

Radio Highlights for Today

Religion

9 a. m. — **National Radio Pulpit** (WMAQ): "The Gift of Peace," Dr. Ralph W. Sockman . . . **Church of the Air** (WBBM): Dr. Robert B. Whyte of Cleveland, O., "The Christmas Consolation."

11 a. m. — **People's Church** (WJJD): Dr. Preston Bradley, "Stars Never Go Out."

5 p. m. — **Catholic Hour** (WMAQ): the Rev. John Carter Smyth of Catholic University of America.

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Discussion

11 a. m. — **World Front** (WMAQ): Chester Tobin, authority on Asia Minor, guest; discussion on Turkey's role in the war . . . **Invitation to Learning** (WBBM): scholars discuss Hans Christian Andersen's fairy tales.

12:15 p. m. — **Labor for Victory** (WMAQ): "Who Is to Blame for Low White Collar Salaries?" Abram Flaxer, president of State, County and Municipal Workers of America; Lewis Merrill, president of United Office and Professional Workers of America; Milton Murray, president, American Newspaper Guild; Eleanor Nelson, general secretary of United Federal Workers of America; Samuel Wolchuck, president, United Retail and Wholesale Employes of America.

1:45 p. m. — **Backgrounds of Today's Events** (WHA): Clark M. Eichelberger, former head of several organizations aiming at international cooperation, will urge United Nations unity.

2 p. m. — **Rationing Report** (WMAQ): guest, Rear Adm. Emory S. Land, chairman of U. S. Maritime commission and head of War Shipping Administration.

3:30 p. m. — **University Forum** (WHA): "Should Madison Purchase Its Gas and Electric Utility?" Ald. Stuart H. Becker and W. A. Hastings; Floyd E. Wheeler, Madison attorney; and Prof. A. C. Garnett.

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Sports

1:15 p. m. — **Football** (WIND): Washington Redskins vs. New York Giants.

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Miscellaneous

11:30 a. m. — **Transatlantic Call** (WBBM): "Christmas Pantomime," features special Yuletide program from Yorkshire, England.

12:30 p. m. — **Victory is Our Business** (WGN): all-music program of patriotic songs written by war workers.

1:15 p. m. — **Distinguished Guest Hour** (WGN): Luther S. H. Gable, radium engineer.

1:30 p. m. — **Citizens of Tomorrow** (WGN): 4,000 high school students join in Christmas carol sing.

3:30 p. m. — **Lands of the Free** (WMAQ): "The President's Fair Employment Practice Committee," with guest speaker, A. L. Foster, executive secretary of Chicago Urban League.

7 p. m. — **Mediation Board** (WGN): Ben Hecht, author; Lewis

E. Lawes, former warden of Sing Sing prison; and the Rev. Ralph Emerson Davis.

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Music

10:05 a. m. — **Bluejacket Choir** (WBBM): "Cantique Noel," "I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas," "Silent Night," "The First Noel."

11:30 a. m. — **Paul Lavalle Orchestra** (WMAQ): "Where or When," Paderewski's "Minuet," Bach-Gounod "Ave Maria," "The Sweetest Story Ever Told."

12:45 p. m. — **Curt Massey** (WBBM): Patti Clayton and Malone sisters, guests; "Night and Day," "Couldn't Sleep a Wink Last Night," "My Heart Tells Me," "White Christmas."

1:30 p. m. — **John Charles Thomas** (WIBA): "Angus McDonald," "So Long Mary," "Rancho Grande," "Once to Every Heart."

2 p. m. — **N. Y. Philharmonic** (WBBM): soloist, Albert Spalding, violinist, in "Violin Concerto in D Major," Beethoven; "For the Fallen," new work by Bernard Herrmann; Brahms' "Variations on a Theme by Haydn."

3:30 p. m. — **Andre Kostelanetz** (WBBM): Albert Spalding, violinist, and Leonard Warren, baritone; "Waltz of the Flowers," Schubert's "Ave Maria," "Snow White Fantasy," "The Lord's Prayer," Christmas carols. . . **Opera Auditions** (WENR): Lorraine Tommerson, lyric coloratura, and William Hargrave, bass baritone, contestants; "Gavotte" from "Manon," "Summertime" from "Porgy and Bess," "Corti Grani Vil Razza" from "Rigoletto," and "Bess You Is My Woman" from "Porgy and Bess."

