

Norman Long, Supervia and Some Others

On the Air Next Week



Conchita Supervia (left) is a Spanish coloratura contralto whose recordings and personal broadcasts are featured all over the world. Says a writer in a London paper: "In private life she is the wife of Ben Rubenstein, who grows in Sussex all the orchids we buy in Bond Street. She hates gambling, she was born in Barcelona, she keeps on a careful diet, she rides a lot, swims a little and plays a spot of tennis. She is a most perfect teetotaler . . . and her favourite composers are Rossini and Mozart." Below are two well-known singers, Jan Kiepura and Richard Tauber, who are featured in a special programme, "Highlights from British Musical Films," to be presented from 2YA on Monday evening at nine.

Below is Victoria Hopper, an English screen star who will be heard in some soprano numbers from 2YA on Friday evening shortly after eight o'clock. Miss Hopper is the star of "Lorna Doone," now screening in New Zealand. Next to her is the popular American film star, Dick Powell, who will sing in a special recorded programme entitled "Atlantic Crossing," from 2BL, Sydney, on Tuesday evening at 11 o'clock, New Zealand standard time. Bottom right is Jack Buchanan, one of the most sought-after musical comedy stars on the English stage to-day. Buchanan will be heard in numbers from his new film, "Brewster's Millions," from 2YA on Friday, July 26.

