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INTRODUCTION

SEISMIC STATIONS

The following is the list and data of stations equipped with seismographs.

Name	Islands	North latitude	East longitude	Elevation	Equipment	Substructure
Manila	Luzon	14° 35'	120° 59'	3.0 m	Galitzin-Wilip, 3 components. Wiechert inverted pendulum, 955 kg. Two horizontal pendulums, 118 kg. each.	Alluvium and pyroclastics to unknown depth
Baguio	do	16° 25'	120° 35'	1,512	Vicentini vertical. Wiechert inverted pendulum, 200 kg.	Limestone.
Ambulong	do	14° 05'	121° 03'	10.5	Wiechert inverted pendulum, 200 kg.	Soil underlaid by tuff.
Tagaytay	do	14° 06'	120° 55'	696.0	do	Compact ash and soil.
Butuan	Mindanao	8° 56'	125° 32'	2.0	do	Alluvium.
Agana	Guam	13° 28'	144° 45'	5.0	do	Coral.

All meteorological stations, official and coöperative, have instructions to report all perceptible earthquakes.

SEISMIC RECORDS

The instrumental record is that obtained from the seismographs in the Manila Observatory. It is that of the Galitzin-Wilip instruments except when stated otherwise.

The time of occurrence given in the macroseismic records is that indicated by the seismographs of the Manila Observatory whenever the disturbance has been recorded by them. This fact is denoted by an asterisk in the macroseismic record. Otherwise the time is that given by the meteorological observer who reports the earthquake. Greenwich mean time is given and insular time is added in brackets.

Intensity is given according to the Rossi-Forel scale as adapted by Rev. W. C. Repetti, S. J., Chief of the Seismic Division, for use in the Philippine Islands.

ROSSI-FOREL SCALE OF EARTHQUAKE INTENSITIES (Adapted)

- I. *Microseismic shock*.—Felt only by an experienced observer under favorable conditions.
- II. *Extremely feeble shock*.—Felt by a small number of persons at rest.
- III. *Very feeble shock*.—Felt by several persons at rest. Duration and direction may be perceptible. Sometimes dizziness or nausea experienced.
- IV. *Feeble shock*.—Felt generally indoors; outdoors by a few. Hanging objects swing slightly. Creaking of frames of houses.
- V. *Shock of moderate intensity*.—Felt generally by everyone. Hanging objects swing freely. Overturn of tall vases and unstable objects. Light sleepers awakened.
- VI. *Fairly strong shock*.—General awakening of those asleep. Some frightened persons leave their houses. Stopping of pendulum clocks. Oscillation of hanging lamps. Slight damage in very old or poorly built structures.
- VII. *Strong shock*.—Overturn of movable objects. General alarm, all run outdoors. Damage *slight* in well-built houses, *considerable* in old or poorly built structures, old walls, etc. Some landslides from hills and steep banks. Cracks in road surfaces.
- VIII. *Very strong shock*.—People panicky. Trees shaken strongly. Changes in flow of springs and wells. Sand and mud ejected from fissures in soft ground. Small landslides. Slides in river banks.
- IX. *Extremely strong shock*.—Panic general. Partial or total destruction of some buildings. Fissures in ground. Landslides and rock falls.

SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS

- P Normal first preliminary tremors; longitudinal waves which have passed below the continental layer.
- \bar{P} Upper first preliminary tremors whose path lies wholly in the continental layer.
- P' Longitudinal waves that have traversed the earth's core.
- PRn Longitudinal waves reflected "n" times at the earth's surface.
- PcP Longitudinal waves reflected from the outer surface of the earth's core.
- S Normal second preliminary tremors; transverse waves that have passed below the continental layer.
- \bar{S} Second preliminary tremors whose path lies entirely in the continental layer.
- PS Waves transformed from longitudinal to transverse oscillations or vice versa through one reflection at the earth's crust.
- SRn Normal transverse waves reflected "n" times at the earth's surface.
- ScS Normal transverse waves reflected from the outer surface of the earth's core.
- SKP Waves which start with transverse vibrations but on refraction into the core are changed to longitudinal, or starting as longitudinal are refracted out as transverse.
- L Long waves of irregular form at the beginning of the surface or main phase.
- M Shorter and more regular waves of large amplitude in the surface group which travel more slowly than the L waves.
- Mn Individual waves of relatively large amplitude in the surface phase and usually in the M group.
- F Finis. End discernible movement.
- i Impetus. Impulsive and sharply defined beginning of a phase.
- e Emersio. Poorly defined emergency of a phase.
- m Maximum wave in any phase.
- T Period of waves.
- O Time of earthquake at the epicenter.
- H Time of earthquake at focus.
- h Focal depth.
- Δ Arcual distance from station to epicenter.
- To Free or undamped period of the seismograph.
- V Static magnification.
- e Ratio of successive damped amplitudes.
- r Friction constant.
- J. S. A. Jesuit Seismological Association. Central Office at St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri, U. S. A.
- U. S. C. G. S. United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, Washington, D. C., U. S. A.
- C. M. O. Central Meteorological Observatory, Tokyo, Japan.

CONSTANTS OF THE WIECHERT INVERTED PENDULUM

1940	N-S component				E-W component			
	T_0	V	E	$\frac{r}{T_0^2}$	T_0	V	E	$\frac{r}{T_0^2}$
January	4.2	211	2.4	0.087	4.2	268	2.8	0.086
February	4.3	203	2.4	0.088	4.2	268	2.6	0.099
March	4.3	202	2.5	0.079	4.2	275	2.4	0.093
April	4.4	202	2.5	0.081	4.2	280	2.6	0.118
May	4.3	205	2.6	0.085	4.2	252	2.7	0.108
June	4.4	195	2.6	0.079	4.2	257	2.8	0.105

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3, 11^h 42^m [3, 7:42 P. M.] **Butuan, Agusan.** Very feeble and very short earthquake. Lamps and hanging objects moved slightly.

8, 13^h 20^m [8, 9:20 P. M.] **Pamplona, Cagayan.** Light earthquake.

10, 16^h 00^m [10, Midnight] **Gonzaga, Cagayan.** Light earthquake. Another light shock at 8:00 P. M. on the 11th.

12, 4^h 00^m [12, Noon] **Cape Bojeador, Ilocos Norte.** Light earthquake.

13, 1^h 24^m 42^s [13, 11:24:42 A. M.] **Agaña, Guam.** Light earthquake recorded and felt.

15, 21^h 25^m [16, 5:25 A. M.] **Tacloban, Leyte.** Earthquake of intensity II and duration of one second.

17, 1^h 20^m 34^s * [17, 11:20:34 A. M.] **Agaña, Guam.** Earthquake recorded and felt. Epicenter about 300 miles northeast of Guam.

20, ——— [20, 5:00 to 8:00 A. M.] **Gonzaga, Cagayan.** Six earthquake shocks felt. Thirteen other light shocks during the day.

20, 1^h 06^m 26^s [20, 11:06:26 A. M.] **Agaña, Guam.** Earthquake recorded and felt.

23, 3^h 46^m [23, 11:46 A. M.] **Calayan, Cagayan.** Very feeble earthquake of five seconds duration. The motion was vertical.

23, 11^h 30^m 14^s * [23, 7:30:14 P. M.] **Luzon.** Epicenter in Lamon Bay. Felt with intensity IV and with a duration of five seconds in Infanta where the motion was partly vertical. Creaking of houses. Intensity III in Manila, Atimonan, Santa Cruz, and Tagaytay. Light in Lukban and Matatio, Tayabas and at San Antonio, Laguna.

28, 5^h 44^m [28, 1:44 P. M.] **Butuan, Agusan.** Extremely feeble shock of very short duration.

28, ———. **Hinatuan, Surigao.** Light earthquake. Time not reported.

INSTRUMENTAL RECORD

No.	Date	Phase	Time			▽ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
1	1	ePNEZ SNEZ F	0	22	22 39 25	135	Deeper than normal.
2	1	iPz ePNE S?NE F	12	25	20 20 31 03	2,700?	Dilatation.
3	2	eP?NE SNE F	5	05	25 08 20 30	1,700?	
5	2	ePPNE LNE F	11	29	36 12 08 ca 13 36	14,710 ±	31° ± S; 108° ± W; H=11:07.6 by U. S. C. G. S.
8	6	ePNEZ SNEZ F	0	29	59 31 21 55	740	
9	6	iPz ePE SN LN F	8	23	16 16 50 25ca 35	3,965	Dilatation.
10	6	ePNEZ SNE LNE MN F	10	46	30 49 23 50 45ca 52 ca 11 50	1,670	
12	6	iPz iPE iSNE LNE MN F	14	13	34 21 44 36 21 44 32 20ca 37 25ca 17 30	6,620	Dilatation. Deep focus. Between New Hebrides and New Caledonia by Riverview and Manila. 22° S; 170° E by U. S. C. G. S. 21.5° S 169° E by Wellington.
14	7	ePNEZ SNE LNE F	3	28	24 33 28 37 10ca 5 25	3,490	
17	9	iPz ePNE S?E F	6	36	18 18 26 55	1,835?	Dilatation.
19	10	ePz ePN SNE LNE MN F	11	23	33 37 28 47 32 30ca 35 05ca 12 46	3,640	Disturbed by microseisms.
20	11	ePNE SN F	10	30	48 31 42 44	440	
21	12	ePz ePNE SNEZ F	17	16	32 34 17 29 37	480	Deeper than normal. Baguio, 150 km.
24	14	ePNEZ S?NE F	8	03	37 07 14 9 40	2,200?	Disturbed by another movements.
25	14	eP?NE SN F	9	51	16 10 00 33 11 25	7,750?	Do.
27	14	eP?N SNE F	13	35	25 41 13 14 17	4,180?	
29	15	iPz ePNE SNE F	11	11	04 04 14 40 33	2,190	Dilatation. Deep focus.
33	16	ePNEZ SNEZ F	5	05	40 06 31 16	340	
36	17	iPz PNE SNE LE F	1	20	31 34 25 16 39 55ca 5 00	3,020	Dilatation. 18° N: 148.2° E by Manila, Hong Kong, and Riverview. S-P at Guam, 50 seconds. Data after P from the Wiechert and Horizontals. 17° N: 148° E, by U. S. C. G. S. 17.2° N: 147.3° E by J. S. A.



