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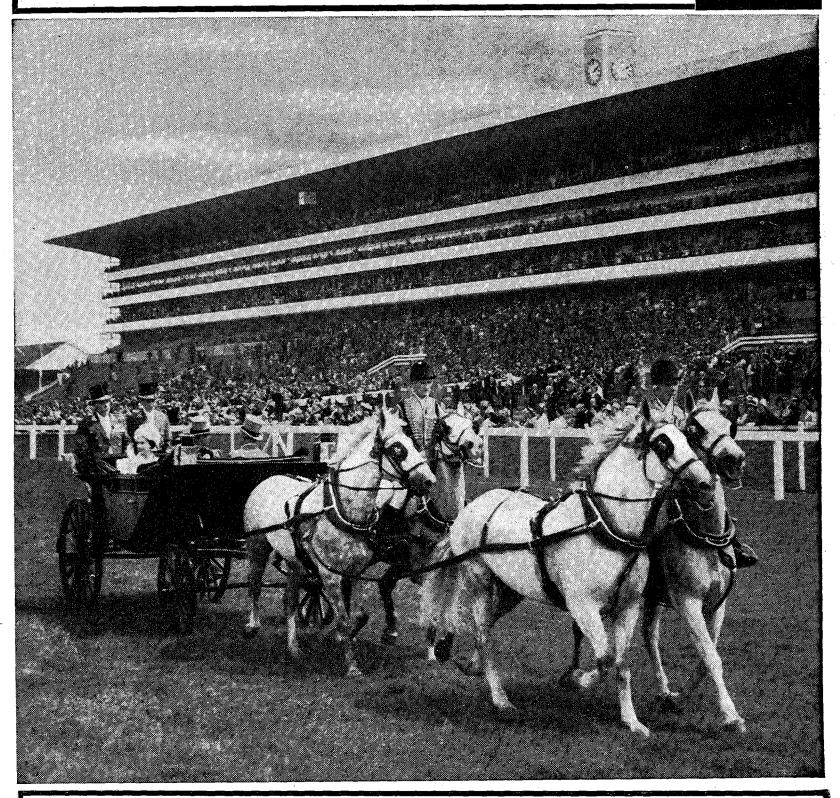
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## from the week's programmes



Open Verdict (Saturday, Home) A glider pilot crashes into a mountain. Was it an accident?

Trial of Strength (Sat., Mon., Home) An Austrian stage play by G. A. Golfar. A missing man returns after many years

We Do But Teach (Sunday, Home) A sincere but priggish teacher finds out what education really is

Howards End

(Sunday, Tuesday, Home)
The novel by E. M. Forster adapted as a serial by Lance Sieveking

The Death of the Jelly Baby (Sunday, Third) Another hearing of the work for radio by Angela Rodaway

The Shop Stewards (Monday, Home) An adaptation by G. W. Target of his novel

Panther Larkin (Wednesday, Light) A play by Simon Raven discloses intrigue in the cricket pavilion

The America Prize (Thursday, Third) A play by Dino Buzzati translated by Henry Reed

#### Light Entertainment

Comedy of the Week

One Man's Meat (Saturday, Home) Star's Choice (Saturday, Home) The Billy Cotton Band Show (Sunday, Light) The Peter Goodwright Show (Sunday, Monday, Light)
The Arthur Haynes Show
(Saturday, Tuesday, Light) Emery at Large (Thursday, Light) The Alfred Marks Show (Fri., Light)

#### VHF &

Wavelengths

HOME SERVICE

Wrotham 93.5 Mc/s Dover 94.4 Mc/s 330 m. (908 kc/s)

LIGHT PROGRAMME

Wrotham 89.1 Mc/s Dover 90.0 Mc/s 1,500 m. (200 kc/s) 247 m. (1,214 kc/s)

THIRD NETWORK

Wrotham 91.3 Mc/s Dover 92.4 Mc/s 464 m. (647 kc/s) 194 m. (1,546 kc/s)

Reception is better on VHF

Koestler's Psychology (Sat., Third) A talk by Dr. Neville Moray

Afrikaner Flying Doctor (Sun., Home) Dr. Carl van Aswegen talks to Peter Duval Smith

The Film Industry (Sunday, Home) An investigation into the prospects of the director in British films

