

TURNING THE DIALS

BY FRED H. RUSSELL

Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer, physicist and director of the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton, N. J., will discuss "Prospects in the Arts and Sciences" today at 1 p. m. over CBS radio as the concluding lecturer in the series of higher educational broadcasts titled "Man's Right to Knowledge."

In his talk the scientist will deal with the problem that "there has always been more to know than one man could know." He will detail two methods of viewing the arts and sciences: the "intimate, human view of the traveler, talking with those who live in the villages," and the vast view, "showing the earth as it appears to a camera in a high altitude rocket, showing the immense diversity of culture and life."

Dr. Oppenheimer will be presented by Dr. Grayson Kirk, president of Columbia University.

Opera at Night

Verdi's "La Traviata," which has been presented by the Metropolitan Opera every season, with the exception of three, since 1893, will be heard New Year's Day on the ABC radio network's "Metropolitan Opera" broadcast in the only evening performance of the Saturday broadcast series, starting at 8:30 p. m.

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TV NEWSREEL

By "JOE" LEDERER The Ritz Brothers have hired television producer Dave Siegel to prepare their new video series, which will be devoted entirely to lampooning the television industry.

Comic Ben Blue has been on and off television for several years. Now he's forming a partnership with financier Ray Ryan.

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Telecast TOPICS

"Adventures of the Kingfish," new half-hour comedy series sponsored by CBS-Columbia, will have its premiere over CBS television on Tuesday, Jan. 4, from 8 to 8:30 p. m.

The bespeckled Kingfish, presented in all his visual glory, with swiftness, checked vest and broad-brimmed fedora, will be supported by Sapphire, his acid-tongued "day-tease," Andy with his brown derby and inseparable cigar, Little Amos, taxi driver and family man dropping earthy words of wisdom; drawing, slow-gaited Lightnin'; double-talking business agent, Calhoun, and others of the merry set around the Mystic Knights of the Sea Lodge Hall.

Krips to Conduct Josef Krips will be the guest conductor of the Chicago Symphony orchestra for the Wednesday night program to be televised from 9 to 10 o'clock, over Channel 5.

MD as Counselor The general practitioner's role as counselor is the theme of "When Autumn Comes," a dramatic story on NBC-TV's "Medic" series Monday night at 9 o'clock.

Erudite Man Deems Taylor, of Westport, composer and writer, will be the guest of honor on the Tuesday session of "Twenty Questions" over Channels 7 and 43 from 8:30 to 9 p. m.

Earthquake Study The story of how one of nature's most titanic forces—earthquakes—are charted, studied and the data utilized to man's advantage will be presented on "The Search," telecast today from Fordham's University's Seismology Research Center.

Radio Highlights Charles Coburn, Richard Kiley and Louise King have the principal roles in "The Cuckoo in Spring," a mystery-comedy adapted for television by Sam Hall from a novel by Elizabeth Cadell.

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BALLET OF NATIVITY The CBS television religious series "Lamp Unto My Feet" will present "A Ballet of the Nativity" today (10-10:30 a. m.).

Video Debut Miss America of 1955—Lee Ann Meriwether of San Francisco—will make her television acting debut on NBC-TV's "Television Playhouse" tonight at 9 o'clock.

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