

# ROUND THE WORLD BY RADIO

## NEWS BULLETINS IN ENGLISH

This new list of overseas stations broadcasting news in English gives comment on the state of reception in Wellington (but reception may vary in other localities). The times are New Zealand Summer Time. The list is checked regularly, but its accuracy may, of course, be affected by last-minute changes which are made from time to time:

A.M.	Call	Place	Metres	Mcs.	Reception
0.30	KGEI	San Francisco	31.02	9.67	Fair
	VUD3	Delhi	31.28	9.59	Fair
	VUD2	Delhi	41.15	7.29	Fair
	KZRH	Manila	31.12	9.64	Fair
	XGOY	Chungking	50.42	5.95	Fair
1.30	JZK	Tokio	19.79	15.16	Fair
2.30	XYZ	Rangoon	49.94	6.00	Fair
2.55	ZHP1	Singapore	30.92	9.705	Fair
3.10	RW96	Moscow	19.76	15.18	Fair
3.30	KGEI	San Francisco	31.02	9.67	Fair
3.45	JZJ	Tokio	25.42	11.80	Fair
3.50	VUD3	Delhi	31.28	9.59	Fair
	VUD4	Delhi	25.36	11.83	Fair
6.0	JZJ	Tokio	25.42	11.80	Fair
6.15	TAP	Ankara	31.70	9.46	Fair
7.30	RW96	Moscow	31.51	9.52	Good
9.3	MTCY	Hsinking (Manchuria)	31.43	9.545	Poor
9.15	OFE	Lahti, Finland	25.47	11.78	Poor
9.30	JLG4	Tokio	19.86	15.105	Fair
9.45	VLR4	Melbourne	19.70	15.23	Fair
10.0	GRX	London	30.96	9.69	Fair
10.30	VLW3	Perth	25.36	11.83	Poor
11.0	WBOS	Boston	25.27	11.87	Poor
11.10	RW96	Moscow	19.76	15.18	Fair
		Moscow	31.15	9.63	Fair
	WBOS	Boston	25.27	11.87	Poor
11.45					
P.M.					
12.45	KGEI	San Francisco	19.57	15.33	Fair
	RW96	Moscow	19.76	15.18	Fair
1.5	JLU4	Tokio	16.86	17.79	Fair
	JLG4	Tokio	19.86	15.105	Fair
2.30	RW96	Moscow	19.76	15.18	Fair
2.30	—	Moscow	31.15	9.63	Fair
2.50	VLR4	Melbourne	19.70	15.23	Poor
3.0	WBOS	Boston	25.27	11.87	Fair
	WRCA	New York	31.02	9.67	Fair
	WGEO	Schenectady, N.Y.	31.48	9.53	Poor
4.0	WLWO	Cincinnati	31.28	9.59	Fair
4.45	VLW3	Perth	25.36	11.83	Fair
4.55	KGEI	San Francisco	19.57	15.33	Good
5.0	VLQ2	Sydney	25.27	11.87	Good
	JZK	Tokio	19.79	15.16	Good
	GRW	London	48.82	6.14	Fair
6.0	KGEI	San Francisco	31.02	9.67	Good
	VLQ2	Sydney	25.27	11.87	Fair
	VLR4	Melbourne	19.70	15.23	Fair
6.35	JLU4	Tokio	16.86	17.79	Fair
7.55	KGEI	San Francisco	31.02	9.67	Fair
9.0	VLR	Melbourne	31.32	9.58	Fair
	VLG5	Melbourne	25.25	11.88	Fair
	VPD2	Suva	31.46	9.535	Fair
10.35	JZJ	Tokio	25.42	11.80	Good
10.45	—	Saigon	25.47	11.78	Poor
	XGRS	Shanghai	24.90	12.02	Poor
11.0	ZHP1	Singapore	30.92	9.705	Fair
11.15	—	Saigon	25.47	11.78	Fair
12.00	FFZ	Shanghai	24.88	12.08	Poor

## SHORTWAVE NOTES

(By "Audio")

RADIO CENTRE, Moscow, has recently begun a series of special transmissions in English. These are primarily intended for North America, but are heard quite well in this country. Each transmission consists of a news bulletin and commentaries on the war situation. There are also very good descriptions of life in Russia to-day, as well as vivid pictures of the actual fighting narrated by eye-witnesses. Here is the schedule of broadcasts, with a list of the frequencies used, also the frequencies heard best here:

A.M.	Wavelength	Best frequency	Reception
0. 5-0.30	19 metres	15.18 mc.	Poor
3. 0-3.52	19 and 33 metres	15.18 mc.	Fair
10. 0-10.58	19 metres	15.18 mc.	Fair
11. 0-11.58	19, 31 and 33 metres	15.18 and 9.63 mc.	Fair
P.M.			
12.30-12.58	19 metres	15.18 mc.	Fair
2.30-2.58	19, 25, 31 and 33 metres	15.18 and 9.63 mc.	Fair

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A NEW Swiss station is now coming in at excellent strength in the afternoons.

This is HER3 which operates on a frequency of 6.165mc. Its location is Schwarzenburg. The station is heard here from 4.40 to 5.40 each afternoon, and reception is really good. The programme is mainly musical, and includes many well-known tunes. The station closes at 5.40 p.m. with "Bon jour madame, bon jour monsieur."

## NEWS FROM LONDON

In the following list of news broadcasts from London in the BBC's Overseas Service, stations are given in chronological order, but in each group the stations are listed in order of merit for reception purposes. The list is checked frequently, but "The Listener" cannot be responsible for last-minute changes:

Time	Nature of Broadcast	Call	Metres	Mcs.	Reception
A.M.					
1.00	News and Talk	GSF	19.82	15.14	Poor
		GSV	16.84	17.81	Poor
		GSD	25.53	11.75	Very poor
4.00	News and Talk	GSF	19.82	15.14	Poor
		GSD	25.53	11.75	Poor
6.00	News	GRV	24.92	12.04	Fair
		GSD	25.53	11.75	Poor
		GSF	19.82	15.14	Very poor
8.45	News	GSD	25.53	11.75	Fair
		GSF	19.82	15.14	Fair
		GRY	31.25	9.60	Poor
10.45	News and Talk	GSD	25.53	11.75	Fair
		GSC	31.32	9.58	Fair
		GRY	31.25	9.60	Poor
12.00	News	Same Stations			Fair
P.M.					
1.00	News and Commentary	Same Stations			Fair
3.15	"Britain Speaks"	Same Stations			Fair
3.30	Radio Newsreel	Same Stations			Fair
4.30	News and Commentary	Same Stations			Good
6.15	News and Talk	GSD	31.55	9.51	Fair
		GSD	25.53	11.75	Fair
		GSI	19.66	15.26	Poor
7.00	Radio Newsreel	GSI	19.66	15.26	Fair
		GSB	31.55	9.51	Fair
		GSD	25.53	11.75	Fair
7.30	Calling N.Z., Mon. Wed. and Fri.	Same Stations			Fair
	Calling Australia, Tues., Thurs. and Sat.	Same Stations			Fair
8.00	News and Commentary	Same Stations			Fair
11.00	News and Talk	GSF	19.82	15.14	Poor
		GSD	25.53	11.75	Poor
		GSV	16.84	17.81	Very poor

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