INSTRUMENTAL RECORD—Continued

No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
38	17	PNEZ SNE F	12	12	43 50 58	3,530	
43	19	ePz SE F	0	49	58 14	1,935	
44	19	ePNEZ SNE ME F	5	34	38 47 25ca	2,655	
45	20	ePNEZ S?NE F	10	17	31 35	7,530?	
46	21	iPz ePN iPE iSNEZ F	2	48	42 43 44 34	1,655	Compression. Deep focus.
47	21	ePNEZ SNE F	4	39	18 42	1,390	
48	21	iPz ePNE SNE F	23	50	15 15 54	2,220	
49	23	\bar{i} PNEZ \bar{S} NE F	11	30	14 28 44	110	Dilatation. Data after \bar{P} from the Wiechert. Felt in Manila and east central Luzon.
52	25	ePz ePNE SNE F	6	51	11 13 45	6,010	Deep focus. 15° S: 167° E, by Wellington.
53	26	iPz iPE iPN iSNE LNE F	17	08	10 11 12 01 20ca	4,255	Dilatation.
54	27	ePNEZ SE F	14	54	56 14	4,690	
55	27	ePNEZ SE F	23	05	36 30 20	1,080	
57	28	ePNEZ SN F	11	10	44 37 21	1,070	

Twenty-eight insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of January: 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 6th(2), 7th(2), 9th, 14th(3), 15th(2), 16th(4), 17th(3), 18th, 19th, 24th, 25th, 27th, 29th, 30th, and 31st.

FEBRUARY, 1940

MACROSEISMIC RECORD

- 7, 14^h 40^m [7, 10:40 P. M.] **Cagayan and Ilocos Norte.** Light earthquake felt at Cape Bojeador, Claveria, and Pamplona.
- 7, 16^h 00^m [7, Midnight] **Tupi, Cotabato.** Light earthquake.
- 8, 4^h 45^m [8, 2:45 P. M.] **Agaña, Guam.** Light earthquake recorded and perceived.
- 10, ———. **San Teodoro, Mindoro.** From the 10th to the 13th five or six earthquake shocks were felt daily, with explosives sounds accompanying them. Probably collapse earthquakes as on January 29–30, 1939.
- 10, 22^h 44^m 08^s * [11, 6:44:08 A. M.] **Dumaguete, Negros Oriental.** Earthquake of intensity III and of twenty-two seconds duration.
- 11, 7^h 00^m [11, 3:00 P. M.] **Halcon Rubber, Mindoro.** Light earthquake. Another shock at 8:00. Another shock at 11:52 A. M. on the 13th was recorded in Manila.
- 14, 9^h 29^m 02^s * [14, 5:29:02 P. M.] **Bayokan, Tayabas.** Light earthquake.
- 14, 11^h 04^m 40^s [14, 9:04:40 P. M.] **Agaña, Guam.** Earthquake recorded and perceived.
- 14, 20^h 30^m [15, 4:30 A. M.] **Yakan, Basilan.** Light earthquake.
- 15, 21^h 08^m [16, 5:08 A. M.] **Dapitan, Zamboanga.** Light earthquake. Another shock at 5:15 A. M.
- 22, 13^h 32^m 06^s* [22, 9:32:06 P. M.] **N. Luzon.** Epicenter in Babuyan Islands. Felt with intensity V and oscillatory motion in Calayan, Babuyan Islands, where the duration was about twenty seconds. Creaking of houses. Two light aftershocks. Intensity IV and eight seconds duration in Aparri, and intensity III in Laoag and Basco. Felt slightly in the provinces of Ilocos Norte, Mountain Province, Cagayan, and Isabela.
- 24, 23^h 10^m [25, 7:10 A. M.] **Mainit, Surigao.** Light earthquake.
- 25, 14^h 12^m [25, 10:12 P. M.] **Dapitan, Zamboanga.** Light earthquake. Another shock at 10:18 P. M.
- 25, 19^h 40^m 01^s* [26, 3:40:01 A. M.] **Romblon.** Strong earthquake.
- 26, ———. **Gonzaga, Cagayan.** Two light shocks in the morning and two in the afternoon.
- 27, ———. **Gonzaga, Cagayan.** Light shock in the afternoon and another at night. Shocks at 4:30 A. M. and 8:45 A. M. on the 28th.
- 28, 16^h 15^m [29, 0:15 A. M.] **Hinatuan, Surigao.** Light earthquake.
- 29, 22^h 45^m [March 1, 6:45 A. M.] **San Fernando, Ticao.** Light earthquake.

INSTRUMENTAL RECORD

No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
61	1	ePNE SNEZ F	18	24	02 19	135	
62	1	ePN SNEZ F	20	48	54 11 52	135	
64	5	iPz SNE	6	34	01 04	2,635	
65	5	eP?z iSNE F	7	07	48 53 37	3,510?	No. 64 still recording.
71	7	iPEZ ePN iSNE LNE MNE F	17	25	40 40 33 49 43 30ca 48 ca 19 28	6,500	Dilatation. 52°N:174.5°E, by U. S. C. G. S. 52°N:177.1°E by J. S. A.
73	8	ePNEZ SNE F	15	13	40 10 40	1,445	
74	9	ePNEZ SNEZ F	8	06	56 27 25	1,445	
77	10	ePNE SNE F	22	44	08 24 57	680	Felt at Dumaguete.
81	11	iPEZ ePN iSNEZ LNE MN F	21	30	28 28 33 22 34 50ca 36 25ca 22 08	1,690	Compression.
82	12	P' ₁ SKKS PSKS L	0	21	30 39 29 39	18,220	26°S: 71°W; H=O:01:32 by J. S. A.
83	12	iPz ePNE SNE	8	31	59 59 00	7,480	Dilatation. 22.6°S: 177.5°W; h=200, by J. S. A.
84	12	ePNEZ SNE F	9	29	03 24 30	7,920	No. 83 still recording. 54°N: 160°W, by J. S. A.
85	12	iPz ePNE SNE LNE F	16	36	44 44 24 35ca 22	2,265	Dilatation.
88	14	ePNE S?N F	2	20	14 03 12	2,365?	No records on Z component throughout the 14th.
90	14	ePNE SE F	11	54	29 38 20	2,655	
93	16	ePNEZ SNE MNE F	1	14	11 50 35ca 38	1,530	
95	17	ePNEZ SNE F	1	06	54 03 42	1,845	
96	18	ePNEZ SNE F	10	43	30 52 55	2,010	
99	20	iPz iPNE iNEZ iSNE LNE MNE F	2	27	26 28 30 45 30ca 45 45ca 4 40	5,610	Compression. 12°S:167°E, by U. S. C. G. S. 14°S: 167° 15'E; h=200 Km, by Wellington.
100	20	ePNE SN LNE F	13	06	16 52 ca 14 40	6,000	

INSTRUMENTAL RECORD—Continued

No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
102	21	ePNEZ	13	28	41	2,665	Deep focus.
		iSN		32	51		
		F	14	02			
103	22	iPNEZ	13	32	06	510	Compression. Felt in northern Luzon, Batan, and Babuyan Islands, About 19° 10'N: 121° 15'E, by Manila and Hong Kong.
		iSNEZ		33	09		
		F	14	37			
104	24	ePNEZ	12	05	52	3,065	
		SNE		10	28		
		iNE		12	13		
		LNE		13	05		
		F	14	10			
109	27	ePNEZ	19	15	23	2,490	
		SNEZ		19	20		
		iE		20	40		
		iN			54		
		LNE		21	40 ^{ca}		
		F	20	45			
110	28	ePNEZ	13	13	23	880	
		SNEZ		14	57		
		F		22			
111	28	ePNEZ	19	37	09	1,630	
		SNE		40	10		
		LN		41	15		
		F		50			
112	29	PNEZ	16	20	25	9,460	Turkey.
		iSN		30	57		
		eSE			57		
		iN		31	23		
		MN		54	30 ^{ca}		
		ME	58	00	ca		
		F	17	45			

Twenty-five insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of February: 4th, 5th(2), 6th(2), 7th, 8th, 9th(2), 10th, 11th(2), 13th, 14th(3), 15th, 16th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 25th(2), 26th, and 27th.

MARCH, 1940

MACROSEISMIC RECORD

1, 2^h 15^m [1, 10:15 A. M.] **Danao, Cebu.** Light earthquake lasting one minute and forty seconds.

1, 20^h 09^m 30^{s*} [2, 4:09:30 A. M.] **Lobo, Batangas.** Light earthquake.

2, 6^h 35^m 21^{s*} [2, 2:35:21 P. M.] **Samar and Leyte.** Intensity IV and twelve seconds duration in Tacloban, where the motion was oscillatory, first NNE-SSW and then E-W. Intensity IV in Guiuan; III in Borongan; and light in Oras, Bobon, Maasin, Abuyog, Burawen, and Sogod.

3, 21^h 42^m 06^s [4, 7:42:06 A. M.] **Agaña, Guam.** Earthquake recorded and perceived.

5, 5^h 20^m [5, 1:20 P. M.] **Bobon, Samar.** Light earthquake.

10, 16^h 00^m [10, Midnight] **Butuan, Agusan.** One momentary shock felt by a few persons.

12, 22^h 19^m 44^{s*} [13, 6:19:44 A. M.] **N. Luzon.** Epicenter in the Balintang Channel. Intensity IV, oscillatory and of eleven seconds duration in Calayan. Felt slightly at Cape Bojeador and Pamplona.

12, 23^h 56^m 36^{s*} [13, 7:56:36 A. M.] **Prieto-Diaz, Sorsogon.** Light earthquake.

13, 1^h 00^m [13, 9:00 A. M.] **Gonzaga, Cagayan.** Light earthquake.

15, 23^s 05^m [16, 7:05 A. M.] **Mainit, Surigao.** Slight earthquake.

16, 17^h 29^m 25^{s*} [17, 1:29:25 A. M.] **Iba, Zambales.** Oscillatory earthquake of intensity II and about two seconds duration.

