December 29

INVERCARGILL

680 k.c. 441 m.

- 7. 0-9.0 a.m. Breakfast session
- 11. 0 Recordings
- 12. 0-2.0 p.m. Luncheon session
- 5. 0 Light music
- Children's session: "The Legend of Umbopo"
- 5.45 Laugh and sing
- "Carson Robison and his Bucka-6. 0
- 6.15 Reserved
- 6.45 " Marie Antoinette"
- 7. 0 After dinner music
- 7.30 Station announcements
- 8. 0 Master melodies
- Musical comedy 8.30
- 9. 0 Beserved
- " Theills " 9.30
- 9.43 Rhythm time
- 10. 0 Close down

D GREYMOUTH 940k.c. 319 m.

- 7. 0 a.m. Breakfast session
- 9. 0 Morning programme
- 10. 0-10.10 Weather report
- 12 0-2.0 p.m. Luucheon music
- 12.30 Reserved
- 1. 0 Weather report
- 3. 0 Afternoon programme
- 4. 0 Reserved
- 4.30 Weather and shipping news
- "Richard the Lion-Heart"
- Children's session 5.15
- Dinner music 6. 0
- Reserved 6.15
- 7.20 A band and Peter Dawson
- Dyango Reinhardt (guitar), and Stephane Grappelly (violin) 7.40
- Cecil Johnson, broadcasting "In Town To-night"
- 7.52 Flirting with Annie Laurie
- 7.57
- Calling All Cars
- Harry Horlick and his Orchestra, and Richard Tauber (tenor)
- Hit tunes of 1939
- Reserved
- Hawaiian music, featuring Charles Kama and his Moana Serenaders, Ray Kinney (vocal), the Coral Islanders
- George Edwards and Company present Drama in Cameo: "A Garland sent Dram of Roses
- Sowande and his music 9.44
- Carson Robison and his Pioneers 9.47
- Close down

NAPIER 760 k.c. 395 m.

- 7. 0-9.0 a.m. Breakfast session
- 11. 0 Light music
- 12. 0-2.0 p.m. Lunch session
- 5. 0 Light music
- **5.45** For the children
- Light music
- Weather report and forecast for Hawke's Ray
 "Lorna Doone"
- After dinner music
- Concert session: BBC Symphony Orchestra. "Magio Flute Overture" (Mozart)

Books for Troopships

Suddenly, with plans being laid for the departure of an Expeditionary Force, the organisation collecting books for soldiers faces an emergency. For the moment, the immediate need of books for troopships replaces the urgent need of books for camps.

Troopships will need large collections of books if the weeks of enforced leisure are to be made tolerable for the men. Books are wanted now; "next week" may be

Make up a parcel to-day; label it "Books for Troopships"; take it to your public library or send it to the Country Library Service, Parliament Buildings, Wellington.

- Professor Alfred Sittard (organ), with the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. "Concerto No. 10" (Handel)
- Essie Ackland (contralto), Faro Senza Eurídice" (Gluc
- Leopold Stokowski and the Phila-delphia Orchestra, "Capriccio (Tchaikovski)
- Reserved 9. 0
- Light music
- 9.45 "Joan of Arc"
- 10. 0 Close down

NELSON 920 k.c. 327 m.

- Light music, including "Carson Robison and his Pioneers"
- 8. 0 Light classical music
- Sketches and light music
- 9. 0 Grand opera
- "The Japanese Houseboy" 9.35
- 10. 0 Close down

990 k.c. 303 m.

- 7. 0 p.m. Showmen of syncopation
- Leaves from the Diary of a Film 7.35
- 8. 5 Musical digest
- Carson Robison and his Buckaroos by the Wayfarer
- Wandering with the West Wind,
- Supper dance 9.15
- 9.45 Records at random
- 10. 0 Close down

AUCKLAND 1250 k.c. 240 m,

- 5. 0 p.m. Light orchestral and popular programme
- Orchestral and instrumental items Musical comedy gems, band music and Western songs
- Popular hits, organ selections and popular medleys
- Close down-



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Brevities

WCKY was heard at 10.45 p.m. announcing location as Cincinnati instead of "Blue grass" State. This change has not affected frequency (1490 k.c.), but with 50 k.w., power is heard well. The programme heard is an early morning hotspot" session daily except Sunday.

Special Programmes

December 24: TG2, 6190 k.c. from 6 to 8 p.m.

Special verification cards will be issued for this programme. Address reports, Colonel Eduardo Perez F., Director General of Communications, Radio Morse, Guatemala City, Guatemala, Central America.

Every Sunday: TG2 6190 k.c., from 7.0 to 7.30 p.m. TGQA 6400 k.c., from 5.30 to 6.0 p.m. YN3DG 13900 k.c., from 6.0 to 6.30 p.m.

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A Chinese station thought to be XHHB can be heard with fair signals in the early mornings on 7.97 m.c. The only English heard is in a local news broadcast at 1.20 a.m.

Shortwave Notes

The new transmitter of COCO. Havana, Cuba, is being heard with good signals on 6.36 m.c.'s when opening at 11.50 p.m. It is almost as loud as the main transmitter on 8.85 m.c.'s, both relaying broadcast station CMO.

The Mexican station on 9.68 m.c.'s heard almost daily until 6 p.m. has been identified as XEQQ relaying broadcast station XEQ of Mexico City. Its power is understood to be 5 kilowatts, and it was formerly on 6.03 m.c.'s.

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