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YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERT NO. 2

Season 1960-61

Tape Date: November 12, 1960

Air Date: February 12, 1960

*Cat in Boatman!*

AARON COPLAND BIRTHDAY PARTY

Music Cues

1. "Here is Aaron Copland's Outdoor Overture."  
Outdoor Overture -- Complete.
2. About ten piano illustrations, all bits.
3. "...and see if this little piece doesn't completely satisfy that emotion you're feeling."  
Statements: No. 3, "Dogmatic"
4. Two piano bits.
5. "...only he's modernized the rhythms from a waltz to 5/8 time, so that it comes out like this":  
Music for the Theater: No. 2, "Dance" - Reh. No.25 to No.26
6. One piano example.
7. "...kind of like Coney Island music, or clown music; and I hope you find it as much fun as we do":  
Music for the Theater: No. 2, "Dance" - Complete movement.
8. "...he has painted it best of all, because it seems so real, so quiet, and so deeply felt":  
Music for Movies: No. 4, "Grovers Corners (Our Town)"-- Complete mvt.
9. "We don't have any callers here ... but we sure do have fiddlers! Wait 'til you hear them":  
Rodeo: "Hoedown" - Complete mvt.
10. "The names of these two songs are: Simple Gifts and I Bought Me a Cat. Here is William Warfield":  
Old American Songs, Set I: 1. ~~"Simple Gifts"~~ *Boatman's Dance*  
2. "I Bought Me a Cat."
11. 3 piano bits.
12. "Happy birthday, Aaron Copland":  
El Salon Mexico -- conducted by Copland.

Off the air:

13. Warfield and Copland doing: Old American Songs:
  1. ~~The Boatman's Dance~~ *Simple Gifts* (Set I)
  2. At the River (Set II)
  3. Ching-a-Ring-Chaw (Set II)

*Possibly Cat again*



TO: See below  
FROM: Roger Englander

RE: NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERT # 2 - NOVEMBER 12, 1960

Revised Aaron Copland Program

- I. OUTDOOR OVERTURE 10:00
- II. STATEMENTS (# 3 - Dogmatic) 1:50
- III. MUSIC FOR THE THEATRE (# 2 - Dance) 3:00
- IV. OUR TOWN (Title Music) 2:30
- V. RODEO (Hoe Down) 2:30
- VI. EARLY AMERICAN SONGS (Boatman) 6:30  
(Simple Gifts)  
(Bought Me a Cat)

William Warfield, baritone

- VII. EL SALON MEXICO 11:00

Conducted by Aaron Copland

Plus bonus for audience in the hall.

CC: Messrs. Bernstein, Bernard, Greenfield, Lewine, Sanderson,  
Miss Bonime