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ESTHER ENGLAND  
TO SING TUESDAY  
IN UM RECITAL

MISSOULA--

Esther England, a mezzo-soprano, will be featured in a faculty recital at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday (Dec. 1) at the University of Montana.

The program, which is open to the public without charge, will be in the Music Recital Hall under the sponsorship of the UM School of Fine Arts and Department of Music.

Musical selections will be by Johann Sebastian Bach, Henri Deparc, Johannes Brahms, Maurice Ravel and Bainbridge Crist.

Miss England, who is a visiting music instructor at UM, will be assisted by five other UM faculty members--professors Rudolph Wendt, piano; Dr. Gerald H. Doty, viola, and Dr. Florence Reynolds, cello. Jerry Domer, an assistant professor of music, will play the oboe, and Mary Jean Simpson, a music instructor, will play the flute.

Works by Crist will include several Chinese mother goose rhymes--"Lady-Bug," "The Mouse," "Pat-a-Cake" and "The Old Woman."

Miss England, a native of McCall, Idaho, was graduated from UM in 1966 with a bachelor's degree in music (with high honors). In 1965 she was a winner in the regional Metropolitan Opera auditions, and in 1966 she went to Munich, Germany, on a Fulbright Scholarship. Miss England is assistant director of the Opera Workshop and she is a member of the Opera Quintette at UM.

This January she will be the featured soloist with the Missoula Civic Symphony. Miss England also is slated to perform with the Missoula Mendelssohn Club next spring.

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