

PROGRAMMES DAY BY DAY

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SUNDAY

NATIONAL

DECEMBER 8

IYA AUCKLAND 650 k c. 462 m.

6. 0 a.m. Station on the air for **NEWS FROM LONDON** (News at 6, 7, and 8.45)
9. 0 "Players and Singers"
11. 0 **Methodist Service**, relayed from **Epsom Methodist Church**. Preacher: Rev. F. Copeland. Organist: R. J. Morris
- 12.15 p.m. "Musical Musings"
1. 0 Dinner music (1.15, **NEWS FROM LONDON**)
2. 0 "An Afternoon at the Proms"
- 3.30 Chopin's Concerto No. 1 in E Minor, played by Arthur Rubinstein and the London Symphony Orchestra
4. 4 "In Less Serious Mood"
5. 0 Children's Song Service
- 5.45 "As the Day Declines"
- 6.15 **NEWS FROM LONDON** and Topical Talk
- 6.55 Dominion and district weather report and forecast
7. 0 **Salvation Army Service**, relayed from **Newton Citadel**. Preacher: Adjutant F. Searle. Bandmaster: Reg. Davies
- 8.30 **EVENING PROGRAMME**: Boston Promenade Orchestra, "Rienzi" Overture. Wagner Thomas Case (baritone), "Hope the Hornblower" Ireland
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 **NBS Newsreel**: A digest of the day's news
- 9.15 **BBC News Commentary**, by George Slocombe
- 9.25 Dominion and district weather reports, and station notices
- 9.28 Felix Weingartner and the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, Symphony Opus 56 No. 3 ("The Scottish") Mendelssohn
10. 0 Close of normal programme.
11. 0 **NEWS FROM LONDON**, followed by meditation music
- 11.30 **CLOSE DOWN**

IYX AUCKLAND 880 k c. 341 m.

6. 0 p.m. Recordings
- 8.30 **Light choral recitals**, with instrumental interludes
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 Continuation of programme
10. 0 Close down

I2M AUCKLAND 1250 k c. 240 m.

10. 0 a.m. Sacred and orchestral selections
11. 0 Concert session
12. 0 Lunch music
2. 0 p.m. From the shows and musical comedies

3. 0 Piano selections, popular medleys, variety and light orchestral items
5. 0-6.0 Band music, announcements, light orchestral selections
7. 0 Orchestral interlude
8. 0 Concert
- 8.45 Reserved
10. 0 Close down

2YA WELLINGTON 570 k c. 526 m.

6. 0 a.m. Station on the air for **NEWS FROM LONDON** (News at 6, 7 and 8.45)
- 7.30 (approx.) Early morning session
- 9.15 Programme by the Wellington City Salvation Army Band, relayed from the Citadel
- 9.45 Voices in Harmony
10. 0 Weather report for aviators
11. 0 **Anglican church service**, relayed from **St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral**. Preacher: Canon D. J. Davies. Organist and Choirmaster: David Blair, F.R.C.O.
- 12.15 p.m. (approx.) These You Have Loved
1. 0 Weather report for aviators
- 1.10 **Dinner music** (1.15, **NEWS FROM LONDON**)
2. 0 **Music by Elgar series** (No. 3): "Introduction, Allegro for Strings, Op. 47," played by the BBC Symphony Orchestra, with string quartet
- 2.12 For the Music-lover
- 2.45 In Quires and Places Where They Sing
3. 0 **Talk by Professor J. Y. T. Greig**, Professor of English at the Witwatersrand University, Johannesburg: "The Vicious Practice of Hiking"
- 3.15 Songs by Oscar Natzke (New Zealand bass)
- 3.25 Music by Eric Coates 3.28 to 3.30 Time signals
- 3.37 Voices in Harmony
4. 0 **Who Wrote That?**: A session of music, prose and poetry, with notes and queries
- 4.30 Songs of the Maori
- 4.45 On the Black: On the White
5. 0 Children's song service, conducted by Uncle William, assisted by children from Knox Presbyterian Church, Masterton
- 5.45 Times You May Remember
- 6.15 **NEWS FROM LONDON** and topical talk
- 6.55 Dominion and district weather reports
7. 0 **Methodist church service**, relayed from **Wesley Methodist Church, Taranaki Street**. Preacher: Rev. Percy Paris. Organist and choirmaster: H. Temple White
8. 0 **EVENING PROGRAMME**:
8. 2 Boston Promenade Orchestra, "Marche Militaire" Schubert

