

Breaks Thursday Radio Networks

Pres. Roosevelt will deliver his annual Christmas message to the nation over the radio networks on Thursday, but in accordance with wartime custom he has not announced the hour.

Here are tonight's attractions:

Music

8:30 p. m.—Spotlight Bands (WENR): Sammy Kaye.

9 p. m.—Great Moments in Music (WBBM): Jean Tennyson, soprano; Jan Peerce, tenor; Robert Weede, baritone; Joseph Fuchs, violinist; George Sebastian's orchestra and chorus; prelude to Act 3, "Lohengrin," Wagner; "Ave Maria," Bach-Gounod; "Oh, Silent Night;" "Nazareth;" "The First Noel;" "Serenade," Schubert; "Holy Night."

10:30 p. m.—Masterworks of Music (WIBA): "Peter and the Wolf," with Basil Rathbone as narrator.

12 p. m.—Music You Want (WENR): portions of Dvorak's "Symphony No. 5."

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Drama

7:30 p. m.—Dr. Christian (WBBM): Jean Hersholt in "Outside of Heaven."

8:30 p. m.—Mr. District Attorney (WIBA): "The Case of the Zoot Suit Killer."

11:15 p. m.—Author's Playhouse (WMAQ): "The Cricket on the Hearth."

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Variety

8 p. m.—Eddie Cantor (WIBA): with Ida Lupino, Dinah Shore, Hatty McDaniel, Bert Gordon, Harry Von Zell.

8:30 p. m.—Jack Pearl (WGN): plus Morton Gould's Christmas music.

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Thursdaytime

11 a. m.—William Pfelffer (WHA): "The Story of Christmas Carolry."

3 p. m.—War Department Christmas Party (WIBA): Army Air forces band, army chaplain, thousands of employes—from messengers to generals.

4:45 p. m.—The Story of Christmas (WHA): Walter Kay, narrator; carols by Vesper singers.