Betty Field Will Star In Kate Smith Show On Friday

Youthful Actress To Appear With John Craven And Luther Adler In "Two On An Island"

Lovely Betty Field, an unknown two years ago, returns to the Kate Smith Hour as guest star in Elmer Rice's "Two On An Island" over WABC Friday, at 8:00 p. m.

The youthful actress will be co-starred with John Craven and Luther Adler with whom she shares top honors in the Elmer Rice success behind the footlights. Craven, following in the footsteps of his distinguished actor-writer father, Frank Craven, has also won fame on stage and screen.

As her featured selections, Kate will sing "So Long," the new Russ Morgan tune, and "Woodpecker's Song," the hit novelty number. Ted Straeter and the chorus have selected "Got No Strings" and "Gaucho's Serenade." Jack Miller and the band, with the quartet, will give their own arrangement of "Limehouse Blues."

Fritz Kreisler's "The Old Refrain" will be sung by Lucille Manners, soprano star, Friday at 8:00 p. m. over WEAF. Miss Manners also will sing Lehar's "My Little Nest of Heavenly Blue", "L'Amour Toujours l'Amour" by Friml, and with Ross Graham, baritone, "Sympathy" from Friml's "The Firefly." Graham's solo will be "Every Day is Ladies' Day" by Herbert. The chorus sings the Pilgrims' Chorus from Wagner's "Tannhauser," and the orchestra, conducted by Dr. Frank Black, will include Brahms' Hungarian Dance No. 1, Moszkowski's "Malaguena", "Oxford Street" by Coates, and Dance of the Clowns from Rimsky-Korsakoff's "Snow Maiden."

"See America With Bob Ripley" might well be the title of Ripley's next two Friday night programs. On his program over WABC Friday, the big "Believe It or Not" man will be talking from Marineland in Florida to give an eye witness account of the answer to the question, "Can a man and a shark get along together?" The rest of the program will come from Miami, and will feature the story of how a hymn, popular in Germany, led to the opening and development of Florida. B. A. Rolfe's orchestra with vocals by Linda Lee will round out the program. The following week the entire show will come from the Civic Center in Miami, turned over to Ripley by the city of Miami.

Archibald MacLeish's celebrated verse-drama, "Air Raid," will be presented over WLW, Friday, by an all-student cast of the University of Concinnati. The broadcast is scheduled from 11:15 to 11:45 p. m.

"Air Raid," excited much comment as a network program last year, is an account in blank verse of the coming of enemy planes to an unnamed European town. It is presented partly as a news broadcast, with a "studio announcer" switching to an observer atop a roof in the distant town. The announcer describes the peaceful tenor of life there, broken in upon by rumors of a raid and the efforts of officers to persuade the citizens to take to the cellars. A swift climax brings the enemy planes on the scene to machine-gun the populace.

Two popular romantic tunes, "South of the Border" and "To You Sweetheart, Aloha," will be presented by Frank Munn, tenor, on "Waltz Time" Friday at 9 p. m. over WEAF. The Manhattan chorus will sing the current waltz, "Long After Midnight," and the orchestra will play Waldteufel's "Tres Jolie" and other selections.

The impending 10-round nontitle clash between world's lightweight champion Lou Ambers, and Al Davis, Brownsville slugger, at Madison Square Garden on Friday will be described blow-by-blow over WJZ beginning at 10 p. m. E.S.T.

BEST BETS FRIDAY

P. M.

8:00—Kate Smith Hour, WABC.
8:00—Lucille Manners, WEAF.
8:00 — Col. Lemuel Q. Stoopnagle, MBS.
9:00 — Abe Lyman Waltzes, WEAF.
9:00 — "Plantation Party," WEAF.
9:30 — Geo. Jessel Guests, WEAF.
10:00—Guy Lombardo, WEAF.

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP THE NETWORKS

(Note: Refer to this box for stations of networks indicated after each program item. All programs are carried by key stations and basic chains or groups thereof unless specified.)

