

- 1 **It Don't Mean a Thing (If It Ain't Got That Swing)** (*Edward Kennedy Ellington*) 3:13  
**Duke Ellington** (1899-1974) and His Orchestra: Arthur Whetsol, Freddie Jenkins, Cootie Williams-tp; Joe Nanton, Lawrence Brown-tb; Juan Tizol-vtb; Johnny Hodges-as,ss; Barney Bigard-ts,cl; Harry Carney-bs,as,cl; **Duke Ellington-p, arr**; Fred Guy-bjo; Wellman Braud-b; Sonny Greer-dr; Ivie Anderson-voc.  
 New York, February 2, 1932. Brunswick 6265.
- 2 **Christopher Columbus** (*Berry-Razaf*) 3:04  
**Fletcher Henderson** (1898-1052) Orchestra: Dick Vance, Joe Thomas, Roy Eldridge-tp; Fernando Arbello, Ed Cuffee-tb; Buster Bailey-cl, as; Scoops Carey-as; Elmer Williams, Chu Berry-ts; **Horace Henderson-p, arr**; Bob Lessey-g; John Kirby-b; Sidney Catlett-dr.  
 Chicago, March 27, 1936. Vocalion/Okeh 3211.
- 3 **Rhythm of the Tambourine** (*David Franklin*) 2:41  
 Fletcher Henderson Orchestra: Dick Vance, Russell Smith, Emmett Berry-tp; George Washington, Ed Cuffee, J.C.Higginbotham-tb; Jerry Blake-cl,as; Elmer Williams, Chu Berry-ts; Lawrence Lucie-g; Israel Crosby-b; Walter Johnson-dr; **Benny Carter-arr**.  
 New York, March 2, 1937. Vocalion 3487.
- 4 **Lady Be Good** (*George Gershwin*) 3:08  
**Jones-Smith Incorporated**: Count Basie-p,leader; Carl Smith-tp; Lester Young-ts; Walter Page-b; Jo Jones-dr (head arrangement).  
 Chicago, October 9, 1936. Vocalion 3459.
- 5 **One O'Clock Jump** (*William "Count" Basie*) 3:03  
**Count Basie** (1904-1984) Orchestra: Buck Clayton, Ed Lewis, Bobby Moore-tp; George Hunt, Dan Minor-tb; Earl Warren-as; Jack Washington-as,bs; Herschel Evans, Lester Young-ts; Count Basie-p; Freddie Green-g; Walter Page-b; Jo Jones-dr; **Buster Smith-arr**.  
 New York, July 7, 1937. Decca 1363.
- 6 **Sugarfoot Stomp** (*Oliver-Armstrong*) 3:01  
**Benny Goodman** (1909-1986) Orchestra: Harry James, Ziggy Elman, Gordon Griffin-tp; Red Ballard, Murray McEachern-tb; Benny Goodman-cl; Hymie Schertzer, George Koenig-as; Arthur Rollini, Vido Musso-ts; Jess Stacy-p; Allan Reuss-g; Harry Goodman-b; Gene Krupa-dr; **Fletcher Henderson-arr**.  
 Hollywood, September 6, 1937. Victor 25678.
- 7 **Avalon** (*Buddy DeSylva-Al Jolson-Vincent Rose*) 2:45  
**Benny Goodman Quartet**: Benny Goodman-cl; Lionel Hampton-vib; Teddy Wilson-p; Gene Krupa-dr.  
 Hollywood, July 30, 1937. Victor 25644.
- 8 **I Found a New Baby** (*Jack Palmer-Spencer Williams*) 2:59  
**Benny Goodman Sextet**: Benny Goodman-cl; Cootie Williams-tp; Georgie Auld-ts; Count Basie-p; Charlie Christian-el.g; Artie Bernstein-b; Jo Jones-dr.  
 New York, January 15, 1941. Columbia 36039.
- 9 **Skyliner** (*Charlie Barnet*) 3:02  
**Charlie Barnet** (1913-1991) Orchestra: Herbert "Peanuts" Holland, Johnny Martel, Jack Mootz, Lyman Vunk-tp; Charles Coolidge, Gerald Foster, Dave Hallet, Burt Johnson-tb; **Charlie Barnet-as,ss,ts,arr**; **Billy May-arr**; Harold Harzone, Joe Meisner-as; Kurt Bloom, Ed Pripps-ts; Bob Poland-bs; Dodo Marmarosa-p; Barney Kessel-g; Howard Rumsey-b; Harold Hahn-dr.

Los Angeles, August 3, 1944. Decca 18659.

