

ZB PROGRAMMES for the WEEK

Commercial Broadcasts from Five Cities

Alterations and highlights in the programmes of the ZB stations are announced daily as follows: 1ZB at 8 a.m., 11.55 a.m., and 6.30 p.m.; 2ZB at 8.15 a.m., 2 p.m., and 6 p.m.; 3ZB at 8.14 a.m., 1.59 p.m., and 5.59 p.m.; 4ZB at 8.14 a.m., 1.59 p.m., and 5.59 p.m.; 2ZA at 6.15 p.m.

SUNDAY

CHRISTMAS DAY

1ZB AUCKLAND

1070 k.c. 280.2 m.

- 6.0: Carols. 7.0: Santa Claus. 8.30: Hymns of all Churches. 8.45: Country Church of Hollywood. 9.0: Christmas greetings from the Prime Minister and the Controller of Commercial Broadcasting. 9.15: Uncle Tom and the Friendly Road Children's Service. 10.0: Hospital session, with Stella and Rod. 12.0: Christmas dinner music. 2.0: Interprovincial Salutes from the Mayors of the Four Cities. 5.0: The Diggers' hour (Rod Talbot). 6.30: Uncle Tom and his Sunday Evening Choir. 9.0: Carols from wide-range. 9.15: An international hour. 12.0: Close down.

2ZB

WELLINGTON

1130 k.c. 265.5 m.

- 6.0: Carols and Christmas music. 6.30: Bright music. 7.30: Christmas with the children. 7.45: Music. 8.0: Representative Christmas greetings. 8.30: Hymns of all Churches. 8.45: Uncle Tom's Choir. 9.0: Christmas greetings from the Prime Minister and Controller of Commercial Broadcasting. 9.15: "Home Folks." 9.30: Christmas greetings to Empire residents in New Zealand. 9.45: Christmas band session. 10.0: Hospital session. 10.15: Merry music. 11.0: Christmas greetings from the "Easy Aces." 11.15: Christmas time with wide-range. 11.45: Christmas humour. 12.15: Music for the Christmas dinner. 2.0: Interprovincial Salutes from the Mayors of the Four Cities. 2.20: Christmas music from the "Messiah." 3.0: Special Christmas continuity programme. 4.0: Abridged presentation of musical comedy, "Yes, Madam!" 4.35: Music. 5.0: "Music for the Old Folks." 5.30: Special Christmas session for the children—"Dick Whittington" pantomime. 6.0: Music. 6.15: Features of the week. 6.15: Music for the early evening. 7.0: "Fred and Maggie Everybody." 7.15: Maori session (Oriwa). 7.30: "Thrills from Great Operas." 7.45: Music. 8.0: Burlesque pantomime, "Bally Haba and his Forty Bees." 8.30: Feature programme. 8.45: Radio's Royal Quartet, "The King's Horsemen." 9.0: "Big Ben Looks Down," cavalcade of the 20th Century, devised and presented by L. E. Strachan. 10.0: Kay Kyser and his Orchestra. 10.15: "Merry and Bright"—new recordings. 11.0: Feature programme. 11.30: Musical reflections. 11.50: Epilogue. 12.0: Close down.

3ZB CHRISTCHURCH

1430 k.c. 209.7 m.

- 6.30: "Count of Monte Cristo." 6.45: Cheery music. 7.0: Mirth parade. 7.15: Doug. Laurensen presents. 7.30: Anniversary programme of Tchaikowsky. 8.0: MAN IN THE STREET. 9.0: Christmas round the world. 9.30: Meditation music for Christmas Night. 10.0: Close down.

4ZB

DUNEDIN

1220 k.c. 245.8 m.

- 6.0: Christmas carols. 7.0: Toyland tunes. 7.45: Uncle Tom's Children's Choir. 8.0: Christmas greetings to listeners. 8.15: Bright recordings. 8.30: Hymns of all Churches. 8.45: Information for holiday motorists. 8.55: Music. 9.0: Christmas greetings from the Prime Minister and the Controller of Commercial Broadcasting. 9.30: Christmas cheer for the hospitals. 10.30: Wide-range presentation. 11.0: Country Church of Hollywood. 11.30: Musical reunion. 12.0: Christmas dinner music. 2.0: Interprovincial Salutes from the Mayors of the Four Cities. 2.30: "National Emblems"—wide-range. 3.0: New releases. 3.30: Christmas echoes from the theatre. 4.0: "The First Christmas in New Zealand," by Ari Pitama. 4.30: Bright recordings. 5.0: An organ Yuletide. 5.30: Special Christmas session for the young people. 6.0: Music. 6.30: Features past and present. 6.40: "Holm Folks." 7.0: "Fred and Maggie Everybody." 7.15: Music. 7.30: Thrills from great operas. 7.45: Music.

