

Analysis of Broadcast Service for Year Ended March 31, 1931

Nearly 10,000 hours of Transmission

Class of session.	1YA.		2YA.		3YA.		4YA.		Total stations.		Percentage.	
	No. of sessions.	Hours.	No. of sessions.	Hours.	No. of sessions.	Hours.	No. of sessions.	Hours.	No. of sessions.	Hours.	No. of sessions.	Hours.
Afternoon	274	474.00	283	526.44	281	467.28	285	479.02	1123	1947.14	18.0	20.9
Children's	310	292.30	319	290.14	315	286.07	311	288.26	1255	1157.17	20.0	12.3
Dinner	264	264.00	272	272.00	265	265.00	263	263.00	1064	1064.00	16.9	11.4
News and instruction	261	248.30	261	240.15	263	248.42	259	232.01	1044	969.28	16.8	10.3
Entertainment	313	755.49	324	804.54	319	785.20	321	778.29	1277	3124.32	20.4	33.4
Church services ...	56	88.42	55	82.20	57	81.58	56	80.88	224	333.38	3.6	3.8
Sporting relays	71	246.42	34	114.45	35	146.27	40	126.55	180	634.49	3.0	6.8
Overseas rebroadcasts	8	11.19	7	11.16	8	9.24	8	11.04	31	43.03	.5	.5
Miscellaneous	9	14.48	21	51.20	15	28.22	5	4.32	50	99.02	.8	1.1
Total	1566	2394.60	1576	2392.28	1558	2317.28	1548	2262.87	6248	9371.83	100.0	100.0

Children's Sessions

AT 2YA.

Monday, May 4.—Uncle Jeff will be in the studio to-night with Kipling Lady and Cousin Eric. In honour of Kipling Lady there is to be a special Kipling Evening, when Cousin Eric will sing you songs about "Kangaroo and Dingo," "I Keep Six Honest Serving Men," "Rolling Down to Rio" and "The Riddle."

Tuesday.—We are to have the pleasure to-night of being entertained by a little party of children from Miss Helen Gardner's Studio, and Uncle Toby and Jumbo will be the Birthday Men to send you greetings from 2YA.

Wednesday.—Aunt Daisy's night to-night, and the "Cheerful Chirpers," who will rouse you up if you are feeling a little blue. They will have a little community sing. Aunt Daisy will read the "Meeting-Pool" story, and give the birthday greetings.

Thursday.—"The Optimists" with their cheery voices will sing, play games, ask riddles and take you for a Radio Train journey to Elf Land.

Friday.—Another large band of College Boys will come to the studio to-night. This time it is from Scots College. They are providing delightful chorus work, conducted by Mr. John Bishop.

Saturday.—Would any of you like to join Uncle Jasper and Aunt Molly to-night and go in a magic balloon to Rarotonga and Tahiti and see all the beautiful flowers that grow there? There will be a row of coloured fishes, and, if there is time, a long motor drive all round the island.

Zealand Radio Listeners' League be granted representation thereon."

Courtesy motions of appreciation of the work of the Dominion organiser of the league, and others who had rendered good services, closed the meeting.

A few members were enrolled subsequently.

Sunday.—The Children's Evening Song Service will be conducted by Uncle George, and the Children's Choir, from St. Aiden's Anglican Church, will assist by singing hymns. They will be conducted by Mrs. Wahlers.

FROM 3YA.

Monday, May 11.—Stories for the children to-night by Cousin Margot and tales of the jungle by Mystery Man. Gwen will play on her zither and sing.

Wednesday.—The Optimists are going to sing jolly solos and choruses, with Uncle John to tell his stories and Cousin Beatrice to sing and play.

Thursday.—Uncle Frank will sing and also tell stories to the little folk; so will Ladybird and Uncle Dick.

Friday.—Hello, Chuckle! So you have stories for the children and songs too.

Saturday.—Here is Uncle Claude with his pupils to entertain with song and story.

Sunday.—The Rev. J. Rich is in charge this evening, and the children of the Merivale Sunday School will sing the hymns.

DURING the winter months there will be weekly radio talks from 3YA. Up to the present, fortnightly dialogues by Mr. D. Cossgrove ("Aerial") and Mr. W. Melbourne have been taking place, and have been proving so popular and useful to listeners that they will in future be a weekly feature.

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