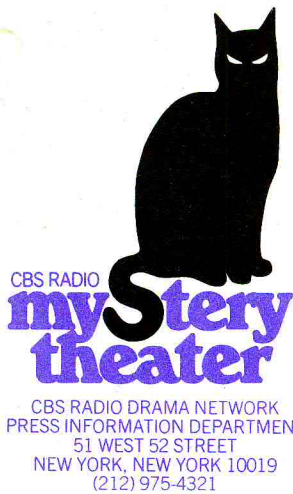
Joe Thompson's conviction for murder is based on such flimsy evidence that the great lawyer Ferras, defender of the downtrodden, is able to free Joe and get \$2 million damages in the bargain. Joe's so happy he's going to take off for Acapulco....with the prosecution's main witness.

CAST:

Joe Thompson.....	JOHN LITHGOW	Ferras.....	Earl Hammond
Public Defender.....	Russell Horton	Helen Travis.....	Teri Keane

WRITER: Bryce Walton * * *

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February 1, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, February 22-26

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, February 22

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Nickels and Dimes", starring Michael Tolan, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An undercover cop begins to enjoy the assumed life of a hoodlum.

Ray Vance is so successful in infiltrating Big Joe's East Side organization, he becomes heir apparent to Joe's operation. The new apartment, salary and girl friends reward Joe's talent in his new role...and suddenly, the dowdy lifestyle of a cop seems pretty dull in comparison.

CAST:

Ray Vance.....	MICHAEL TOLAN	Big Joe.....	Earl Hammond
Barney Smith.....	Ray Owens	Millie.....	Joan Shea

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, February 23

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Invited Guests", starring Teri Keane, with E.G. Marshall, host. A strange young man gradually withdraws from the social life in a small midwestern town.

Oliver's former girlfriend, Louise, asks church pastor Dr. Mabley to look into why Oliver has refused all her dinner invitations in the two years since she's been married. Mabley agrees, and finds out that Oliver's been entertaining his parents all the while. Louise is incredulous -- she attended their funeral three years ago.

CAST:

Louise.....	TERI KEANE	Oliver.....	Russell Horton
	Dr. Mabley.....		Lloyd Battista

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, February 24

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Invaders From Atlantis", starring Arnold Moss and Don Scardino, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Aliens attempt to take over Earth in the year 2300.

The strange three-eyed aliens, in control of major cities, finally get around to sending an agent to Parson's Corner to impose their rule. Mr. Gorgon soon has the town under the aliens' control...and along the way, falls in love with the local school teacher who exercises a certain control of her own.

CAST:

Seth Cook.....	ARNOLD MOSS	Jason Cook.....	DON SCARDINO
Catherine.....	Evie Juster	Mister Gorgon.....	Court Benson

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Thursday, February 25

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Head of a Pin", starring Bob Kaliban and Don Scardino, with E.G. Marshall, host. Brothers-in-law art dealers become mixed up with The Mob.

Eddie Kincaid always got out of jams with the help of his sister Sally and her husband Robby Baxter. But he may be in over his head when he agrees with Robby to use their business to "wash" money for gangsters. Robby soon has an attack of conscience, and Eddie finds himself in the position of having to kill his friend -- or get killed.

CAST:

Eddie Kincaid.....	BOB KALIBAN	Robby Baxter.....	DON SCARDINO
Sally Baxter.....	Veleka Gray	Dr. Macklenberg.....	Bernie Grant

WRITER: Sam Dann * * *

Friday, February 26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Blood Red Ink", starring Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A disaffected cop appears headed for trouble when he hooks up with a local mobster.

Bert Gilbert is in deep funk, having just flunked the exam to make detective for the third time. So when a shady character named Blass offers Bert the chance to steal a pocketful of diamonds he agrees to the plan. Is Bert really giving up on the force, or is he just trying another way to make detective?

CAST:

Bert Gilbert.....	FRED GWYNNE	Blass.....	Bob Kaliban
Helen Gilbert.....	Teri Keane	Mike Culligan....	Lloyd Battista

WRITER: Sidney Slon

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February 12, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, March 8-12

(Please check local station for time.)

CORRECTION

Please substitute the following programs for those previously listed during the week of March 1:

Tuesday, March 2: "The Silver Mirror"

Thursday, March 4: "Too Early, Too Late"

Monday, March 8

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "First Impressions", starring Teri Keane, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A police detective searches for the motive when a wealthy industrialist is murdered by the wife who adored him.

Zelda Palmer is on the way to prison for the murder of her husband. Her claim that it was an accident is overshadowed by the testimonies of her butler and stepson. Only Detective Cynthia Weston questions the real motive in the case: Why would Zelda murder John when she was madly in love with him?

CAST:

Detective Cynthia Weston...	TERI KEANE	Mrs. Zelda Palmer.....	Carole Teitel
Bradley Palmer.....	Keir Dullea	Brooks.....	Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Victoria Dann

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Tuesday, March 9

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Acquisition", starring Tony Roberts, with E.G. Marshall, host. A multimillionaire trying to clear his mind crashes in the depth of the Pacific.

Jonas McDowell, the "Wonder Boy" of Wall Street, is totally baffled when his magnanimous proposal for marriage is rejected. Believing that marriage could prolong his life, Jonas determines to find out why he was refused -- never realizing that he could lose the very life he hopes to save.

CAST:

Jonas McDowell.....	TONY ROBERTS	Estelle.....	Patricia Elliott
	Taro.....		Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, March 10

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Heart of Boadicea", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The Iceni Queen, Boadicea, of Britain, fights the Roman Army of Nero for control of her kingdom.

Boadicea, Queen of the Inceni centuries ago, was left half control of her husband's kingdom upon his death. Nero, Emperor of Rome, disregards the death-bed promise, and seeks control of the entire British nation...unaware of the fact that Boadicea is willing to fight to the death for justice...and vengeance.

CAST:

Queen Boadicea.....MARIAN SELDES Vectis.....Russell Horton
Cynwyn.....Lloyd Battista

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Thursday, March 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Last Orbit", starring Larry Haines, with E.G. Marshall, host. The wiles of a mysterious redhead captivate an American hero.

Astronaut Emmett Rockwell notices Luna while at a bash thrown in his honor. When she reminds him of a long-forgotten promise he made to her, he has a nagging suspicion that she is telling the truth. But the valiant leader finds his life in jeopardy -- when he underestimates a woman's wrath and attempts to renege on the agreement.

CAST:

Emmett Rockwell.....LARRY HAINES Luna.....Marian Seldes
Wally Bruder.....Russell Horton

WRITER: Douglas Dempsey

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Friday, March 12

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The New Man At the Yard", starring Paul Hecht with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Famed novelist Charles Dickens lends a hand at Scotland Yard in investigating a neighbor's death.

Young Francis Kent is found hanged in the barn by his stepsister, Constance. It's a simple suicide...until Scotland Yard solicits the help of author and neighbor, Charles Dickens, to assist in the investigation. First clue -- Constance is a mass of cuts and bruises...inflicted by her dead step-brother!

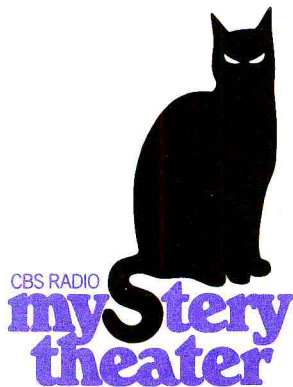
CAST:

Charles Dickens.....PAUL HECHT John Kent.....Court Benson
Constance.....Evie Juster Francis.....Gordon Gould

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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February 22, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, March 15-19

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, March 15

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Face of the Waters", starring Paul Hecht and Norman Rose, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A jealous uncle will go to any lengths to keep his beloved niece from marrying his chauffeur.

Roland Laverne had power, wealth and the guardianship of his beautiful niece, Julia...everything a man could desire. However, when a romance between Julia and the Laverne's chauffeur threatens to destroy Roland's ideal world, he must find a means of eliminating the young intruder...any way possible.

CAST:

Arthur.....PAUL HECHT
Julia.....Jada Rowland

Roland Laverne.....NORMAN ROSE
Harrison Clay.....Lloyd Battista

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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Tuesday, March 16

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(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Real World", starring Joyce Gordon, with E.G. Marshall, host. A naïve rookie cop is assigned to a seedy murder case.

Sgt. Detective Millrose may have a degree in psychology, but she still can't figure out how to nail the murderer of a baby-faced night club singer -- one suspect is an underworld kingpin, and the other is the distinguished scion of one of the country's finest families.

CAST:

Sgt. Detective Millrose....JOYCE GORDON
Chester Dawkins.....Ray Owens

Captain Spencer...Mandel Kramer
Estelle Dawkins.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, March 17

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Tippecanoe and Tyler, Too", starring Carole Teitel and Cynthia Harris, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An elderly spinster tries to prevent the murder of a lifelong friend.

Dorcas Downey's long-time friend, Adam Cartwright, has just married his secretary -- a smart young lady less than half his age. His plan: Sell his company and sail around the world. Her plan: Eliminate Adam and inherit the business. Dorcas can stop the murder, but no one will believe the lonely old spinster!

CAST:

Dorcas Downey.....	CAROLE TEITEL	Sally.....	CYNTHIA HARRIS
Adam Cartwright.....	Arnold Moss	Harry Tyler.....	Earl Hammond

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Thursday, March 18

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(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Gate 27", starring Fred Gwynne, with E.G. Marshall, host. The once-proud cop's instincts are aroused in a bum when his favorite marker turns up missing.

Joe Driscoll turned to the demon rum after he killed a small-time punk in dubious circumstances. But when his best shot for coffee money every morning -- the lady in the blue dress who gets off Gate 27 at Grand Central Station -- misses her train for two days, Joe cleans up his act and returns to the sharp detective he once was.

CAST:

Joe Driscoll.....	FRED GWYNNE	Frank.....	Court Benson
Louise.....	Teri Keane	Harry.....	Bernie Grant

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Friday, March 19

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Magic Stick of Manititu", starring Keir Dullea and Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes as hostess. A diplomatic junket to a remote, mysterious planet spells romance for one visitor...and death for another.

The time -- several centuries from now. Arlena and her disagreeable companion, Mr. Block, are on an interplanetary trade and cultural affairs tour. Their first stop is the planet of Manitu, where Arlena finds love -- and mysterious music. The natives of this beautiful land have a secret means of producing their music...while eliminating unwanted visitors!