Hannah Arendt (Sunday, Third) on Personal Responsibility under Dictatorship

Professor G. M. Carstairs (Mon., Third) On healing ceremonies in primitive

Sir Sydney Nevile (Tues., Home) One of the great figures of the brew-ing industry talks to Tony Van den Bergh

Lord Brabazon (Tuesday, Home) A radio portrait compiled by Andrew Boyle

Let's Find Out (Wednesday, Light)

The first of a new series. Four young people question two distinguished guests on their careers

Gerald Durrell (Wednesday, Home) In search of the great turkey-like notornis of New Zealand

Jack Fingleton (Wednesday, Home) The former Australian test cricketer and journalist in conversation with Rex Alston

Aldous Huxley (Wednesday, Third) A new judgment by Brigid Brophy

The Abolition of the Slave Trade (Thursday, Home) John Chandos examines its consequences for Britain

Monica Dickens (Friday, Home) Talks about herself to Leigh Crutchley

The Disease of Alcoholism (Friday, Home)

An enquiry into its nature and treatment

Painting of the Month (Friday, Third Network)

The architecture of Wilton House discussed in the supplementary series

1914: Moving Towards War (Friday, Third)

As seen in Berlin by the historian Dr. Erich Eyck

The Presentation of Shakespeare (Friday, Third Network)

discussed by Professor Hugh Hunt and Laurence Kitchin in Taking Issue

#### Current Affairs

Trade and Aid (Wednesday, Third) A discussion between Andrew Shon-field and L. K. Jha of the Indian Ministry of Finance

On Being Neighbourly (Wed., Home) The problems of community life

Listeners Answer Back (Friday, Light)

The audience challenge a statement by Leslie Pugh, Huddersfield stipen-diary magistrate, on Justice's Justice

#### **Events**

Trooping the Colour (Saturday, Home) From Horse Guards Parade

#### MUSIC

ALDEBURGH FESTIVAL



Rostropovich, Gervase de Pever. Benjamin Britten (Sunday, Home) Chamber music by Beethoven, Bach, Schumann, and Shostakovich

Poulenc Memorial Concert (Monday, Third)

With Peter Pears, Benjamin Britten, and the Melos Ensemble

Invitation Concert (Tuesday, Third) Chamber works by Schumann, Bartok, Fricker, and Henze

Cello and Orchestra (Thursday, Third)

Rostropovich in the first performances in this country of Britten's Cello Symphony and Haydn's Concerto in C major

Jésus Etcheverry (Saturday, Light) conducts the BBC Concert Orchestra in Saturday Concert Hall with Tessa Robbins (violin)

Modern English Choral Music (Sunday, Third)

Works by Richard Rodney Bennett, Nicholas Maw, and Phyllis Tate

Lutoslawski (Sunday, Third)

Concerto for orchestra played by the BBC Northern Orchestra

Alan Rawsthorne (Wednesday, Home) Violin Concerto No. 2 (revised) played by Manoug Parikian with the BBC Northern Orchestra

Artur Schnabel (Wednesday, Third) playing Beethoven's piano sonatas, Op. 101 and 109, on a gramophone record

Richard Strauss (Thursday, Home)

Prelude (Guntram) and Symphonic fantasy: Aus Italien played by the BBC Scottish Orchestra

Mahler (Friday, Home)

The Fourth Symphony played by the Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Or-chestra (conductor Charles Groves) with Jeannette Sinclair (soprano)

OPERA

Ariane et Barbe-Bleue (Sat., Third) A studio production of the opera by Dukas

TALKING OF MUSIC

Interpretations on Record (Sat., Third) Roger Fiske on Chopin's Piano Concerto No. 1 \

Bartok as a Folklorist (Monday, Third)

The first of two programmes by A. L. Lloyd

#### **Music in Lighter Mood**

Saturday Club (Light)

including: Frank Ifield, The Animals, The Fourmost, Rose Brennan, Billie Davis, Mike Berry, and The Inno-cents

Saturday Swings (Light)

Including: Susan Maughan, Manfred Mann, Don Lusher, Carter Lewis and the Southerners, The Diz Disley Quintet

