

D. Webster. The aspect which he will deal with will be "Music and the Gramophone."

The major portion of the programme will consist of a relay of the special concert to be given in honour of the opening of Messrs. Hamilton Nimmo and Sons new warehouse and concert hall. An excellent and varied programme has been arranged, contributing artists being Madame Evelyn de Mauny, Mr. Leon de Mauny, and Mr. Claude Tanner, who will be heard in an instrumental trio number. The vocal soloists will be Madame Eugenie Dennis, Misses Ena Rapley, and Madge Freeman and Mr. Edwin Dennis, the well-known Wellington tenor and teacher of singing.

From 3YA.

THE third night of the Christchurch Radio Olympia, for which another very entertaining programme has been arranged. Relay to 4YA.

## FRIDAY

### AUCKLAND NOTES.

A FURTHER talk on Esperanto will be given at 7.40 p.m. by Mr. W. E. G. Wheeler.

A new singer to 1YA, in the person of Miss Patricia McLeod, will appear this evening and will sing among other numbers, "Chanson Provencale." Mr. Ian Devereux, a popular member of the "Desert Song Company," who has made a name for himself as a very fine singer, will also appear on the programme. He will sing "Life and Death," "All Joy be Thine," and "Inter nos." Another new singer to 1YA, a very fine contralto, is Mrs. L. M. Keven. Included among her numbers will be "Lithuanian Song," by Chopin. Mr. and J. W. Bailey, elocutionists, have included among their numbers a particularly fine dramatic recital entitled "Congo," a study of the negro race. It will be given in three parts: first, their basic savagery; second, their irrepressible high spirits; and third, the hope of their religion.

The programme will conclude with a gramophone lecture-recital given by Mr. Karl Atkinson. July 4 is American Independence Day, and Mr. Atkinson has chosen for the title of his lecture-recital "The Glorious Fourth—a Musical Anniversary."



MR. FRED BAKER, baritone, whose next appearance from 1YA, Auckland, is scheduled for June 29.

—S. P. Andrew, photo.

At 2YA.

MR. DAN MCKENZIE, the well-known Rugby football authority, will give another of his informative talks to-night.

The programme will feature the Lyric Male Voice Quartet, Miss Ailsa Dillon and the Orchestrina under Signor A. P. Truda, in a miscellaneous and operatic programme. The vocal items will include gems from "Faust," "Merrie England," "La Boheme," "Lucrezia Borgia," "Manon," "The Bohemian Girl," and "Il Trovatore." Miss Rosa Mills will recite by request "The Denominational Garden," and a humorous number, "In the Garden." The Orchestrina will play suitable incidental music to this programme. A relay of a sound film feature showing at the Majestic Theatre will be incorporated in the programme.

From Christchurch.

THE fifth night of the Christchurch Radio Olympia. Programme relayed to 4YA.

### 4YA Programme.

LISTENERS will have an afternoon talk on "Fashions" by Miss Bucleugh.

## SATURDAY

### 1YA Items.

ANOTHER artist new to 1YA will appear this evening, Mr. W. L. Benbow, who has appeared at Australian stations frequently, and who is now stationed in Auckland. He will sing several numbers with Spanish guitar accompaniment. The ever-popular Snappy Three will also appear in some of the latest hits, and they have included a locally-written song entitled "A Kiss, a Caress, and then Adieu" (by Sharp). Mr. Roger Errington, popular tenor vocalist, will also appear on the programme, and the 1YA Orchestral Octet, under the direction of Mr. Eric Waters, will give several orchestral items. The programme will conclude with dance music until 11 p.m.

### Second Test

From 2 and 3YA.

THIS afternoon both 2YA and 3YA will broadcast the second Rugby Test Match between Britain and New Zealand, to be played at Christchurch.

The first half of 2YA's programme will consist of many items in keeping with the day, which is Tynwald Day—the National Day of the Manx people. Mr. T. E. Corkill, president of the Manx Society, will speak on "The Isle of Man," and his talk will prove of interest to all, Mr. Corkill being a speaker who is well versed in matters appertaining to the Isle of Man.

The Melodie Four, Mr. A. G. Flanagan and Miss Nora Grey will all contribute Manx items. A feature of the programme will be the Manx national songs, as sung by the London Manx Choir.

The second portion of the programme will be of the usual vaudeville type, and will include novelty piano numbers by Mr. Claude Bennett, humour by Mr. Will Bishop, and selections by the Salon Orchestra under Mr. M. T. Dixon.

## Children's Sessions

At 2YA.

MONDAY, JUNE 30.—Uncle Jeff is bringing "Wendy" with him to-night to sing about "Christopher Robin." Cousin Jean will tell a little story, and Cousin Ailsa will sing two charming songs. It is Puzzle Night, too.

TUESDAY.—Uncle Jim will be here to-night, and he is bringing with him Helen Gardner's juvenile pupils. They will be such a happy band.



MR. CLAUDE TANNER, a distinguished Wellington 'cellist, who will appear at a concert to be held in Nimmo's Concert Chamber on July 3. The performance will be relayed by 2YA. (See page 7.)

—S. P. Andrew, photo.

THURSDAY.—Uncle George to-night. Mrs. Mildred Kenny is bringing her Juvenile Band with mandolins and ukeleles and steel guitars. Also Zena Jupp's little pupils will recite, and the 2YA Children's Chorus will sing.

FRIDAY.—This is Story Book Lady's night, and Big Brother Jack's. Isabel Halligan is bringing her pupils

3 & 4YA.

A NIGGER Minstrel entertainment for the last night of the Christchurch Radio Olympia. Again relayed to 4YA.

and children from Buckle Street Convent will also be here.

SATURDAY.—To-night the little pupils of Mrs. Martyn Williams will sing, recite, and give musical monologues. Cousin Hayward and Toby will give mandolin and guitar items. Cousin Roma and Uncle Toby will tell stories.

SUNDAY, JULY 6.—The Children's Choir from the Miramar Presbyterian Church, under the Rev. H. W. Hitchcock, will sing to-night, and as usual Uncle George will conduct the service.

## Auckland "B" Station's Plans

IN last week's issue "Call-up" stated that the "B" class station 1ZB, Auckland, was proposing to increase its power and its hours of broadcasting. Further details supplied by Mr. C. H. Pearson, the station's announcer, are that the station intends to go on the air from 10 a.m. till 3 p.m. daily and to give evening sessions on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

The estimated cost of the suggested extension of service hours and increase in power is between £300 and £400. The tentative scheme provides for the following daily sessions: 10-11 a.m., women's; 11 a.m.-12 noon, news; 12 noon-3 p.m., miscellaneous concert programmes. A vote is to be taken among the station's regular listeners, however, before any definite allocation of the hours is made.

Station 1ZQ, operated by Keith's Radio Shack, Auckland, also has plans in hand for improving its service. It is shortly to move from its present location at Mount Albert to the Lewis Eady Building, Queen Street. From this new location it is hoped to be able to give greatly improved programmes, for in addition to the fact that a large stock of gramophone records will be available, the station will also be able to broadcast musical items from the Lewis Eady Hall in the same building. Proposals for increasing the power of the station and for conducting afternoon sessions are also being considered. Mr. Roy Keith will continue to operate and manage the station and will also act as announcer.

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