CAST:

Idri.....	KEIR DULLEA	Mr. Block.....	FRED GWYNNE
Arlena.....	Marian Seldes	Tashti.....	Sam Gray

WRITER: Victoria Dann

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March 1, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, March 22-26

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Monday, March 22

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Tool Shed", starring John Vickery, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The author of books on the occult finds his family steeped in mystery from another world.

Martin Hazeltine has earned a fortune writing books on black magic and the occult. When Robinson Crane is assigned to interview him, the young journalist finds the Hazeltine family steeped in mystery. Why is the son perfectly healthy yet mute? Why does Mrs. Hazeltine refuse her husband any contact with the boy? And what is the age-old "mark of the devil" doing on the floor of the child's favorite playroom -- the tool shed?

CAST:

Robinson Crane.....JOHN VICKERY Gwen.....Evie Juster
Martin Hazeltine.....Bernie Grant

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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Tuesday, March 23

1-26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "To Be An Empress", starring Amanda Plummer, with E.G. Marshall, host. A lesser countess once pledged to a German baron becomes Empress of Russia.

Sophie, Countess of Anhalt-Zerbst, was barely out of her teens when the mighty Empress Elizabeth of Russia chose her to marry the future Czar, Peter III. Sophie changes her name, language and religion in her zeal to serve her new country well -- a zeal which ambition may flame to murder.

CAST:

Catherine.....AMANDA PLUMMER Johanna.....Joan Shea
Peter.....Russell Horton Count Brummer.....Louis Turenne

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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Wednesday, March 24

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Old Country", starring Paul Hecht, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young man finds himself transported back through time to his father's war-torn village, where he faces charges of treason -- and a sentence of death.

Gabriel Carson changes his name and disavows all connection with the homeland and heritage of his immigrant parents. But on a business trip to the "old country" young Carson finds himself mysteriously transported back to a time and place he never knew. It is now World War II. He has assumed the position his father held in his Nazi-occupied village. And he faces trial by the villagers for treason. The only sentence...death!

CAST:

Gabriel Carson.....	PAUL HECHT	Colonel.....	Court Benson
Franceska.....	Carole Teitel	Darinka.....	Joan Shea

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Thursday, March 25

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Dickens of Scotland Yard", starring Paul Hecht, with E.G. Marshall, host. Author Charles Dickens tries his hand at solving crime.

Inspector Field beefs up the fledging Scotland Yard force by enlisting the famous writer to help solve the mystery of "Tally-Ho". Dickens is delighted to help -- but will his great insight into fictional characters translate into real-life deduction as well?

CAST:

Charles Dickens.....	PAUL HECHT	Inspector Field.....	Earl Hammond
Tom Thompson.....	Bob Kaliban	Rosie Thompson.....	Tudi Wiggins

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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Friday, March 26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "In the Cards", starring hostess Tammy Grimes. Josephine, Empress of France, allows tarot cards to dictate her life, her love and her downfall.

Empress Josephine of France had allowed "the cards" to foretell the fate of her first husband, the short and stormy marriage to Napoleon Bonaparte and her ultimate fall from grace. Of course, the Emperor finds this childish...especially when the cards dictate that if he and she were ever to divorce, that the almighty Bonaparte might die in battle -- or worse, in exile.

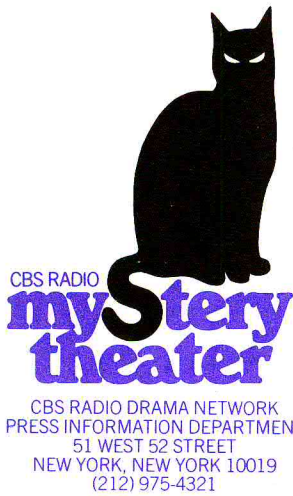
CAST:

Josephine.....	TAMMY GRIMES	Theresa.....	Teri Keane
Napoleon.....	Louis Turenne	Joseph.....	Earl Hammond

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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March 8, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, March 29-April 2

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, March 29

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "On the Night of the Dead", starring John Vickery and Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A self-proclaimed god appears to a drought-ridden island with promises of relief and salvation.

Pentheus, the young Governor of an ancient Greek island, finds his people in the midst of a relentless drought. When all else fails, a "god" appears, seemingly from nowhere, with mysterious and miraculous powers. Is he really a god, sent to deliver the island from its scorching heat? Or is he merely a fraud, preying on the faith and desperation of a dying people? The answer spells madness -- and murder.

CAST:

Pentheus.....JOHN VICKERY

Agave.....MARIAN SELDES

Woman.....Tracey Ellis

Cadmus.....Earl Hammond

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, March 30

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Good Ship Aud", starring Earl Hammond, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A legendary Irish patriot gives the last full measure of devotion to his country.

Sir Roger Casement's dedication and patriotism to his nation has reaped world recognition. But the freedom fighter is not given much rein to enjoy his reputation -- his tactics are foiled and he is arrested for treason.

CAST:

Roger Casement.....EARL HAMMOND

King Leopold.....Court Benson

Count Van Bethmann...Lloyd Battista

Gee Gannister.....Marian Seldes

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, March 31

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "I Am the Killer", starring Keir Dullea, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young doctor searches for the killer of young mothers in the maternity ward of a Viennese hospital.

It is the mid-1800's. Dr. Ignatz Semmelweis is a young, brash and dedicated obstetrician in one of Vienna's largest hospitals. The patients of the doctors on Ward I are dying at an alarming rate. Yet, the midwives of Ward II boast of nearly no deaths at all. Obviously, there is a killer loose in Ward I! But who -- or what -- is killing these young women?

CAST:

Dr. Semmelweis.....	KEIR DULLEA	Dr. Klein.....	Mandel Kramer
Dr. Johann Ciari.....	Lloyd Battista	Vera.....	Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Thursday, April 1

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Mysterious Slumber", starring Diana Kirkwood and Elspeth Eric, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Eyebrows raise when daughter Mary's moods flutter from petulancy to euphoria after awakening from a long slumber, in this dramatization of a true story.

Teenager Mary baffles her family when she wakes up one morning with a spanking new personality and recognizes no one. Her family enjoys Mary's sweetened temperment -- but is horrified by the increasing frequency of these bizarre personality changes.

CAST:

Mary Reynolds.....	DIANA KIRKWOOD	Mother.....	ELSPETH ERIC
John Reynolds.....	Mandel Kramer	Simon Reynolds.....	Don Scardino

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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Friday, April 2

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Naval Treaty", starring Gordon Gould, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Famed super-sleuth, Sherlock Holmes, comes out of retirement to help a young British diplomat -- and recover a top-secret government document.

Young Percy Phelps is a bright, up-and-coming British diplomat who has been entrusted with a top-secret, multi-nation treaty. In a rare off-guard moment, the document is stolen, leaving Mr. Phelps in a state of shock. His only hope is to call Sherlock Holmes out of retirement to help solve the mystery of who stole the treaty -- and why.

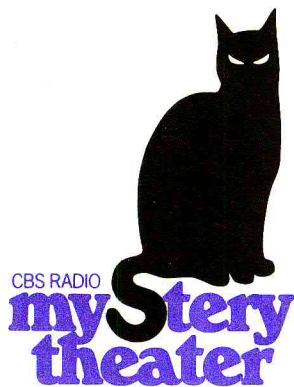
CAST:

Sherlock Holmes.....	GORDON GOULD	Percy Phelps.....	Lloyd Battista
Dr. Watson.....	Bernard Grant	Anne Harrison.....	Carole Teitel

WRITER: Murray Burnett

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HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, April 5-9

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Monday, April 5

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Widow Wonderland", starring Elspeth Eric and Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Three elderly widows plan revenge upon the charming gold digger who has duped them out of their hearts and fortunes.

Muffie Van Dreelan, Winnifred Croft and Rosie Harris are all wealthy, independent widows, left alone in the prime of their lives. Augie Bishop, alias Andre Mercato, alias Armand Grenville, has succeeded in bilking these three lovely ladies out of their loneliness...and \$10,000 each. Detective Harry Warren is hot on Augie's trail -- but the ladies have a better idea of how to put this charming gold digger in his place.

CAST:

Muffie Van Dreelan.....ELSPETH ERIC
Augustus Bishop.....Earl Hammond

Det. Harry Warren...FRED GWYNNE
Rosie Harris.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Steve Lehrman

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Tuesday, April 6

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Cantankerous Ghost", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An antiquated spirit returns to the site of his old home to save its destiny.

A headstrong ghost, Clayton Logan, finds he can not rest in peace when he perceives that the old homestead has been run amok. The problem is, neither can anyone else when he decides to pitch in and get his relatives out of the jam.

CAST:

Estelle Logan.....MARIAN SELDES
Myra Longdale.....Evie Juster

Rex Blake.....Lloyd Battista
Eddie Rogers.....Earl Hammond

WRITER: Bob Juhren

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Wednesday, April 7

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Only A Woman", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A woman who fancies herself a goddess plots to rule the world.

Semiramis, really an ordinary woman, believes that she is the daughter of a mortal man and the goddess, Dagon. With such an extraordinary blood-line, she schemes to rule Assyria, Babylon and all the provinces therein. Oh, she succeeds...but her husbands -- all three of them -- must pay a heavy price for her glory.

CAST:

Semiramis.....	MARIAN SELDES	Menon.....	Norman Rose
Adarmalik.....	Russell Horton	Ninus.....	Ray Owens

WRITER: Sam Dann * * *

Thursday, April 8

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Change of Heart", starring Louis Turenne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A businessman takes his ex-fiancee's nickname for him to heart.

Millicent Sanford's parting shot to corporate king-pin Roger Skipworth as she broke off their engagement was to call him a "pig." Not long afterwards, Roger is rushed into the hospital where an ailing heart valve is replaced by a porcine substitute...and Roger begins to think there may be something after all to Millicent's remark.

CAST:

Roger Skipworth.....	LOUIS TURENNE	Millicent Sanford...	Patricia Elliott
Pruit.....	Sam Gray	Mrs. Speckle.....	Joan Shea

WRITER: Sam Dann * * *

Friday, April 9

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "You Tell Me Your Dream", starring Michael Tolan, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Two men have the same dreams....in which one of them is being murdered.

