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— News, Views and Comments —

LISTENERS should find little to complain about in the programmes for the coming week. They are of a decidedly high standard and include many features of outstanding merit.

ON Monday evening the first portion of 1YA's programme will take the form of a lecture recital, "The Jew in Music." Few people realise just what Jewish influence has meant to Art in general and music in particular. The lecturer, Mr. Karl Atkinson, is one of the Dominion's leading authorities on all forms of music and his recital will unquestionably be of the most entertaining programmes broadcast by 1YA for some considerable time past. Following this recital, 1YA will relay a description of the wrestling from the Town Hall. Bright studio concerts are scheduled by 2YA and 3YA, with ample variety for all listeners. From 4YA the weekly recorded programme will include 60 minutes of entertainment in Buenos Aires, the narrator being Mr. John Gordon. Buenos Aires is one of the great art centres of the world and no doubt the glamour of its romance and life will be adequately portrayed in this feature programme.

THE Tuesday evening programmes contain many interesting features—too numerous to detail in the space at my disposal. In 1YA's recorded programme there is entertainment for practically every class of listener. The studio concert from 2YA is well varied in content and will include several numbers by the vocal octet. 3YA schedules a miscellaneous studio concert, including items by Elain Moody's Hawaiian Trio, Mr. P. Wynne-Yorke (baritone), and Mrs. Betty Hilliard (contralto). At 8.31 3YA will present the recorded one-act radio drama—"The Masterpiece"—one of the Broadcasting Board's specially-imported overseas features. Listeners to 4YA will be entertained with an attractive studio concert, a feature of which will be "Half an Hour with Modern Popular Song Writers," presented by the Symphonians.

"CAMEOS of Song Land," and items by the Marelle Sextet, are included in 1YA's programme for Wednesday evening. From 2YA the weekly recorded programme will include a wide range of entertainment, the principal feature being a short recorded recital by Yvonne Printemps, the brilliant French revue star. 4YA, relaying to 3YA, will present a studio concert of more than usual merit, including items by Madame Annette Chapman (mezzo-soprano) and Mr. Reg. Tapley (bass-baritone).

THE Thursday programmes promise excellent entertainment from all four stations. A relay of the Bohemian Orchestra's concert will comprise 1YA's programme. This orchestra is unquestionably one of the best in the Dominion, and its programme on this occasion is one which will make

particularly entertaining radio fare. Several novelties are included in 2YA's programme, which will feature Frank Crowther's Novelty Orchestra; Mr. H. Temple White in organ solos and Miss Ava Symons in violin solos with organ accompaniment. 3YA will present its weekly recorded programme on Thursday evening, and from 4YA listeners will be entertained with a concert by a choir of mixed voices under Dr. V. E. Galway, Dunedin City Organist.

A FEATURE of 1YA's programme on Friday evening will be the appearance of Mr. Paul Vinogradoff, the brilliant Russian pianist, with string quintet. A programme of recordings will be presented from 2YA. The programme from 3YA will be of a

Football, Boxing and Wrestling Sporting Broadcasts

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

1YA, 9 p.m.—Relay of wrestling match.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.

1YA, 7.30 p.m.—Sports talk.

2YA, 7.40 p.m.—Talk by Mr. Dan McKenzie, "How to Referee."

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9.

1YA, 2.45 p.m.—Rugby football relay from Eden Park.

2YA, 3 p.m.—Rugby football relay from Athletic Park.
8 p.m.—Finals of the New Zealand Amateur Boxing Championships relayed from from Blenheim.

3YA, 2.45 p.m.—Rugby football relay from Lancaster Park.

4YA, 3 p.m.—Rugby football relay from Carisbrook.

popular nature, and will include items by Miss Aileen Warren (pianist), Miss Addie Campbell (soprano) and Mr. F. R. Hawker (baritone). 4YA promises some sparkling entertainment by the Gaiety Troupe, which will present "Community Song Land and Camp Concert."

MR. PAUL VINOGRADOFF, Russian pianist, will contribute several numbers to 1YA's programme for Saturday evening, and Mr. Arthur Ripley, Auckland popular tenor, will be heard in popular songs and ballads. Light popular entertainment will be featured by 2YA, including Will Bishop in songs at the piano and Miss Muriel Johns in popular songs. Listeners to 3YA will be entertained by the B.B.C. recorded vaudeville programme, supported by a miscellaneous studio concert. A B.B.C. programme is also scheduled by 4YA—"Songs from the

Shows," a programme of excerpts from English musical comedies. This will be supported by "Sixty Minutes of Scots Music."

ON Sunday evening (September 17) 1YA will relay from the Town Hall a concert by the Auckland Municipal Band. 2YA schedules a very attractive concert, including several recorded numbers not hitherto broadcast in the Dominion, Mr. Arthur Clarke in tenor solos and a talk by "Dante," the magician who is at present touring New Zealand. The programme from 4YA contains many excellent features, including part-songs by the Jubilee Choristers, under Mr. Alfred Walmsley, and pianoforte solos by Mrs. H. C. Campbell. This programme will be relayed by 3YA.

EDUCATION and information loom large in the talks for the coming week. Altogether 33 speakers will be heard from the four stations, their subjects covering an almost encyclopaedic range of topics.

THE Monday evening talks, details of which will be found on another page ("Spotlights on the Programmes") are all purely informative and offer little in the form of entertainment.

THE talks for Tuesday evening are also for the most part of an informative nature. From 3YA and 4YA talks with more than a dash of romance in them will be broadcast at 9.2 p.m. From 3YA Mr. C. Stuart Perry will continue his narrative of "Some Famous Open Boat Voyages," and from 4YA Mr. David H. Graham will describe a day's fishing off Cape Saunders in a launch, and will describe the "catch."

WORLD Races and the Maori will be the subject of a talk by Mr. Gilbert Archey, M.A., from 1YA at 7.30 on Wednesday. 2YA will present its weekly talk for home gardeners (7.30), and the weekly reviews on world affairs will be broadcast from 1YA and 2YA at 8.40 and 9.2 respectively.

THE most interesting of the talks scheduled for Thursday evening appears to be Professor L. G. Pocock's "The Probable Date of the Next Big War." This will be broadcast by 3YA at 9.2 p.m.

Other talks of more than passing interest scheduled for Thursday are "Old-Time Maori Civilisation" (2YA, 8.40); "Library Service in America" (2YA, 7.30), and a talk on the late Arnold Bennett, the eminent English author and playwright, from 1YA at 7.30 p.m.

TRAVEL and overseas affairs are well represented in Friday evening's talks. From 1YA at 9.2 p.m. Mr. L. W. Delph will speak on Bethlehem. From 2YA at 8.40 Mr. P. J. O'Regan will continue his talks on early New Zealand explorers, and will deal on this