

a couple of reporters on a metro-
he new, drama series, "City Desk,"
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rtray the star reporting team are
d of a hot tip on a big news story.

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S. Johnson on FDR's 'Plan Tonight

Pres. Roosevelt's proposal to aid
the allies with a "lend-lease" pro-
gram will be the topic of tonight's
America's Town Meeting of the
Air at 8:35 through WENR. Gen.
Hugh S. Johnson and Dr. Frank
Kingdon, of the Defend America
by Aiding the Allies group, will
head the discussion entitled,
"Should We Adopt the President's
Lend-Lease Plan."

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Other outstanding programs for
tonight and Thursdaytime follow,
classified:

Variety

7 p. m. — **Baby Snooks** (WIBA,
WMAQ): daddy has his troubles.

7:30 p. m. — **In Chicago Tonight**
(WGN): with Gertrude Niesen, ex-
otic singer, Gene Krupa, drummer,
Gypsy Rose Lee, strip-teaser, and
the Ink Spots.

8 p. m. — **Bing Crosby** (WIBA,
WMAQ): Walter Pidgeon, film
star, Benny Rubin, comedian, and
Duke Ellington, band leader,
guests.

9 p. m. — **Rudy Vallee** (WIBA,
WMAQ): with Orson Welles com-
peting against John Barrymore.

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Musical

7:30 p. m. — **Tommy Dorsey**
(WLS): Fred Uttal, nem m-c.

9:30 p. m. — **Chicago Symphony**
orchestra (WGN): under the direc-
tion of Dr. Frederick Stock . . .
Musical Americana (WMAQ):
Richard Bonelli, baritone, and Kay
Thompson, songstress, guests.

12 p. m. — **Music You Want When**
You Want It (WENR): Strauss'
"Don Quixote" played by Eugene
Ormandy and the Philadelphia or-
chestra.

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Drama

7:30 p. m. — **Henry Aldrich**
(WMAQ): praise for being persist-
ent.

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Fridaytime

11:30 a. m. — **National Farm and**
Home Hour (WIBA, WMAQ):
progress in research.

1:30 p. m. — **Music Appreciation**
(WIBA): the story of the over-
ture: Weber's "Freischutz" over-
ture to "Mignon" by Thomas.

2:15 p. m. — **Philadelphia Orches-**
tra (WGN): premiere of Harl Mc-
Donald's concerto for harp and or-
chestra, "From Childhood."

3:45 p. m. — **Edgar A. Guest**
(WENR): Eddy Howard sings
"Practice Makes Perfect" and "I
Give You My Word."

News in English: Overture by Pongracz

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