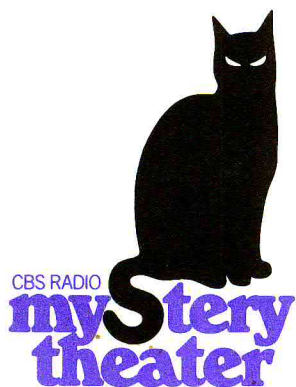
Ed Larsen has been having a recurring dream in which he is viciously attacked by a faceless person. Mark Howgate, a stranger to Ed, is having the same dream on the same nights. When the two men finally meet, they decide to act out the dream in order to find the faceless murderer and put an end to their nightmares -- but the real nightmare is just beginning.

CAST:

Ed Larsen.....	MICHAEL TOLAN	Ginny Larsen.....	Cynthia Adler
Mark Howgate.....	Bob Kaliban	Bartender.....	Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Bob Juhren * * *

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March 22, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, April 12-16

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Monday, April 12

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "His Fourth Wife", starring Russell Horton, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An artist is hired to paint the portraits of two women -- one of whom will become the next Queen of England.

Hans Holbein, the court painter, is commissioned by Henry VIII to produce the portraits of Anne of Cleves and Christina of Denmark. From the two portraits, the King will choose his next wife. Hans' ability to paint the ladies' faces -- as well as their innermost feelings -- makes Henry's choice simple -- and deadly.

CAST:

Hans Holbein.....RUSSELL HORTON Henry the VIII.....Earl Hammond
Thomas Cromwell.....Norman Rose Anne of Cleves.....Carole Teitel

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, April 13

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Sand Castle", starring Norman Rose and Jada Rowland, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young woman tries to overcome the childhood loss of her baby brother.

Every day, Maureen Hart returns to the same spot on the beach to make endless intricate sand castles that each night are wiped away by the tides. It takes a kindly young poet who manages the nearby bird sanctuary and an elderly naturalist to unravel the mystery of her long afternoons at the shore.

CAST:

Jeremy Denham.....NORMAN ROSE Maureen Hart.....JADA ROWLAND
Ralph Poole.....Gordon Gould Elinor Hart.....Teri Keane

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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Wednesday, April 14

Thursday, April 15

Friday, April 16

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March 29, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, April 19-23

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Monday, April 19

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Shelter", starring Ralph Bell and Don Scardino, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The end of the world leaves three people within the confines of their air raid shelter, playing a crazy -- and deadly -- waiting game.

Sloan Cunningham, his wife Petra and her lover, Warren Crisp, meet to have a frank and civilized discussion of the Cunninghams' impending divorce. But a nuclear accident half way around the earth triggers world-wide panic and leads to Sloan's only bargaining point: Petra and Warren may start their new life together with his blessing -- if they leave the safety of the "Shelter" -- now!

CAST:

Sloan Cunningham.....RALPH BELL	Warren Crisp.....DON SCARDINO
Petra Cunningham.....Evie Juster	Denton Barnes.....Bob Kaliban

WRITER: Henry Slesar

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Tuesday, April 20

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The .44 Connection", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Clues are abundant but unobserved in the murder of a ruthless capitalist.

Jeremy Lewis had plenty of enemies who might have killed him with an antique Colt, including the wife he was trying to divorce and his black-mailing mistress. But then there's another possible suspect: Nellie Murdock, descendant of a Custer lieutenant, recently fired by Lewis after 25 years' devoted service.

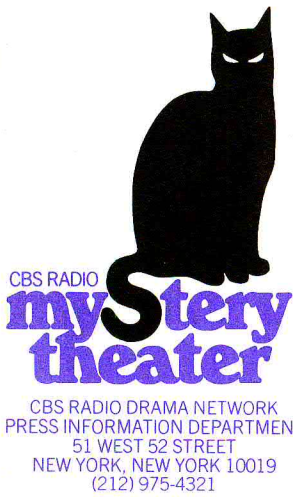
CAST:

Nellie Murdock.....MARIAN SELDES	Liz Lewis.....Evie Juster
Jack.....Fred Gwynne	Lt. Carson.....Lloyd Battista

WRITER: Sam Dann

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April 5, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, April 26-30

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, April 26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Hanging Sheriff", starring Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A sheriff, scheduled to hang a man accused of murder, schemes to set him free.

Sheriff Tom Bender never thought that he would be called upon to be chief executioner when a drifting salesman was accused, convicted and sentenced to hang for murder. The truth is, the drifter accidentally killed someone. But the town needs a hanging and the hanging needs a hangman. Tom must find a way of ridding himself of the job -- and his nagging wife!

CAST:

Sheriff Tom Bender.....	FRED GWYNNE	Frank.....	Bernard Grant
Sarah Bender.....	Elsbeth Eric	Jud.....	Russell Horton

WRITER: Bryce Walton

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Tuesday, April 27

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Victim", starring John Lithgow, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An apparently innocent man is framed for murder.

Joe Thompson's conviction for murder is based on such flimsy evidence that the great lawyer Ferras, defender of the downtrodden, is able to free Joe and get \$2 million damages in the bargain. Joe's so happy he's going to take off for Acapulco...with the prosecution's main witness.

CAST:

Joe Thompson.....	JOHN LITHGOW	Ferras.....	Earl Hammond
Public Defender.....	Russell Horton	Helen Travis.....	Teri Keane

WRITER: Bryce Walton

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Wednesday, April 28

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Ghost of Andersonville", starring Tony Roberts, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A Civil War major, just released from the southern prison camp at Andersonville, returns north to face his former commander with an accusation of betrayal.

Major Calvin Russell was wounded and imprisoned by the Confederates while following the orders of his commander, General Benjamin Cutler. Along with Russell, 1,500 other Union soldiers were killed or caught. Now, Russell has the opportunity to face the General and bring to light the details of that nightmare. But the General is found -- dead -- and the only suspect, Major Russell, finds himself once more in a prisoner's irons.

CAST:

Major Calvin Russell.....	TONY ROBERTS	Mrs. Mary Cutler....	Teri Keane
General Benjamin Cutler.....	Bob Kaliban	Tim Forres.....	Keir Dullea

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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Thursday, April 29

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Nickels and Dimes", starring Michael Tolan, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An undercover cop begins to enjoy the assumed life of a hoodlum.

Ray Vance is so successful in infiltrating Big Joe's East Side organization, he becomes heir apparent to Joe's operation. The new apartment, salary and girl friends reward Joe's talent in his new role...and suddenly, the dowdy lifestyle of a cop seems pretty dull in comparison.

CAST:

Randy Vance.....	MICHAEL TOLAN	Big Joe.....	Earl Hammond
Barney Smith.....	Ray Owens	Millie.....	Joan Shea

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Friday, April 30

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Last Duel", starring Lee Richardson, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An unfinished duel becomes an obsession with a British officer, who is determined to complete it many years later.

Colonel Sergio is an officer in the British forces stationed in 19th-century India. Although his bravery is legend, he has just backed out of a duel which everyone knows he would have easily won. Was it cowardice, as some of the men in the ranks think? Or is Colonel Sergio merely intent upon finishing an old duel -- with the man who took his fiancée away from him -- before moving on to other challenges?

CAST:

Captain Nicholson.....	LEE RICHARDSON	Colonel Sergio.....	Bernard Grant
Lieutenant Lawrence.....	Russell Horton	Marta.....	Teri Keane

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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April 12, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, May 3-7

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Monday, May 3

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Guilty as Charged", starring Michael Tolan, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A case of mistaken identity threatens to destroy a man's life.

Gene and Jane Fowler are hard-working, honest people who believe in the justice system and wouldn't think of stepping over the line. However, in a matter of just a few short hours, Gene is accused of armed robbery and kidnapping and placed in jail to face criminal charges. The burden of proof is on Gene -- while his double is still free to commit more crimes.

CAST:

Gene Fowler.....	MICHAEL TOLAN	Sam Strauss.....	Mandel Kramer
Jane Fowler.....	Carole Teitel	Trooper Carson.....	Lloyd Battista

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

Tuesday, May 4

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Invaders from Atlantis", starring Arnold Moss and Don Scardino, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Aliens attempt to take over Earth in the year 2300.

The strange three-eyed aliens, in control of major cities, finally get around to sending an agent to Parson's Corner to impose their rule. Mr. Gorgon soon has the town under the aliens' control...and along the way, falls in love with the local school teacher who exercises a certain control of her own.

CAST:

Seth Cook.....	ARNOLD MOSS	Jason Cook.....	DON SCARDINO
Catherine.....	Evie Juster	Mister Gorgon.....	Court Benson

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis * * *

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Wednesday, May 5

Helen and Richard were engaged for five years...and it seemed that it would go on forever. However, when Richard met Louise, things changed. Everyone felt that Helen was taking the news particularly well -- until Richard confided to her that he is having some very close calls with death...just as Helen has been dreaming about since their engagement was broken.

Helen.....MARIAN SELDES Jo Anne.....Diane Dirkwood
 Richard.....Gordon Gould

Bert Gilbert is in deep funk, having just flunked the exam to make detective for the third time. So when a shady character named Blass offers Bert the chance to steal a pocketful of diamonds he agrees to the plan. Is Bert really giving up on the force, or is he just trying another way to make detective?

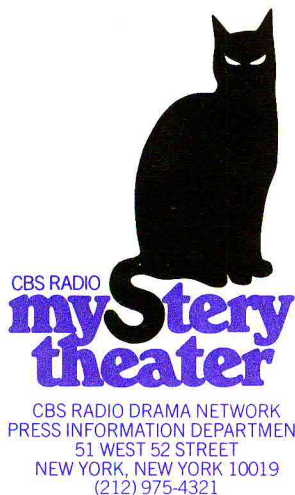
Bert Gilbert.....	FRED GWYNNE	Blass.....	Bob Kaliban
Helen Gilbert.....	Teri Keane	Mike Culligan.....	Lloyd Battista

Oliver, a semi-successful conman, has stumbled into a remote little country off the coast of Australia to find that an old buddy of his, Jake, has conned his way up to the throne of the little nation. In the process of using his old friend at the top, he falls in love with the young American artist who is painting the king's portrait...and finds a way to gain money, freedom and the lovely young artist in one fell swoop.

Oliver Tolliver.....RALPH BELL King Bohvrah.....Earl Hammond
 Jennie.....Patricia Elliott

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April 19, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, May 10-14

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Monday, May 10

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Tourist Trap", starring Paul Hecht, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A vacationing couple get lost on their way to a cabin -- only to find that they're held hostage in an ominous village.