Dusty Springfield (Sunday, Light) In Easy Beat

Shirley Bassey (Sunday, Light) A close-up on records



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#### News: Weather: Time

Home Service a.m. 7.0 (not Sun.): 8.0: 9.8 p.m. 1.0: 6.0: 10.0: 11.0

p.m. 1.0 : 6.0 : 10.0 : 11.0 Light Programme (Saturday): 6.30 a.m. and every hour on the half-hour until 12.30 p.m. Then 3.30 : 5.30 : 7.0 : 7.30 : 8.30 : 10.30 : 11.30 : 11.53 : (Sunday): a.m. 8.30 : 9.0 : 9.30 : 10.30, p.m. 7.30 : 10.30 : 11.55 : (Monday-Friday) 6.30 a.m. and every hour on the half-hour until 8.30 p.m. Also p.m. 7.0 : 10.30 : 11.30 : 11.55

Third Programme 11.0 p.m.

WEATHER FORECASTS

Home Service a.m. 6.55 (not Sun.): 7.53 a 8.55 (Sun. only)
p.m. 12.55 : 5.55 : 10.59

Light Programme a.m. 6.30 (not Sun.) 7.30 (not Sun.) 8.30: 8.55 p.m. 6.30 (not Sat., Sun.)

SHIPPING FORECASTS (Light 1500 m.) a.m. 6.45 : 11.55 (Sun. only) p.m. 1.40 (not Sun.): 5.58 : 12.2 a.m.

TIME SIGNALS

Home: Big Ben p.m. 12,30 (Sat. only); 10.0 G.T.S. a.m. 7.0 (not Sun.); 8.0 ; 9.0 : 11.0 (not Sun.); p.m. 1.0 : 6.0 ; 11.0

Light Programme: Big Ben 6.30 a.m. (Sun. 3.30) and Midnight. G.T.S. a.m.: 6.45 (1500 m.): 9.0 : 10.0 (not Sun.): 12.0 noon p.m. 2.0 (not Sat., Sun.): 3.0 (not Sat., Sun.): 7.0 (Sun. 7.30): 8.30 (not Sat., Sun.): 7.0 (Sun. 7.30): 8.30 (not Sun.)

ROAD TRAFFIC REPORTS

Friday: p.m. Light 5.31. Home 6.10. Third Net. 7.55

Saturday: Light a.m. 8.33. p.m. 12.31 : 5.31 : 7.29. Home p.m. 12.28 : 6.15, Sunday. Light p.m. 5.57: 7.29

#### Sport

**Sports Service** (Saturday, Third Network)

Racing at Royal Ascot (Tuesday-Friday, Light) Ascot Stakes (Tuesday) Royal Hunt Cup (Wednesday) Gold Cup (Thursday) Wokingham Stakes (Friday)

SECOND TEST MATCH

(Thursday-Friday, Third Network) England v. Australia at Lord's Ball-by-ball commentaries

Lawn Tennis (Friday, Home) London Grass Court Championships From the Queen's Club, London

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#### MENUHIN AT BATH

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THE happy association of Yehudi Menuhin with the Bath Festival dates from 1959. He has a great affection for this city which has always cultivated elegance and art. His original aim in planning the music programmes was two-fold:

first, to include works and composers which were particularly close to him, and secondly to widen his experience of music outside the repertoire of the solo violin, with ventures into jazz and Indian music. In tonight's edition of Midweek Music, the Bath Festival Trio—Yehudi Menuhin (violin), Maurice Gendron (cello), and Hephzibah Menuhin (piano)—play the Trio No. 1 in B flat major by Schubert. Menuhin himself will introduce the work to the audience in the Banqueting Room of the Guildhall.

Kenneth Savidge



#### CHILDREN OF OUR PEOPLE



'HAPPINESS is in inverse proportion to your I.Q. It is the relatives of the mentally handicapped we should feel sorry for.' This comment is something to keep in mind while watching tonight's documentary film introduced by Erskine Childers.

Made in Holland, it tells of the immense burden that parents face in bringing up a subnormal child. Among every race, class, and type of people, and usually unpredictably, about eight children in every thousand are born subnormal, many with some physical as well as mental handicap, and of these about four are so severely subnormal as to be incapable of looking after themselves. The studio comment which follows the film will discuss what is being done in this country to help the parents as well as the afflicted children.