19, 14^h 15^m 38^{s*} [19, 10:15:38 P. M.] **Samar and Leyte.** Oscillatory earthquake of intensity III and four second duration in Borongan. Felt by a few persons with intensity II in Tacloban.

22, 11^h 56^m [22, 7:56 P. M.] **Tacloban, Leyte.** Sharp shock of intensity II; one second duration.

25, 21^h 18^m 00^{s*} [26, 5:18:00 A. M.] **Igdalaguit, Antique.** Light earthquake.

28, 14^h 18^m 26^{s*} [28, 10:18:26 P. M.] **SE Luzon.** Oscillatory earthquake of intensity IV and about three seconds duration in Virac. Felt lightly in Naga and Libmanan.

28, 15^h 49^m 22^{s*} [28, 11:49:22 P. M.] **Luzon and Mindoro.** Epicenter in the China Sea. Oscillatory, with intensity IV-V in Manila and about fifty seconds duration. Intensity V in Capas, Tarlac, and at Iba where it was preceded by a roaring noise. Felt slightly in all the provinces of northwest, central and southern Luzon, Mindoro, Marinduque, and Catanduanes, which indicate a macroseismic area of about 400-kilometer radius. No damage was reported.

29, 4^h 37^m 54^s [29, 2:37:54 P. M.] **Agaña, Guam.** Earthquake recorded and perceived.

30, 8^h 42^m 51^s [30, 4:42:51 P. M.] **N. Luzon.** Rotatory motion of intensity III and one minute duration felt in Laoag. Also felt lightly in the provinces of Ilocos Norte, Cagayan, and the northern part of the Mountain Province.



INSTRUMENTAL RECORD

No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
113	1	ePNEZ SNE F	10 11	43 08	47 48	520	
116	2	ePNEZ SNE F	6 7	35 10	21 27	580	Felt in Samar and Leyte. Epicenter probably in Samar.
117	3	ePN iSNE F	0 1	15 40	31 13	6,320	Near 17°S:165°E, by Riverview and Manila. P in E and Z components lost in changing records.
119	3	iPz ePNE iSN LN F	12 13	03 13	26 26 15 45ca	3,250	
121	4	iPz ePNE SNEZ F	15 16	49 13	48 48 49	2,545	
125	6	iPz ePNE SN LNE F	18 19	34 45	30 30 06 ca	8,220	Dilatation.
127	9	iPz ePNE SNE F	10 12	51 10	22 22 27	1,810	Do.
130	10	ePNEZ SNE F	10	12	28 29 32	630	
132	12	ePNEZ SNEZ F	22 23	19 19	44 52	600	Approximately 20°N: 121°E, by Manila and Hong Kong. Felt in northern Luzon, and Calayan.
133	12	ePNEZ SNEZ F	23	56	36 27	420	Felt at Prieto-Diaz, Sorsogon. Epicenter in the neighborhood of 13°10'N: 124°30'E.
137	14	ePEZ ePN iSNE LNE MNE F	18 19 21	34 05	14 18 52 40ca ca	8,190	56°S; 145°E by Wellington.
139	15	ePNEZ SN LE ME F	5 7	33 10	23 47 30ca ca	2,880	
141	16	ePEZ SNE F	17	29	25 44 38	150	Felt at Iba, Zambales.
146	19	iPEZ iSN LE F	4 5	44 00	44 50 ca 52	5,520	
147	19	ePNEZ S?NE F	10 12	52 10	25 33	3,365?	
150	21	iPEZ ePN iSNE LNE MNE F	13 14 16	58 04 00	45 45 04 05ca 05ca	3,720	Compression.
151	22	ePNEZ SN LN MNE F	20 22	31 00	32 40 30ca ca	8,980	
153	27	iPz ePNE iSNE LNE ME F	12 13 14	41 00 38	20 22 34 ca 50	6,620	Compression. 51°N: 180° by U. S. C. G. S. 51.5°N: 177.5°W, by J.S.A.

INSTRUMENTAL RECORD—Continued

No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
155	28	ePNEZ	14	18	28	390	Compression. Probably deeper than normal. Felt in Catanduanes and Camarines Sur, SE Luzon.
		SNEZ		19	17		
		F		47			
156	28	iPNEZ	15	49	22	175	Compression. 14°N:119°30'E. Felt in Luzon, Mindoro, Marinduque, and Catanduanes. S from Horizontal Pendulums.
		S		18	20		
		F					
161	29	ePNEZ	21	43	12	3,920	
		SNE		48	43		
		LNE		53	50		
		F	22	25			
162	30	ePz	4	18	59	175	
		ePNE			59		
		SNE		19	21		
		F		27			
163	30	iPz	6	26	50	2,630	
		ePNE			50		
		SNE		31	06		
		LNE		33	20		
		F	7	43			
164	30	ePNE	8	42	51	350	Felt in northern Luzon. Z cylinder stopped at 7:38. Center probably in mountains of N. Luzon.
		SNE		43	36		
		F	9	13			
165	30	ePNE	13	00	51	175	
		SNE		01	13		
		F		07			
167	30	ePNE	21	36	37	180	
		SNE		37	00		
		F		44			

Thirty insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of March: 1st(2), 3rd, 4th(2), 5th, 6th, 7th, 9th(2), 11th, 13th, 14th(2), 15th(2), 17th(2), 18th(2), 19th, 21st, 25th, 27th, 29th(4), 30th, and 31st.

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- 3, 11^h 10^m [3, 7:10 P. M.] **Juban, Sorsogon.** Light earthquake.
- 5, 9^h 22^m 34^{s*} [5, 5:22:34 P. M.] **SE Luzon.** Oscillatory motion, S-N, with intensity IV felt at Virac. Felt lightly at Naga, Tiwi, Libog, and Mayon Rest House.
- 6, 0^h 41^m 21^{s*} [6, 8:41:21 A. M.] **Surigao, Surigao.** Extremely feeble shock lasting four seconds.
- 7, 8^h 55^m [7, 4:55 P. M.] **Carigara, Leyte.** Slight earthquake.
- 8, 2^h 50^m 29^{s*} [8, 10:50:29 A. M.] **SE Luzon and Samar.** Epicenter in the Philippine Deep. Felt with intensity V at Laoang. Oscillatory, with intensity IV and duration of forty seconds at Legaspi. Felt lightly in the provinces of southeast Luzon, throughout Samar, and at Abuyog in Leyte.
- 8, 3^h 15^m [8, 11:15 A. M.] **Mindanao.** Light earthquake felt at Pantao, Lanao, and at Libay, a barrio of Dapitan in the Province of Zamboanga.
- 8, 17^h 52^m 07^{s*} [9, 1:52:07 A. M.] **Luzon.** Earthquake felt very lightly in Calayan, with vertical motion lasting ten seconds. Also felt at Claveria and Laoag.
- 8, 20^h 00^m [9, 4:00 A. M.] **Kabugao, Mountain.** Light earthquake.
- 10, 11^h 11^m [10, 7:11 P. M.] **Kaatoan, Bukidnon.** Earthquake lasting five seconds.
- 12, 3^h 05^m [12, 11:05 A. M.] **Ormoc, Leyte.** Oscillatory motion of intensity II lasting fifteen seconds.
- 12, 20^h 15^m 08^{s*} [13, 4:15:08 A. M.] **Port Lamon, Surigao.** Light earthquake of three seconds duration.
- 14, 10^h 55^m [14, 6:55 P. M.] **Cantilan, Surigao.** Light earthquake.
- 14, ——— [P. M.] **Oras, Samar.** Light earthquake; exact time not reported.
- 14, 14^h 35^m 48^{s*} [14, 10:35:48 P. M.] **NE Mindanao.** Epicenter in the Philippine Deep. Felt with intensity IV at Butuan for a duration of about forty seconds. Pendulum clock stopped; houses creaked; sleeping persons awakened. Felt lightly at Surigao, Dapa, Cantilan and Cabadbaran.
- 15, 06^h 30^m 27^{s*} [15, 2:30:27 P. M.] **Butuan, Agusan.** Earthquake of intensity II and duration of twenty seconds.
- 18, 8^h 00^m [18, 4:00 P. M.] **San Jose, Nueva Ecija.** Light earthquake.
- 19, 8^h 50^m [19, 4:50 P. M.] **Laoag, Ilocos Norte.** Earthquake of intensity II and duration of five seconds.
- 20, 15^h 37^m [20, 11:37 P. M.] **E Mindanao.** Earthquake of short duration felt at Baganga, Port Lamon, and Talacogon.
- 22, 0^h 30^m [22, 8:30 A. M.] **Baguio City.** Light earthquake.
- 23, 4^h 53^m 49^{s*} [23, 12:53:49 P. M.] **Central Luzon.** Felt with intensity III and oscillatory motion at Cabanatuan. Also felt in Manila, Baler and Baguio.
- 26, ——— [4:30 A. M.?] **Cape Bojeador, Ilocos Norte.** Light earthquake.
- 28, 17^h 47^m 00^{s*} [29, 1:47:00 A. M.] **Baler, Tayabas.** Very feeble earthquake lasting five seconds with oscillatory motion.