Harry and Ruth Meeker are on their way to a long overdue and well-deserved vacation when a slight accident and a wrong turn into the village of "Downsville" finds them mysteriously and frighteningly held against their wills. Harry wants some questions answered: Why can't he and Ruth leave? Why is everyone in Downsville related? And why are there two gravestones in the town's cemetery with Ruth and Harry's names on them?

CAST:

Harry Meeker.....PAUL HECHT
Ruth Meeker.....Teri Keane

Hollis McAllister.....Earl Hammond
Kay McAllister.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Douglas Dempsey

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Tuesday, May 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Blue Sedan", starring Kim Hunter, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A jealous wife triggers an investigation into murder and espionage.

To the police, the shooting death of Lew Delfat was no more than a routine investigation into the robbery and murder of a sleazy private detective. But homicide detective Lucille Miller saw it as much more... especially when anyone with information regarding Delfat's business met with sudden and violent death.

CAST:

Lucille Miller.....KIM HUNTER
June Delfat.....Carole Teitel

Harold Soames.....Bernie Grant
Lew Delfat.....Earl Hammond

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, May 12

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Wound That Would Not Heal", starring Ralph Bell, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A man is haunted by the voice of his murdered lover -- convincing him that he is the murderer.

Mark Foresight is trying to pull his marriage together, at least what there is left of it. His first step is to end his affair with Lorene Jessup. However, the day after they split, Lorene is found murdered in her cabin. Mark had no reason to do it -- but the constant sound of Lorene's voice, begging him to save her, has him believing that he is the only possible killer.

CAST:

Mark Foresight.....RALPH BELL Sergeant Gentry.....Bernie Grant
Carol Foresight.....Cynthia Adler

WRITER: Sidney Slon

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Thursday, May 13

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Death Star", starring Marian Seldes and Russell Horton, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A successful executive believes that she was burned at the stake for witchcraft in a previous life.

Liza Rountree prides herself on being a smart, sensible business executive. Yet, since the new newsstand attendant appeared on the scene, she mysteriously and without warning takes on the personality of Molly Tapely, a woman burned at the stake for adultery and witchcraft many years ago. Coming to grips with her dual personality leads Liza to solve the problem as Molly might have...with murder!

CAST:

Liza Rountree.....MARIAN SELDES Jim.....RUSSELL HORTON
Blake.....Earl Hammond

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Friday, May 14

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Hills of Arias", starring Mandel Kramer, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An aging revolutionary is pressed back into service by his godson.

Francisco Canoyas, once a revered revolutionary hero, is now living a quiet American life, far from the turmoil in his old country. His mundane existence is interrupted by his 20-year-old godson, who urges Francisco to return to his country and again lead his people to victory. The young man's pleas are seconded by the spirits of those who fought with Francisco in the last revolution, including his first...and very dead... wife.

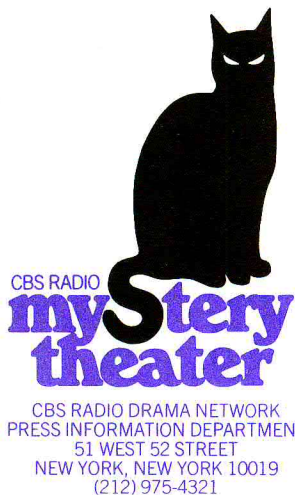
CAST:

Francisco Canoyas.....MANDEL KRAMER Emily.....Marian Seldes
Dr. Kurtz.....Ray Owens Cypriano.....Bob Kaliban

WRITER: Sam Dann

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April 26, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, May 17-21

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, May 17

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Imperfect Crime", starring Russell Horton, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The investigation into a routine hit and run death turns up evidence that the victim may have been the target of an ingeniously calculated murder plot.

Years ago, Inspector Charles Allan was in love with Jessie Haver-meyer. Now, he is trying to find out who recklessly ran her down in the middle of the night. And, thanks to the police officer's snooping wife, clues are appearing which indicate that Jessie might have been ruthlessly murdered. But who would want to kill a very beautiful, generous, RICH widow?

CAST:

Inspector Charles Allan....RUSSELL HORTON Matilda Allan....Carole Teitel
Cornelius Spry.....Robert Dryden

WRITER: James Agate, Jr. * * *

Tuesday, May 18

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Death at a Distance", starring Norman Rose, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A doctor encounters powers beyond his medical knowledge when he moves his practice to a voodoo-ridden African village.

Dr. John Best had all the knowledge modern medicine could impart when he set up shop in a remote West African village. But when one of the villagers, a hated hunter, is mysteriously plagued by pain and hallucinations, the young doctor is powerless against the overwhelming forces of native revenge, voodoo -- and death.

CAST:

Dr. John Best.....NORMAN ROSE Judge Moody.....Earl Hammond
Dr. Barola.....Bernie Grant

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, May 19

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Brooch", starring Paul Hecht and Patricia Elliott, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young governess is falsely accused of theft when a valuable brooch is discovered missing from her employer's jewel box, in this story adapted from Chekov.

Young Mashenka is a governess employed by a very wealthy and very strange Russian couple. Shortly after her arrival, she is subjected to some bizarre encounters -- including the attempted suicide of the master -- and the accusation that she has stolen a priceless brooch from her mistress.

CAST:

Andrei.....	PAUL HECHT	Mashenka.....	PATRICIA ELLIOTT
Igor.....	Earl Hammond	Fedosya.....	Ann Seymour

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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Thursday, May 20

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "First Impressions", starring Teri Keane, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A police detective searches for the motive when a wealthy industrialist is murdered by the wife who adored him.

Zelda Palmer is on the way to prison for the murder of her husband. Her claim that it was an accident is overshadowed by the testimonies of her butler and stepson. Only Detective Cynthia Weston questions the real motive in the case: Why would Zelda murder John when she was madly in love with him?

CAST:

Detective Cynthia Weston...	TERI KEANE	Mrs. Zelda Palmer.....	Carole Teitel
Bradley Palmer.....	Keir Dullea	Brooks.....	Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Victoria Dann

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Friday, May 21

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The 'Different' People", starring Kristoffer Tabori, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young anthropologist believes that he has discovered the secret of an extraordinary prolonged life.

"Bick" Bixby discovers an old letter written by a soldier to his wife about the special reason why he and only a few others were returning from the Civil War unharmed. His plan was to find a place where he and his family could start their own village in total seclusion. Now, more than a century later, Bick wants to find that village -- and learn the secret this small band of settlers discovered so long ago.

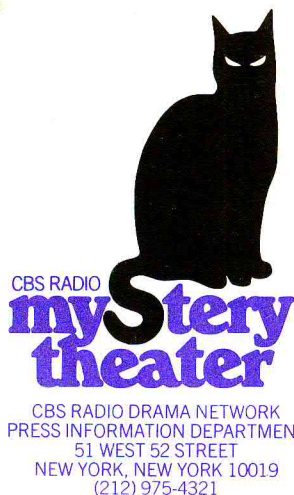
CAST:

Bick Bixby....	KRISTOFFER TABORI	Susannah Partridge.....	Jada Rowland
Timothy Partridge...	Arnold Moss	Jerry Hansen.....	Russell Horton

WRITER: Arnold Moss

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May 3, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, May 24-28

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, May 24

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Your Desires, My Guilt", starring Norman Rose, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A couple wish for everything they ever wanted -- only to discover what they really wanted was something they had all along.

Maurice and Ursula live the middle-class existence of a small town college professor and his wife. Ursula wishes for wealth -- and Maurice sincerely wishes he could provide her with it. Suddenly, as if from a fairy tale, their wishes are granted. And it becomes crystal clear that we don't always know what's best for ourselves...especially when it comes to playing games with our future!

CAST:

Maurice.....NORMAN ROSE Ursula.....Teri Keane
Dorothy.....Elspeth Eric

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, May 25

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Heart of Boadicea", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The Iceni Queen, Boadicea, of Britain, fights the Roman Army of Nero for control of her kingdom.

Boadicea, Queen of the Inceni centuries ago, was left half control of her husband's kingdom upon his death. Nero, Emperor of Rome, disregards the death-bed promise, and seeks control of the entire British nation....unaware of the fact that Boadicea is willing to fight to the death for justice...and vengeance.

CAST:

Queen Boadicea.....MARIAN SELDES Vectis.....Russell Horton
Cynwyn.....Lloyd Battista

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, May 26

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Why is This Lady Smiling?", starring John Vickery with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The model for da Vinci's Mona Lisa is shunned by her husband after the artist displays the portrait.

Mona Lisa Del Giocondo's rich husband has commissioned the famed Leonardo da Vinci to paint a portrait of his wife. The fascinating thing about this lovely young woman is her hypnotic smile. However, after the artist displays his masterpiece, the model's husband and acquaintances take a sudden and violent dislike for her. Is it her new-found fame? Or is it possible that there is more behind the portrait than even the artist knows?

CAST:

Leonardo Da Vinci...JOHN VICKERY Mona Lisa Del Giocondo....Diana Kirkwood
Zanobi Del Giocondo.....Bernard Grant

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Thursday, May 27

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The New Man At the Yard", starring Paul Hecht with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Famed novelist Charles Dickens lends a hand at Scotland Yard in investigating a neighbor's death.

Young Francis Kent is found hanged in the barn by his stepsister, Constance. It's a simple suicide...until Scotland Yard solicits the help of author and neighbor, Charles Dickens, to assist in the investigation. First clue -- Constance is a mass of cuts and bruises...inflicted by her dead step-brother!

CAST:

Charles Dickens.....PAUL HECHT John Kent.....Court Benson
Constance.....Evie Juster Francis.....Gordon Gould

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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Friday, May 28

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Chess Master", starring Paul Hecht and Fred Gwynne with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A simple game of chess leads a young advertising executive into the middle of a dangerous game of chance -- and the stakes are murderously high.

Charley Williams gets fired from his job, plays a simple game of chess with a stranger, and finds himself \$5,000 richer -- all within the space of two days. A job offer and more games ensue -- but why is everything happening so fast? And why does Charley have the feeling that each time he wins a game, he is losing a very important part of his life?

CAST:

Charley Williams.....PAUL HECHT Chesman.....FRED GWYNNE
Susan Williams.....Lamis Farris Ben Bradley.....Russell Horton

WRITER: Murray Burnett

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May 10, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, May 31-June 4

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, May 31

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Lady MacBeth at the Zoo", starring Larry Haines, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An ape at the Bronx Zoo overhears a murder plot -- and is determined to bring the perpetrators to justice.

