

What's on the Air

His Friends Will Pay Tribute to Benet in Program Tonight

Some of the closest friends of the late Stephen Vincent Benet, poet who dedicated his life to the cause of freedom, will pay tribute to his memory in a special broadcast at 6 tonight over WIBA.

Among them will be Deems Taylor, composer and critic; Maj. Raymond Massey, actor, and Helen Hayes, actress. The narrative, prepared by Taylor, will include selections from many of his works, including the prayer for the United Nations which Pres. Roosevelt used in his 1942 Flag day address.

Other features tonight:

Music

7:15 p. m. — **Boston Symphony** (WCFL): Serge Koussevitzky, conductor; "Brandenburg Concerto in G Major," Bach; "Variations on a Theme by Haydn," Brahms; "Don Juan," Strauss.

8 p. m. — **Theater of the Air** (WGN): Attilio Baggio, Marion Claire, others; "The Erl King," "Perfidia," "The Night Was Made for Love," "Voices of Spring."

8:30 p. m. — **Spotlight Bands** (WLS): Raymond Paige, Morton Downey.

8:45 p. m. — **Saturday Night Serenade** (WBBM): Jessica Dragonette, others; "Romance" from "The Desert Song," "Sympathy," "As Time Goes By."

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Sports

9 p. m. — **Bill Stern** (WIBA): and Madeleine Carroll.

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Discussion

10:30 p. m. — **People's Platform** (WBBM): Sen. Robert A. Taft (R.-Ohio) on "The United States in a Post-War World."



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Drama

6:30 p. m. — **Ellery Queen** (WMAQ): "The Adventure of Pharaoh Jones' Last Case," story of a forgotten manuscript.

8 p. m. — **Hollywood Theater** (WMAQ) Hanley Stafford as a bashful police captain in "The Courtship of Miles Sheenhan."

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Variety

8 p. m. — **Barn Dance** (WLS): at Great Lakes Naval Training station.

9:15 p. m. — **Groucho Marx** (WBBM): and Reginald Gardiner.

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Miscellaneous

9:15 p. m. — **Impressions of WAAC** (WIBA): Rex Stout, Katherine Bruch, Alice Hughes, Russell Crouse, Marine Sgt. Bill Caldwell.