

**WHUB SIXTH ANNIVERSARY**  
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**WHUB CELEBRATES ITS SIXTH ANNIVERSARY WITH SATURDAY JAMBOREE**

Radio Station WHUB will celebrate its sixth anniversary Saturday with special programs and a free 'jamboree' in the City School auditorium beginning at 7:45 o'clock that night, it was announced this week by Luke Medley, president.

Most of the local talent heard over the station will be present during the two-hour show. Those who attend will see Jimmy Brown and his Santa Fe Pals, Mason Parham, and the Cumberland Mountain Boys and Girls, **Gene Bussell and his Playboys**, and the Dixie Drifters. Other variety acts will feature the show. There will be no admission charge, Medley said, and a portion of the programs will be broadcast.

It was July 20, 1940, when WHUB broadcast its first scheduled program and since then the "Voice of the Upper Cumberland" has been a daily visitor in many homes in this area.

Approximately four years later, the station became an affiliate of the Columbia Broadcasting System and has been able to bring star performers, famous news personalities and events into local homes. The fall radio season will bring many new stars as well as the old and familiar names to the air, Medley said.

Elsewhere in the Herald, a statement by WHUB owners declares: "We have attempted to truly be the 'Voice of the Upper Cumberland,' whether it be to bring you the announcement of an all-day singing at a country church or 'Operation Crossroads' at Bikini on the other side of the world."

During the six years of operation, the station has originated broadcasts from most of the towns in the Upper Cumberland and remote broadcasts have been made from out-of-state points by its staff. Lack of telephone circuits during the war up to now have made it difficult to originate such broadcasts, Medley reminded, but said that soon they hope to resume the policy of taking the microphones to points and events of interest. As soon as available, new equipment is being added that will make it possible for WHUB to originate broadcasts from points heretofore inaccessible because of the absence of power and telephone circuits, it was added.

WHUB has always offered the use of the station and its facilities to civic organizations and religious groups. Sermons of local churches which have desired to take advantage of the privilege have been carried over the station.

Farm news and livestock market reports are presented daily. The county agent and home demonstration agent are heard regularly in a program offering timely advice to the farmer and homemaker.

Other station officials besides Medley and Joe C. Mabry, who returned from military service in the Navy in May, station director; Hubert Beasley, chief engineer. Others on the staff include Jese Beasley, Lawrence and Anne Peery, Tom Harris, Stacey Mott, Royce Richards, Charles Burch, and Claude Haston.

\*Read more about the History of WHUB and Putnam Co., TN at: <http://www.ajlambert.com>