

PROGRAMMES DAY BY DAY

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Monday, December 25

IYA AUCKLAND 650 kc. 462 m.

6. 0, 7.0, 7.45, 8.45 a.m. London News
9. 0 The Christmas Programme from the New Zealand Forces Overseas
10. 0 Combined Service: Pitt Street Methodist Church (Rev. E. T. Olds)
11. 0 Anglican Service: St. Mary's Cathedral (The Rt. Rev. Bishop Simkin)
- 12.15 p.m. LONDON NEWS
A Musical Commentary
1. 0 Dinner music (1.15, LONDON NEWS)
2. 0 From the Golden Pages of Melody: Raymond Paige's Young Americans
- 2.30 An Afternoon at the Proms
- 3.30 Christmas Carols by the Yugoslav Young People's Choir
4. 0 At the Proms
5. 0 Children's Song Service
- 5.45 At Close of Day
- 6.15 LONDON NEWS
7. 0 Twilight Fancies
- 7.30 EVENING PROGRAMME:
"His Lordship's Memoirs"
- 7.45 "Paul Clifford"
- 8.11 Sidney Torch (organ), "A Very Merry Christmas"
- 8.17 Snapshots of London: "Fleet Street at Work" (BBC programme)
- 8.32 Decca Players in Two Seasonal Sketches: "Christmas Eve," "Christmas Day"
- 8.38 "Mr. Meredith Walks Out"
- 8.51 Folk Dance Orchestra, "The Way to Norwich," "The Bishop" (arr. Foster)
- 8.57 Station notices
9. 0 Newsreel and Commentary
- 9.25 Bandstand: Orchestral Music and Ballads (BBC programme)
- 9.48 Light Symphony Orchestra, "The Three Men" Suite (Coates), "The Man from the Country," "The Man About Town," "The Man from the Sea"
10. 0 Scottish Interlude: Barbara Maurel (mezzo-soprano), "Robin Adair"
The Clan Players, with Sydney MacEwan (tenor), "Hall Caledonia"
- 10.10 "The Masked Masqueraders"
11. 0 LONDON NEWS
- 11.20 CLOSE DOWN

IYX AUCKLAND 880 kc. 341 m.

6. 0 p.m. Light music
7. 0 After dinner music
8. 0 Light orchestral music, musical comedy and ballads
9. 0 An hour from opera
10. 0 Close down

I2M AUCKLAND 1250 kc. 240 m.

10. 0 a.m. Selected recordings
1. 0 p.m. Close down
5. 0 Light orchestral selections
- 5.30 Vocal and Instrumental
6. 0 Music by Military Bands
7. 0 Songs from the Shows
- 7.45 Comedy Interlude
- 8.15 Musical Memories
- 9.30 Old-time dance programme
10. 0 Close down

2YA WELLINGTON 570 kc. 526 m.

6. 0, 7.0, 7.45, 8.45 a.m. London News
- 6.15 Breakfast session
9. 0 Christmas Programme from the N.Z. Forces Overseas
10. 0 Carol Service: Conducted by Commissioner J. Evan Smith, of the Salvation Army
10.28 to 10.30 Time signals
- 10.40 For My Lady: The Story Behind the Song
11. 0 Lily Pons - André Kostelanetz
12. 0 Dinner music (12.15 and 1.15 p.m., LONDON NEWS)
2. 0 "The Man Born to Be King: Kings in Judea"
- 2.45 Victor Herbert Waltzes, played by Harry Horlick's Orchestra
3. 0 Commentary on Representative Cricket Match: Auckland v. Wellington
- 3.15 Humorous Musical Impressions: Alec Templeton
- 3.30 The Kentucky Minstrels
4. 0 Spotlight on the Arranger: Reg Leopold and His Orchestra (BBC production)
5. 0 Children's session: Christmas Carols by Joye Taylor, with Uncle Lawrence
- 5.45 Light music (6.15, LONDON NEWS)
7. 0 Reserved
- 7.30 EVENING PROGRAMME:
The Queen's Hall Orchestra, Overture by Handel
- 7.35 "This Scattered Isle: The Guildhall": A new series comprising historical vignettes based on Shakespeare's immortal words, "This royal throne of kings, this sceptred isle, this earth of majesty... This earth, this realm, this England"
8. 0 Arthur Schnabel (pianist) and the Pro Arte Quartet, Piano Quintet in E Flat (Schumann)
- 8.34 Joan Bryant (soprano), "A Song of Shadows" (Armstrong Gibbs), "Like to the Damask Rose" (Elgar), "Silver" (Armstrong Gibbs), "A Feast of Lanterns" (Bantock) (A Studio Recital)
- 8.46 Vladimir Horowitz (pianist), Paganini Etude in E Flat (Liszt Busoni), "Serenade for the Doll" from "Children's Corner" Suite (Debussy), Prelude in G Minor (Rachmaninoff)
- 8.58 Station notices
9. 0 Newsreel and Commentary
- 9.30 New Zealand News for the Pacific Islands