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No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
169	1	iPNEZ	11	24	31	3,090	Dilatation from SE. In the region of New Guinea, by Manila and Ririview.
		iSNE		29	09		
		F	14	05			
170	1	ePNE	16	15	10	1,020	
		SNE		16	58		
		F		33			
174	4	ePNEZ	7	12	20	1,380	
		SNE		14	43		
		F		42			
176	5	ePNEZ	9	22	34	325	Felt in southeastern Luzon. Epicenter in the Pacific Ocean.
		SNEZ		23	17		
		F		35			
177	5	iPz	16	40	01	2,350	Compression.
		ePNE		43	01		
		SNE		43	49		
		F	17	12			
179	6	ePNEZ	5	20	34	1,930	
		SNEZ		23	50		
		F		42			
181	6	ePz	13	47	32	2,555	Compression. 27°N: 105°E, provisional by Bombay.
		ePNE			33		
		iSNE		51	34		
		iN		52	03		
		LN		53	50ca		
		F	14	56			
183	6	PNZ	18	59	29	1,565?	
		S?N	19	02	12		
		MN		05	12		
		F		33			
185	8	iPz	2	50	29	590	Dilatation. Near 12° 30'N: 125°50'E. Felt in southeastern Luzon and in northern Samar.
		ePNE			29		
		iSNE		51	36		
		F	4	14			
187	8	ePNEZ	11	31	55	435	Dilatation.
		SNEZ		32	48		
		F	12	35			
188	8	ePNEZ	17	52	07	590	Felt in northern part of Luzon.
		SNZ		53	14		
		F	18	27			
190	11	ePNEZ	9	12	10	4,920?	
		S?NE		18	42		
		F	10	20			
197	14	ePNEZ	8	31	37	1,190	
		SNE		33	40		
		F		47			
198	14	iPz	9	44	22	3,600	
		ePNE			22		
		SE		49	33		
		LNE		53	29		
		F	10	27			
199	14	ePNEZ	12	04	59	1,530	
		SNE		07	38		
		F	13	15			
200	14	iPz	14	35	48	890	Compression. 9°N: 126° 50'E, by Butuan and Manila. Felt in north-eastern Mindanao.
		iPNE			51		
		iSz		37	23		
		F	16	40			
201	14	ePNEZ	17	48	08	1,570	
		SNE		50	52		
		F	18	50			
203	15	ePNEZ	3	56	47	2,490	
		SN	4	00	44		
		F		22			
204	15	ePNEZ	6	30	27	890	Probably 9°N: 126° 59'E, by Manila and Butuan.
		iSNE		32	07		
		F	7	00			
205	15	ePNEZ	17	34	13	2,530	
		SNE		38	13		
		F	18	10			

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No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
207	16	iPEZ	6	17	23	6,245	Compression. 52.6°N: 173.8°E, by U. S. C. G. S. 53.7°N: 175.3°E, by J. S. A.
		PN			26		
		SNE		26	13		
		LNE		35	ca		
		F	10	35			
208	17	iPz	20	12	09	1,410	
		ePNE			11		
		SN		14	35		
		LN		15	40ca		
		F	21	22			
209	17	iPz	21	42	39	3,000	Dilatation.
		ePNE			39		
		SN		47	11		
		F	22	50			
210	18	ePNEZ	19	50	38	4,345	
		SNE		56	47		
		F	20	40			
211	18	ePEZ	23	19	03	2,500	
		iN		21	58		
		SE		23	01		
		F		52			
214	19	iPz	14	48	07	5,060	
		ePNE			07		
		SE		54	47		
		F	16	10			
216	20	iPz	15	48	33	1,190	Compression. Probably deeper than normal In the Philippine Deep.
		ePNE			33		
		SNEZ		50	36		
		F	17	10			
222	23	iPNEZ	4	53	49	140	Compression. 15° 52'N: 121° 15'E, by Baguio and Manila. Felt at Baler, Manila, Cabanatuan, and Baguio. S from the Wiechert.
		SNE		54	06		
		F	5	22			
223	23	ePEZ	7	06	14	690	N-S cylinder stopped at 4:56.
		SE		07	31		
		F		25			
227	24	ePNEZ	10	28	37	3,920	
		SNE		34	18		
		LN		38	50ca		
		MN		41	50ca		
		F	11	54			
232	27	ePNEZ	9	44	38	5,940	
		SNE		52	08		
		LNE	10	01	25ca		
		MNE		04	40ca		
		F	13	45			
233	27	ePNEZ	10	51	25	6,540	
		SNE		59	30		
		LE	11	10	10ca		
		MNE		14	40ca		
234	27	ePNEZ	18	13	56	6,020?	
		S?NE		21	31		
		F	20	15			
235	28	ePNEZ	17	16	49	150	
		iSNEZ		17	08		
		F		26			
236	28	ePNEZ	17	47	00	150	Felt at Baler.
		iSNEZ			19		
		F		58			

Thirty-six insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of April: 2nd, 3rd(2), 4th, 6th(3), 7th, 8th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th(3), 14th(2), 15th, 19th(2), 20th(3), 22nd(3), 23rd(3), 25th, 26th(2), 27th, 28th, 29th, and 30th.

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- 1, 6^h 01^m 56^{s*} [1, 2:01:56 P. M.] **Lobo, Batangas.** Light earthquake.
- 4, 17^h 17^m 33^{s*} [5, 1:17:33 A. M.] **Ormoc, Leyte.** Oscillatory earthquake of intensity II, lasting twenty seconds.
- 5, 8^h 45^m [5, 4:45 P. M.] **Claveria, Cagayan.** Light earthquake.
- 8, ——— [6:00 P. M.] **Itogon, Mountain.** Light earthquake.
- 17, 0^h 24^m 13^{s*} [17, 8:24:13 A. M.] **Baganga, Davao.** Light earthquake with vertical motion, lasting, but a few seconds.
- 21, 4^h 18^m [21, 12:18 P. M.] **SW Mindanao.** Oscillatory earthquake of intensity III and two seconds duration felt in Zamboanga. Felt lightly at San Ramon and Yakan.
- 22, 13^h 00^m [22, 9:00 P. M.] **Alang-Alang, Leyte.** Light earthquake.
- 23, 20^h 36^m 50^{s*} [24, 4:36:50 A. M.] **SE Luzon and Marinduque.** Oscillatory earthquake of intensity III and four seconds duration felt at Capalonga. Felt slightly at Boac, Libmanan, Naga, and Masbate.
- 26, 23^h 48^m [27, 7:48 A. M.] **NE Mindanao.** Earthquake felt slightly at Butuan, Cantilan, Mainit, and Bucas Island.
- 28, 14^h 10^m [28, 10:10 P. M.] **Matatio, Tayabas.** Light earthquake.
- 30, 19^h 46^m [31, 3:46 A. M.] **Naga, Camarines Sur.** Light, oscillatory earthquake of short duration.
- 31, 0^h 53^m 41^s [31, 10:53:41 A. M.] **Agaña, Guam.** Light earthquake recorded and perceived.
- 31, 22^h 35^m 57^{s*} [June 1, 6:35:57 A. M.] **SE Visayas and N Mindanao.** Epicenter probably in Bohol Strait. Oscillatory with intensity IV and eight seconds duration at Dumaguete. Oscillatory with intensity III and five seconds duration at Maasin. Felt lightly at Jagna, Clarin, Butuan, and Abuyog.

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No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
240	1	$\bar{i}Pz$	6	01	56	125	Slightly felt at Lobo, Batangas. Baguio, 325km.
		ePNE			56		
		SNEZ		02	12		
		F		27			
241	1	ePNZ	7	57	16	2,030	
		ePE			19		
		iSN	8	00	40		
		LNE		02	20ca		
		MN		04	20ca		
		F	9	20			
243	2	$\bar{i}Pz$	5	49	59	4,645	
		ePNE			59		
		SNE		56	24		
		F	6	40			
244	2	ePNEZ	8	33	19	6,090	
		SNE		41	05		
		F	9	10			
245	3	eP?NEZ	4	00	29	2,020?	
		SNE		03	36		
		F		45			
246	3	ePNEZ	5	13	54	1,550	
		SNE		16	35		
		F		37			
249	4	$\bar{i}Pz$	7	33	47	6,430	Dilatation. 53°N: 173°E, by U. S. C. G. S.
		ePNE			47		
		iSNE		41	46		
		LNE		50	05ca		
		F	9	47			
251	4	ePNEZ	21	12	02	6,940	Compression.
		SNE		20	31		
		LNE		31	20ca		
		MNE		36	30ca		
		F	23	25			
252	5	P_1'	2	23	45		Long distance.
		PPz		28	00		
		F	4	40			
253	6	ePNEZ	10	46	02	110	
		SNE			16		
		F		52			
255	7	$\bar{i}Pz$	22	35	04	7,700	
		ePNE			06		
		SN		44	20		
		F	23	58			
257	8	ePNZ	8	41	08	2,740	
		SNE		45	23		
		F	9	11			
260	9	ePNZ	0	36	32	2,220	
		SNEZ		40	11		
		F	1	32			
262	10	$\bar{i}Pz$	6	45	15	125	
		ePNE			15		
		iSNE			31		
		F		52			
263	10	$\bar{i}Pz$	19	05	20	3,190	
		ePNE			20		
		SNE		10	05		
		LE		12	55ca		
		F	20	20			
264	11	ePNEZ	7	47	42	4,600	
		eSNEZ		53	55		
		F	8	25			
265	11	$\bar{i}Pz$	14	04	18	6,340	Compression. 53.2°N: 172°E, by U. S. C. G. S.
		ePNE			18		
		iSNE		12	11		
		MNE		26	40ca		
		F	15	37			
266	11	ePNEZ	21	06	01	5,390	
		SN		12	59		
		F	22	20			
269	13	ePNEZ	22	42	18	1,245	
		SNE		45	27		
		LN		46	45ca		
		F	23	17			

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No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
271	14	ePNEZ SE F	16	07	17 11 01 55	2,300	
275	16	ePNEZ SNE F	15	45	21 50 18 16 10	3,390	
277	17	iz iE F	2	19	34 23 10 49	16,435	7.9°N: 81.8°W, by U. S. C. G. S.
278	17	ePNEZ SEZ F	8	02	47 04 03 12	680	
279	17	ePNEZ SNEZ F	13	52	02 24 59	175	
280	18	ePNEZ SNE F	5	08	21 14 15 6 20	4,290	
281	19	ePNEZ PPZ SKSNE S PSN L F	4	51	11 55 38 5 01 47 03 20 04 47 27 ca 8 35	12,015	Near 32.8°N: 115.6°W, by U. S. C. G. S. 0=4:36:46.
282	19	iPz ePNE SNE iNE F	15	25	04 04 30 31 34 00 17 03	4,700	Dilatation. 51°N: 148°E, h= about 600 km., by U. S. C. G. S.
283	19	iPz SE F	18	29	52 39 28 21 00	8,140	
284	20	ePNEZ SN F	11	28	20 30 34 55	1,290	
287	21	ePNEZ SNE F	7	27	11 30 15 52	1,755	
289	21	iPEZ PN iZ LNE F	18	59	32 35 19 01 32 08 31 20 20	7,800	Dilatation. Region 23°S: 178°W; h about 400 km., by U. S. C. G. S.
292	23	ePz ePNE SNE LE MNE F	6	11	40 41 17 35 22 10ca 26 15ca 7 37	4,300	
293	23	ePNEZ SNEZ F	12	18	42 19 00 28	145	
295	23	ePNEZ SNEZ F	20	36	50 37 21 21 00	230	Felt in southeastern Luzon and in Marinduque. Epicenter in the Pacific.
296	24	iP ₁ 'EZ eP ₁ 'N SSS L M F	16	53	57 54 00 17 25 10ca 51 00ca 18 03 00ca 22 08	17,990	Compression. Near 11.9°S: 77.4°W, 0=16:33:40, by U. S. C. G. S. Destructive in Peru. Phases after P ₁ ' from Wiechert
297	24 25	iP ₁ 'z F	22	17	49 0 50	17,990	Aftershock of No. 296. 9=21:57:40, by U. S. C. G. S.
298	26	ePNEZ SNE F	4	12	20 13 52 27	580	
299	26	ePNEZ SNE F	6	51	50 52 19 59	210	
300	27	ePEZ iSNE F	4	19	08 26 59 56	6,310	Deep focus.

