(composed by Signor Squarise), the overture "Die Meistersinger," "An-dantino," and Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsodie No. 2." The vocal numbers will comprise Romberg's "Hindoo Song," Debussy's "At Evening," and Massenet's "Open Thy Blue Eyes."

## WEDNESDAY

#### Auckland Topics

THE Orchestral Octet, under the direction of Mr. Harold Baxter, will provide the instrumental portion. of 1YA's programme. Among the items will be a selection of Mendelssohn's Songs, "Indian Love Lyrics," and "Day in Naples." The New Zealand Four, consisting of Messrs. James Simpson, Roy Dormer, Eric Manuall and Albert Gibbons Taylor, will ren-der solos, duets and quartets, many of which will be new to listeners. This male voice combination is deservedly popular.

#### Wellington Notes

HE weekly presentation of selected recordings from overseas programmes will be the feature of this Dr. Guy H. Scholefield. O.B.E., will give a short address on a subject of international interest. The evening's entertainment will conclude with dance music of international recordings.

#### Items from 3YA

MR. J. NORTH, a Scottish singer making his debut at 3YA, will include in his recital several songs of his homeland. Mr. North, who has just passed the R.A.M. Advanced Grade, sings with excellent effect. Two Scottish songs and the popular Irish air, "Danny Boy," are to be contributed by Miss Addie Campbell.

#### Dunedin Notes

THE afternoon talk by the Home Science Extension Department of Otago University, at 4YA will be on "Do You Agree with Your Food?"
At 7.15 Mr. L. W. McCaskill will speak on "Introduced Birds and the Rarmer?

In the evening a special studio concert to be given by Signor Gio. vanni Stella, introducing the brilliant young dramatic soprano, Signorina Rossi, and eminent assisting artists, will be presented.

### THURSDAY

#### Home Conveniences

THE afternoon home science talk from 1YA, 2YA and 3YA, prepared by the Home Science Extension Department of Otago University, be on "Home Conveniences."

#### Notes from 1YA

THE next of the series of informa tive talks under the auspices of the N.Z. Manufacturers' Association will be on "Tar and its By-Products," by Mr. J. F. Holloway.

Two Australian artists, new to 1YA, will sing this evening. They are Mr. Denis Sheard, tenor, who comes to New Zealand with a splendid reputation, and has been engaged for a series of three appearances, and a very fine contralto, Miss A. E. Harrison. Both these artists have performed for Sta-tion 6WF, Perth, Western Australia.

The Monte Carlo Orchestra, under the direction of Mr. E. K. Cunningham, will provide the instrumental portion of the programme, and among their items will be "The Barber of Seville" overture and "Gypsy Love."
The programme will conclude with a gramophone recital on French music, to be given by Miss Mollie Atkinson.

#### Wellington Topics

THE programme will be provided by the orchestra of the Wellington Commercial Travellers' and Warehousemen's Association. An exceptionally fine concert has been arranged and should be well worth tuning in.

#### 3YA Notes

UNDER the auspices of the Canter-bury Horticultural Society, Mr. W. J. Humm will speak from 3YA on "Berry Bearing Plants."

To orchestral accompaniment, Miss illicent Jennings will sing three Millicent Jennings will sing three songs, two of them being Syrian songs, which will be new to 3YA listeners, The other soloists are of high standard and with string instrumental combina-



EDWARD BOND.

Who regularly appears before the 4YA microphone, will be heard in some delightful bass solos this week. Photo, Artlite.

tion a concert of some merit should be on the air from 3YA to-night.

## FRIDAY

#### **Auckland Notes**

THE Orchestral Octet's items will include the selection "Gips, Prinade." They will be supported by popular IYA vocalists, and Mr. Zante Wood. the well-known humorist.

#### Features from 2YA:

THE programme to be presented will be of a varied and interesting nature. The Orchestrina, under Signor A. P. Truda, will be heard in a number of selections, including the overture "Minstrelesque." Miss Ann Gilpin "Minstrelesque." Miss Ann Gilpin (mezzo-soprano), a newcomer to the studio, should prove a welcome acquisition to 2YA programmes. Mr. Dan Foley (light baritone) will be heard in various items, including "On the Road to Mandalay."

A feature of the programme will be a banjo orchestra, which has been organised by Mrs. H. G. Reeves, the

well-known performer on this in-strument. This combination should prove very successful as a novelty. The programme chosen includes the march "Let Her Go," "Irish Melo-dies," and the medley "One Step."

#### Christchurch Selections

THE fortnightly "Radio Service" talk from 3YA will be given by Messrs. D. Cossgrove and W. Melbourne. The concert includes a number of popular airs, several being plantation melodies, to be played as accordion solos by Mr. W. Sumner. There will be humorous recitations and many excellent vocal solos. Trios by the Christchurch Broadcasting Trio will include "Graesk Festdans," a festive Greek dance.

#### Notes from Dunedin

A VERY attractive and well-varied programme will be presented, the vocalists being "The Select Four," singing the concerted numbers "From Oberon in Fairyland," "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny," "Land of Hope and Glory." A trio consisting of Messrs. A. H. Pettitt and L. and K. Hunter will contribute numerous light numbers.

# SATURDAY

#### Features from 1YA

FROM the Auckland Town Hall a concert to be given by the Auckland Municipal Band, under Captain George Buckley, will be relayed. The band will present an exceptional programme, with many instrumental solos. Miss Evelyn Robinson, contralto, will sing "Love's Old Sweet Song" and "I Love the Rose You Gave Me." com-posed by Mr. Maughan Barnett, of Auckland.

#### Wellington Notes

PROFESSOR W. H. GOULD, Professor of Education, Victoria University College, under the auspices of the W.E.A., will lecture on "Leaving Children Alone."

The Wellington Optimists' Club, in conjunction with the Salon Orchestra, will provide a programme for the evening. They will present a revue type of entertainment, the items comprising humorous numbers, light vocal solos, duets, and cleatables. and sketches.

The Salon Orchestra will provide the Incidental music.

#### Items from Christchurch

CABARET songs, including two numbers from "The House That Jack Built," popular tenor and bass solos,



MILLICENT JENNINGS.

A member of the Melodious Quartet, regular performers at 3YA, will be heard in several numbers, with orchestral ac-companiments next Thursday.

-Steffanc Webb, photo.

solos will go to making the concert a bright one. Mr. J. Woodham, an exponent of the mouth organ, will entertain with a number of popular airs. The programme will be relayed to 4YA.

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