Waldo and Edna, prize attractions at the Bronx Zoo, overhear Carl Carrol and Martha Tyson plan to kill his rich uncle. But what can two apes, behind bars, do to either stop the murder or bring the two killers to the attention of the police? The murder is committed. And now, only two apes and two humans know whodunnit...can Waldo bring the killers to justice?

CAST:

Waldo.....	LARRY HAINES	Carl.....	Earl Hammond
Martha.....	Teri Keane	Edna.....	Evelyn Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, June 1

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Face of the Waters", starring Paul Hecht and Norman Rose, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A jealous uncle will go to any lengths to keep his beloved niece from marrying his chauffeur. 3-15

Roland Laverne had power, wealth and the guardianship of his beautiful niece, Julia...everything a man could desire. However, when a romance between Julia and the Lavernes' chauffeur threatens to destroy Roland's ideal world, he must find a means of eliminating the young intruder...any way possible.

CAST:

Arthur.....	PAUL HECHT	Roland Laverne.....	NORMAN ROSE
Julia.....	Jada Rowland	Harrison Clay.....	Lloyd Battista

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, June 2

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Two Times Dead", starring Lloyd Battista with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A wealthy blind man's ne're-do-well nephew is found murdered -- but the accused murderer claims that he's really the victim.

Chadwick Pollister is discovered on the road near home -- murdered. James K. Selby has just been arrested, tried and convicted of the crime. However, Selby claims he is really Pollister and that he found Selby's body and switched identities. A visiting journalist finds too many unanswered questions in the situation: why won't anyone in town identify him? And if he is Pollister, how can he hang for killing himself?

CAST:

Ezra Harper.....	LLOYD BATTISTA	Nathaniel Pollister.....	Ray Owens
Chadwick Pollister....	Bernard Grant	Lydia.....	Carole Teitel

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Thursday, June 3

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Tippecanoe and Tyler, Too", starring Carole Teitel and Cynthia Harris, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An elderly spinster tries to prevent the murder of a lifelong friend.

Dorcas Downey's long-time friend, Adam Cartwright, has just married his secretary -- a smart young lady less than half his age. His plan: Sell his company and sail around the world. Her plan: Eliminate Adam and inherit the business. Dorcas can stop the murder, but no one will believe the lonely old spinster!

CAST:

Dorcas Downey.....	CAROLE TEITEL	Sally.....	CYNTHIA HARRIS
Adam Cartwright.....	Arnold Moss	Harry Tyler.....	Earl Hammond

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Friday, June 4

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "My First Rogue", starring Bob Kaliban and Lee Richardson, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A master thief manages to continue to practice his profession from prison, in this story adapted from Maurice LeBlanc.

Arsene Lupin, Frenchman, master thief and gentleman is in jail for having stolen the Gilbert Stuart portrait of George Washington. While there, a wealthy resident of his small village is robbed of several priceless art objects -- in spite of the fact that the man had three detectives and a host of security devices guarding his home. Lupin takes full credit for the theft...having skillfully executed the entire operation from his jail cell.

CAST:

Arsene Lupin.....	LEE RICHARDSON	Maurice LeBlanc.....	BOB KALIBAN
Robert.....	Louis Turenne	Marcel.....	Robert Dryden

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, June 9

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Les Miserables, Part III: "No Escape", starring Alexander Scourby, with E.G. Marshall, host. Dodging the pursuing Javert, Valjean escapes again -- this time in the company of a pretty, 18-year-old blonde.

Valjean persuades the orphan Cosette that she is his granddaughter and to go into hiding with him. If Cosette leaves the country with Valjean she will never again see Marius, the only man she loves, but Valjean suspects that Marius is not her love-struck suitor but a spy.

CAST:

Jean Valjean.....	ALEXANDER SCOURBY	Javert.....	Bernie Grant
Cosette.....	Evie Juster	Paul.....	Bob Kaliban
	Maurice.....		Lloyd Battista

WRITER: Gerald Kean

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Thursday, June 10

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Les Miserables, Part IV: Fear, Love and Death", starring Alexander Scourby, with E.G. Marshall, host. A band of revolutionaries aid Valjean in his subterfuge of French police.

As police roam the streets of Paris, Valjean and cohort Paul seek refuge in the crocodile-infested sewers, carrying the weakening Marius with them. A vow to Cosette's mother sustains an exhausted Valjean's efforts to unite Marius with his lover -- but Paul fears all three are doomed.

CAST:

Jean Valjean.....	ALEXANDER SCOURBY	Javert.....	Bernie Grant
Henri.....	Earl Hammond	Marius.....	Lloyd Battista

WRITER: Gerald Kean

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Friday, June 11

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Les Miserables, Part V: The Final Chapter", starring Alexander Scourby, with E.G. Marshall, host. Marius has an inkling that Valjean's image as an innocuous old man is merely a veneer.

Suspecting that Valjean has hoodwinked the young Cosette, Marius attempts to denounce the man who saved his life. Only Paul knows Valjean's true identity -- but he has vowed to Valjean to never reveal it.

CAST:

Jean Valjean.....	ALEXANDER SCOURBY	Javert.....	Bernie Grant
Marius.....	Lloyd Battista	Cosette.....	Amanda Plummer
	Paul.....		Bob Kaliban

WRITER: Gerald Kean

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May 24, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, June 14-18

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, June 14

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Woman Who Wanted to Live", starring Larry Haines and Roberta Maxwell, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A woman helps an escaped convict evade capture -- supposedly so she can live.

Lisa has inadvertently walked in on escaped convict Ray Bardon as he robs and murders a young gas station attendant. In what should be a method of saving herself, she offers to protect him through police barricades and road blocks to find freedom. But why is Lisa so intent upon saving this ruthless murderer? And why does she consistently forego easy chances at overcoming him? A secret from Lisa's past keeps her and Bardon alive -- for now.

CAST :

Ray Bardon.....LARRY HAINES Lisa.....ROBERTA MAXWELL
 Freddy.....Russell Horton

WRITER: Bryce Walton

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Tuesday, June 15

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Magic Stick of Man-itu", starring Keir Dullea and Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A diplomatic junket to a remote, mysterious planet spells romance for one visitor...and death for another.

The time -- several centuries from now. Arlena and her disagreeable companion, Mr. Block, are on an interplanetary trade and cultural affairs tour. Their first stop is the planet of Manitu, where Arlena finds love -- and mysterious music. The natives of this beautiful land have a secret means of producing their music...while eliminating unwanted visitors!

CAST:

<u>Idri</u>	KEIR DULLEA	Mr. Block.....	FRED GWYNNE
Arlena.....	Marian Seldes	Tashti.....	Sam Gray

WRITER: Victoria Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, June 16

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "A Most Dangerous Animal", starring Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young man keeps a promise to get back at a heavyweight fighter who has already killed once.

Tiger Vincent is a ruthless heavyweight boxer who has already beaten one opponent to death and wouldn't mind repeating that performance -- if it means the title. Meanwhile, he practices this "manly" art by beating up his estranged wife -- and her present love. Can a slight-yet-crafty lover overcome a huge, professional fighter?

CAST:

Tiger Vincent.....FRED GWYNNE Dusty.....Robert Dryden
Laurie Vincent.....Teri Keane Jack Huggins.....Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Sidney Slon

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Thursday, June 17

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Tool Shed", starring John Vickery, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The author of books on the occult finds his family steeped in mystery from another world.

Martin Hazeltine has earned a fortune writing books on black magic and the occult. When Robinson Crane is assigned to interview him, the young journalist finds the Hazeltine family steeped in mystery. Why is the son perfectly healthy yet mute? Why does Mrs. Hazeltine refuse her husband any contact with the boy? And what is the age-old "mark of the devil" doing on the floor of the child's favorite playroom -- the tool shed?

CAST:

Robinson Crane.....JOHN VICKERY Gwen.....Evie Juster
Martin Hazeltine.....Bernie Grant

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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Friday, June 18

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Fifth Man", starring Norman Rose with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A Soviet agent, planted high in British government, meets with sudden -- and violent -- death.

William Jackson has been murdered. He was a higher-up within the British secret intelligence, well-known throughout international spy circles. The question is, was he killed by his own people, the enemy or his best friend who was in love with his wife Frances? Or did he simply "accidentally" fall from a moving train?

CAST:

Everett Parker.....NORMAN ROSE Karl Carson.....Lloyd Battista
William Jackson.....Bernard Grant Frances Jackson.....Marian Seldes

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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May 28, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, June 21-25

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, June 21

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Universe Hollow", starring Patricia Elliott, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A journalist attempts to restore her credibility by exposing a band of UFO enthusiasts.

Correspondent Sheila Rogan was at the top of her profession when her Pulitzer Prize-winning book was discovered to be based on lies. She hopes her report on a group that claims to communicate with other planets will serve to polish her tarnished reputation -- only to find a disturbing credibility to that band's claims.

CAST:

Sheila Rogan.....PATRICIA ELLIOTT Bard.....Arnold Moss
Lewis.....Earl Hammond Serena.....Joyce Gordon

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, June 22

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Old Country", starring Paul Hecht, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young man finds himself transported back through time to his father's war-torn village, where he faces charges of treason -- and a sentence of death.

Gabriel Carson changes his name and disavows all connection with the homeland and heritage of his immigrant parents. But on a business trip to the "old country" young Carson finds himself mysteriously transported back to a time and place he never knew. It is now World War II. He has assumed the position his father held in his Nazi-occupied village. And he faces trial by the villagers for treason. The only sentence...death!

CAST:

Gabriel Carson.....PAUL HECHT Colonel.....Court Benson
Franceska.....Carole Teitel Darinka.....Joan Shea

WRITER: Sam Dann

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CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER ... 2

Wednesday, June 23

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Matching Chairs", starring Paul Hecht, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Is the family black sheep's problem his fierce temper...or the chair from which he issues his dread curses?

Cary has been taught since his earliest memory to take care of "The Little One," younger brother Troy. Cary has his work cut out for him: Despite his best intentions, Troy is always in a fix. Now Cary has to solve a new one. Troy is convinced his problems stem from one chair in a set of handsome family heirlooms.

CAST:

Cary.....	PAUL HECHT	Troy.....	Kristoffer Tabori
Mother.....	Elsbeth Eric	Jessie.....	Carole Teitel

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

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Thursday, June 24

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "In the Cards", starring hostess Tammy Grimes. Josephine, Empress of France, allows tarot cards to dictate her life, her love and her downfall. 3-26-82

Empress Josephine of France had allowed "the cards" to foretell the fate of her first husband, the short and stormy marriage to Napoleon Bonaparte and her ultimate fall from grace. Of course, the Emperor finds this childish...especially when the cards dictate that if he and she were ever to divorce, that the almighty Bonaparte might die in battle -- or worse, in exile.

