

up in Dresden as co-director with Fritz Busch. Since then he has directed opera in Berlin and Sofia and his present post sees him in charge of the Filharmoniske Selskap in Oslo. Music under his conductorship will be heard from 4YA on Thursday, September 3.

Cyril Scott's Surprise.

A YEAR or two ago the "Daily Telegraph" (London), acting on a suggestion made by Sir Henry Wood, offered three prizes of £100, £75 and £50 respectively for the best concert overtures entered in their competition by British composers. Sir Henry pointed to the dearth of first-class concert overtures, especially by British composers. The playing time of the pieces was to be not less than seven and not more than 12 minutes, and they were to be scored for full orchestra. Out of 223 scores received (all by people whose identity was unknown to the judges), one bore a Greek epigraph, "And let them be welcomed to our festival by chant-like strains, and sinuous melodies, and a flourish of trumpets, and may their hearts be filled with devotion, love and valour." The breadth and stateliness of this work made such an appeal to the distinguished judges, Sir Hamilton Harty, Mr. Frank Bridge, Mr. Arthur Bliss and Sir Henry Wood, that they unanimously awarded the first prize to its composer. He turned out to be none

4ZM Dunedin Week's Programmes

Monday, August 31.—9 a.m.: Selected recordings. 10.30 a.m.: Devotional service—Radio Church of the Helping Hand, conducted by Uncle Leslie (Rev. L. B. Neale). 11 a.m.: Selected recordings. 11.45 a.m.: Close down. 1 p.m.: Selected recordings. 2 p.m.: Close down.

Tuesday, September 1.—9 a.m.: Selected recordings. 10.30 a.m.: Devotional service—Radio Church of the Helping Hand, conducted by Uncle Leslie (Rev. L. B. Neale). 11 a.m.: Selected recordings. 11.45 a.m.: Close down. 1 p.m.: Selected recordings. 2 p.m.: Close down. 6 p.m.: Selected recordings. 6.45 p.m.: Devotional service—Broadcasting Committee of the Presbyterian Church of New Zealand. 7.45 p.m.: Selected recordings. 8 p.m.: Variety concert programme. 10 p.m.: Dance session, featuring Harry Roy and

other than Cyril Scott, apostle of musical modernism and a brilliant pianist. The overture was broadcast shortly after the decision was announced. As yet, Cyril Scott's "Festival Overture" is not on the records, but two of his attractive piano solos played by the composer are available and will be heard by 4YA listeners during the afternoon programme on Sunday, August 30.

his Mayfair Hotel Orchestra. 11 p.m.: Close down.

Wednesday, September 2.—9 a.m.: Selected recordings. 10.30 a.m.: Devotional service—Radio Church of the Helping Hand, conducted by Uncle Leslie (Rev. L. B. Neale). 11 p.m.: Selected recordings. 11.45 p.m.: Close down. 1 p.m.: Selected recordings. 2 p.m.: Close down.

Thursday, September 3.—9 a.m.: Selected recordings. 10.30 a.m.: Devotional service—Radio Church of the Helping Hand, conducted by Uncle Leslie (Rev. L. B. Neale). 11 a.m.: Selected recordings. 11.45 a.m.: Close down. 1 p.m.: Selected recordings. 2 p.m.: Close down.

Friday, September 4.—9 a.m.: Selected recordings. 10.30 a.m.: Devotional service—Radio Church of the Helping Hand, conducted by Uncle Leslie (Rev. L. B. Neale). 11 a.m.: Selected recordings. 11.45 a.m.: Close down. 1 p.m.: Selected recordings. 2 p.m.: Close down.

Saturday, September 5.—9 a.m.: Selected recordings. 12 noon: Close down. 5 p.m.: Selected recordings. 8 p.m.: Variety concert programme. 10 p.m.: Close down.

Sunday, September 6.—2 p.m.: Selected recordings. 4.15 p.m.: Devotional service—Radio Church of the Helping Hand, conducted by Uncle Don (Mr. G. Adams). 5 p.m.: Selected recordings (announcer, Mr. J. Howorth). 6 p.m.: Selected recordings. 8 p.m.: Variety concert programme. 10 p.m.: Close down.

PEOPLE don't drink so much in a perpendicular position.—*Councilor Field.*

1. "You are your own
MASTER
and judge,"

2. "What price for my
ONE
now?" he cried excitedly,

3. "Mrs Clay was very
PLEASANT
and very smiling,"

4. He dragged out a
SIRING
bedstead for the lama,"

5. "No
ROUEL
would be complete without them."

6. "Oh, I just had a
OO
idea maybe you might be French"

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M—A—S—T—E—R for ring, making MASTER

which is, of course, the correct answer. In the same way, read each other quotation in turn, and spell off the "puzzle" word, adding in the FIRST LETTER ONLY of each picture you come to. Use your knowledge and judgment and remember that the extracts are taken from the works of the six authors named below.

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NOTE: The quotations in "Puzzle Pie" No. 161R are all taken from the works of the following authors: Jeffery Farnol, Rudyard Kipling, Jack London, J. M. Barrie, Jane Austen, Sinclair Lewis.