NBC-WEAF (RED): Basic — East: weaf wfbr wnac wben wtam wwj wtic kyw wcae wesh wjar wgy wre wdel wtag wfbg wjne ween wraw wspd; Midwest: wmaq who wire wtaf wtmj kstp wow ksd; South: wsmb wsb wbtc wjdx wmc wsmb wfaa wbap kprc kark wky woai ktbs kvoo; Mountain: koa kdyl

NBC-WJZ (BLUE); Basic — East: wjz wbal wbz wlee welr whk wxyz wfil kdka wean wham whza wsyr wmal waby wicu wtjn wibc wmff; Midwest: wmt wenr wls kso wowo wren wlen kwk well wbcm wfdf wibm wjim kowh kma ksej; South: wfid kfdm kgko kxyz ktok waga wjbo wsgn kths wmps wdsu; Mountain: kvod klo kuta

NBC OPTIONAL STATIONS operate either RED or BLUE—East: wsan wrdo wlbz wlw wsai wcol wing wkbo wgal wtca wbow wbre wwrk whiz cnrx chf cbm cfcl cgi. Midwest: wcbc wgbf wfi wood wtba kysm kroc wcco kson kfam kans wefl kfyr wday koam kgbx; South: wgkv wols wpdc wiar wise wtma wsoc wis wfbc wptf wjax wiak wiod wfla wsun kgne wapo kris wrol wala wcoa krgv wavo wsm; Mountain: koh kghl kido kgir kpfa ksel ktfi kob ktsm kghb

CBS-WABC: BASIC — East: wabc wcko wcoa wccl wgr wklw wcky wgar wdre wcau wjas wpro wfbl wjsv; Midwest: wbbm krnt wdnn kmbc klzb whas kmox. OTHER STATIONS: East: wade wabi wnbf wbns whlo wjr wesg whp ckac wgan wkaq wgbi wnas wnbx cfrb wibx wbry wore wkbn; Midwest: woc wkbb wdal weoa wind wtaq wmfg wkbh kglo wisn wcco koil wmbd wsbt wibw whib kfh wnax; South: wmin wwnc wgst wrdw wapi wcsc wchs wbt wdod wrbl krld wdae wmmm wing ktrh wmbr wnox klra wmaz wree wcoc wqam wsfa wiac wwl koma wdbo wpar wrva wdbj wtsa wtoc kwkh wdae ktul wjno wwva kwft wsjs; Mountain: kgam kvor klz kfbb kgvo koy ksl kvsf ktuc

MBS-WOR-WGN—BASIC: wor wgn wrok cklw whk wcle waby wsay weny whax wfil wbal wol wrva wcae wlw wkrc wilke wrzl walr wstp wsoc wbap wsix wgrc wemt; New England: wlee wtht watr wspr wlea waab wlnh wlbz wnlc wrdo wllh wean wsad wnbh what wcou wlrk wsyh; Midwest: whbb kwk wiby webc wdsm-kso wmt koil kfor whb ktsw kgef; South: ktok kada kcrc kome kbix kgff kgfx krbc know klst wrr kxyz kgkl kmbc kirv ktem kcmc wacc; Mountain: kfel kfka. (Note: Some MBS stations also in other chains.)

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Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hr. for CST, 2 Hrs. for MT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to last-minute network corrections)