- 10 I'm Getting Sentimental Over You** (*George Bassman*) 4:27  
**Tommy Dorsey** (1905-1956) Orchestra: Andy Ferretti, Sterling Bose, Bill Graham, Cliff Weston-tp; Tommy Dorsey, Ben Pickering, Dave Jacobs-tb; Sid Stoneburn-cl,as; **Noni Bernardi-as, arr**; Clyde Rounds-as,ts; Johnny van Eps-tp; Paul Mitchell-p; Mac Cheikes-g; Gene Traxler-b; Sam Rosen-dr.  
New York, October 18, 1935. Victor 25236.
- 11 Woodchopper's Ball** (*Woody Herman-Joe Bishop*) 3:16  
**Woody Herman** (1913-1987) Orchestra: Clarence Willard, Steady Nelson, Mac MacQuordale-tp; Joe Bishop-fh; Neal Reid-tb; Woody Herman-cl; Joe Estren, Ray Hopfner-as; Saxie Mansfield, Pete Johnson-ts; Tommy Linehan-p; Hy White-g; Walter Yoder-b; Frank Carlson-dr; **Joe Bishop-arr**.  
New York, April 12, 1939. Decca 2440.
- 12 Ciribiribin** (*Alberto Pestalozza*) 2:32  
**Harry James** (1916-1983) Orchestra: Harry James, Tommy Gonsoulin, Claude Bowen, Jack Palmer-tp; Russell Brown, Truett Jones-tb; Dave Matthews, Claude Lakey-as; Drew Page, Bill Luther-ts; Jack Gardner-p; Bryan Kent-g; Thurman Teague-b; Ralph Hawkins-dr  
New York, February 20, 1939. Brunswick 8327.
- 13 Tom Boy** (*Manny Kurtz-Red Norvo*) 2:43  
**Red Norvo** (1908-1999) and his Swing Septet: Red Norvo-xy; Jack Jenney-tb; Artie Shaw-cl; Charlie Barnet-ts; Teddy Wilson-p; Bobby Johnson-g; Wahnk Wayland-b; Bill Gussak-dr.  
New York, October 4, 1934. Columbia 2977-D.
- 14 Minnie the Moocher** (*Cab Calloway-Clarence Gaskill*) 3:15  
**Cab Calloway** (1907-1994) Orchestra: Jonah Jones, Russell Smith, Shad Collins, Lammar Wright-tp; Tyree Glenn-tb,vib; Quentin Jackson, Keg Johnson-tb; Jerry Blake-cl,as; Hilton Jefferson-as; Andrew Brown-as,bs; Walter Thomas, Ted McRae-ts; Bennie Payne-p; Danny Barker-g; Milton Hinton-b; Cozy Cole-dr; Andy Gibson, Buster Harding-arr; Cab Calloway-voc.  
Chicago, February 2, 1942. OKeh 6634.
- 15 Organ Grinder Swing** (*Will Hudson*) 2:40  
**Jimmie Lunceford** (1902-1947) Orchestra: Eddie Tompkins, Paul Webster-tp; **Sy Oliver-arr,tp**; Elmer Crumbley, Russell Bowles-tb; Eddie Durham-tb,g; Willie Smith-cl,as,bs; Laforet Dent-as; Dan Grissom-cl,as; Earl Carruthers-cl,as,bs; Joe Thomas-cl,ts; Edwin Wilcox-p,celesta; Al Norris-g; Moses Allen-b; Jimmy Crawford-dr.  
New York, August 31, 1936. Decca 908.
- 16 Liza** (*George Gershwin*) 2:41  
**Chick Webb** (1909-1939) Orchestra: Mario Bauza, Bobby Stark, Taft Jordan-tp; Sandy Williams, Nat Story-tb; Chauncey Haughton-cl,as; Louis Jordan-as; Ted McRae-ts; Wayman Carver-ts,fl; Tommy Fulford-p; Bobby Johnson-g; Beverley Peer-b; Chick Webb-dr; **Benny Carter-arr**.  
New York, May 3, 1938. Decca 1840.
- 17 Drummin' Man** (*Tiny Parham-Gene Krupa*) 3:02  
**Gene Krupa** (1909-1973) Orchestra: Corky Cornelius, Torg Halten, Nate Kazebier-tp; Al Jordan, Floyd O'Brien, Sid Brantley-tb; Bob Snyder, Clint Neagley-as; Sam Musiker, Sam Donahue-ts; Tony D'Amore-p; Ray Biondi-g; Biddy Bastien-b; Gene Krupa-dr; **Fred Norman-arr**.  
Chicago, November 2, 1939. Columbia 35324.