Suitable Christmas music will be broadcast from all stations to-day. Listeners will hear "The Man Born to be King" from 2YA at 2.0 p.m.

2YA WELLINGTON 570 kc. 526 m.

- 9.40 "The Lovely Lady of Bethlehem": A Nativity Play by Marjorie Lyon, with music (NBS production)
- 10.10 Christmas Music by Famous English Chorus:
Royal Choral Society, Exeter Cathedral, Choir of the School of English Church Music, The BBC Chorus, Rochester Cathedral Choir, St. George's Chapel, Windsor, St. Martin's Choral Society, Choir of Westminster Cathedral
- 10.40 Slumber Music: Julia Morno and Her Ensemble
- 10.25 Musical Miscellany
11. 0 LONDON NEWS
- 11.20 CLOSE DOWN

2YC WELLINGTON 840 kc. 357 m.

6. 0 p.m. Dinner music
7. 0 After dinner music
8. 0 Variety
- 8.30 "The Big Four"
- 8.45 Langworth Programme
9. 0 Harry Fryer and His Orchestra
- 9.25 For the Bandsman
- 9.40 At Close of Day
10. 0 Close down

2YD WELLINGTON 990 kc. 303 m.

7. 0 p.m. Christmas Fantasy
- 7.30 "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea"
- 7.43 Top the Bill: "Dick Whittington"
8. 0 The Poets and Music
- 8.40 The Story Behind the Song: "Rock of Ages"
9. 2 The Music of Sir Arthur Sullivan
- 9.35 "Lost Empire"
- 9.55 When Day is Done
10. 0 Close down

2YB NEW PLYMOUTH 810 kc. 370 m.

7. 0 p.m. Family session
8. 0 Concert session
- 8.30 "The Stones Cry Out" (BBC production)
9. 0 Big Ben Chimes
9. 1 Concert session, continued
10. 0 Close down

2YH NAPIER 750 kc. 395 m.

- 8.45 a.m. London News
9. 0 Christmas Programme from N.Z. Forces Overseas
10. 0 Morning Programme
12. 0 Lunch music (12.15 and 1.15 p.m., LONDON NEWS)

2YH NAPIER 750 kc. 395 m.

2. 0 "The World and the Star"
A Christmas play
- 2.15 The Music of Vincent Youmans: Played by Meyer Davis and his orchestra
- 2.45 Organ reveries with Dick Liebert
3. 0 Celebrity half-hour
- 3.30-4.0 "Viennese Gaieties"
- 6.15 LONDON NEWS
- 6.45 Station announcements "Dad and Dave"
7. 0 After dinner music
- 7.15 "Dombey and Son"
- 7.30 The BBC Chorus
- 7.42 "A Christmas Carol" — (Charles Dickens) (BBC programme)
- 8.14 Cavalcade of Famous Artists: 1910—1935
- 8.30 Waltz Songs from Opera
- 8.45 Songs of the Day
9. 0 Newsreel and Commentary
- 9.25 The Philadelphia Orchestra, "Invitation to the Waltz" (Weber)
- 9.33 Elisabeth Schumann (soprano), "Ave Maria" (Schubert), "Holy Night, Peaceful Night" (Gruber), "Coventry Carol" (trad.)
- 9.43 Helfetz (violin), "Rondo" (Schubert)
- 9.47 Paul Robeson (bass), "The Rosary" (Nevin), "Plaisir D'Amour" (Martini), "A Perfect Day" (Jacobs-Bond)
- 9.54 Albert Sandler and His Orchestra, Listen to Liszt (arr. Bor)
10. 0 Close down

2YN NELSON 920 kc. 327 m.