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			h.	m.	s.		
303	28	iPz	9	46	04	3,000	Dilatation. Provisional 2°S: 136°E, by U. S. C. G. S. L from the Wiechert.
		PNE			06		
		iSE		50	35		
		LNE		53	30		
304	28	ePNEZ	13	06	22	2,980	No. 303 still recording.
		SN		10	52		
		F	14	22			
305	28	iPz	14	28	41	3,020	
		iSN		33	14		
		F	15	02			
307	28	ePNEZ	21	33	40	2,910	
		SN		38	06		
		F	22	25			
308	29	iPz	1	03	33	3,790	Compression. Deep focus?
		ePNE			33		
		SN		08	56		
		LE		13	10ca		
		MNE		17	30ca		
309	29	ePz	2	10	14	9,100	No. 308 still recording. 68°N: 148°W, by U. S. C. G. S.
		SNE		29	29		
		LNE		35	50ca		
		MN		43	20ca		
		F	4	40			
310	29	ePNEZ	8	03	29	3,080	
		SN		08	06		
		F		32			
311	29	ePNEZ	19	15	22	145	
		SNEZ			40		
		F		31			
313	31	ePNEZ	0	52	30	8,140	
		SNE	1	02	06		
		F		54			
315	31	Pz	23	35	57	630	Felt at Cebu, at points around the Mindanao Sea, and at Abuyog Leyte.
		SNEZ		37	07		
		F	23	27			

Twenty-seven insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of May: 1st, 3rd(2), 4th, 6th, 8th(2), 9th(2), 12th(2), 14th, 15th, 16th(2), 17th, 20th(2), 21st(2), 22nd, 23rd, 27th(2), 28th, 30th, and 31st.

JUNE, 1940

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2, 12^h 55^m [2, 8:55 P. M.] NE Mindanao. Sharp shock of intensity III and short duration at Dapa. Felt lightly at Mainit and Butuan.

5, 14^h 48^m 51^{s*} [5, 10:48:51 P. M.] NW Luzon. Felt with intensity III and eighteen seconds duration at Vigan. Felt lightly at Batac, Lepanto, Pamplona, and Baguio.

6, 11^h 30^m [6, 7:30 P. M.] Cotabato. Light earthquake felt at **Kling** and **Tupi**.

6, 13^h 20^m [6, 9:20 P. M.] San Fernando, Masbate. Light earthquake.

7, 8^h 30^m [7, 4:30 P. M.] Mainit, Surigao. Light earthquake.

10, ——— [P. M.] Upi, Cotabato. Light earthquake.

10, 17^h 10^m [11, 1:10 A. M.] Palanas, Masbate. Light earthquake.

23, 17^h 48^m [24, 1:48 A. M.] Davao, Davao. Earthquake of intensity II.

26, 22^h 11^m 29^s [27, 8:11:29 A. M.] Agaña, Guam. Earthquake recorded and perceived.

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No.	Date	Phase	Time			Δ Km.	Remarks
			h.	m.	s.		
317	2	iPz	12	13	41	2,630	Dilatation.
		iPNE			43		
		iNEZ		17	14		
		iSNE			50		
		F	13	58			
318	2	Pz	19	30	09	5,255	
		iSNE			37 08		
		F	20	20			
319	3	P'z	18	25	12	13,000	Provisional, 25°N: 110°W; 0=18:05:22, by U. S.. C. G S.
		LNE			50 00		
		F	20	30			
320	4	iPz	0	06	05	2,240	
		ePNE			07		
		SNE		09	45		
321	4	ePN	0	11	33	1,010	No. 320 still recording.
		SNE			13 20		
		F			32		
323	4	ePNEZ	17	55	28	135	
		iSNE			45		
		F	18	05			
324	5	ePz	11	13	35	9,110	68°N: 38°W; by U. S. C.G S.
		SN			23 56		
		LN			40 50ca		
		MN			47 10ca		
		F	13	55			
325	5	iPNZ	14	48	51	550	Compression. Felt in northern Luzon.
		SNE			49 55		
		F	16	15			
326	6	ePz	11	05	41	1,930?	
		ePNE			42		
		SNE?		08	57		
		F		51			
327	7	iPz	7	24	42	4,390	Compression.
		ePNE			43		
		iSNE			30 41		
		LNE			36 20ca		
		F	8	55			
328	8	iPz	4	11	23	8,680	Dilatation?
		ePNE			29		
		SNE			21 26		
		F	5	25			
331	10	ePNEZ	11	41	56	150	
		SNEZ			42 15		
		F			46		
332	11	iPz	8	47	19	2,780	Compression (?)
		iPN			21		
		ePE			21		

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			h.	m.	s.		
		iSNE MNEZ F	10	15	36 30ca		
333	12	ePNEZ SNE F	5	45	36 00	4,790	
			6	35			
334	12	ePz SNE F	11	59	46 48	7,400	
			13	20			
335	12	ePNEZ SNE LNE F	14	06	09 25 30ca	3,680	
			17	00			
336	12	iPz ePNE iSN LN F	18	42	25 25 03 15ca	4,000	Compression?
			19	50			
339	15	ePNEZ SNE F	6	17	15 47	230	
				25			
342	17	ePEZ SNE LNE ME F	10	38	55 13 30ca 30ca	9,150	21°N: 155.3°W, by U. S. C. G. S.
			11	05			
			13	04			
343	17	iPz ePNE iSN MN F	14	40	06 06 29 54ca	1,370	Compression?
			15	42			
344	17	ePNZ iS?N F	20	23	39 01	1,360?	
			21	05			
346	18	iPEZ ePN iSNE F	13	54	46 46 33	1,010	Compression from SE. Deeper than normal.
			16	00			
347	18	ePz ePNE SNE MN F	18	48	40 41 33 30ca	6,200	54°N: 173° ± E, by U. S. C. G. S.
			19	10			
			20	15			
351	19	ePNEZ SNEZ F	23	12	56 38	320	
				26			
355	22	iPNEZ SNE F	11	40	04 00	1,700	Dilatation from SE. In region of 11°N-136°E, by Manila and Butuan. S from the Wiechert and Horizontals.
			14	22			
356	22	ePNEZ SNE F	23	17	17 12 41	1,690	Dilatation from SE.
				41			
360	24	ePNEZ SNE F	2	39	19 07	4,190	
			3	30			
361	25	ePNEZ S?E LN F	2	24	18 09 18ca	4,240?	
			3	25			
363	26	iPz ePNE iSNE LNE MNE F	8	05	45 45 35 20ca 35ca	3,090	Compression.
			9	30			
364	27	ePNEZ S?N F	6	56	44 37	2,430?	
			7	00			
				19			

Twenty insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of June: 2nd, 4th, 9th, 10th, 13th, 14th, 15th(2), 17th, 18th, 19th(2), 21st(3), 23rd(3), 26th, and 27th.

PHILIPPINE EARTHQUAKE EPICENTERS, 1933-1934

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In this issue of the Seismological Bulletin we give the Philippine earthquake epicenters for the years 1933 and 1934, continuing the lists published in previous bulletins. The reasons for publishing these epicenters are the same as those in the preceding bulletin (July-Dec., 1939), viz., the probability that the International Summary will fall still farther into arrears because of the war, and the fact that many of the determinations made here are more accurate than those of the Summary.

The earthquake of particular interest in this present series is that of February 14, 1934, at 3:59:34 G. M. T. The records of this earthquake obtained throughout the world show that it was the strongest earthquake in the Philippines of which we have definite evidence. The famous Manila earthquakes of 1645, 1658, 1863 and 1880 were far more destructive but we are of the opinion that the destruction was due to a very great extent to the type of weakness of construction and to deterioration, thus giving an exaggerated estimate of the severity of the earthquakes. In the case of the 1934 earthquake, which was under the China Sea and not very destructive on land, we have the more reliable evidence of seismic records over the whole world.

