

# Grid Games Grab Spotlight On Air Waves, Programs Show

Grantland Rice To Give Forecasts; Notre Dame-Purdue Clash Will Be Broadcast At 2:45 P. M. Saturday

Grantland Rice, veteran oracle of American sporting events will broadcast his football forecasts and analyses on the Lucille Manners program over WEAF for the seventh consecutive season beginning Friday. The famous authority's gridiron column of the air will be heard thruout the season on Fridays at 8 p. m.

Rice's forecasts and comment each Friday will deal with the leading football games of the following day. The analyses will point out comparative strength of opposing teams, the physical condition of the star players, last-minute situations facing rival coaches and significant developments to watch for in the play.

With the baseball season well into the home stretch and eyes of the sporting world once more turning to the approaching football campaign, radio networks are again arranging to bring its listeners word pictures of the nation's outstanding intercollegiate games.

Inaugurating the football schedule will be the season-opener on Saturday, between the strong teams of Notre Dame and Purdue universities. Bill Stern, ace football reporter, will give the play-by-play account from the home field of the Fighting Irish at South Bend over WJZ beginning at 2:45 p. m.

Another important opening game on September 30, between the Indiana and Nebraska university teams at the Hoosier stadium in Bloomington, Ind., will be broadcast over WEAF also at 2:45 p. m.

Bill Stern will handle descriptions of major games for the WJZ audience exclusively. Veteran football commentators who will cover the games for WEAF listeners include Jim Britt and Fort Pearson.

The musical portion of the Lucille Manners broadcast finds the soprano featuring the Gypsy Dance from Bizet's "Carmen." Miss Manners also will sing Liszt's "Liebestraum" and Kreisler's "Stars in My Eyes." Ross Graham, baritone, will be heard in Foster's "Jeanie With the Light Brown Hair," and with Miss Manners in Kern's "They Didn't Believe Me." Dr. Frank Black will conduct the orchestra in Grainger's "Molly on the Shore," Rimsky-Korsakoff's "Song of India," Caprice de Nannette" from Coleridge-Taylor's "Petite Suite de Concert," and "Autumn Frolics" from Herbert's "Woodland Fancies." There also will be another "Romance of OE" drama.

"Wagon Wheels," song-hit of Billy Hill, will be basso Michael Stewart's solo offering during the Plantation party on Friday over WJZ at 9:00 p. m. Louise Massey will sing "It Makes No Difference Now." Opening with two selections by the Westerners, "Goin' to the Barn-dance Tonight" and "Falling Leaves," the program also will include the Doring Sisters

## BEST BETS FRIDAY

### P. M.

- 2:00—Lucille Manners—Contest, Grantland Rice—WEAF.
- 3:00—Abe Lyman—Waltzes—WEAF.
- 9:00—Johnny Presents—WABC.
- 10:00—Guy Lombardo's Orchestra—WEAF.

### FOOTBALL SATURDAY

### P. M.

- 2:45—Notre Dame vs. Purdue—WJZ.
- 2:45—Indiana vs. Nebraska—WEAF.

singing "Tavern in the Town," a medley by the ensemble, and Tom, Dick and Harry in "Maurice, the Gendarme." Whitey Ford will introduce the performers.

"The Four Coffins of Dan'l Boone," an amazing but authentic historical fantasy based on John Bakeless' new biography of the famous explorer and Indian fighter, will be presented over the NBC-Red network, Friday at 9:30 p. m., after having been twice scheduled and then postponed due to the war crisis.

In writing this whimsical tale of Dan'l's old age, Wellbourn Kelley of the NBC script division has made extensive use of new material unearthed by Bakeless for his recently-published "Daniel Boone, Master of the Wilderness."

In addition to telling the story of Boone's coffins, the drama also will touch on his childhood as the ward of an Indian chief, his hunting exploits, his blazing of the Wilderness Road, his captures by and escapes from the redskins, and will disclose that Lord Byron wrote his "Don Juan" around Dan'l's almost legendary figure.

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

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(C) Local programs as listed due to last-minute network corrections.

- 6:00—Helen Marie Bruce—nbc-west
- News—Earl Will, Pianist—nbc-wjz
- News Broadcasting—Purdue—cbs-wabc
- Mixed Music Orchestra—mbs-chain
- 6:05—Alma Kitchell's Song—nbc-wjz
- Blow 'n' Sing Talk—cbs-wabc
- The A. E. Ryan—cbs-chain-west
- 6:15—Malcolm Collier—News—nbc-wjz
- Planting Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz
- Sports, The 4 Eton Boys—cbs-wabc
- 6:30—Capt. Healy Stamps—wef-only
- John Gurney, Basso—nbc-red-chain
- Planting Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz
- Kaltenborn, News—cbs-basic
- Console Reveries—cbs-west
- Planting Music Orchest.—mbs-chain
- 6:45—Bill Stern on Sports—wef-only
- Silhouettes by Salon—nbc-red-chain
- Lowell Thomas, talk—nbc-wjz-basic