

magnificent specimen of the "orchestration," with a big library of all kinds of music, in particular extracts from Wagner. The future conductor lived continually with his "orchestration" from his sixth or seventh year. He therefore heard music day after day, until vast quantities of it were fixed in his memory and the solid founda-

tions were laid for his work in after life. Sir Thomas Beecham figures in 3YA's programme on Sunday, July 12.

I ALWAYS used to say that I remembered the Duke of Wellington's funeral until one of my friends advised me to give that up, as it had occurred several years before I was born.—Sir John Forbes-Robertson.

JUST imagine Sophocles, Euripides, Shakespeare, Jonson, Moliere, Webster, Ford, Congreve, Sheridan, Ibsen, Strindberg, and a few others gathered together having a chinwag about the drama; and then imagine Patrick Braybrooke hurrying up to them, holding Noel Coward by the hand, and saying, "Scuse me, boys, but I want to introduce a master dramatist to you all."—Mr. Sean O'Casey.

BIG INCREASE IN PRIZES

over **£8000** ALREADY PAID

PUZZLE PIE **£150** **MUST BE WON**

£100 1ST **£35** 2ND **£10** 3RD **£5** 4TH

PUZZLE PIE NO. 154

HEAVY SEAS WHICH SWEEP

10 TONS, S.O.S., GP, 300, 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

CAN YOU SOLVE THIS SIMPLE PUZZLE?

Don't miss this splendid one-week competition! It is just a short and easily-worded paragraph about A SINKING SHIP, which appeared in a New Zealand newspaper some time ago and has now been put into puzzle form by our artist. The opening words, "Heavy seas . . .", will tell you what it is all about—and for the rest, the wording is simple and the sense of the sentence will help you. Each picture or sign may mean part of a word, one, two or three words, but not more than three. Errors are calculated on the basis of the number of words wrong.

Solve the puzzle carefully and write your solution IN INK on one side of a sheet of paper. Sign your name and residential address and post entry to:—

"PUZZLE PIE" NO. 154R,
BOX 950, G.P.O., CHRISTCHURCH,

READ THESE RULES CAREFULLY.
All entries must be postmarked not later than Tuesday, July 14.

The First Prize of £100 will be awarded to the competitor whose solution of the paragraph is correct or most nearly correct, and the other prizes in order of merit. In the case of ties, any or all of the prizes may be added together and divided, but the full amount will be paid. No competitor may win more than one prize or share of a prize in any one competition.

Sealed solution and £150 Prize-money is deposited with "Truth" (N.Z.), Ltd. A postal note for 1/- must accompany each initial entry and 6d each additional entry. Penny stamps (1/-) accepted if postal note unobtainable. Any number of attempts may be sent on plain paper. Alternatives in single entries will be disqualified. Post Office addresses not accepted. Results will be published on Friday, July 24.

SOLUTION TO "PUZZLE PIE" NO. 152.

"Princess Mary yesterday visited the girl guides in the Imperial camp at Brockenhurst, where Australian, Canadian, African, and Indian Guides were presented."

RESULT OF "PUZZLE PIE" NO. 152.

In this contest, 13 competitors succeeded in submitting correct solutions so the total prize-money of £150. will be added together and divided equally between them. Each will receive £11/10/0. Their names are: Mrs. E. Baker, Alpha Street, Cambridge; Mrs. R. Menzies, Mill Street, Westport; Miss N. L. Millar, 11 Overton Terrace, Wellington; Miss R. I. Johnson, 115 Brougham Street, Wellington; Mrs. W.

Thom, 8 Fergusson Avenue, Christchurch; Mr. L. Hill, 9 Whittington Avenue, Christchurch; Mrs. I. Hart, 36 Hendon Street, Christchurch; Mrs. D. Holmwood, 5 Buxton Terrace, Christchurch; Mr. M. Davies, 22 Cumberland Street, Christchurch; Mr. R. G. Dawson, 86 Marshland Road, Shirley; Mrs. R. Dunbar, 102 Olliviers Road, Christchurch; Mrs. E. M. Higginson, 1 Richmond Street, Timaru; Mr. Robert Collins, 139 Teviot Street, Invercargill. Prize-money will be posted on Monday, July 20.

£150 WON