EPICENTERS

	Δ ° ' "	P h. m. s.	O-C s	Remarks
FEBRUARY 19, 1933				
14° 10' N: 122° 40' E; H = 04^h 35^m 30^s				
Manila.....	01 45	4 36 01	0	Destructive near the epicenter. This position adopted by the International Summary.
Miyazaki.....	19 28	40 00	- 1	
Hukuoka.....	20 39	13	- 2	
Koti.....	21 42	18	- 4	
FEBRUARY 22, 1933				
5° 18' N: 125° 00' E; H = 3^h 48^m 02^s				
Manila.....	10 06	3 50 29	0	Not reported as felt in southern Mindanao. The erroneous arrival time of P given in the Observatory Bulletin for 1933 was due to microseisms and a spurious oscillation between 3:48:00 and 3:49:00. The International Summary gives a position only slightly different from the above, viz: 5° 24'N: 125° 12'E.
Hong Kong.....	20 00	52 35	0	
Batavia.....	21 28	54	+ 2	
PhuLien.....	23 37	53 08	- 5	
Zikawei.....	26 06	36	- 2	
Medan.....	26 08	45	+ 7	
Chiufeng.....	35 42	55 06	+ 3	
Baku.....	75 18	59 50	+ 8	
Tiflis.....	79 06	4 00 10	+ 6	
MARCH 3, 1933				
15° 35' N: 120° 10' E; H = 2^h 19^m 43^s; h = 75-100 Km.				
Manila.....	1 15	2 20 01	0	Felt moderately in western Luzon. The International Summary gives 15°N: 120°E and normal depth, but this position does not agree with the macroseismic reports. Moreover, a residual of +13 seconds is found for Manila, which can not be admitted.
Hong Kong.....	8 48	21 49	+ 3	
Taihoku.....	9 32	22 00	+ 5	
PhuLien.....	13 52	(23) 00	+ 4	
Zikawei.....	15 39	16	- 1	
Palau.....	16 17	18	- 8	
Nanking.....	16 31	32	+ 4	
Nagasaki.....	19 17	49	- 9	
Koti.....	21 39	24 26	+ 5	
Zinsen.....	22 38	2 24 27	- 2	
Keizyo.....	22 48	34	+ 3	
Sumoto.....	22 58	58	+ 5	
Kobe.....	23 22	41	+ 4	
Osaka.....	23 32	32	- 6	
Toyooka.....	23 51	47	+ 8	
Heizyo.....	23 58	50	+ 7	
Medan.....	24 18	50	+ 4	
Chiufeng.....	24 41	53	+ 3	
Batavia.....	25 28	25 06	+ 6	
Kodaikanal.....	41 54	27 24	+ 1	
Bombay.....	45 13	28 00	+10	
Almata.....	45 57	05	+ 9	

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	Δ	P	O-C	Remarks
	° ' "	h. m. s.	s	
MARCH 3, 1933				
15° 35' N: 120° 10' E: H = 2 ^h 19 ^m 43 ^s ; h = 75-100 Km.				
Andijan.....	48 12		12	- 1
Tashkent.....	59 39	28	32	+ 1
Tcimkent.....	50 42		30	- 2
Samarkand.....	51 59		32	- 9
Sverdlovsk.....	60 30	29	42	- 1
Baku.....	65 06	30	14	+ 1
Theodosia.....	75 24	31	16	+ 3
Simferopol.....	76 18		21	+ 3
Yalta.....	76 21		19	+ 1
Pulkovo.....	76 30		20	0
Sebastopol.....	76 46		25	+ 4
Copenhagen.....	87 00	32	15	0
Zagreb.....	88 24		22	0
Chur.....	92 06		39	- 2
Zurich.....	92 25		41	- 2
MARCH 17, 1933				
6° 30' N: 127° 00' E; H = 19 ^h 32 ^m 29 ^s				
Palau.....	7 26	19	34 14	- 5
Manila.....	10 00		56	0
Amboina.....	10 15	35	00	+ 2
Hong Kong.....	20 04	37	00	- 2
Batavia.....	23 48		36	- 6
Phu-Lien.....	24 04		44	- 3
Titizima.....	25 08		54	- 1
Zikawei.....	25 15		50	- 6
Miyazaki.....	25 45		59	- 2
Nagasaki.....	26 24	38	03	- 5
Nanking.....	26 40		07	- 4
Koti.....	27 44		18	- 3
Medan.....	28 18		31	+ 5
Sumoto.....	28 48		25	- 6
Kobe.....	29 12		30	- 4
Taikyu.....	29 24		41	+ 5
Kameyama.....	29 40		35	- 4
Toyooka.....	29 54		38	- 3
Nagoya.....	30 06		39	- 3
Keizyo.....	31 06	(39)	01	+10
Chiufeng.....	34 57		15	- 9
Mizusawa.....	35 02		25	+ 1
Morioka.....	35 33		27	- 1
Vladivostok.....	36 54		39	- 1
Perth.....	39 54	40	00	- 4
Calcutta.....	40 36		19	+10
Ootomari.....	42 24		30	+ 6
Colombo.....	46 48	19	41 00	+ 2
Melbourne.....	47 18	(41)	00	- 2
Hyderabad.....	48 36		14	+ 3
Kodaikanal.....	49 06		11	- 6
Agra.....	50 48		25	- 3
Bombay.....	54 06		51	0
Almata.....	57 12	42	20	+ 7
Andijan.....	59 24		33	+ 5
Tashkent.....	61 45		50	+ 7
Samarkand.....	63 00	43	00	+ 9
Wellington.....	64 42		12	+10
Sverdlovsk.....	71 48		50	+ 2
Baku.....	76 00	44	15	+ 2
Tiflis.....	79 54		35	- 1
Tananarive.....	82 12		51	+ 3
Kucino.....	84 06		58	+ 1
Theodosia.....	86 30	45	11	+ 2
Ksara.....	87 18		13	0
Simferopol.....	87 27		13	- 1
Yalta.....	87 27		15	+ 1
Pulkovo.....	87 48		17	+ 1
Sebastopol.....	87 54		20	+ 4
Helwan.....	91 42		37	+ 2
Stuttgart.....	102 48	46	26	- 2
Chur.....	103 24		32	+ 1
De Bilt.....	103 30		34	+ 3
Florence.....	103 30		36	+ 5
Strasbourg.....	103 42	19	46 35	+ 3
La Plata.....	151 18		52 20	+ 7
San Juan.....	151 54		20	+ 6
Huancayo.....	157 18		29	+ 8
La Paz.....	162 06		28	+ 2
APRIL 1, 1933				
6° 20' N: 127° 00' E; H = 08 ^h 07 ^m 33 ^s				
Manila.....	10 09	8	10 10	0
Hong Kong.....	20 12		12 10	+ 1
Batavia.....	23 43		51	+ 6
Phu-Lien.....	24 18	(13)	00	+ 9
Medan.....	28 28		35	+ 3
Chiufeng.....	35 08	(14)	36	- 3
Vladivostok.....	37 02		50	+ 6
Sverdlovsk.....	71 57	19	00	+ 7
Tiflis.....	79 48		47	+ 8

Felt moderately in western Luzon. This International Summary gives 15° N: 120° E and normal depth, but this position does not agree with the macroseismic reports. Moreover, a residual of + 13 seconds is found for Manila, which can not be admitted.

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The International Summary puts the epicenter at 5° 06' N: 127° 18' E.

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	° Δ	P	O-C	Remarks
	'	h. m. s.	s	
MAY 19, 1933				
10° 06' N: 126° 30' E; H = 12^h 16^m 03^s				
Manila.....	7 00	12 17 37	0	The International Summary adopted this position.
Hong Kong.....	17 00	20 10	+10	
Irkutsk.....	45 09	24 23	-2	
MAY 27, 1933				
11° 45' N: 126° 00' E; H = 4^h 41^m 53^s				
Manila.....	5 39	4 43 18	0	Very strong at Borongan, Samar. The International Summary gives 8° 00'N: 123° 00'E by this affords no agreement whatever with the macroseismic data which indicate an epicenter in the Philippine Deep.
Tashkent.....	57 24	51 32	-6	
Sverdlovsk.....	66 48	52 40	+2	
JUNE 6, 1933				
14° 00' N: 120° 20' E; H = 02^h 28^m 39^s; h = 75 Km.				
Manila.....	0 58	2 28 54	0	Somewhat destructive on the west coast of Cavite Province, Luzon. The International Summary gives 13° 18'N: 120° 24'E and normal depth. This position does not agree with the macroseismic reports. The residual of +8 seconds at Manila can not be admitted. Satisfactory residuals were not obtained until a depth of 75 km was assumed.
Hong Kong.....	10 12	31 00	+1	
Taihoku.....	11 06	16	+4	
Phu-Lien.....	14 45	59	-2	
Palau.....	15 24	32 03	-7	
Zikawei.....	17 12	34	+2	
Nanking.....	18 07	42	-1	
Miyazaki.....	20 28	33 11	+5	
Nagasaki.....	20 40	12	+4	
Hukuoka, B.....	21 33	19	-1	
Koti.....	22 56	33	+5	
Taikyū.....	23 06	32	+3	
Medan.....	23 46	36	-1	
Siomisaki.....	23 57	41	+2	
Zinsen.....	24 09	44	+4	
Batavia.....	24 12	35	-6	
Sumoto.....	24 15	44	+2	
Keizyo.....	24 18	46	+4	
Kobe.....	24 39	47	+1	
Osaka.....	24 45	38	-8	
Toyooka.....	25 09	53	+3	
Heizyo.....	25 30	56	+2	
Nagoya.....	25 55	34 02	+5	
Chiufeng.....	26 20	03	+2	
Nagano.....	27 44	17	+4	
Mizusawa.....	31 16	49	+2	
Irkutsk.....	40 21	36 07	+1	
Colombo.....	40 22	2 36 02	-4	
Agra.....	41 30	12	-4	
Kodaikanal.....	42 00	17	-3	
Bombay.....	45 42	49	-1	
Andijan.....	49 24	37 19	+1	
Tashkent.....	51 50	45	+9	
Riverview.....	56 06	(38) 00	-8	
Sverdlovsk.....	61 57	46	-1	
Tiflis.....	70 00	39 43	+5	
Kucino.....	74 09	40 06	+7	
Theodosia.....	76 36	19	+3	
Simferopol.....	77 30	21	+1	
Yalta.....	77 33	24	+3	
Ksara.....	77 42	20	-2	
Sebastopol.....	77 57	26	+3	
Pulkovo.....	77 57	24	+5	
Helsingfors.....	80 27	45	+9	
Helwan.....	82 14	48	+2	
Upsala.....	84 09	54	-2	
Copenhagen.....	88 10	41 17	0	
Potsdam.....	89 07	22	0	
Hamburg.....	90 20	27	-1	
Treist.....	91 10	30	-3	
Stuttgart.....	92 45	39	-2	
Coir.....	93 24	37	-6	
Florence.....	93 32	43	-2	
Prato.....	93 32	48	+3	
De Bilt.....	93 34	44	-2	
Strasbourg.....	93 43	43	-3	
Zurich.....	93 45	42	-4	
Piacenza.....	94 00	44	-4	
Neuchatel.....	94 54	48	-5	
Uccle.....	95 12	48	-3	
Paris.....	96 42	56	-6	
JUNE 2, 1933				
9° 35' N: 128° 20' E; H = 17^h 11^m 34^s				
Palau.....	6 30	16 13 06	-5	We first put the epicenter at 10°N: 127° 30'E and this was adopted by the International Summary. A later examination of the Manila seismograms forced us to adopt the position given above.
Manila.....	8 45	13 43	0	
Nanking.....	24 08	16 57	+7	
Batavia.....	26 36	17 22	+7	
Chiufeng.....	32 22	18 10	+2	
Sverdlovsk.....	69 54	22 50	+8	



