

Modern Symphonic Works Will Be Aired

Three modern symphonic works are included in the special broadcast of the NBC Symphony Orchestra under the guest conductorship of Dr. Howard Hanson from the Festival of Contemporary American Music at Columbia university, Saturday, over WEAJ, at 3 p. m. The broadcast is presented in conjunction with the NBC University of the Air on the time usually reserved for "Orchestras of the Nation."

It is a case of more experts than jobs, when returning Army Air Forces pilots apply for civil air lines jobs, according to the drama on the Army Service Forces "Assignment Home," Saturday, at 3:30 p. m., over Station WABC. In this story, written by Sgt. Arthur Laurents and directed by Major Ed Byron, an honorably discharged AAF officer, having increased his flying skill thru Army training, applies for a position as a transport pilot, and finds that there are not enough such jobs to go around. Similar problems are expected to arise in the future, after mass demobilization following victory.

Al Pearce celebrates Mother's Day, but for all his good intentions, ends up in trouble, in his comedy broadcast over Station WABC, Saturday at 10:15 p. m. As Elmer Blurt, Pearce manages temporarily to get into the good graces of Susie Johnson's mother

by telling her he has prepared a Mother's Day surprise. But when the gift arrives, Elmer's plans are upset . . . and so is Elmer!

Industry May Get Tax Refund

WASHINGTON, May 12—(UP) —Industry was promised an \$800,000,000 tax refund and other concessions today to help it meet the financial problems of reconversion.

But there was still no relief in sight for the individual income taxpayer nor was business given any hope for early reductions in the existing wartime rates.

The proposed concessions were recommended by the joint congressional committee on post-war taxation. Chairman Robert L. Doughton, (D-N. C.), who is also chairman of the house ways and means committee, said legislation based on the report probably would be introduced soon and hearings begun before the house committee.