CAST:

Josephine.....	TAMMY GRIMES	Theresa.....	Teri Keane
Napoleon.....	Louis Turenne	Joseph.....	Earl Hammond

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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Friday, June 25

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Don't Kill Me", starring Tony Roberts and Roberta Maxwell, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A murderess finds the tables turned after she kills her husband to marry a millionaire.

Wilma really couldn't help killing husband George. All it took was walking away when the sick man's breathing stopped. And besides, she got to marry rich Ted in the bargain. But Ted whisks her away to the Amazon where he is searching for lost civilizations, and where she contracts a wasting illness for which she is dependent on Ted for medicine to keep her alive...just as George once depended on her.

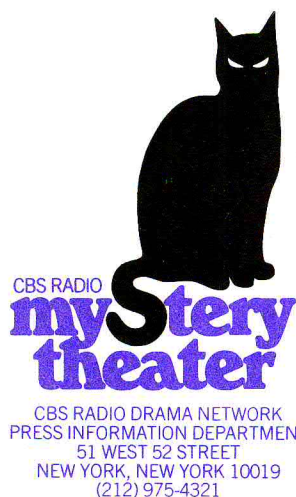
CAST:

Ted.....	TONY ROBERTS	Wilma.....	ROBERTA MAXWELL
George.....	Lee Richardson	Grace.....	Joan Shea

WRITER: Sam Dann

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June 14, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, July 5-9

(Please check local station for time.)

Monday, July 5

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Romance of Mary Oates", starring Roberta Maxwell with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The fatal scars of an older woman's first love give new meaning to the refrain "I Only Have Eyes for You".

When love first comes to lonely, middle-aged Mary Oates, the world seems rosy to her alone. For the first time in her life she's trying all kinds of new things -- including murder.

CAST:

Mary.....	ROBERTA MAXWELL	Burt.....	Paul Hecht
Father.....	Mandel Kramer	Mr. Becker.....	Robert Dryden

WRITER: Bob Juhren

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Tuesday, July 6

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "The Naval Treaty", starring Gordon Gould, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Famed super-sleuth, Sherlock Holmes, comes out of retirement to help a young British diplomat -- and recover a top-secret government document.

Young Percy Phelps is a bright, up-and-coming British diplomat who has been entrusted with a top-secret, multi-nation treaty. In a rare off-guard moment, the document is stolen, leaving Mr. Phelps in a state of shock. His only hope is to call Sherlock Holmes out of retirement to help solve the mystery of who stole the treaty -- and why.

CAST:

Sherlock Holmes.....	GORDON GOULD	Percy Phelps.....	Lloyd Battista
Dr. Watson.....	Bernard Grant	Anne Harrison.....	Carole Teitel

WRITER: Murray Burnett

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Wednesday, July 7

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Code Word: Caprice", starring Lloyd Battista and Bernard Grant with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Professional loyalties are suspect when one rig too many is hijacked from right under a company president's nose.

The Mercury Express Company hauls food and ammunition -- a hijacker's dream. One truck after another seems to be disappearing without a trace until supposedly honest employee Tom Tully turns in \$5,000, received for cooperating with the hijackers!

CAST:

Alan Harper.....	LLOYD BATTISTA	Jack Clark.....	BERNARD GRANT
Tom Tully.....	Earl Hammond	Yvette.....	Joyce Gordon

WRITER: Roy Windsor

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Thursday, July 8

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Widow Wonderland", starring Elspeth Eric and Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Three elderly widows plan revenge upon the charming gold digger who has duped them out of their hearts and fortunes.

Muffie Van Dreelan, Winnifred Croft and Rosie Harris are all wealthy, spirited widows, left alone in the prime of their lives. Augie Bishop, alias Andre Mercato, alias Armand Grenville, has succeeded in bilking these three lovely ladies out of their loneliness...and \$10,000 each. Detective Harry Warren is hot on Augie's trail -- but the ladies have a better idea of how to put this charming gold digger in his place.

CAST:

Muffie Van Dreelan.....	ELSPETH ERIC	Det. Harry Warren.....	FRED GWYNNE
Augustus Bishop.....	Earl Hammond	Rosie Harris.....	Evie Juster

WRITER: Steve Lehrman

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Friday, July 9

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Come Back Next Week" starring Teri Keane and Fred Gwynne with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Money, the root of all evil, wraps itself around an entire philanthropic enclave, choking more than one of its members.

Millionairess Emma Dawson sets out to avenge her husband's death. Convicted hit man Boomer cautiously introduces her to the alien world of crime but the cast of characters is surprisingly familiar to Emma.

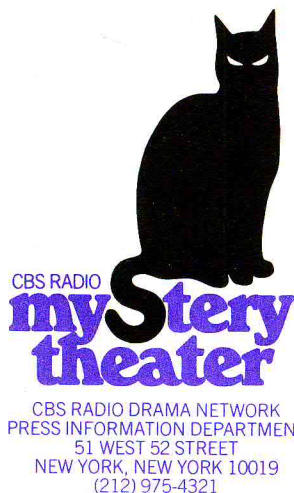
CAST:

Emma Dawson.....	TERI KEANE	Boomer.....	FRED GWYNNE
Carlotta.....	Evie Juster	Guard.....	Sam Gray

WRITER: Sam Dann

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June 7, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS

Monday-Friday, June 28-July 2

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Monday, June 28

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Escape to Prison", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A business-woman reopens the investigation into her husband's death, but her motives extend beyond just setting the record straight.

Cosmetics executive Liz Marlowe is up for a promotion and colleagues, friends, even her psychiatrist seem to be blocking it. Clearing up the mystery surrounding her husband's death would put Liz in a better bargaining position. She enlists the aid of the police, but in the process brings some long-buried secrets to the surface.

CAST:

Liz Marlowe.....MARIAN SELDES
Dr. Tom Souris.....Bernard Grant

Lt. Ted Risman.....Earl Hammond
Ruth, Rose.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Tuesday, June 29

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "On the Night of the Dead", starring John Vickery and Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A self-proclaimed god appears to a drought-ridden island with promises of relief and salvation.

Pentheus, the young Governor of an ancient Greek island, finds his people in the midst of a relentless drought. When all else fails, a "god" appears, seemingly from nowhere, with mysterious and miraculous powers. Is he really a god, sent to deliver the island from its scorching heat? Or is he merely a fraud, preying on the faith and desperation of a dying people? The answer spells madness -- and murder.

CAST:

Pentheus.....JOHN VICKERY
Woman.....Tracey Ellis

Agave.....MARIAN SELDES
Cadmus.....Earl Hammond

WRITER: Sam Dann

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Wednesday, June 30

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Killer Crab", starring Russell Horton, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Those timeless traits greed, jealousy and murder find their way into the twenty-third century.

Joe Harkness, a "down to earth" guy living on Planet Vivian doesn't seem to measure up to mate Ruth's ideals. Despite her desire to separate from Joe, Ruth insists on retaining her share of Joe's new weapon, K.C. What neither of them realize is the future price to be paid for this investment.

CAST:

Joe.....	RUSSELL HORTON	Ruth.....	Anne Williams
Sam.....	Mandel Kramer	Povar.....	Robert Dryden

WRITER: James Agate, Jr. * * *

Thursday, July 1

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "I Am the Killer", starring Keir Dullea, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young doctor searches for the killer of young mothers in the maternity ward of a Viennese hospital.

It is the mid-1800's. Dr. Ignatz Semmelweis is a young, brash and dedicated obstetrician in one of Vienna's largest hospitals. The patients of the doctors on Ward I are dying at an alarming rate. Yet, the midwives of Ward II boast of nearly no deaths at all. Obviously, there is a killer loose in Ward I! But who -- or what -- is killing these young women?

CAST:

Dr. Semmelweis.....	KEIR DULLEA	Dr. Klein.....	Mandel Kramer
Dr. Johann Ciari.....	Lloyd Battista	Vera.....	Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann * * *

Friday, July 2

(Time) -- WXXX, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, "Bring Back My Body" starring Kim Hunter, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An engineer becomes tormented by the nineteenth-century demons that possess her and only a twentieth-century can exorcise them.

Tabitha Riding, an educated, conservative engineer knows she must murder Spencer Whitlow, a man she's never heard of. She consults a psychiatrist to help unravel this mystery and, suddenly past, present and future collide openly as Tabitha and Spencer come face to face -- again.

CAST

Tabitha.....	KIM HUNTER	Doctor, Father.....	Bernie Grant
Mother, Ms. Dustan....	Carole Teitel	Spencer.....	Louis Turenne

WRITER: Sam Dann

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June 21, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 12:

MONDAY, JULY 12: "The Hand of Amnesia", starring Ralph Bell, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A poor cook's quick marriage to a wealthy matron makes him the prime suspect in this tale of disappearance and murder.

CAST:

Bill.....RALPH BELL	Anny.....Marian Seldes
Judith.....Carole Teitel	Foster.....Lloyd Battista
<u>WRITER:</u> G. Frederick Lewis	

TUESDAY, JULY 13: "Only A Woman", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A woman who fancies herself a goddess plots to rule the world. 4-7

CAST:

Semiramis.....MARIAN SELDES	Menon.....Norman Rose
Adarmalik.....Russell Horton	Ninus.....Ray Owens
<u>WRITER:</u> Sam Dann	

WEDNESDAY, JULY 14: "The Innocent Murderer", starring Tony Roberts, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Travelling the world cannot assuage the guilt of the sole Lincoln conspirator to escape capture...for now.

CAST:

John Seuratt.....TONY ROBERTS	Booth.....Gordon Gould
Conductor.....Robert Dryden	Henri.....Bob Kaliban
<u>WRITER:</u> James Agate, Jr.	

THURSDAY, JULY 15: "You Tell Me Your Dream", starring Michael Tolan, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Two strangers have the same dreams... in which one of them is being murdered. 4-9

CAST:

Ed Larsen.....MICHAEL TOLAN	Ginny Larsen.....Cynthia Adler
Mark Howgate.....Bob Kaliban	Bartender.....Mandel Kramer
<u>WRITER:</u> Bob Juhren	

FRIDAY, JULY 16: "The Great Catherine", starring hostess Tammy Grimes. The Hamlet plot springs to life when son and heir Paul discovers some ruthless dealings in the life of Catherine the Great.

