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DULUTH--Material from the new edition of poems by Carl Sandburg titled "Honey and Salt" recently published in honor of his 85th birthday will be used in the upcoming UMD Theater production of Sandburg's works.

"The World of Carl Sandburg" will be presented at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday (Jan. 31-Feb. 2) in the UMD Studio Theater in Old Main under director Robert Spanabel, an instructor in speech.

Diane Francisco, Mike Fedo and Burt Frink will cover the poetry, prose and some of the music of Sandburg in the two-act presentation. All three are Duluthians.

Fedo's singing and guitar playing of numbers from Sandburg's "American Songbag" folk song collection will offer a unique flavor in blend with the readings of Miss Francisco and Frink, Spanabel said.

Selections from Sandburg's prose and poetry cover love, childhood, war, corny humor and countless other topics. The first act ends with an excerpt on Lincoln from "The Prairie Years."

Spanabel points out that the production is neither a play nor a stage reading but something in between. The actors are allowed much freer movement than in a reading and there are some props and scenery.