2ZA

PALMERSTON NTH.

1400 k.c. 214.2 m.

- 6 p.m.: Special Christmas melodies for the children.

The Minister of Industries and Commerce, the Hon. D. G. Sullivan, will open the new 3ZB studios this evening at 8 o'clock.

NATIONAL STATIONS CONTINUED

- 11.55: Relay from the Post Office square of New Year celebrations. 12.5 (approx.): Close down.

2YC

WELLINGTON

840 k.c. 356.9 m.

(Alternative Station)

- 5.0: Light musical programme. 6.0: Close down. 7.0: After dinner music. 8.0: Light and popular classics—a programme of concerted vocal items with instrumental interludes. 9.0: "Band Concert of the Air"—a programme of band music with spoken interludes. 10.0: Merry and bright. 10.30: Close down.

3YA

CHRISTCHURCH

720 k.c. 416.4 m.

- 7.0: Breakfast session. 9.0: Close down. 10.0: Recordings. 10.30: Devotional service. 10.45: Recordings. 11.0: A talk to women by Margaret. 11.10: Recordings. 11.30: Progress reports on Plunket Shield match, Wellington v. Canterbury. 12.0: Lunch music. Progress reports on New Zealand tennis championships from Wilding Park. 1.0: Week-end weather forecast. 2.0: Recordings. 3.30 and 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's hour (Children's Organiser). 6.0: Dinner music. 7.0: Government and overseas news (from 2YA). 7.10: News and reports. 7.20: Review of day's play in the Plunket Shield cricket match. 8.0: Chimes. "Homestead on the Rise." 8.15: "The Fourth Form at St. Percy's."

- 8.28: The London Chamber Orchestra: "Sally in Our Alley," "Cherry Ripe" (arr. Bridge). 8.35: "Coronets of England—The Life of Mary Queen of Scots" (episode 11). 9.0: New Year greetings to the people of New Zealand by His Excellency the Governor-General, Viscount Galway (from 2YA). 9.5: Weather forecast and station notices. 9.10 (approx.): Viola Morris and Victoria Anderson (vocalists), solos and duets: Duets: "Nymphs and Shepherds" (Purcell, arr. J. Michael Diack), "When Spring With Its Joy" (Mozart, arr. Diack), "Now Is The Month Of Maying" (Morley, arr. Samuel Liddle). Solos by Victoria Anderson: "Die Schur," "Zigeunerlieder" (Brahms). Solos by Viola Morris: "Sweet Suffolk Owl" (Elizabeth Poston), "Sigh No More, Ladies" (Fred. Keel). Duets: "Dirge for Fidele" (Vaughan Williams), "Spring Wind" (Eric Thiman), "Pan's Holiday" (Frank Bridge), "Country Places" (Margaret Sutherland). 9.40: (R) Harry Karr (saxophone), "Estilian Caprice" (Paul). 9.43: (R) Sandy Powell and Company (sketch), "Sandy's Happy Home" (Powell-Thomson). 9.50: (R) Mario Lorenzi (harp), "Harping in the Highlands" (various). 9.54: (R) Nelson Keys and Ivy St. Helier, "Our Friends the Stars." 10.0: Sports summary. 10.10: Dance music by Sammy Lee and his Americanians (from Majestic Cabaret, Wellington) (from 2YA). 11.50: (R) Archer Gibson (grand organ): "Londonderry Air" (old Irish air), "The Bells of St. Mary's" (Adams). 11.55: Cathedral bells. 12.2: Devotional. 12.5: Close down.

3YL

CHRISTCHURCH

1200 k.c. 250 m.

(Alternative Station)

- 5.0: Recordings. 6.0: Close down. 7.0: After dinner music. 8.0: "With the Bands"—sixty minutes with famous bands and humorous interludes. 9.0: Radio play: "Last Call for Husbands"—a topical New Year presentation. 9.40: Four Characteristic Valses. 9.52: An evening with Paul Lincke. 10.0: Comedia. 10.30: Close down.

4YA

DUNEDIN

790 k.c. 379.5 m.