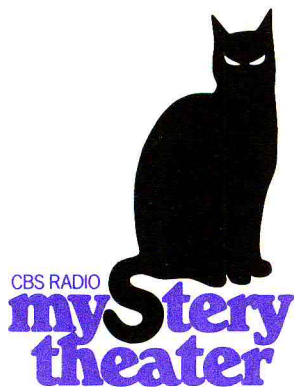
CAST:

Catherine.....TAMMY GRIMES	Paul.....Russell Horton
Olaf.....Bernard Grant	Panin.....Earl Hammond
<u>WRITER:</u> G. Frederick Lewis	

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June 28, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 19

Monday, July 19: "His Fourth Wife", starring Russell Horton, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An artist is hired to paint the portraits of two women -- one of whom Henry VIII will choose to become the next Queen of England.

CAST:

Hans Holbein.....	RUSSELL HORTON	Henry the VIII.....	Earl Hammond
Thomas Cromwell.....	Norman Rose	Anne of Cleves.....	Carole Teitel

WRITER: Sam Dann

Tuesday, July 20: "Formula Z -- The Protector", starring Patricia Elliot, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Formula Z -- a new wonder paint -- stirs up a batch of murder suspects in this tale of international intrigue.

CAST:

Lt. Webster.....	PATRICIA ELLIOT	Capt. Kohler.....	Mandel Kramer
Joe Buhler.....	Ray Owen	Lillian.....	Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

Wednesday, July 21: "The Visions of Sir Philip Sidney", starring Lee Richardson, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A war hero is haunted by bizarre visions, making him suspect that there is a plot in the works to drive him mad.

CAST:

Sir Philip Sidney.....	LEE RICHARDSON	Margaret Sidney.....	Cynthia Harris
Trevor Haight.....	Russell Horton	Inspector Graham.....	Court Benson

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

Thursday, July 22: "Yearbook", starring Evie Juster, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Walter Laszlo still lives up to his high school nickname "Ladykiller" -- but may be taking it all too seriously.

CAST:

Rose Rossman.....	EVIE JUSTER	Donald.....	Lloyd Battista
	Chief Reading.....		Sam Grey

WRITER: Douglas Dempsey

Friday, July 23: "Something To Live For", starring Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A retired detective saves a stranger from committing suicide, only to find that he is wanted by the police.

CAST:

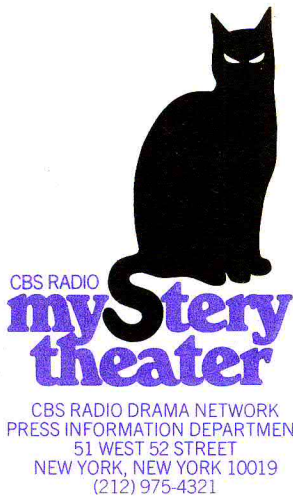
Gus Barstow.....	FRED GWYNNE	Jacob Kowalski.....	Earl Hammond
Anna Barstow.....	Jean Shea	Commissioner Murphy.....	Bernard Grant

WRITER: Karen Thorsen

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July 1, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 26:

MONDAY, JULY 26: "Shelter", starring Ralph Bell and Don Scardino, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The end of the world leaves three people within the confines of their air raid shelter, playing a crazy -- and deadly -- waiting game.

CAST:

Sloan Cunningham.....RALPH BELL	Warren Crisp.....DON SCARDINO
Petra Cunningham....Evie Juster	Denton Barnes.....Bob Kaliban

WRITER: Henry Slesar

TUESDAY, JULY 27: "Adolf and Eva", starring Roberta Maxwell and Louis Turenne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. The final days in the bunker come alive for Eva as she attains all she's wanted for 16 years.

CAST:

Eva Braun.....ROBERTA MAXWELL	Adolf Hitler.....LOUIS TURENNE
Martin Borden.....Robert Dryden	

WRITER: Sam Dann

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28: "The Jataka", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An expert in religious poetry finds herself steeped in mystery and murder when her mentor suddenly disappears.

CAST:

Geraldine MacElroy.....MARIAN SELDES	Jack Lowden.....Lloyd Battista
Inspector Selby.....Earl Hammond	

WRITER: Sam Dann

THURSDAY, JULY 29: "Mind Over Mind", starring Jada Rowland, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A young bank teller is accused of robbery until she becomes hypnotized and discovers that she's the one who's been robbed.

CAST:

The Girl.....JADA ROWLAND	The Teller.....Russell Horton
The Detective.....Bernard Grant	The Manager.....Earl Hammond

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

FRIDAY, July 30: "The Whimpering Pond", starring Norman Rose, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A strange illusion appears in the fog across the pond from a cabin where the former owner has mysteriously vanished.

CAST:

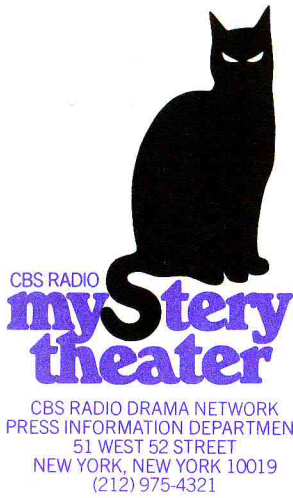
Sam Fowler.....NORMAN ROSE	Diana Brooks.....Evie Juster
Paul Brooks.....Mandel Kramer	Emmett Stark.....Ralph Bell

WRITER: Roy Winsor

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July 12, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 2

MONDAY, AUGUST 2: "The Hanging Sheriff", starring Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A sheriff, scheduled to hang a man convicted of murder, schemes to set him free.
CAST:
Sheriff Tom Bender.....FRED GWYNNE FrankBernard Grant
Sarah Bender.....Elspeth Eric Jud.....Russell Horton
WRITER: Bryce Walton

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3: "Redhead", starring Fred Gwynne, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. When a has-been prize fighter sees red, he's driven to knock out his opponents -- innocent redheads he's never met.
CAST:
Harry.....FRED GWYNNE Alice.....Carole Teitel
Joey.....Mandel Kramer
WRITER: Sam Dann

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4: "The Ghost of Andersonville", starring Tony Roberts, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. A Civil War major, just released from the southern prison camp at Andersonville, returns north to confront his former commander only to find himself in shackles again.
CAST:
Major Calvin Russell.....TONY ROBERTS Mrs. Mary Cutler.....Teri Keane
General Benjamin Cutler.....Bob Kaliban Tim Forres.....Keir Dullea
WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5: "Murder by Decree", starring Marian Seldes, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. Henry VIII's second wife, Ann Boleyn, cannot give him the son he wants so desperately, leading the King to contrive a plan to do away with his Queen.
CAST:
Ann Boleyn.....MARIAN SELDES Henry VIII.....Earl Hammond
Norfolk.....Bernard Grant Rosalind.....Carole Teitel
WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6: "The Last Duel", starring Lee Richardson, with Tammy Grimes, hostess. An unfinished duel becomes an obsession with a British officer, who is determined to complete it many years later.
CAST:
Captain Nicholson.....LEE RICHARDSON Colonel Sergio.....Bernard Grant
Lieutenant Lawrence.....Russell Horton Marta.....Teri Keane
WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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MOTHER-DAUGHTER ACTRESSES TAMMY GRIMES, AMANDA PLUMMER PLAY TWO GENERATIONS

IN LIFE OF CATHERINE THE GREAT ON 'CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER'

Two-time Tony winner Tammy Grimes plays the title role in the Friday, July 16, CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER broadcast "The Great Catherine", picking up where Tony-winning daughter Amanda Plummer left off in a portrayal of the queen's early life in "To Be An Empress", broadcast in January on the CBS Radio Drama Network.

"There is a great deal of similarity between the life of Catherine and that of my daughter and me," notes Grimes, hostess and featured performer of the radio drama series, now in its ninth season. "She was passionate about art, culture and music and took her role in society very seriously."

Though they did not record together, the actresses delighted in working on the same project, expressing hopes of being able to share the stage the next time around.

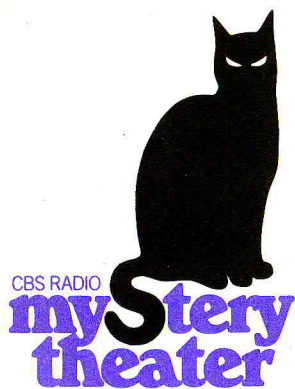
Himan Brown, producer of MYSTERY THEATER, explains his casting: "When Catherine married and became a Tzarina, an older woman's voice was needed. It was only natural for Amanda's mother to play the part. Tammy and Amanda bring the right amounts of stateliness and, more importantly, humanity to the character of this great leader."

Future projects: Mother and daughter hope so, and Tammy sums up the feeling for them both: "It's always nice to work with a great actress."

CBS RADIO MYSTERY THEATER, broadcast Monday-through-Friday on the CBS Radio Network, is heard on some 300 stations and the Armed Forces Radio Network. The series began in January 1974.

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July 26, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 16

MONDAY, August 16: "Tourist Trap", starring Paul Hecht and presented by Tammy Grimes. A vacationing couple get lost on their way to a cabin -- only to find that they're held hostage in a sibylline village.

CAST:

Harry Meeker.....PAUL HECHT

Hollis McAllister..... Earl Hammond

Ruth Meeker.....Teri Keane

Kay McAllister.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Douglas Dempsey

TUESDAY, August 17: "Famous Last Words", starring Kim Hunter and presented by Tammy Grimes. A respected engineer's credibility is questioned when she insists on having seen a dead body on a deserted street.

CAST:

Irma.....KIM HUNTER

Lew.....Mandel Kramer

Dozier.....Bob Dryden

WRITER: Sam Dann

WEDNESDAY, August 18: "The Wound That Would Not Heal", starring Ralph Bell and presented by Tammy Grimes. A man is haunted by the voice of his murdered lover -- convincing him that he is the murderer.

CAST:

Mark Foresight.....RALPH BELL

Sergeant Gentry.....Bernie Grant

Carol Foresight.....Cynthia Adler

WRITER: Sidney Slon

THURSDAY, August 19: "Eleanora", starring Marian Seldes and presented by Tammy Grimes. A secret society persuades a famous actress to become a member and causes her to play the most deadly role of her career.