EPICENTERS—Continued

	° Δ ,	P h. m. s.	O-C s	Remarks
AUGUST 7, 1933				
10° 00' N: 126° 35' E; H = 12^h 34^m 45^s				
Manila.....	7 09	12 36 31	0	The International Summary gives 10°N: 127° 30'E', but this is too far east.
Nanking.....	23 12	39 53	+ 1	
Batavia.....	25 26	(40) 17	+ 3	
Chiufeng.....	31 28	41 03	- 8	
Tashkent.....	59 03	44 36	- 6	
Sverdlovsk.....	68 36	45 41	- 3	
Tiflis.....	77 15	46 44	+ 8	
AUGUST 20, 1933				
13° 37' N: 124° 50' E; H = 11^h 45^m 12^s				
Manila.....	3 52	11 46 12	0	Felt very strongly in the island of Catanduanes. The International Summary gives 13°N: 124° 42'E, but this does not agree well with the macroseismic reports.
Palau.....	11 24	47 49	- 8	
Hong Kong.....	13 24	48 20	- 4	
Naze.....	15 28	51 0	0	
Zikawei.....	17 51	49 26	+ 6	
Phu-Lien.....	18 48	29	- 2	
Nanking.....	19 15	41	+ 4	
Miyazaki.....	19 18	36	- 1	
Nagasaki.....	19 48	43	0	
Simidu.....	20 42	54	+ 1	
Muroto.....	21 24	56	- 5	
Koti.....	21 27	50 08	+ 6	
Taikyu.....	22 30	08	- 4	
Sumoto.....	22 39	13	0	
Kobe.....	23 03	14	- 3	
Toyooka.....	23 42	27	+ 3	
Nagoya.....	24 02	30	+ 1	
Oiwake.....	25 44	50	+ 6	
Batavia.....	26 42	(51) 04	+10	
Medan.....	27 42	50 58	- 6	
Mizusawa.....	29 18	51 19	+ 1	
Irkutsk.....	42 00	53 02	- 1	
Kodaikanal.....	46 24	36	- 2	
Bombay.....	50 03	54 08	+ 3	
Frunse.....	52 24	29	+ 7	
Tashkent.....	55 24	42	- 1	
Sverdlovsk.....	64 39	55 46	+ 1	
Tiflis.....	73 34	56 43	+ 1	
Theodosia.....	80 03	57 23	+ 4	
Pulkovo.....	80 30	22	0	
Simferopol.....	80 54	24	0	
Ksara.....	81 36	33	+ 5	
Helwan.....	86 12	49	- 2	
Copenhagen.....	90 48	58 18	+ 4	
Vienna.....	91 36	17	- 1	
Triest.....	94 21	37	+ 8	
Florence.....	96 46	38	- 5	
Prato.....	97 26	49	+ 3	
Huancayo.....	160 18	12 05 06	- 1	P ₁ '
AUGUST 20, 1933				
13° 37' N: 124° 50' E; H = 12^h 06^m 19^s; h = 75 Km.				
Manila.....	3 54	12 07 16	0	The only macroseismic report was from Catanduanes Island. Not felt strongly. Lost on the Galitzin-Wilip records by change of seismograms. Lost on the Wiechert by dislocation of pens. Data from the Horizontal Pendulums. On these records the gram had more of the appearance of abnormal depth than in the preceding earthquake. Hence travel times for h=75 km were used.
Nanking.....	19 15	10 29	- 4	
Nagasaki.....	19 48	39	0	
Taikyu.....	22 30	11 09	+ 4	
Sumoto.....	22 39	11	+ 5	
Kobe.....	23 03	02	- 7	
Toyooka.....	23 42	18	+ 2	
Hamamatu.....	24 00	29	+10	
Nagoya.....	24 02	27	+ 8	
Mizusawa.....	29 18	12 16	+ 7	
Tiflis.....	73 34	17 36	- 5	
Simferopol.....	80 54	18 21	+ 2	
AUGUST 22, 1933				
13° 37' N: 124° 50' E; H = 13^h 13^m 02^s				
Manila.....	3 52	13 14 02	- 0	
Hong Kong.....	13 24	16 11	- 4	
Phu-Lien.....	18 48	17 20	- 1	
Nanking.....	19 15	34	+ 7	
Nagasaki.....	19 48	36	+ 3	
Koti.....	21 27	54	+ 2	
Kobe.....	23 03	18 11	+ 3	
Osaka.....	23 06	(18) 17	+ 9	
Kameyama.....	24 00	21	+ 4	
Nagoya.....	24 00	19	+ 2	
Oiwake.....	25 44	48	+ 9	
Chiufeng.....	27 36	46	- 7	
Irkutsk.....	42 00	20 50	- 2	
Frunse.....	52 24	22 10	- 2	
Tashkent.....	55 24	33	0	
Sverdlovsk.....	64 39	23 37	+ 2	
Tiflis.....	73 34	24 34	+ 2	
Pulkovo.....	80 30	25 11	- 1	

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	° Δ ,	P h. m. s.	O-C s	Remarks
AUGUST 26, 1933				
20° 30' N: 121° 00' E; H = 3 ^h 06 ^m 15 ^s ; h = 150 Km.				
Taihoku.....	4 35	3 07 31	- 1	Felt slightly at Basco, Batan Islands. The Manila seismograms indicated abnormal depth. Calculated travel times from the curve of the earthquake of April 13, 1927. The International Summary gives 20° 30' N: 124° E, with normal depth, but this gives a residual of -43 ^s at Hong Kong.
Manila.....	5 56	51	0	
Hong Kong.....	6 38	08 01	+ 1	
Nagoya.....	20 18	10 34	+ 2	
Sverdlovsk.....	56 52	15 50	- 3	
SEPTEMBER 7, 1933				
5° 30' N: 126° 30' E; H = 17 ^h 53 ^m 16 ^s				
Manila.....	10 35	17 55 50	0	Felt slightly in Mindanao. The International Summary gives 6° 30' N: 126° 30' E. In this position it would have been felt more strongly in Davao.
Hong Kong.....	20 36	58 06	+10	
Batavia.....	22 51	25	+ 6	
Nanking.....	27 34	59 06	- 1	
Gihu.....	31 36	40	- 3	
Nagano.....	32 57	54	- 1	
Sendai.....	35 16	18 00 15	+ 2	
Vladivostok.....	37 55	35	- 1	
Tiflis.....	80 09	05 23	- 2	
SEPTEMBER 20, 1933				
13° 18' N: 120° 24' E; H = 23 ^h 33 ^m 43 ^s				
Manila.....	1 24	23 34 07	0	Felt in southern Luzon and in the island of Marinduque. The International Summary gives the position "as on June 6, 1933". The latter earthquake was further north. The International Summary assumes normal depth with residuals of +7 seconds at Manila and Hong Kong. Some other solution should be found to eliminate these residuals, especially since the time at Manila is known to be correct. Using Macelwane's travel times and H=23:33:43 the residuals are reduced satisfactorily. The prevalence of negative residuals suggests that the focal depth was lightly greater than normal.
Hong Kong.....	10 48	36 19	- 1	
Phu-Lien.....	15 06	37 14	- 3	
Zikawei.....	17 54	48	- 3	
Nanking.....	18 48	38 00	- 2	
Nagasaki.....	21 18	25	- 6	
Medan.....	23 30	47	- 6	
Koti.....	23 36	45	- 9	
Sumoto.....	24 48	58	- 8	
Chiufeng.....	27 02	39 18	-10	
Mizusawa.....	31 36	40 01	- 9	
Bombay.....	46 00	42 03	- 3	
Tashkent.....	52 24	48	- 5	
Sverdlovsk.....	62 36	44 04	+ 2	
Tiflis.....	70 30	51	- 3	
Kucino.....	74 48	45 15	- 5	
Simferopol.....	78 00	36	- 3	
Yalta.....	78 00	36	- 3	
Ksara.....	78 06	40	- 0	
Sebastopol.....	78 30	36	- 6	
Pulkovo.....	78 36	37	- 5	
Vienna.....	89 06	46 33	- 3	
Stuttgart.....	93 24	48	- 9	
Strasbourg.....	94 18	47 00	- 1	
La Paz.....	171 12	53 44	- 4	
SEPTEMBER 25, 1933				
5° 30' N: 126° 30' E; H = 13 ^h 45 ^m 45 ^s				
Amboina.....	9 22	13 48 03	+ 8	Same epicenter as on May 26, 1925. In the Observatory bulletin for 1933 a very great error was made in the distance of this earthquake owing to the extremely slight change at the entrance of the S phase.
Manila.....	10 35	19	0	
Hong Kong.....	20 36	50 19	- 6	
Batavia.....	22 51	51	+ 3	
Zikawei.....	26 12	51 18	- 3	
Nanking.....	27 34	(51) 31	- 5	
Vladivostok.....	37 55	53 03	- 1	
Adelaide.....	42 00	44	+ 8	
Riverview.....	45 44	54 09	+ 3	
Kodaikanal.....	48 45	31	+ 2	
Agra.....	50 54	41	- 4	
Bombay.....	53 56	55 07	+ 1	
Sverdlovsk.....	72 24	57 10	+ 2	
Tiflis.....	80 09	56 10	+ 3	
Pulkovo.....	88 30	58 36	+ 1	
Copenhagen.....	98 33	59 26	+ 1	
SEPTEMBER 28, 1933				
6° 00' N: 127° 15' E; H = 0 ^h 27 ^m 51 ^s				
Manila.....	10 33	0 30 25	0	The International Summary gives 7° N: 127° 30' E
Hong Kong.....	20 36	32 31	0	
Batavia.....	23 45	33 11	+ 7	
Medan.....	29 06	48	- 7	
Sverdlovsk.....	72 21	39 13	0	