Beryl Radley

#### **Britten's Cello Symphony**

JOHN WARRACK, in a talk for the BBC General Overseas Service describing the premiere in Moscow last March, said:



THE four movements evolve between the two partners, cello and orchestra, and from this arises the whole nature of the music, from the invention of the themes to the way they are handled. This is a novel idea, and it takes Britten into some excitingly novel territory.

The first movement is in the classical sonata form, but developed as a dual enterprise, the means conditioning the form and producing a brilliantly intricate structure. It has a certain darkness of mood, and this is continued into the scherzo, which is an exceedingly swift, nimble piece of work using the tiniest amount of musical material to maximum effect—the scale patterns which had lain behind most of the first movement have come very much to the fore.

Neither of these movements recalls anything similar in Britten's music; for though I think one would certainly recognise his touch, he is travelling over new technical ground. With the slow movement a more familiar voice asserts itself: there is all the old mastery with simple intervals—thirds—built into irregular phrases, the cello unfolding a soaring tune over widely modulating chords. The finale is a passacaglia, opening with a gay, fresh-air trumpet tune and rising to a grand climax.

#### The Price of Emancipation



7.30

It is fashionable today—and not only among Marxist historians—to emphasise the economic causes of the abolition of slavery in Western civilisation at the expense of all others.

There were other factors involved, of course, notably the moral revulsion of increasingly self-conscious communities against not only the atrocious cruelties attendant upon the process of securing and transporting slaves across the world but against the *concept* of any human being as a chattel.

It has been argued that moral considerations were only allowed to prevail when they became profitable, or at least when they no longer menaced substantial economic interests; and there is a case to be made for this cynical conclusion in the context of certain slave-using regions of the Americas. But in the case of Britain and the British West Indies we have an example to the contrary—of the effective suppression of traffic in slaves on British vessels and the abolition of the state of slavery in the British dominions while slavery was still an institution deemed by large and powerful vested interests valuable and even indispensable to their own and the nation's prosperity.

The strength and resources of these interests may be measured by the bitter conflict waged through four decades in the press and the House of Commons and by the then enormous sum of £20,000,000 which the Government felt obliged to vote the planters in compensation for the liberation of their slaves. 'It is not often,' wrote Palmerston, 'that men are found to pay so high a price for the luxury of doing a noble action.'

JOHN CHANDOS

#### The America Prize



HENRY REED'S signature to a work for broadcasting is a unique cachet of quality. For his latest contribution to the Third Programme he has turned once again to the Italian writer Dino Buzzati whose L'Uomo che andrà in America he has translated and adapted as a radio play under the title of The America Prize.

Buzzati, novelist, playwright, and journalist, is regarded as one of the few significant twentieth-century Italian writers working outside the framework of neo-realism. His novels are essentially symbolic and have often been compared to those of Kafka. To his other literary and journalistic activities Buzzati adds the distinction of having, since 1928, edited the famous newspaper Il Corriere della Sera.

The America Prize runs true to form. In part a delicious satire on the pretensions and 'snobisme' of certain contemporary Italian art circles, it is at the same time a moving allegory on the subject of that most elusive of guerdons—the accolade of artistic recognition. At times wildly hilarious, the play at other stages falls not far short of genuine pathos.

Henry Reed has made brilliant and imaginative use of the resources of sound radio to point the parable, bridge the difficult transition from realism to fantasy, and so establish a unity of Time and Space.

Archie Campbell

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## LIGHT

#### 6.30 WEATHER: NEWS

followed by

#### BRIGHT AND EARLY

BBC NORTHERN IRELAND † Conductor, DAVID CURRY

#### 7.0 MORNING MUSIC

† THE PROMENADE PLAYERS Conductor, SIDNEY BOWMAN BBC WEST OF ENGLAND PLAYERS Directed by Peter Martin FREDDY RANDALL AND HIS BAND HAROLD SMART at the electric organ

#### 8.55 METCAST

A visit to the Weather Centre in Kingsway, London, for a report on the latest weather position

#### 9.0 HOUSEWIVES' CHOICE

GEOFFREY WHEELER introduces your record requests

#### 9.55 FIVE TO TEN

How the Good News spread PATRICK TROUGHTON reads from The Acts of the Apostles in the New English Bible † 24: Diana of the Ephesians

