



RADIO REVIEW

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With the Branches

Taranaki reports progress with their newly-formed branch. Two new members attended.

Wanganui also welcomed a new member. Competition winners were C. Hunt, with WCOA, and E. Osborne, for OA4U.

XENT Changes Frequency

This well-known Mexican station, famous for the broadcasts of Norman Baker's cancer talks, has shifted from 910 to 990 kc/s.

Assistance Wanted

Some time ago a film which was screened in N.Z. had scenes showing a young listener whose interest in radio had been stimulated by the feat of an N.Z. "ham" operator. The youngster had visions of emulating the New Zealander who saved the life of an American "ham" with whom he was in contact. During their link-up the American was overcome by fumes from the stove in his cabin in Alaska. The N.Z. man radioed another American "ham" and thus help was sent to the sick man, who it is believed was Clyde De Vinna, a cameraman in M-G-M studios. Can anyone supply information of the details of this occurrence, please?

Calling all Cars!

Some of the American Police Departments have been conducting tests with frequency modulation transmission and reception, for use in police work. The performance of the "F.M." methods were enthusiastically noted. It is expected that Chicago's 200 police cars will be changed to "F.M." when necessary gear is replaced.

Talking of police cars reminds us of a story from Ohio: An Illinois undertaking firm has been warned by the Federal Authorities that interception of police radio calls for the purpose of sending private ambulances to the scene of traffic accidents for the solicitation of business is a violation of the listening rights!

The authenticity of this story is guaranteed.

Carmen Kicks Kiepora

Jan Kiepora, tenor, put so much power into his work during a dress rehearsal of "Carmen" at St. Louis (U.S.A.) recently that Marjorie Lawrence, Australian soprano, cast in the title role, accused him of choking her, and showed her resentment by kicking his shins, according to "Variety."

The incident occurred during the last act, when Jose accuses Carmen of fickleness.

Miss Lawrence said that Kiepora exceeded the bounds of propriety in demonstrating his wrath, and she not only used the sharp points of her slippers, but vocally expressed her resentment.

Giuseppe Cavadore, baritone, who played the role of Remendado, rushed to the infuriated players, and none too gently pushed Kiepora away before further trouble occurred.

The principals calmed down, and the rehearsals terminated. The public presentation on the following night ran off without a hitch.

ROUND THE WORLD BY RADIO

NEWS BULLETINS IN ENGLISH

THIS list is revised regularly, with the co-operation of the New Zealand DX Radio Association. However, it must be noted that, although all care is taken to include only regular broadcasts, in the present state of international affairs some details may become inaccurate.

A.M.	Location	Call	Metres	Mc/s
00.00	Delhi	VUD2	31.28	9.59
00.00	Szechwan	XGOY	25.21	11.90
00.00	Japan	JZK	19.79	15.19
		JZJ	25.42	11.80
00.00	San Francisco	KGEI	31.48	9.53
00.15	Manila	KZRM	31.35	9.57
00.40	Canton	XGOK	25.66	11.67
1.15	Manila	KZRH	31.12	9.64
1.30	Shanghai	FFZ	24. 8	12.05
2. 0	San Francisco	KGEI	31.48	9.53
2. 0	Rangoon	XYZ	49.94	6.01
3. 5	Manchukuo	MTCY	25.48	11.77
3.15	Madras	VUM2	60.63	4.92
3.20	Delhi	VUD3	31.28	9.59
3.30	Shanghai	FFZ	24. 8	12.05
5.45	Turkey	TAP	31. 7	9.46
7.30	Moscow	RW96	31.51	9.52
7.30	Manchukuo	MTCY	25.48	11.77
7.30	Japan	JZJ	25.42	11.80
		JZK	19.79	15.19
8.30	Manchukuo	MTCY	25.48	11.77
8.55	Yugoslavia	YUD	49.18	6.10
9. 0	Moscow	RW96	31.51	9.52
10. 0	Szechwan	XGOY	25.21	11.90
10. 0	Moscow	RW96	31.51	9.52
P.M.				
2. 0	Moscow	RW96	31.51	9.52
2. 0	Moscow	RNE	25.0	12.0
2.30	Pittsburgh	WPIT	25.27	11.87
2.30	Schenectady	WGEA	31.41	9.55
2.30	New York	WRCA	31.02	9.67
2.30	Philadelphia	WCAB	31.28	9.59
3.30	WLWO has news session—good signal—has been on 19, 25, 31 metre bands intermittently.			
4. 0	Philadelphia	WCAB	31.28	9.59
4. 0	Boston	WBOS	31.26	9.57
4.15	Winnipeg	CJRX	25.60	11.72
4.15	Pittsburgh	WPIT	48.86	6.14
5.25	New York	WCBX	48.62	6.17
5.25	Boston	WBOS	31.26	9.57
5.25	Philadelphia	WCAB	31.28	9.59
5.30	San Francisco	KGEI	31.02	9.67
6.30	Manchukuo	MTCY	25.48	11.77

P.M.	Location	Call	Metres	Mc/s
7. 0	Tokio	JZK	19.80	15.16
7.30	Moscow	RW96	19.76	15.18
8.30	Melbourne	VLR	31.32	9.58
8.30	Perth	VLW3	25.36	11.83
9.25	Tokio	JVW3	25.06	11.72
10. 0	Szechwan	XGOY	25.17	11.95
10.15	Saigon	Saigon	25.46	11.78
10.15	Manila	KZRM	31.35	9.57
10.30	Perth	VLW2	31.09	9.65
10.45	Turkey	TAQ	19.74	15.19
11.45	*Cincinnati	WLWO	31.28	9.59
11.45	*Cincinnati	WLWO	25.27	11.87

*Alternates on these frequencies: 31.28 metres and 25.27 metres.

NEWS FROM DAVENTRY

THIS is a selection of the news transmissions best heard in New Zealand. Listeners should note that the times given are for news bulletins only, but that these are only items in fuller programmes. The features other than news in the BBC Empire Service are announced by Daventry for each following week every Sunday at the following times: 2.30 p.m., 5.30 p.m., 11.0 p.m., and on Mondays at 2 a.m., 6.30 a.m., and 10 a.m. (our time). BBC announcements, unless otherwise stated, are given in Greenwich Mean Time, which is 11½ hours behind New Zealand Standard Time.

TIME	CALL	METRES	M/CS	COMMENT
N.Z. Standard				
a.m.				
0.45	GSP	19.82	15.14	Summary
3.30	GSP	19.82	15.14	Full News
5.30	GSP	19.82	15.14	Full News
8.20	GSP	19.82	15.14	Summary
9.15	GSP	19.82	15.14	Full News
	GSD	25.53	11.75	Full News
	GSC	31.32	09.58	Full News
11. 0	GSP	19.82	15.14	Full News
	GSD	25.53	11.75	Full News
	GSC	31.32	09.58	Full News
p.m.				
12.30	GSE	25.29	11.86	Full News
	GSP	31.55	09.51	Full News
2. 0	GSB	31.55	09.51	News Reel
	GSC	31.32	09.58	News Reel
	GSD	25.53	11.75	News Reel
4. 0	GSB	31.55	09.51	Summary
	GSC	31.32	09.58	Summary
	GSD	25.53	11.75	Summary
5.45	GSB	31.55	09.51	Full News
	GSD	25.53	11.75	Full News
	GSI	19.66	15.26	Full News
	GSP	19.60	15.31	Full News
7.30	GSB	31.55	09.51	Summary
	GSD	25.53	11.75	Summary
	GSI	19.66	15.26	Summary
11. 0	GSP	19.82	15.14	Full News

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