

PROGRAMMES DAY BY DAY

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SUNDAY

NATIONAL

FEBRUARY 9

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 "With the Boys Overseas": A radio programme compiled from recorded commentaries, descriptions, news and messages
10. 0 "Players and Singers"
11. 0 Catholic Service, relayed from St. Patrick's Cathedral
Preacher: His Lordship Bishop Liston. Organist: Miss Nell Ormond. Choirmaster: Professor Moor-Karoly
- 12.15 p.m. Musical musings
1. 0 Dinner music (1.15, **NEWS FROM LONDON**)
2. 0 "An Afternoon at the Proms."
3. 0 Recorded talk: "New Zealand Brains Abroad": A record of our achievements, prepared by Bernard Magee and Major F. H. Lampen
- 8.30 Tchaikovsky's Sixth Symphony, played by the Philharmonic Orchestra, conducted by Furtwangler
- 4.20 "In Less Serious Mood"
5. 0 Children's song service
- 5.45 "As the Day Declines"
- 6.15 **NEWS FROM LONDON** and topical talk
7. 0 Baptist Service, relayed from the Baptist Tabernacle
Preacher: Dr. Alexander Hodge. Organist: Arthur E. Wilson
- 8.15 Harmonic interlude
- 8.30 **EVENING PROGRAMME:**
Weingartner and the London Philharmonic Orchestra, "Viennese Dances" Beethoven
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 NBS newsreel: A digest of the day's news
- 9.15 BBC news commentary
- 9.25 Station notices
- 9.28 Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra, "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" Dukas
- 9.40 Don Cossacks Choir, "Cossack Cradle Song" Gretschaninov
- 9.44 Lamoureux Orchestra, "The Waltz" (A Choreographic poem) Ravel
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 Concerted vocal recitals, with instrumental interludes
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 Continuation of programme
10. 0 Close down

IZM 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, piano-accordion, band and miscellaneous selections
- 4.30 Light orchestral items and popular medleys
- 5.30 Announcements
- 5.40 Light orchestral items
6. 0 Close down
7. 0 Orchestral and instrumental items
8. 0 Concert session
- 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. 0 "With the Boys Overseas": A radio programme compiled from recorded commentaries, descriptions, news and messages
10. 0 Band music by the Wellington City Salvation Army Band, relayed from the Citadel
11. 0 Baptist Service, relayed from Brooklyn Baptist Church
Preacher: Rev. J. Russell Grave. Organist: H. Haigh. Choirmaster: J. Morgan
- 12.15 p.m. (approx.) These you have loved
1. 0 Dinner music (1.15, **NEWS FROM LONDON**)
2. 0 Music by Handel: "Concerto Grosso, Op. 6, No. 6," played by the London Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Felix Weingartner
- 2.16 For the music lover
- 2.44 In Quires and Places Where They Sing, featuring the Choir and Organ of the Tabernacle, Salt Lake City
3. 0 "The Last Call." A feature commemorating stage and platform favourites who died during the year 1940
3.28 to 3.30 Time signals
Words and music
4. 0 Reserved
- 4.15 National Patriotic Airs
- 4.46 "Waltz Time," with Al Goodman and his Orchestra
5. 0 Children's song service, conducted by Uncle William, assisted by children from the Terrace Congregational Sunday School
- 5.45 Tunes you may remember
- 6.15 **NEWS FROM LONDON** and topical talk

7. 0 Congregational Service, relayed from the Terrace Congregational Church
Preacher: Rev. H. W. Newell. Organist and choirmaster: L. S. Adam

8. 0 EVENING PROGRAMME: "Music From the Theatre" "LA TOSCA"

Puccini's great musical drama
With Beniamino Gigli as the Painter, Cavaradossi

Mario Cavaradossi, the idealist painter at work in a church, encounters Angelotti, a Roman Consul and escaped prisoner seeking sanctuary. Mario helps him to escape in the disguise of a woman. Floria Tosca, Mario's fiancée, and a famous singer, suspects Mario of a flirtation, and the suspicion is fostered by the dreaded chief of police, Baron Scarpia, who is able to show her a fan engraved with the name Countess Atavanti, which Angelotti dropped in his flight. Later, Scarpia arrests Cavaradossi for complicity in Angelotti's escape, and Mario is tortured in a room beside that in which Scarpia is interviewing Tosca for whom he has conceived a violent passion. In her mental distress, Tosca tells the whereabouts of Angelotti, and the torture of Mario ceases. Scarpia now presses Tosca to yield her honour, and at the price of Mario's life, she consents, but suddenly she stabs Scarpia to death and escapes. After a scene between Tosca and her lover in prison, Scarpia's treachery is revealed, for in spite of his promise to order blank cartridge, Mario is really shot, and the preconcerted plan by which he was to feign death and then escape comes to nought. Stricken with grief, Tosca throws herself from the parapet of the prison into the Tiber.

- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 NBS newsreel: A digest of the day's news
- 9.15 BBC news commentary
- 9.25 Station notices
- 9.27 Continuation of "La Tosca"
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
8. 0 Recital by famous artists
- 8.45 Reserved
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 Station notices
9. 2 Recordings
10. 0 Close down

2YH NAPIER 750 k.c. 395 m.

- 8.45 a.m. **NEWS FROM LONDON**
9. 0 "With the Boys Overseas": A radio programme compiled from recorded commentaries, descriptions, news and messages
10. 0 Recordings
11. 0 Morning programme
- 1.15 p.m. **NEWS FROM LONDON**
2. 0 Afternoon Concert session
4. 0 Close down
- 6.15 **NEWS FROM LONDON** and Topical Talk
7. 0 Relay of Evening Service from Trinity Methodist Church, Napier.
Preacher: Rev. S. J. Werren. Organist: Miss Dorothy Buckingham. Choirmaster: J. Edwards
- 8.15 (approx.) Recordings and station announcements
- 8.30 Alfredo Campoli (violin), with the London Symphony Orchestra, "Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso" (Saint-Saens)
- 8.39 Men of the Westminster Abbey Choir, "Ave Verum Corpus" (Vittoria), "Super Flumina Babylonis" (Palestrina)
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 NBS Newsreel: A digest of the day's news
- 9.15 BBC News Commentary
- 9.25 Portion of the Oratorio, "Elijah" (Mendelssohn), presented by Isobel Baillie, Clara Serena, Parry Jones, and Harold Williams, with the BBC National Chorus
10. 0 Close down

2YN NELSON 920 k.c. 327 m.

7. 0 p.m. Philadelphia Orchestra, Prelude and Fugue in F Minor, "Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring" (Bach)
- 7.30 The Danish Quartet, Suite No. 1 in G Major (Bach)
8. 0 Light opera
- 8.30 BBC Symphony Orchestra, with String Quartet, Introduction and Allegro for Strings (Elgar)
- 8.45 Reserved
9. 0 "The Adventures of Marco Polo"
- 9.15 Light classical music
- 9.45 "Pinto Pete in Arizona"
10. 0 Close down

2YD WELLINGTON 990 k.c. 303 m.

7. 0 p.m. Recalls: The pick of the week's recordings
- 7.35 "Martin's Corner"
8. 0 Jekyll and Hyde: Artistic contrasts
- 8.33 "When Dreams Come True"
- 8.45 Reserved
- "Dad and Dave"
- Heart songs
- The Journey North: A tale of the Silver Greyhound Ensemble
10. 0 p.m. Close down