#### 10.0 JOIN IN WITH JOE

JOE HENDERSON AND THE SINGALONGS † Produced by CYRIL DRAKE

#### 10.31 MUSIC WHILE YOU WORK

† DANNY LEVAN AND HIS QUINTET

#### 11.0 MORNING STORY

from the North of England by Heather Prime † Read by JULIET COOKE

#### 11.15 THE DALES

Script by Rex Edwards † Wednesday's broadcast

#### 11.31 THE TOWN CRIERS

THE RICHARD HOLMES QUARTET with their guests. JOHNNY CHRISTIAN BERYL SMITH with THE RICK HENSON TRIO Introduced by RODNEY BURKE † Produced by BRIAN WILLEY The Town Criers are at The Jack of Clubs Restaurant, London

#### 12.0 TWELVE O'CLOCK SPIN

of pop records with David Jacobs

#### 12.31 THE BEAT SHOW

with Bernard Herrmann and the N.D.O. BARBARA KAY KEN KIRKHAM THE TRAD LADS THE KEVIN KENT FOUR This week's special guests, THE SWINGING BLUE JEANS Introduced by GAY BYRNE † Produced by Geoff Lawrence

News Summary at 1.30

1.35 Cricket Scoreboard

#### 1.45 LISTEN WITH MOTHER

For children under five † Today's story: 'Charles Goes to the Office' by Ruth Ains-

#### 2.0 WOMAN'S HOUR

Introduced by Marjorie Anderson Royal Ascot: reflecting the fashions Parliamentary Notebook: by PRINCESS INDIRA

When I Was Very Young: CLAUD MULLINS looks back

The Law and the Reality: PAMELA DEEDES discusses the law of abortion, and talks to people deeply concerned Reading Your Letters

One Song: record choice of a recorded voice GEMMA JONES reads

A Journey to Florence in 1817 by BEAUJOLAIS CAMPBELL cond of five instalment

#### 3.0 MELODY FARE

A mixture of music for the afternoon with Just Me KATIE BOYLE † Produced by PATIENCE BUNTING

#### 3.31 MUSIC WHILE YOU WORK

DELMONDI AND HIS QUARTET

#### 3.40 RACING



#### Gold Cup

A race for three-year-olds and upwards run over a distance of two-and-a-half miles. Commentary by Peter Bromley, with a summary by Roger Mortimer From Royal Ascot

#### 3,55 MUSIC WHILE YOU WORK

Script by Rex Edwards

Continued

#### 4.15 THE DALES

† Repeated Friday, 11.15 a.m. 

#### 4.31 RACING RESULTS

and cricket scoreboard

\* Approximate time †BBC recording

#### 4.35 PLAYTIME

JIM DALE plays some records and sings a song or two with The PLAYTIMERS

#### 5.0 ROUNDABOUT

Introduced by Don Davis Today's record stars include Annie Ross, The Four Freshmen BBC REVUE ORCHESTRA Conducted by Malcolm Lockyer THE JACK EMBLOW QUARTET Script by Tony Aspler Produced by Peter Duncan and Richard Willcox

#### 6.33 SPORTS REVIEW

including racing results

#### 6.45 THE ARCHERS

Written by Edward J. Mason Edited by Godfrey Baseley † Produced by Tony Shryane

#### 7.0 NEWS and RADIO NEWSREEL

#### **7.25 SPORT**

including cricket close of play scores

#### 7.31 WHAT DO YOU KNOW?

A nation-wide general know-ledge contest in which listeners compete for the title: 'Brain of Britain 1964'

#### Chairman, Franklin Engelmann Semi-final (i)

Competing in the first round of the semi-finals are: IAN GILLIES, Essex Marketing Executive

DAVID GULLICK Hertfordshire Association Secretary ALLAN GRIFFITHS Warwickshire

Lecturer The programme also includes Hear! Hear! a test of memory Devised and written by John P. Wynn Produced by Joan Clark Tuesday's broadcast

Tickets for this series are available on application to Ticket Unit, BBC, Broadcasting House, W.1, enclosing stamped addressed envelope.