6:00—Dance Music Orches.—nbc-weaf News; Earl Wild, Pianist — nbc-wjz News Broadcasting Period—cbs-wabc Billy and Betty repeat—cbs-midwest Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
6:05—Alma Kitchell's Prog — nbc-wjz Edwin C. Hill's Talk—cbs-wabc-basic
6:15—Malcolm Claire: News—nbc-weaf Dancing Music Orchestra — nbc-wjz Hedda Hopper on Movies—cbs-wabc Reveries at the Console — cbs-wjsv
6:30—Capt. Healy Stamps—weaf-only Three Cheers, Songs—nbc-red-chain The Serenaders Prog.—nbc-wjz-east Bud Barton's repeat—nbc-blue-west Elmer Davis in Comment—wabc-only H. V. Kaltenborn Talks — cbs-chain Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
6:45—Lil' Abner's Sketch — nbc-weaf Lowell Thomas, News—nbc-wjz-basic Tom Mix Adventures—nbc-blue-west European War Broadcast—cbs-wabc Orphan Annie in Repeat—mbs-west
7:00—F. Waring Time—nbc-weaf-east Josef Marias & His Song—nbc-wjz Amos & Andy, Skit — cbs-wabc-east Patterns in Swing — cbs-chain-west Fulton Lewis, Jr., Talk—mbs-chain
7:15—"I Love a Mystery" — nbc-weaf Lum and Abner Skit—cbs-wabc-basic
7:30—Revelers — weaf-kyw-wbz-wmal Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-red-chain Yesterday's Children, Play—nbc-wjz Prof. Quiz With His Quiz—cbs-wabc Lone Ranger, Drama—mbs-wor-east
7:45—Ted Steele, Swing — weaf-only Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-red-chain Sam Balter on Sports—wgn-wjw-kwk
8:00—Lucille Manners Conc.—nbc-weaf 'Amazing Americs' Quiz — nbc-wjz Kate Smith Variety Hr. — cbs-wabc Col. Stoop Quixie Doodle—mbs-basic
8:30—Robinson's Buckaroos—nbc-wjz A. Wallenstein Sinfonietta—mbs-wor The Lone Ranger repeat—wgn-only
8:55—Elmer Davis, News — cbs-wabc
9:00—Abe Lyman Waltzes — nbc-weaf "Plantation Party" Prog. — nbc-wjz Johnny Presents Orches.—cbs-basic Raymond G. Swing Tal —mbs-chain
9:15—"Dinner at Home" — mbs-wor
9:30—Cavalcade of Hits — nbc-weaf What Would You've Done—nbc-wjz "First Nighter," Dramatic—cbs-wabc 'Comedy By' Variety Show—mbs-wor
10:00—To Be Announced — nbc-weaf Lou Ambers vs. Al Davis—nbc-wjz In Grand Central Station—cbs-wabc Raymond G. Swing — wor-wgn-waab
10:15—Music & War News — mbs-wor
10:30—C. Searchinger Talk — nbc-weaf Melody's Marathon — nbc-blue-west The Bob Ripley Program—cbs-wabc Dancing Music Orchestra — mbs-wor
10:45—Human Nature, Talk—nbc-weaf
11:00—News & Dance — nbc-weaf-east Fred Waring's repeat—nbc-red-west News; Dancing Music Orc.—nbc-wjz Paul Sullivan News—cbs-wabc-east Amos and Andy in repeat—cbs-west Dancing Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
11:15—Dance Music till 1 — nbc-chain Dance Orch. & News to 2—cbs-mbs
12:00—P. Sullivan's rpt. — cbs-midwest

