

UT Composer

Works To Be Performed



LOTHAR KLEIN

Four American symphony orchestras in the coming weeks will perform three works by Dr. Lothar Klein of the University of Texas as part of a new music project of the Rockefeller Foundation.

Various concert programs featuring new compositions will be given on college campuses.

The aim of the project is to broaden the repertoire of established orchestras and to bring newer compositions to the attention of the younger generation.

Dr. Klein, an assistant professor of music, has been on the UT faculty since 1962.

His "Musique a Go-Go" will be presented in the Cleveland area April 13-15 by the Cleveland Orchestra, directed by George Szell.

On April 20 the Houston Symphony Orchestra will

perform Dr. Klein's short comic piece, "Charivari," at the University of Houston.

The UT composer's "Second Symphony" is due for presentation April 28-May 1 by the New Orleans Philharmonic in concerts at Tulane University and the University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg.

The Kansas City Philharmonic will include "Charivari" in its appearances May 2-4 at the University of Kansas, Lawrence.

In each instance, Dr. Klein will be a guest of the orchestra, attending rehearsals, lecturing and participating in symposiums arranged in conjunction with an orchestra's visit to a campus. Among topics he will discuss are the historical problems of newer music and the composer's freedom of choice.

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