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Guest Conductor with C.T. Orchestra.

At the invitation of the Cape Town Municipality, Mr. S. Aronowsky, the well-known musician, who is on a visit to the Cape from Johannesburg, will conduct the Municipal Orchestra on Saturday, 9th December, at 8.15 p.m., at the City Hall. The soloist will be Cecilia Wessels.

As Mr. Aronowsky comes from the Caucasus and studied mostly under Russian masters, he has chosen for the orchestral programme items mainly from the works of Russian composers; the principal item will be Tchaikovsky's Fifth Symphony; other items in the programme will be Gopak by Mousorgsky, Ballet Suite by Glazounov, works by Weber and Mendelssohn, and an interesting work seldom performed, the Miniature Suite by O'Donnell.

Besides conducting, Mr. Aronowsky is a first violinist of the Johannesburg Broadcasting Orchestra and leader of the Johannesburg Symphony Orchestra.

Evening of Jewish Music.

Mr. Jerry Idelson, of Johannesburg, will present programme of Jewish music with the Cape Town Orchestra at the City Hall on Saturday evening, 16th December.

Mr. Idelson, who is a brother of the late Prof. Z. Idelson, the well-known musicologist, has been responsible for the founding and fostering of societies for the cultivation of Jewish music in Johannesburg, and has given numerous concerts and lectures on the subject. At present he is the head of the Johannesburg Jewish Choral Society which is responsible for bringing to the notice of the Jewish public important compositions of Jewish interest.

Mr. Idelson himself has written a number of major musical works which have been performed both in public and on the radio. In the programme to be presented at the City Hall on 16th December he will conduct a cantata of his own entitled "Israel's Marching," the words of which have been written by Lewis Sowden. This work composed for choir, orchestra and four soloists, will be Rose Alper, Jenny Sonnenberg, Boris Sonne and Harry Rabinowitz. The programme will also include a Hassidic suite by Mr. Idelson, based on traditional Hassidic themes.

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After weeks of preparation and rehearsals, "The Belle of New York" is ready to open, and the season commences at the Alhambra Theatre on Monday for one week. The proceeds will be devoted to Mrs. Smuts' Gifts and Comforts Fund. This evergreen musical comedy is being presented by the pick of Cape Town's juvenile talent, and the orchestra will comprise some excellent musicians to be conducted by the well-known conductor and chorus master, Mr. Joseph S. Manca. The producers have received a message from Mrs. Smuts and her little granddaughter Lillian, wishing the season every success. This seems assured as the booking is heavy. Special costumes and scenery have been designed for this production.

COLOSSEUM.

"Hers to Hold," considered one of the year's most significant romantic dramas, comes to the Colosseum Theatre next week. Deanna Durbin is co-starred with Joseph Cotten in the new Universal production. Charles Winniger, Evelyn Ankers and Gus Schilling have outstanding roles in the impressive cast. Deanna, it is declared, has the best role of her remarkable screen career. She appears as a debutante who goes to work in a war industry and finds romance as well as the satisfaction of serving her country.

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Ballet Music, "William Tell" Rossini

Piano Concerto in B flat Mozart

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Overture, "Euryanthe" Weber

Etc.

—Admission Free — Chairs 6d.

THURSDAY, 14th DECEMBER.

Symphony No. 7 Beethoven

Arias: MARGARET ROUX.

Death and Transfiguration Strauss

Booking — Darters.

SPECIAL CONCERT

CITY HALL.

Tomorrow, (Saturday, 9th inst.) Night at 8.15

MUNICIPAL ORCHESTRA

Conductor: Dr. Wm. J. Pickerill.

Aria, "Pace, Pace" (La Forza del Destino) Verdi

CECILIA WESSELS.

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