

Empire Stations Calling

Below are the details of the programmes to be broadcast in Transmission 1 (for Australia and New Zealand) from the BBC shortwave station at Darenty next week. New Zealand summer time is given.

The programmes on this page may be heard from the following short-wave stations:—

CSC		16.86m. or 17.79m.c.
CSO		19.76m. or 15.18m.c.
CSF		19.82m. or 15.14m.c.
CSD		25.53m. or 11.75m.c.
GSB		31.55m. or 9.51m.c.

SUNDAY, APRIL 10.

6.0 p.m.: Big Ben. Religious service (Church of England).
6.50: Orchestral music.
7.0: Programme of traditional Welsh music. Dolan Evans (soprano) and Beatrice Botterill (harp).
7.30: Weekly newsletter, sports.
8.0: England v. Scotland, commentary on international Association football match.
8.30: Close down.

MONDAY, APRIL 11.

6.0 p.m.: Big Ben. "In Town To-night."
6.30: Recital by Gregori Tscherniak (balalaika) and Geoffrey Sisley (guitar).
6.45: "Waltzing Matilda (1): Some Reflections on Travel in the British Empire." Talk.
7.0: BBC Empire Orchestra.

TUESDAY, APRIL 12.

6.0 p.m.: Big Ben. Music Hall.
7.0: "Empire Exchange." Points of view by travellers from the Dominions and Colonies.
7.15: Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.
7.50: News and announcements.
8.15: Close down.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13.

6.0 p.m.: Big Ben. "Dancing Time."
6.35: "The Gang Smasher (episode 2): John Martinson Takes a Trick in Diamonds."

Radio serial.

6.55: Pianoforte Trios of Beethoven—1. The Kitcher Trio: Samuel Kitcher (violin), Douglas Cameron (violin-cello), Harry Isaacs (pianoforte).
7.30: "Cards on the Table." Series for New Zealand listeners. A New Zealander (Jack Lovelock) and an Englishman (John Maude) discuss the news from London.
7.50: News and announcements.
8.15: Close down.

THURSDAY, APRIL 14.

6.0 p.m.: Big Ben. "Take Your Choice." Entertainment feature.
6.45: "World Affairs." Talk, the Rt. Hon. Sir Malcolm Robertson.

7.0: BBC Empire Orchestra.
7.50: News and announcements.
8.15: Close down.

GOOD FRIDAY.

6.0 p.m.: Big Ben. Talk, "America Speaks (8): The Position of the Negro." Talk, Elmer Carter.
6.20: Recital of old English songs. Winifred Radford (soprano).
6.35: Next week's programmes.
6.45: "Good Friday." Play in verse by John Masefield.
7.35: Religious service from studio.
7.50: News and announcements.
8.15: Close down.

SATURDAY, APRIL 16.

6.0 p.m.: Big Ben. Mr. Wilkes at home in his own bar-parlour.
6.30: "London Log."
6.40: British light music—1. BBC Empire Orchestra.
7.25: "Escape": First-hand accounts by prisoners of war—1. J. R. Ackerley sets the scene.
7.55: News and announcements.
8.15: Close down.

THIS WEEK

ON THE SHORT WAVES

VLR, MELBOURNE.

Wavelength, 31.34 m.

SUNDAY PROGRAMMES.

6.0 p.m.: "In Quires and Places Where They Sing," presented by ABC Wireless Chorus.
8.30: Talk on international affairs.
8.50: News bulletin.
9.0: "Alice in Orchestralia."
9.20: Celebrity recordings.
9.30: This week's story.
10.45: Musical programme.
11.15: A play.
12.15: News.
12.20: Epilogue. Close down at 12.30.

WEEKDAY PROGRAMMES.

8.25 p.m.: "At Home and Abroad"—"Watchman."
2.50: Music.
3.0: Time. Victorian news bulletin.
3.5: Interstate weather notes.
3.15: Lunch music.
3.30: Afternoon musical programme.
7.15 (approx.): Close down.
3.30: Popular music, or news.
8.45: Sporting news and notes.
9.0: News, markets and weather.
9.20: Overseas news service.
9.30: Australian news.
9.40: Talk.
9.55: Musical interlude.
10.0: Evening concert programme.
12.0: Musical recital or talk.
12.30: Late news.
12.50: Dance music and recordings.
1.20: News brevities.
1.50: Close down.

HIGHLIGHTS.

Sunday, April 10.

10.45 p.m.: Organ recital by Arnold Coleman, with Stella Wilson (soprano).
11.15: Play, "The Betrothal."

Monday, April 11.

10.0 p.m.: Radio serial, "Into the Light," episode 10.
10.30: "Emma and Herbert," with revue stars.
11.0: Topical song and story.
11.30: Instrumental ensemble.

Tuesday, April 12.

10.0 p.m.: Brass band recital.
10.30: Adelaide Studio Orchestra.
11.20: "The Dumbies," comedy sketch.
11.40: Male quartet.

Wednesday, April 13.

10.0 p.m.: Choral presentation, "The Mount of Olives" (Beethoven).
11.15: National Military Band.
11.45: "Denzil Batchelor's Travels."

Thursday, April 14.

10.0 p.m.: Play, "Mr. Pratt's Waterloo."
11.0: Folk songs, Clement Q. Williams.
11.15: Silver Sextet.
11.45: "Chorus, Gentlemen, Please!"

Good Friday.

Between 2.35 and 12.30 a.m. selected musical programmes and appropriate talks will be given.

Saturday, April 16.

10.0 p.m.: ABC Brisbane Symphony Orchestra.
11.0: Alexander Kipnis (bass recital).

APRIL, 1938.

VK2ME, SYDNEY, 31.28 m.

Sundays: 6 p.m.-8 p.m., 10 p.m.-2 a.m.
Mondays: 2.30 a.m.-4.30 a.m.

VK3ME, MELBOURNE, 31.6 m.

Monday to Saturday (inclusive): 9 p.m.-12 midnight.

VK6ME, PERTH, 31.28 m.

Monday to Saturday (inclusive): 11 p.m.-1 a.m.

RNE, MOSCOW.

Wavelength: 25 m.

3.15 p.m. every day.
Sunday, also at 11 p.m.
Monday, also at 3 a.m.
9 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, Saturday.
Wednesday, also at 11.30 p.m.

Wavelength: 31.25 m. and 39.89 m.
12 noon every day.

BERLIN.

DJA, DJB, DJS, DJE, DJQ.

Wavelengths: 31.38 m., 19.74 m., 13.99 m., 16.89 m., 19.63 m.

5.5 p.m.: Call (German, Eng.). Folk song.
5.10: Light music.
6.0: News in German.
6.15: Light music (continued).
6.50: Greetings to listeners.
7.0: News and economic review in English.