

IYA AUCKLAND

750 kc. 400 m.

6. 0, 7. 0, 8. 0 a.m. LONDON NEWS
9. 4 Tunes from the Shows
9.34 With a Smile and a Song
10. 0 Devotions: Major Montgomery
10.20 For My Lady: "The Valley of Decision"
11. 0 In Festive Mood
11.15 Music While You Work
12. 0 Lunch Music
2. 0 p.m. From Our Library

2.30 CLASSICAL HOUR
Sonata in C, Op. 53 ("Waldstein") Beethoven
Variations in B Minor
Sonata in F, KV377 Mozart

3.30 Musical Contrasts
3.45 Music While You Work
4.15 Light Music
4.30 Children's Hour: "Gobbin's Goose," an Irish fairy tale. (BBC Programme)

5. 0 Variety
6. 0 Dinner Music
6.25 Market Reports
6.30 LONDON NEWS
6.40 National Announcements
6.45 BBC Newsreel
7. 0 Local News Service

7.30 EVENING PROGRAMME
The London Radio Orchestra
A Carol Symphony Hutchinson (BBC Programme)

7.59 "Bethlehem," a choral drama by Rutland Boughton, presented by the BBC Theatre Chorus and Orchestra with Marjorie Thomas (contralto), Elsie Suddaby (soprano) and Trevor Anthony (bass)

8.57 Station Notices
9. 0 Overseas and N.Z. News
9.30 Ceremony of Candle Lighting, a dramatized Christmas story with the Lighted Tree illuminated by the glow of many candles throughout the countryside (from Myers Park, Auckland)

10. 0 "Much-Binding-in-the-Marsh" (BBC Programme)
10.30 Music, Mirth, and Melody
11. 0 LONDON NEWS
11.20 An Unusual Musical, by Al Sallion and his Hot Dogs
11.50 Quiet Interlude

12. 0 MIDNIGHT MASS
St. Patrick's Cathedral
Preacher: His Lordship Bishop Liston
Organist: Lenora Owsley
Choirmaster: George O'Gorman

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Friday, December 24

DOMINION WEATHER FORECASTS

7.20 a.m., 9.0, 12.35 p.m., 3.0, 1.1A, 2.1A, 3.1A, 4.1A, 2.1Z, 3.1Z, 4.1Z.

11. 0 Music of Manhattan
11.30 The Orchestras and Choirs of the BBC
12. 0 Lunch Music

2. 0 p.m. CLASSICAL HOUR
String Trio Berkeley
Prelude and Fugue for String Trio
Dies Natalis Finzi

3. 0 Pons-Kostelanetz Concert
3.30 Music While You Work
4. 0 Favourites from Opera: Rossini's "Barber of Seville"
4.30 Children's Session: Interesting Facts, Dances of the Masters

5. 0 Rhythm Parade: Sammy Kaye and his Orchestra
6. 0 Dinner Music
6.30 LONDON NEWS
6.45 BBC Newsreel
7. 0 Feilding Stock Market Report

7.15 Talk: "Gold and Frankincense and Myrrh," the origin of the Magis' gifts described by Robert H. Nel
7.30 EVENING PROGRAMME
Christmas Carols from all countries, by Robert Shaw and his Victor Chorus

8. 0 Radio Theatre: "Kings in Judea," from Dorothy L. Sayers' series "The Man Born to be King" (BBC Production)
9. 0 Overseas and N.Z. News
9.30 Provincial Letter
9.30 Bandstand: Music for the Bandstand

Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards
The Shoe Black Barsotti
Band of H.M. Life Guards
Irish Fantasy Lange
Band of the St. John Ambulance Brigade
Imperial Dickens
Woolston Brass Band Lithgow
Invercargill
Band of the Grenadier Guards
Lion and Crown McKenna
Grand Massed Brass Bands
March of the Herald Nicholls
Community Land arr. Stoddon

ABC National Military Band
City of Ballarat Code
Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards
Galatea Miller

10. 0 Rhythm on Record: "Turntable"
11. 0 LONDON NEWS
Party Time
11.15 Carols by Candlelight: Y.W.C.A. Service (from Newtown Park)
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8. 0 "With a Smile and a Song"
8.30 "Serenade"
9. 0 Stars of the Concert Hall
9.20 "The Crimson Circle"
9.45 Tempo Di Valse
10. 0 Wellington District Weather Report
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1370 kc. 219 m.

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8.26 "The Old Rocking Chair": Nostalgic melodies of the Victorian and Edwardian era, composed by Christopher Stone (BBC Programme)
8.56 Harry Davidson and his Orchestra
Polka Grossmith

9. 4 Grand Opera
London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham
Don Giovanni Overture Mozart
9.10 Dennis Noble (baritone) with the Halle orchestra conducted by Warwick Braithwaite
A Maiden Fair and Slender
In the Factotum Rossini
9.18 Gail-Curti, Homer, Gighi, De Luca, Pinza, Bada (sextet)
What Beggars Me? Donizetti
9.22 Grand Opera Orchestra
Faust Ballet Music Gounod
9.30 Beniamino Gigli (tenor)
Heavenly Aida Verdi
Joan Hammond (soprano) with Philharmonia Orchestra conducted by Walter Susskind
How Wondrous, How Wondrous
Mimi's Farewell Puccini

9.42 Christmas Eve Selections
Frank Hutchens and Lindley Evans (piano duet)
Christmas Bells Hutchens
Vienna Boys' Choir
French, Indian and Tyrolean Carols arr. Gomboz
Alfredo Campoli and his Orchestra
Christmas Fantasy
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2XG GISBORNE
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7.45 Grand Hotel: Music by Albert Sandier and his Palm Court Orchestra
(BBC Production)
8.15 Charlie Chester in "Stand Easy"
(BBC Production)
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7.15 "The Humour of Christmas," a special broadcast written by Emily Balzeen

7.30 EVENING PROGRAMME
The London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Henry J. Wood
A Children's Overture Quilter

7.43 The Don Cossacks' Choir
Christmas Carol arr. Gogotzky

7.47 Frank Hutchens and Lindley Evans (duo pianists)
Christmas Bells Hutchens
7.50 Georges Thill (tenor)
Noel, Op. 43 Faure

7.54 E. Power Biggs (organ)
Jesus Priceless Treasure
A Babe is Born in Bethlehem

8. 0 Welcome Yule: The Songs and Legends of Europe, by Myra Thomson (soprano) with Besie Pollard (pianist)
8.15 Philadelphia Orchestra conducted by Stokowski
Transcriptions of Music by Bach

8.30 "This Christmas: A Perennial Problem": What people in different walks of life have to say about it
(NZBS Production)

9. 0 Overseas and N.Z. News
9.30 Royal Christchurch Musical Society and Gladys Vincent (violin), conducted by C. Foster Browne
"Before the Palling of the Stars" Dale

3.50 "Home Thoughts": Music and verse recalling an early N.Z. Christmas Eve
10.30 "ITMA" (BBC Transcription)

11. 0 LONDON NEWS
11.15 Christmas Party with Music for Dancing
12. 0 Midnight Prayer: Rev. L. H. Jenkins, Principal N.Z. Baptist College

12. 5 a.m. MIDNIGHT MASS: St. Michael's Church
Preacher: The Most Reverend the Lord Archbishop of N.Z., Dr. C. W. West-Watson
Organist and Choirmaster: Clifton Cook
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