7. 0 p.m. Miscellaneous bright music featuring songs sung by Deanna Durbin
8. 0 Classical music: London Symphony Orchestra, "Christmas" Concerto (Corelli)
- 8.15 Anna Dorfmann (piano) and London Symphony Orchestra, Concerto No. 1 in G Minor (Mendelssohn)
9. 1 "Thy Light is Come": A Christmas Play
- 9.33 Light recitals by: Orchestra of H.M. Royal Marines, Richard Tauber (tenor), Barnabas von Geczy's Orchestra
10. 0 Close down

22J GISBORNE 980 kc. 306 m.

7. 0 p.m. Selected recordings
- 7.15 "Martin's Corner"
- 7.30 Christmas Carols
- 7.45 "Dad and Dave"
8. 0 Popular Christmas recordings
- 8.15 "The Stage Presents" (BBC production)
- 8.45 Christmas on the Prairie
9. 2 Selected Christmas recordings
10. 0 Close down

3YA CHRISTCHURCH 720 kc. 416 m.

6. 0, 7.0, 7.45, 8.45 a.m. London News
9. 0 Christmas Programme from the New Zealand Forces Overseas
- 10.10 For My Lady: Thrills from Great Operas
- 10.30 Devotional Service
11. 0 Music for Christmas
- 12.15 p.m. LONDON NEWS
1. 0 Dinner music (1.15, LONDON NEWS)
2. 0 Cricket Match: Otago v. Canterbury
- "Mr. Pickwick's Christmas" (BBC programme)

4. 0 "We Speak for Ourselves: Men of the Merchant Navy" (BBC programme)
5. 0 Children's Service: Rev. F. W. Winton

6.15 THE EVENING HOUR

6.15 LONDON NEWS

7. 0 HARRY FRYER AND HIS ORCHESTRA (BBC programme)

7.30 CAROL SERVICE FROM THE CHRISTCHURCH CATHEDRAL

8.45 YEHUDI MENUHIN (violinist), Caprice No. 13 in B Flat Major (Paganini-Kreisler), "Dance of the Goblins" (Bazzini), "Moto Perpetuo" (Paganini)

8.58 Station notices

9. 0 Newsreel and Commentary

9.25 Artur Schnabel (pianist) with Onnou Prevost and Maas of the Pro Arte quartet and Alfred Hobday, Quintet in A Major, Op. 114 ("Trout") (Schubert)

10. 0 BBC Theatre Orchestra, "Iolanthe" Act 1 and 2 (BBC programme)

10.25 Songs from the Shows

10.52 Mayfair Symphony Orchestra, British Empire Fantasia (arr. Haydn Wood)

11. 0 LONDON NEWS

11.20 CLOSE DOWN

3YL CHRISTCHURCH 1200 kc. 250 m.

6. 0 p.m. Concert time
7. 0 After dinner music
8. 0 Eileen Joyce (piano)
- 8.18 "Robin Hood"
- 8.40 Peter Dawson (baritone)
9. 0 "The Inside Story"
9. 7 Orchestral interlude
- 9.30 Revere
10. 0 Close down

3ZR GREYMOUTH 940 kc. 319 m.

12. 0 Dinner music (12.15 and 1.15 p.m., LONDON NEWS)
- 5.30 Christmas Service
- 6.15 LONDON NEWS
- 6.45 "Chief Inspector French's Cases: The Case of the Telephone"
7. 0 The Boston Promenade Orchestra, Doctrinen Waltz, Op. 79 (Strauss)
7. 9 Anni Frind (soprano) and Chorus, Nuns' Chorus ("Casanova") (Strauss)
- 7.13 Anna Dorfmann (pianist), "Voices of Spring" (Strauss)
- 7.17 Boston Promenade Orchestra, New Vienna Waltz (Strauss)
- 7.23 Songs from the Shows, featuring the A.W.A. Light Opera Company
- 7.51 "Warsaw" Concerto (Addinsell)
8. 0 Theatre of Hollywood: "In Which We Serve," starring Ronald Colman
- 8.53 Harry Owens and His Royal Hawaiian Hotel Orchestra
9. 0 Newsreel and Commentary
- 9.25 "Sweet and Lovely"
10. 0 Close down

4YA DUNEDIN 790 kc. 380 m.

6. 0, 7.0, 7.45, 8.45 a.m. London News
9. 0 Christmas Programme from N.Z. Forces Overseas
- 9.30 In Joyful Mood
10. 0 Looking Back
11. 0 Service from St. Paul's Cathedral
12. 0 Dinner music (12.15 and 1.15 p.m., LONDON NEWS)
1. 0 After dinner music