8. 5 "The Siege of Warsaw"
A dramatic commentary by Maria Kuncewiczowa and C. Denis Freeman
This is the true story of a beleaguered city, and of the triumph of a man's spirit, and of a people's courage against the forces of evil. This chronicle, prepared by the BBC, tells the brave and tragic story of Warsaw, the capital of Poland; and of the hard Mayor, Starzynski

- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 **NBS Newsreel**: A digest of the day's news
- 9.15 **BBC News Commentary**, by George Slocombe
- 9.25 Dominion and district weather reports, and station notices
- 9.28 Heddle Nash, English tenor, in a Studio recital
- 9.44 Fritz Kreisler (violin), "Lotus Land" Scott
- 9.48 Light Symphony Orchestra, "Springtime Suite" Coates
10. 0 Close of normal programme
11. 0 **NEWS FROM LONDON**, followed by meditation music
- 11.30 **CLOSE DOWN**

2YC WELLINGTON 840 k c. 357 m.

6. 0 p.m. Recordings
- 7.30 "Cosi Fan Tutti": A grand opera by Mozart. Part 1 (Part 2 will be broadcast next Sunday)
- Don Alfonso lays a wager with two officers, Ferrando and Guglielmo, that their wives, Fiordiligi and Dorabella, will not remain faithful to them for a day. The officers say good-bye to their wives, but shortly return disguised as rich Albanians, and make love to each other's wife. The maid Despina endeavours to induce her mistresses to listen to their rich suitors, but both remain faithful.
- In order not to lose his wager, Don Alfonso bribes Despina, and when the Albanians pretend to take poison, she appears disguised as a physician and saves their lives by pretended magnetism. Persuaded by Despina, Dorabella eventually gives way to the pleading of Guglielmo, and Ferrando wins Fiordiligi. Despina appears again, this time disguised as a notary with the marriage contracts, when word is received that their husbands have returned. The Albanians are hidden by their lovers, but escape, only to return in their true characters. They show their faithless brides their marriage contracts, but Alfonso explains everything and so brings about a reconciliation.
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 Continuation of opera
10. 0 Close down

2YD WELLINGTON 990 k c. 303 m.

7. 0 p.m. Frankie Masters and his Orchestra
- 7.35 "Martin's Corner"
8. 0 Songs for sale
- 8.30 Keyboard colleagues
- 8.45 Reserved
- "Dad and Dave" English notes
- "Scandal in High Places" Ensemble
10. 0 Close down

2YB NEW PLYMOUTH 810 k c. 370 m.

7. 0 p.m. Relay of church service
- 8.15 Studio programme of recordings
9. 0 Weather report and station notices
9. 2 Recordings
10. 0 Close down

2YH NAPIER 750 k c. 395 m.

11. 0 a.m.-1.30 p.m. Recordings
- 1.15 **NEWS FROM LONDON**
2. 0 Afternoon concert session
3. 0-4.0 **Carol Service**, relayed from **Woodford House School, Havelock North**
- 6.15 **NEWS FROM LONDON** and Topical Talk
7. 0 **Relay of Evening Service** from **Baptist Church, Hastings**. Preacher: Roland C. Hart. Organist: W. Kean. Choirmaster: J. Bewley
- 8.15 (approx.) Recordings, station announcements
- 8.30 Dresden Philharmonic Orchestra, "Kathchen von Heilbronn" Overture (Pfitzner)
- 8.41 Essie Ackland (contralto)
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 **NBS Newsreel**: A digest of the day's news
- 9.15 **BBC News Commentary**, by George Slocombe
- 9.25 The Philharmonic Orchestra, "Finale From Serenade" (Tchailkovski)
- 9.29 Fanny Heldy (soprano), and Marcel Journet (bass)
- 9.32 Wilhelm Backhaus (piano) with the New Symphony Orchestra, "Concerto in A Minor" (Grieg)
10. 0 Close down

2YN NELSON 920 k c. 327 m.

7. 0 p.m. Gaspar Cassado (cello), with symphony orchestra, "Concerto in A Minor" (Schubert)
8. 0 Light opera
- 8.30 The Halle Orchestra, with the St. Michael's Singers and Sir Hamilton Harty (solo pianist), "The Rio Grande" (Lambert)
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 "Search for a Playwright"
- 9.25 Light classical
- 9.45 "Pinto Pete"
10. 0 Close down