

World's Shortwave Programmes

Broadcasts from Europe, United States and Australia

Empire Stations

GSD 25.53m., GSE 25.29m., GSF 19.32m., GSO 19.73m., GSI 19.66m.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4.

8.0 p.m.: Big Ben. "Mayfair," by Reginald Beckwith and Andrew Cruickshank. Programme about the district of London bounded by Oxford Street, Regent Street, Piccadilly, and Park Lane. Production by Leslie Stokes.

8.30: Recital by Harold Williams (Australian baritone).

9.50: Religious service (Church of England), from Derby Cathedral. Address by the Very Rev. P. A. Micklem, D.D., Provost of Derby. Organist, G. H. Heath Gracie.

9.40: Sunday news, weekly newsletter, sports summary, Saturday sport and announcements.

10.15: Close down.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5.

8.0 p.m.: Big Ben. Music hall.

9.0: "Music in Every-day Life" (3). Weekly series of talks by Herbert Howells.

9.15: Recital by Ruth Perry (New Zealand mezzo-soprano).

9.30: Rhythm classics.

9.50: The news and announcements.

10.15: Close down.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6.

8.0 p.m.: Big Ben. "In Town Tonight." Introducing unusual stories from every walk of life, flashes from the news of the week, and "Standing on the Corner" (interviews with "the man in the street"). Produced by C. F. Meehan.

8.30: BBC Empire Symphony Concerts—4: British composers. BBC Empire Orchestra (augmented); leader, Leonard Hirsch; conductor, Eric Fogg. Albert Sammons (violin).

9.50: The news and announcements.

10.15: Close down.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7.

8.0 p.m.: Big Ben. Welbeck Light Quartet.

8.20: "Canada Speaks." First-hand accounts of life and work in Canada—3: By a wheat-grower from Saskatchewan.

8.35: Chamber Music of Mendelssohn—8. The English Ensemble: Marjorie Hayward (violin); Rebecca Clarke (viola); May Muckle (violin); William Murdoch (piano).

9.10: Oxford v. Cambridge: Commentary on the Inter-University Rugby Union football match, from Twickenham.

9.35: Rae Jenkins's Trio, in programme of synopacted music.

9.50: The news and announcements.

10.15: Close down.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8.

8.0 p.m.: Big Ben. "World Affairs." Talk by J. L. Brierly, O.B.E., Chichele Professor of International Law in the University of Oxford.

8.15: Theatre music. BBC Empire Orchestra; leader, Leonard Hirsch; conducted by Clifton Hellwell.

9.0: "Topical Gazette." Fortnightly review of things at Home, presented by Pascoe Thornton.

9.30: Recital by BBC Singers, conductor, Leslie Woodgate. At pianoforte, Berkeley Mason and Ernest Lush.

9.50: The news and announcements.

10.15: Close down.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9.

8.0 p.m.: Big Ben. "Empire Exchange." Points of view by travellers from the Dominions and Colonies.

8.15: Geraldo and his orchestra.

9.15: "The Godsend." Play by Earle Grey. Production by Howard Rose.

9.40: Next week's programmes.

9.50: The news and announcements.

10.15: Close down.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10.

8.0 p.m.: Big Ben. "Cards on the Table." Exchange of views on the news of the day, between speakers from different parts of the Empire.

8.20: "Scrapbook for 1938." Scenes, memories, and melodies of thirty-five years ago, presented by Leslie Baily and Charles Brewer. BBC Revue Chorus and BBC Theatre Orchestra, conducted by Mark H. Lubbock.

9.20: BBC theatre organ.

9.40: "London Log."

9.50: The news and announcements.

10.15: Close down.

Berlin, Germany

Wavelengths: DJA 31.38 m., DJE 19.74 m., DJS 13.99 m., DJQ 19.63 m., DJE 16.82 m.

DJA and DJB for South Asia.

DJE, DJS, DJQ for East Asia.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4.

5.5 p.m.: Call (German, English).

German folk song.

5.10: Musical Sunday greetings.

6.50: Greetings to our listeners.

7.0: News and review of the week in English.

7.15: Our German Study Club (English). The microcamera in the service of the biologist.

