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Derby Preview Goes On Air

Alan Freed Interviews

Audience During Show

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ALL THE TRIMMINGS that go with a Hollywood premiere are planned for tonight's showing of the All-American Soap Box Derby film—even to a radio broadcast. Alan Freed will be in the lobby of the Strand, microphone in hand, to interview celebrities and Derby officials. Broadcast is set for 10:15, WAKR.

Speaking of the Derby, it was a hornet's nest that Tommy Bartlett, emcee of "Welcome Travelers," roused on Monday. He awarded a prize to a man who stated that Dayton was the home of the All-American event. His faux-pas was corrected by Derby headquarters as well as WAKR, station carrying the show.

The networks have not announced their coverage of the Derby event this year as yet. Local stations all plan to be at Derby Downs, however.