- 7.0: Chimes. Breakfast session. 9.0: Close down. 10.0: Recordings. 10.50: A talk to women by Margaret. 11.0: Commentaries on play in the Plunket Shield match, Otago v. Auckland; and at intervals. 12.0: Lunch music. 1.0: Weather forecast. 2.0: Recordings. 3.30: Sports results. 4.45: Sports results. 5.0: Children's hour (Cousin Molly). 6.0: Dinner music. 7.0: Government and overseas news (from 2YA). 7.10: News and reports. 8.0: Chimes. The Merry-makers, "The Merry-makers' Carnival" (Haenschel). 8.11: Primo Scala's Accordion Band, "Six Hits of the Day" (No. 16). 8.17: Harry Tate and Company, "Motoring" (Tate). 8.25: Arthur Young and his Youngsters, "Any Old Rags." 8.31: Max Bacon (comedian): "Even A Crooner Must Eat" (Phillips), "Beigels" (Connor).

- 8.37: The Cafe Collette Orchestra, "C'est Une Jolie Qui Monte Monte" (Misaki). 8.43: Horace Kenny and Franklin Davies, "A Music Hall Trial Turn" (Kenny). 8.51: Kurt Engel (xylophone), "Laughing Xylophone" (Engel). 8.54: The Humoresk Melodies, "I Wish I Was a Hen" (Kreuder). 8.57: Albert Brau (saxophone with orchestra): "Simply Laughable" (Brau). 9.0: New Year greetings to the people of New Zealand by His Excellency the Governor-General, Viscount Galway (from 2YA). 9.5: Weather report and station notices. 9.10: A BBC recorded programme: "Who's Hooper?" Book by Fred Thompson; lyrics by Clifford Grey; music by Howard Talbot and Ivor Novello. 10.3: Sports summary. 10.18: The Oleanders Negro Quartet: "Workin' on the Railroad," "Watermelon Smilin' on the Vine," "Uncle Joe," "Do You Call That Religion," "Is That Corn Bread Done, Dinah." 10.32: The Lang-Worth Gauchos: "Negra Querida," "Lonely Star," "Faraway Memories," "Waltz Antillanese" (Sorey). 10.46: Bobby Comber, Robert Tredinnick, Fabia Drake and Alec McGill, "A Fruity Melodrama: Only a Mill Girl" (Mellish Bros.). 10.54: Casani Club Orchestra, "Anything Goes" selection. 11.0: Comedy sketch, "A Happy New Year" (Wallace). 11.3: Dunedin Highland Pipe Band Quartet: "Mrs. Hutchens," "Murray's Welcome," "The Braes o' Mar," "Duntroon Reel" (trad.). 11.11: Gwynn Williams and the Welsh Singers, "New Year's Eve"—Welsh air (arr. Williams). 11.14: Roderick Gray (violin): "Lord Lyndoch"—Strathspey.

- "The East Neuk o' Fife"—Reel (arr. Murdoch). 11.17: The Pipe Quartet: "Blue Bonnets" march, "Phrob Mohr" waltz, "Jack Hutton's Farewell" march, "Captain Jack Murray" strathspey, "Miss McLeod" reel (tradit.). 11.25: Charles Coburn in the Chair, "An Old-time Sing-song." 11.33: Pipe Duet: "Green Hills of Tyrol," "Hunting Tower," "Scotland the Brave" (tradit.), "The Road to the Isles" (Kennedy Fraser). 11.40: Harry Gordon (comedian): "The Lassie That I'm Courting Noo" (Glen), "Drambuie Blues" (Gordon). 11.46: The Pipe Quartet: "Cammeron Men" march, "The Old Rustic Bridge," "Cock o' The North" march, "Happy We've Been a Together" (tradit.). 11.54: The Auld Lang Syners, "A New Year's Eve Sing-song." 12.0: Close down.

4YO

DUNEDIN

1140 k.c. 263.1 m.

(Alternative Station)

- 5.0: Recordings. 6.0: Close down. 7.0: After dinner music. 8.0: "Lorna Doone"—a radio adaptation of R. D. Blackmore's thrilling story. 8.15: "The Lilac Domino" selection. 8.24: Reginald Foot at the organ. 8.30: "Shanghai" (chapter 1)—a thrilling serial of the China Seas written for radio by Edmund Barclay, and produced by the NBS. 9.0: Leaves from the Diary of a Film Fan. 9.30: Band programme with spoken and vocal interludes. 10.0: Comedy and light music. 10.30: Close down.