7.30: Richard Wagner evening. The orchestra of the Breslau Radio Station. Soloists: Lotte Schrader (soprano), Marius Andersen (tenor), Heinrich Blasel (baritone).

1. Prelude to "Lohengrin". 2. Wotan's narrative from "Die Walkure". 3. Blacksmith songs from "Siegfried".

8.15: German Cathedrals: III. Vienna: St. Stephen's Cathedral.

8.45: Trout quintet by Franz Schubert.

9.45: Symphony concert.

11.0: Concert of light music.

12.0: News in English. Greetings to our listeners.

1.15 a.m.: A Sunday evening's programme.

2.15: The Sacrificial Fire, a German folk cantata by Max Scheunemann.

2.45: Brass band.

3.0: Songs by Johannes Brahms.

3.15: Hamburg Cathedral. Radio report of the world famous Christmas market.

3.45: The Prussian State Library.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5.

5.5 p.m.: Call (German, English).

German folk song.

5.10: Lively potpourri.

6.50: Greetings to our listeners in Australia.

7.0: News in English.

7.15: Today in Germany (sound pictures).

7.30: Money from the stars (pre-Christmas play).

8.0: "Let us enjoy life." (Variety Hour).

9.0: Brass band.

10.0: Orchestral concert.

11.0: Concert of light music.

12.0: News in English.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6.

5.5 p.m.: Call (German, English).

German folk song.

5.10: Light music.

6.50: Greetings to our listeners in New Zealand.

7.0: News and economic review in English.

7.15: Today in Germany. Sound pictures.

7.30: Little German ABC.

8.0: The most beautiful German folk songs.

8.45: Erich Rohn (violin).

9.15: String trio in G Major by Boccherini.

9.45: Thoughts and things (English).

11.0: Concert of light music.

12.0: News in English.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7.

5.5 p.m.: Call (German, English).

German folk song.

5.10: Musical variety hour.

6.50: Greetings to our listeners.

7.0: News and economic review in English.

7.15: Today in Germany. (Sound pictures).

7.30: The Merry Widow. Operetta by Franz Lehár. Presentation of the Vienna Broadcasting Station.

11.0: Concert of light music.

12.0: News in English.

12.55 a.m.: Greetings to our listeners in British India.

1.30: Songs and dances of all peoples. Music from Sweden, Norway, Scotland, Spain, Germany, Hungary, Yugoslavia.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8.

5.5 p.m.: Call (German, English).

German folk song.

5.10: Merry we strike up.

6.50: Greetings to our listeners in Australia.

7.0: News and economic review in English.

7.15: Today in Germany. (Sound pictures).

7.30: Beethoven's piano sonatas: Sonata in A Major op. 101.

7.45: Military Concert.

9.15: Serenade for the violin and viola by Willy Burkhard.

10.0: Selections from operettas.

11.0: Concert of light music.

12.0: News in English.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9.

5.5 p.m.: Call (German, English).

German folk song.

5.10: We strike up.

6.50: Greetings to our listeners in New Zealand.

7.0: News and economic review in English.

7.15: Today in Germany. (Sound pictures).

7.30: Little German ABC.

7.45: Light folk music.

9.0: The highway unites nations and opens the way to trade (English).

9.15: Piano music by Cyril Scott and Richard Winger.

9.45: Light music.

12.0: News in English.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10.

5.0 p.m.: Call (German, English).

German folk song.

5.10: Week-end music.

6.50: Greetings to our listeners.

7.0: News and economic review in English.

7.15: Today in Germany (sound pictures).

7.30: Non-stop.

8.30: German Collegium Musicum: Carl Maria von Weber.

11.0: Concert of light music.

12.0: News in English.

12.55 a.m.: Greetings to our listeners.

W9XF, Chicago

Wavelength: 49.15 m.

Daily: 5.5-6 p.m.

Tuesday to Saturday: 8-10.50 a.m.

Sunday: 8-9.30 a.m.

Monday: 5-9.50 a.m.

RNE, Moscow

Wavelength: 25m.

Daily: 3.15 to 4 p.m.