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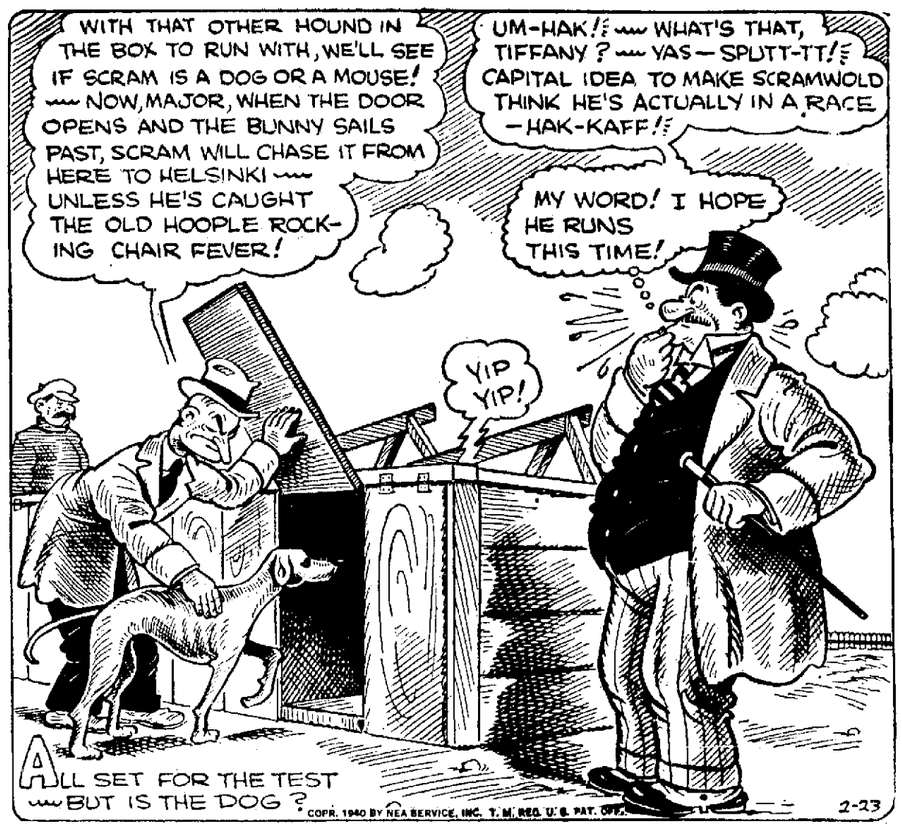

OUT OUR WAY— By WILLIAMS

WASH TUBBS—THE MODEST VICTOR— By ROY CRANE

PLANT HORMONE SEEMS TO HOLD VITAL CHEMICAL

PASADENA, Calif., Feb. 23 — (UP)—The discovery that a flowering hormone exists for plants has resulted in scientists at the California Institute of Technology launching a research effort to determine the chemical nature of this vital element.

It has been established that in precisely the same manner that hormones from the endocrine or ductless glands of the human system control the entire growth and development of the human being, similar hormones control the growth, development and flowering of plants. It is the hormone that causes plants to flower that for the moment is most attracting the attention of the institute's scientists.

The work is being carried on by Dr. James Bonner, assistant professor of plant physiology.

In collaboration with Chicago research workers, an extensive investigation with the flowers of cockleburs which are regarded as the ones most likely to reveal the chemical character of the flowering hormone. Thousands of the plants are being grown at the institute's experiment farm at Arcadia.

As regards other plant life hormones it has been established that some influence the root, others the stem, and others the leaf. The one governing the flowering of a plant is looked upon as probably being the most vital one.

"It seems like," Dr. Bonner said, "that every part of a plant has its growth substance. It seems possible that the time will come when the growth of plants can be regulated for their best production and maximum benefit to mankind."

FIVE IN PARTY START ANNUAL HALIBUT STUDY

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 23 — (UP)—The life of halibut—the fish that looks like a flapjack but swims—is the object of a survey in the Queen Charlotte islands by five scientists of the International Fisheries Commission.

They left here recently in their annual census "expedition" to determine the probable increase or decrease of halibut in coming seasons.

"Fine - meshed silk nets are used," explained Henry A. Dunlop, acting director of investigation for the commission. "They are towed at the same depth at which the fish spawn—from 150 to 200 fathoms—and then the nets are hauled in at regular intervals and the 'catch' counted."

The relative size of the upcoming run is determined by comparing the number of halibut eggs and larvae in each catch with those of previous years.

A study will be made of ocean currents and their effect on distribution of eggs.

Findings from the annual census form the basis of commission rulings, affecting fishermen in both Canada and the United States. The commission may set the length of the closed season and set a limit on the catch.

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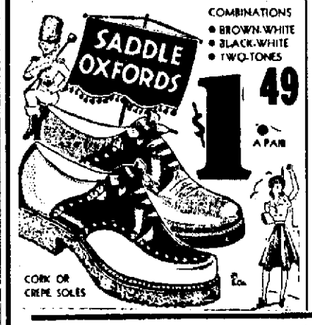
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