#### **8.0 EMERY AT LARGE**

Dick Emery

getting around with DERYCK GUYLER NORMA RONALD and a ditty from PADDY ROBERTS Script by George Wadmore, John Cleese, and Pat Dunlop † Produced by Charles Maxwell

#### 8.30 NEWS and TONIGHT'S TOPIC

#### 8.40 SEMPRINI SERENADE

with the BBC REVUE ORCHESTRA Conducted by MALCOLM LOCKYER plays his own arrangements for piano and orchestra

† Produced by FRANK HOOPER

#### 9.30 ANY ANSWERS?

A radio correspondence column in which listeners add their comments to some of the views expressed in last Friday's 'Any Questions?' from Bourne-

Produced by MICHAEL BOWEN Repeated on Friday, 12.15 (Home Services, not Scottish)

#### 10.0 MUSIC TO MIDNIGHT

with BILL SHEPHERD

AND HIS ORCHESTRA BBC MIDLAND LIGHT ORCHESTRA Conductor, Jack Coles

SHEILA SOUTHERN JOHNNY DAY

SYD DALE

and

records in the midnight mood Introduced by Bruce WYNDRAM Produced by Cyril Drake

#### 11.55 LATE NEWS

Close Down at 12 midnight

## THIRD

•NETWORK

#### 11.15 6.35

England v. Australia

at Lord's

See facing page

## Third Programme

#### 6.45 BRITTEN

Concert from the

MSTISLAV ROSTROPOVICH (cello) ENGLISH CHAMBER ORCHESTRA Leader, Emanuel Hurwitz Conducted by BENJAMIN BRITTEN From Blythburgh Church

Part 1

first public performance in this country See page 48

#### ELIZABETHAN ARCHITECTURE

Second broadcast

#### 7.45\* CONCERT

Part 2

#### 8.35 THE AMERICA PRIZE

L'Uomo che andrà in America

by Dino Buzzati

translated and adapted for radio by HENRY REED

Arrigo Schiassi, who introduces himself..........ROLF LEFEEVRE Antonio Remittenzo, a young painter......JEREMY SPENSER Leontina, a patroness of the Arts......JUNE TOBIN Continued in next column

#### **TEST MATCH** SPECIAL

SECOND TEST MATCH

First Day

#### and ROSTROPOVICH

Aldeburgh Festival

### 7.30\* MANNERISM AND

Three talks by Nikolaus Pevsner

3: English Mannerism? Professor Pevsner thinks that the term Mannerism, which he helped to establish and popularise, can be used for English architecture only to a severely limited extent.

There is a willow grows aslant a brook......Bridge 7.55\* Symphony for cello and orchestra, Op. 68...... Britten first performance in this country

Martina, owner of an Art Gallery...... ISABEL DEAN Enrico Giurassini, another young painter MICHAEL DEACON MICHAEL DEACON
ROSANNA, a visitor to the
Gallery.....SHEILA HANCOCK Paola, assistant to Martina
JANE WENHAM Aldo Seminari, another young painter.....Trader Faulkner Castorri, a painter FREDERICK TREVES Di Monaco, another painter WILLIAM FOX Boccadoro, a critic HERON CARVIC Giromette, another critic V. C. CLINTON-BADDELEY Mario Gennaro, a rich racketeer Peter O'Shaughnessy Young Priest. Stephen Saggers Monsignor Titta...RALPH TRUMAN First girl......Jo Kendall Second girl...Anna Summerfield Produced by ARCHIE CAMPBELL To be repeated on July 5 See page 48

#### 10.5 CHAMBER MUSIC

MELOS ENSEMBLE
Richard Adeney (flute)
Gervase de Peyer (clarinet)
William Waterhouse (bassoon)
Emanuel Hurwitz (violin)
Cecil Aronowitz (viola)
Terence Weil (cello)

Serenade in D major, Op. 25, for flute, violin, and viola Beethoven 

followed by an interlude at 10.55

#### 11.0 THE NEWS

t Second broadcast

#### 11.15 MARKET TRENDS

Close Down at 11.20

#### ALDEBURGH FESTIVAL

AT 6.45

#### **Mstislav** Rostropovich is the soloist in

HAYDN'S

Cello Concerto-AT 6.59 First public performance in this country

#### BRITTEN'S

Symphony for Cello and Orchestra-AT 7.55 First performance in this country