4 p. m. **Family Hour** (WBBM): "Cantique de Noel," "Jingle Bells," "O Promise Me," "White Christmas," "Silent Night." . . . **NBC Symphony** (WIBA): Russian Christmas music; excerpts from "The Messiah," "Concerto for Orchestra on Red Army Themes," English carols.

4:30 p. m. — **Musical Steelmakers** (WENR): "The Doll Dance," "Song of the Vagabonds," "In My Arms," "The Way You Look Tonight," "Ave Maria," "Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy."

6:15 p. m. — **Songs by Sinatra** (WBBM): "White Christmas," "My Ideal," "I Couldn't Sleep a Wink Last Night."

6:30 p. m. — **Bandwagon** (WIBA): Freddy Martin's orchestra and Dennis Day, tenor.

7:30 p. m. — **Keepsakes** (WLS): "If You Were the Only Girl," "White Christmas," "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town," "Come All Ye Faithful," "I'm Always Chasing Rainbows."

8 p. m. — **Manhattan Merry-Go-Round** (WIBA): "My Heart Tells Me," "Paper Doll," "Someone to Love," "Candlelight and Wine." . . . **Cleveland Symphony** (WGN): symphonies by Haydn and Martinu.

8:15 p. m. — **Lower Basin Street** (WENR): Connie Boswell, guest.

8:30 p. m. — **Album of Familiar Music** (WIBA): Christmas medley, Gounod's "Ave Maria," Caprice Viennois, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "Home Sweet Home," 9 p. m. — **Hour of Charm**

(WIBA): "I'll Be Home for Christmas," "Silent Night," "The Night Before Christmas," "O Come All Ye Faithful."

9:30 p. m. — **Bob Crosby** (WIBA): Helen Ward, guest singer.

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Drama

1 p. m. — **America — Ceiling Unlimited** (WBBM): voices of Gen. George C. Marshall and Adm. Ernest J. King, as well as Lloyd C. Douglas, author of "The Robe," heard on special Christmas program.

3:30 p. m. — **Abe Lincoln's Story** (WGN): dramatization of events leading to Lincoln's election.

5 p. m. — **Silver Theater** (WBBM): "The Juggler of Notre Dame," with Ralph Bellamy as master of ceremonies; Robert Weede, Metropolitan, baritone, singing vocal solos; and John Nesbitt, narrator. . . **First Nighter** (WGN): "Romance and Rooms for Rent."

5:30 p. m. — **Great Gildersleeve** (WIBA): continues his search for his niece, Marjorie.

5:45 p. m. — **Little Show** (WGN): "The Gift of the Magi."

9:30 p. m. — **Thin Man** (WBBM): "Case of the Misplaced Memory."

11:15 p. m. — **Pacific Story** (WMAQ): "Dutch East Indies."

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Variety

4 p. m. — **Moose Fireside Party** (WGN): tells how Mooseheart prevented juvenile delinquency; Griff Williams orchestra and chorus.

5 p. m. — **Radio Hall of Fame** (WCFL): Bob Burns, Walter O'Keefe, Brian Donlevy, John Sebastian, harmonica virtuoso. Xavier Cugat and Lina Romay; Paul Whiteman's orchestra plays selections from Tschaiakowsky's "Nutcracker Suite."

7 p. m. — **Bergen and McCarthy** (WIBA): with Bert Lahr, Lupe Velez, and Lona Horne, singer. . . **Jerry Lester Show** (WBBM): Michele Morgan, guest.

8:30 p. m. — **Fred Allen** (WBBM): with Orson Welles.

9 p. m. — **Gertrude Lawrence** (WENR): with Brian Aherne and Margalo Gilmore in "No Time for Comedy," Chu Cho Martinez, singer, and Lyn Murray orchestra.

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Mondaytime

9:30 a. m. — **Fun Time** (WHA): Christmas fantasy and stories for children, daily during holidays.

9:45 a. m. — **Star Playhouse** (WMAQ): Marjorie Lord in "Mr. and Mrs. Smith."

2:30 p. m. — **Science at Work** (WBBM): "The Printing Press."

3 p. m. — **Broadway Matinee** (WBBM): Patricia Morison, film actress, guest.

3:45 p. m. — **PTA Forum** (WHA): "Parent Education."

5:15 p. m. — **To Your Good Health** (WBBM): Lyn Murray orchestra, with Vera Brodsky, pianist, guest; "Through the Years," "By Bendemeer's Stream," "Carrioca," "The Harmonica Player."