CAST:

Eleanora.....MARIAN SELDES

Max.....Earl Hammond

Misha.....Lloyd Battista

Mrs. Fiske.....Evie Juster

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

FRIDAY, August 20: "The Hills of Arias", starring Mandel Kramer and presented by Tammy Grimes. A retired revolutionary is pressed back into service by his 20-year-old godson and the spirit of his dead wife.

CAST:

Francisco Canoyas.....MANDEL KRAMER

Emily.....Marian Seldes

Dr. Kurtz.....Ray Owens

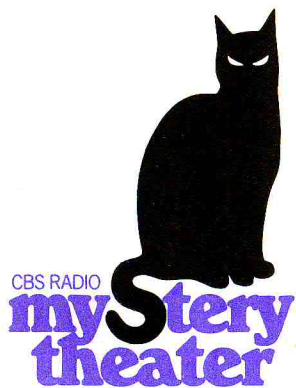
Cypriano.....Bob Kaliban

WRITER: Sam Dann

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August 2, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 23

MONDAY, AUGUST 23: "The Imperfect Crime", starring Russell Horton and presented by Tammy Grimes. The investigation into a routine hit and run death turns up evidence that the victim may have been the target of an ingeniously calculated murder plot.

CAST:

Inspector Charles Allan.....RUSSELL HORTON Matilda Allan.....Carole Teitel
Cornelius Spry.....Robert Dryden

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24: "Funeral Without a Corpse", starring Norman Rose and presented by Tammy Grimes. Ghosts from the past return to haunt a gubernatorial hopeful, putting his career and his marriage in peril.

CAST:

Richard.....NORMAN ROSE Pauline.....Teri Keane
Max.....Bernard Grant Mack.....Ray Owens

WRITER: Sidney Slon

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25: "The Brooch", starring Paul Hecht and Patricia Elliott and presented by Tammy Grimes. A young governess is falsely accused of theft when a valuable brooch is discovered missing from her employer's jewel box, in this story adapted from Chekov.

CAST:

Andrei.....PAUL HECHT Mashenka.....PATRICIA ELLIOTT
Igor.....Earl Hammond Fedosya.....Ann Seymour

WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26: "Barn Burner", starring Patricia Elliott and Russell Horton and presented by Tammy Grimes. There's more to horse racing than training thoroughbreds as two down-and-out equestrians quickly discover.

CAST:

Jodie.....PATRICIA ELLIOTT Jed.....RUSSELL HORTON
Skeeter.....Ralph Bell Doc Townsend.....Robert Dryden

WRITER: Steve Lehrman

FRIDAY, AUGUST 27: "The 'Different' People", starring Kristoffer Tabori and presented by Tammy Grimes. A young anthropologist believes that he has discovered the secret of an extraordinarily prolonged life.

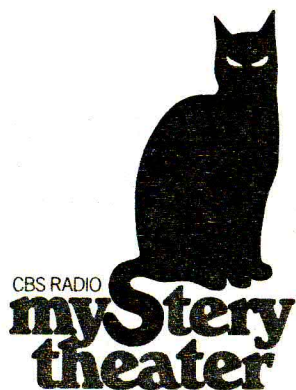
CAST:

Bick Bixby.....KRISTOFFER TABORI Susannah Partridge.....Jada Rowland
Timothy Partridge.....Arnold Moss Jerry Hansen.....Russell Horton

WRITER: Arnold Moss

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August 9, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 30

Monday, Aug. 30: "Your Desires, My Guilt", starring Norman Rose and presented by Tammy Grimes. A couple wish for everything they ever wanted — only to discover the hard way that what they really wanted was something they had all along.

CAST:

Maurice.....NORMAN ROSE Ursula.....Teri Keane
Dorothy.....Elspeth Eric

WRITER: Sam Dann

Tuesday, Aug. 31: "How Do You Like Those Apples?", starring Mandel Kramer and Carole Teitel and presented by Tammy Grimes. An unfaithful husband gets his just desserts when a recurring nightmare suddenly becomes true.

CAST:

John Crosswell.....MANDEL KRAMER Louise Crosswell.....CAROLE TEITEL
Jane.....Cynthia Adler Prof. Tolliver.....Bob Kaliban

WRITER: Sam Dann

Wednesday, Sept. 1: "Why is This Lady Smiling?", starring John Vickery and presented by Tammy Grimes. Da Vinci's Mona Lisa is shunned by her husband when the artist displays the commissioned portrait to him and his friends.

CAST:

Leonardo Da Vinci.....JOHN VICKERY Mona Lisa Del Giocondo.....Diana Kirkwood
Zanobi Del Giocondo.....Bernard Grant

WRITER: Sam Dann

Thursday, Sept. 2: "The Rim of Eternity", starring Larry Haines and presented by Tammy Grimes. The solving of a seemingly routine murder drastically changes the life of a down-and-out journalist.

CAST:

Joe Morris.....LARRY HAINES Mr. Kaufman.....Mandel Kramer
Elaine Starky.....Evie Juster

WRITER: Sam Dann

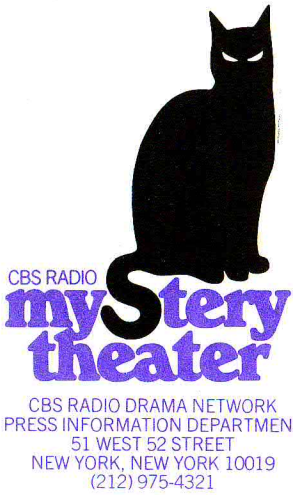
Friday, Sept. 3: "The Chess Master", starring Paul Hecht and Fred Gwynne and presented by Tammy Grimes. A simple game of chess leads a young advertising executive into the middle of a dangerous game of chance -- and the stakes are murderously high.

CAST:

Charley Williams.....PAUL HECHT Chesman.....FRED GWYNNE
Susan Williams.....Lamis Farris Ben Bradley.....Russell Horton

WRITER: Murray Burnett

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August 16, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 6

Monday, Sept. 6: "Lady Macbeth at the Zoo", starring Larry Haines and presented by Tammy Grimes. A couple of prize apes at the Bronx Zoo overhear a murder plot -- and are determined to bring the perpetrators to justice.

CAST:

Waldo.....LARRY HAINES Carl.....Earl Hammond
Martha.....Teri Keane Edna.....Evie Juster
WRITER: Sam Dann

Tuesday, Sept. 7: "Scenes from a Murder", starring Russell Horton and presented by Tammy Grimes. A poor student commits a heinous crime in a far-fetched attempt to better himself only to find he is tormented by self-induced punishment, in this adaptation of Dostoyevsky's "Crime and Punishment."

CAST:

Raskolnikov.....RUSSELL HORTON Mother.....Joan Shea
Alyona.....Carole Teitel Pestrakov.....Earl Hammond
WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

Wednesday, Sept. 8: "Two Times Dead", starring Lloyd Battista and presented by Tammy Grimes. A wealthy blind man's ne're-do-well nephew is found murdered -- but the accused murderer claims that he's really the victim.

CAST:

Ezra Harper.....LLOYD BATTISTA Nathaniel Pollister.....Ray Owens
Chadwick Pollister.....Bernard Grant Lydia.....Carole Teitel
WRITER: Sam Dann

Thursday, Sept. 9: "The Riddle", starring Patricia Elliot and Lloyd Battista and presented by Tammy Grimes. An enterprising young couple helps an old woman come to terms with her past, solving a riddle that dates back to her childhood.

CAST:

Penelope.....PATRICIA ELLIOT Barton.....LLOYD BATTISTA
Alicia.....Elsbeth Eric
WRITER: Karen Thorsen

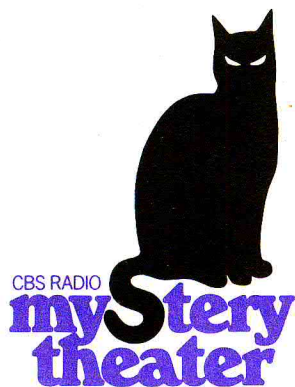
Friday, Sept. 10: "My First Rouge", starring Bob Kaliban and Lee Richardson and presented by Tammy Grimes. A master thief manages to continue to practice his profession from prison, in this story adapted from Maurice LeBlanc.

CAST:

Arsene Lupin.....LEE RICHARDSON Maurice LeBlanc.....BOB KALIBAN
Robert.....Louis Turenne Marcel.....Robert Dryden
WRITER: G. Frederic Lewis

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August 23, 1982

HIGHLIGHT LISTINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 13

Monday, Sept. 13: "The Woman Who Wanted to Live", starring Larry Haines and Roberta Maxwell and presented by Tammy Grimes. A woman helps an escaped convict evade capture and holds on to a secret from her past.

CAST:

Ray Bardon.....	LARRY HAINES	Lisa.....	ROBERTA MAXWELL
	Freddy.....		Russell Horton

WRITER: Bryce Walton

Tuesday, Sept. 14: "The Forbidden House", starring Tony Roberts and Diana Kirkwood and presented by Tammy Grimes. A wandering circus attendant is drawn to a small unassuming house and refuses to leave until the town's aging doctor reveals the truth about him.

CAST:

Charles.....	TONY ROBERTS	Ellen.....	DIANA KIRKWOOD
Visitor.....	Bernard Grant	Doctor.....	Robert Dryden

WRITER: Elspeth Eric

Wednesday, Sept. 15: "A Most Dangerous Animal", starring Fred Gwynne and presented by Tammy Grimes. A ruthless heavyweight boxer, who keeps in shape by practicing his "art" on his estranged wife, is challenged by the woman's slight-yet-crafty lover.

CAST:

Tiger Vincent.....	FRED GWYNNE	Dusty.....	Robert Dryden
Laurie Vincent.....	Teri Keane	Jack Huggins.....	Mandel Kramer

WRITER: Sidney Slon

Thursday, Sept. 16: "Two Sisters", starring Marian Seldes and Patricia Elliot and presented by Tammy Grimes. Murder does not quell the turbulence between two sisters -- it simply leads to the undoing of them both.

CAST:

Samantha.....	MARIAN SELDES	Sophia.....	PATRICIA ELLIOT
	James Parker.....		Earl Hammond

WRITER: Sam Dann

Friday, Sept. 17: "The Fifth Man", starring Norman Rose and presented by Tammy Grimes. A Soviet agent, planted high in British government, meets with sudden--and violent--death.

CAST:

Everett Parker.....	NORMAN ROSE	Karl Carson.....	Lloyd Battista
William Jackson.....	Bernard Grant	Frances Jackson.....	Marian Seldes

WRITER: James Agate, Jr.

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