Sunday: 11 p.m.

Monday: 3 a.m.

Wednesday: 11.30 p.m.

Wavelength: 50m.

Monday, Tuesday, Saturday: 9 a.m.

W1XK, Springfield

Wavelength: 31.33 m.

Daily, except Sunday: 10 p.m.-9 a.m.

Daily: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sunday: 12 midnight-9 a.m. (Monday).

W2XAD, Schenectady

Wavelength: 19.56 m.

Daily: 4.15-11 a.m.

Wavelengths: 31.41 m.

Daily: 11.15 a.m.-3 p.m.

Wavelengths: 30.43 m.

Daily: 10.15 a.m.-12.30 p.m.

Sundays: 5-7 a.m.

W2XAF, Schenectady

Wavelength: 31.43 m.

Daily: 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

PHOHI, Holland

Wavelengths: PCJ, 31.28 m. and 19.71 m. PHI, 16.88 m. and 25.57 m.

Mondays.

11.25 p.m.-12.25 a.m.: For Asia.

Music, political talk and mission news in Roman Catholic session.

12.25: Announcements. For Dutch Indies.

12.30: Talk.

12.50: News.

1.20: Music.

1.30: Roman Catholic session.

2.30: Close down.

Tuesdays (19.71 m.)

5.30-7 p.m.: Experimental broadcast for Australia, New Zealand, Fiji Islands. (Reports about the reception to be sent to PHOHI-PCJ Studio, Hilversum, Holland.)

Sundays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays (16.88 m.)

12.25 a.m.: Opening announcements, etc.

12.30: Market reports.

12.40: News.

1.0: Varied popular programme of music, talks, sports and news.

2.30: Close down.

VUC, Calcutta

Wavelength: 49.07 m.

Daily: 2.30 a.m.-5 p.m., 8.10-3.0 p.m.

Sundays: 12.30 a.m.-5 p.m.

HBO, HBJ, Geneva

Wavelengths: 20.64 m., 20.30 m.

Sundays: 10.30-11.15 a.m., 12 noon-1.30 p.m.

Special broadcast for Australia and New Zealand on Mondays: HBO at 7 p.m., HBJ at 7.30 p.m.

12RO, Rome

Wavelength: 31.13 m.

Daily: 5.40-10.30 a.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 11 a.m.-12.30 p.m.

Wednesday, Friday, Sunday: 11 a.m.-12.45 p.m.

Wavelengths: 25.40 m.

Weekdays: 4.30-10.30 a.m., 11.45 p.m.-3.30 a.m.

Sundays: 4.30-10.30 a.m., 11.45 p.m.-2 a.m.

VK2ME, Sydney

Wavelength: 31.28 m.

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

Tuesdays: 2-4 a.m.

VK3ME, Melbourne

Wavelength: 31.5 m.

Monday to Saturday (inclusive): 9-11 p.m.

VK6ME, Perth

Wavelength: 31.23 m.

Monday to Saturday (inclusive): 9-11 p.m.

VPD2, VPD3, Suva

Wavelengths: 31.43 m., 34.33 m.

Daily: 10.30 p.m.-12 midnight.

Paris-Mondial, France

TPE3 (16.84 m.): 1.30 to 3 a.m. for East and Far East.

TPE6 (19.33 m.): 11 a.m. to 1.15 p.m. for South America.

TPE7 (25.24 m.): 1.30 to 4 p.m. for North and Central America.

TPE11 (31.41 m.): 3.15 to 10 a.m., and 6 to 9 p.m. for Africa and East Mediterranean.

TPA2 (19.63 m.): 10 p.m. to 3 a.m. for East and Far East.

TPA3 (25.24 m.): 3.15 to 10 a.m., and 6 to 9 p.m. for Africa.

TPA4 (25.60 m.): 11 a.m. to 1.15 p.m., and 1.30 to 4 p.m. for America.

Prague, Czech.

Wavelengths: OLR2A, 49.92 m.; OLR2B, 49.75 m.; OLR3A, 31.41 m.; OLR4A, 25.34 m.; OLR4B, 25.51 m.; OLR5A, 19.70 m.; OLR5B