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	Δ		P			O-C	Remarks
	°	'	h.	m.	s.	s	
SEPTEMBER 28, 1933							
13° 15' N: 121° 00' E; H = 18 ^h 57 ^m 17 ^s ; h = 150 Km.							
Manila.....	1	21	18	57	48	0	Felt lightly in southern Luzon. The International Summary gives 13° 18' N: 120° 24' E, as on June 6, 1933. We have seen that the latter earthquake was further north. Satisfactory residuals can not be obtained by assuming normal depth and this earthquake showed characteristics of abnormal focal depth. The Manila seismograms indicated that the epicenter was almost due south of Manila. The distance indicated by the S-P interval was 150 km. The epicenter 13° 15' N: 121° E was adopted and distances calculated. Corrections for various depth values were tried and the above residuals resulted from using a depth of .02 (Geophy. Supp. M. N. R. A. S. vol. I, No. 1). Other values gave less satisfactory residuals.
Amboina.....	18	23	19	01	29	+ 6	
Nanking.....	18	54			35	+ 6	
Nagasaki.....	21	07			59	+ 6	
Koti.....	23	18		02	23	+ 8	
Batavia.....	24	00	(02)		32	+10	
Medan.....	24	04			33	+10	
Chiufeng.....	27	12			54	+ 2	
Tashkent.....	52	48		06	26	+15	
Sverdlovsk.....	63	00		07	39	+12	
NOVEMBER 9, 1933							
6° 50' N: 127° 45' E; H = 7 ^h 31 ^m 40 ^s							
Palau.....	6	42		7	33	18	- 2
Manila.....	10	12			34	08	0
DECEMBER 2, 1933							
20° 13' N: 121° 55' E; H = 8 ^h 43 ^m 08 ^s							
Taihoku.....	4	51		8	44	19	- 3
Manila.....	5	42			34		0
Hong Kong.....	7	32			59		0
Zikawei.....	11	00		45	43		- 5
Nanking.....	12	12			58		- 6
Phu-Lien.....	14	19		46	29		- 3
Nagasaki.....	14	24			25		- 9
Sumoto.....	18	12		47	18		- 2
Kobe.....	18	36			18		- 7
Osaka.....	18	48		8	47	20	- 7
Chiufeng.....	20	28			43		- 4
Tyosi.....	22	46		(48)	12		+ 1
Vladivostok.....	24	24			25		- 2
Medan.....	28	06		49	06		+ 3
Tashkent.....	49	00		51	52		- 1
Sverdlovsk.....	57	36		52	57		+ 3
Tiflis.....	67	16		54	01		+ 2
JANUARY 16, 1934							
5° 36' N: 128° 18' E; H = 18 ^h 39 ^m 31 ^s							
Manila.....	10	24		18	42	02	0
Hong Kong.....	20	24			44	06	- 3
Batavia.....	22	42			40		+ 7
Naze.....	23	00			44		+ 8
Phu-Lien.....	24	24			49		- 1
Zikawei.....	25	54		45	10		+ 5
Nanking.....	27	24			24		+ 4
Medan.....	27	42			22		- 1
Miyasaki.....	26	48			23		+ 9
Chiufeng.....	35	36		46	34		+ 3
Kodaikanal.....	48	30		48	18		+ 5
Agra.....	50	40			29		0
Bombay.....	53	42			54		+ 4
Frunse.....	58	48		49	35		+ 9
Tashkent.....	61	52			52		+ 6
Baku.....	76	03		51	24		+ 9
Tiflis.....	79	56			46		+ 8
Yalta.....	87	36		52	27		+10
Simferopol.....	87	36			25		+ 8
Sebastopol.....	88	02			29		+10
Pulkovo.....	88	12			26		+ 6
FEBRUARY 14, 1934							
17° 20' N: 119° 20' E; H = 3 ^h 59 ^m 34 ^s							
Manila.....	3	12		4	00	33	0
Takao.....	5	19			54		0
Taito.....	5	48		01	03		+ 2
Tainan.....	5	54			00		- 3
Arisan.....	6	21			11		+ 2
Hong Kong.....	6	51			13		- 3
Taiyu.....	6	57		1	17		0
Taihoku.....	7	59			38		+ 6
Isigakizima.....	8	20			39		+ 1
Phu-Lien.....	12	30		02	34		- 1
Zikawei.....	14	00			56		+ 2
Naze.....	14	29		03	11		0
Nanking.....	14	42		03	00		- 3
Palau.....	17	51			47		+ 6
Nagasaki.....	18	06			50		+ 5
Miyazaki.....	18	14			48		+ 2
Kumamoto.....	18	34		4	03	56	+ 5
Saga.....	18	44			58		+ 6
Hukuoka.....	19	03		04	01		+ 5
De Bilt and Bombay adopt the Manila position of this epicenter. The International Summary gives 17.4°N: 119°E. Hokoto, Zinsen, and Honolulu gives position differing little from that of the International Summary. St. Louis gives a position which is one degree too far north. The macroseismic evidence confirms the Manila position. Felt very strongly on the northwest coast of Luzon. Perceptible over the whole of Luzon except in the southeast peninsula. Small sea wave opposite the epicenter. Manila-Shanghai cable broken at the epicenter. Many small aftershocks felt by the cable ship. Apparent drop of 600 feet in the sea bottom. The instrumental reception of this earthquake over the whole world; the reception of the P-phase on the small seismographs in Spain; and the penetration of the P-phase into the shadow zone, to an epicentral distance of 117°, indicate that this earthquake was the strongest Philippine earthquake of which we have definite quantitative evidence.							

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	° Δ	P h. m. s.	O-C s	Remarks
FEBRUARY 14, 1934.—Continued				
17° 20' N: 119° 20' E; H = 3 ^h 59 ^m 34 ^s				
Ituhara	19 05	01	+ 4	De Bilt and Bombay adopt the Manila position of this epicenter. The International Summary gives 17.4°N: 119°E. Hokoto, Zinsen, and Honolulu gives position differing little from that of the International Summary. St. Louis gives a position which is one degree too far north. The macroseismic evidence confirms the Manila position. Felt very strongly on the northwest coast of Luzon. Perceptible over the whole of Luzon except in the southeast peninsula. Small sea wave opposite the epicenter. Manila-Shanghai cable broken at the epicenter. Many small aftershocks felt by the cable ship. Apparent drop of 600 feet in the sea bottom. The instrumental-reception of this earthquake over the whole world; the reception of the P-phase on the small seismographs in Spain; and the penetration of the P-phase into the shadow zone, to an epicentral distance of 117°, indicate that this earthquake was the strongest Philippine earthquake of which we have definite quantitative evidence.
Simidu	19 45	08	+ 3	
Taikyu	20 17	14	+ 3	
Koti	20 36	14	0	
Muroto	20 47	15	- 1	
Niihama	20 47	19	+ 3	
Zinsen	21 09	21	0	
Tadoto	21 18	27	+ 5	
Keizyo	21 19	24	+ 2	
Dairen	21 40	33	+ 7	
Siomisaki	21 51	32	+ 5	
Sumoto	21 58	32	+ 3	
Wakayama	22 03	34	+ 4	
Kobe	22 24	34	+ 1	
Heizyo	22 25	39	+ 6	
Osaka	22 34	41	+ 6	
Amboina	22 46	43	+ 6	
Toyooka	22 49	45	+ 8	
Chiufeng	22 54	41	+ 3	
Kyoto	22 56	44	+ 7	
Miyadu	23 01	42	+ 3	
Titizima	23 15	46	+ 5	
Hikone	23 25	48	+ 5	
Ibukisen	23 34	50	+ 5	
Gihu	23 48	52	+ 5	
Nagoya	23 54	53	+ 3	
Medan	24 38	57	+ 3	
Mizima	24 54	05	+ 7	
Toyama	24 58	04	+ 5	
Oiwake	25 29	08	+ 4	
Tokyo Met. Ob.	25 48	11	+ 4	
Tokyo Univ.	25 48	03	- 4	
Takada	25 51	14	+ 7	
Kumagaya	25 52	12	+ 5	
Maebasi	26 12	10	- 1	
Tukubasen	26 21	13	+ 1	
Kakioka	26 25	14	+ 2	
Batavia	26 34	16	+ 1	
Tyosi	26 36	16	+ 1	
Mito	26 41	22	+ 6	
Hokusima	27 35	25	0	
Vladivostok	27 48	28	+ 1	
Sendai	28 09	31	+ 1	
Akita	28 44	39	+ 4	
Mizusawa	28 54	38	+ 1	
Morioka	29 17	43	+ 3	
Sapporo	31 48	06	+ 1	
Asahigawa	32 49	17	+ 5	
Nemuro	34 11	14	- 9	
Hyderabad	38 38	07	+ 6	
Agra	39 34	05	- 1	
Colombo	39 56	07	- 2	
Kodaikanal	41 08	4	+ 2	
Bombay	44 07	49	+ 7	
Frunse	45 36	48	- 6	
Andijan	46 30	08	+ 3	
Tashkent	48 54	25	+ 6	
Perth	49 24	26	+ 4	
Samarkand	50 18	33	+ 4	
Adelaide	55 24	09	+ 6	
Riverview	59 30	40	+ 7	
Sydney	59 30	30	- 3	
Melbourne	60 12	46	+ 8	
Grozny	66 24	10	- 1	
Tiflis	67 10	32	+ 8	
Kucino	70 54	54	+ 6	
Theodosia	73 42	11	+ 6	
Yalta	74 36	15	+ 5	
Pulkovo	74 36	17	+ 7	
Apia	74 46	21	+ 10	
Sebastopol	75 00	19	+ 7	
Ksara	75 09	21	+ 8	
Helsingfors	77 09	29	+ 4	
Honolulu	77 21	27	+ 1	
Wellington	77 52	37	+ 7	
Christchurch	77 57	36	+ 6	
Tananarive	79 18	44	+ 7	
Helwan	79 51	44	+ 3	
Lemberg	80 09	51	+ 9	
Upsala	80 52	52	+ 6	
Sitka	83 31	12	+ 9	
Belgrade	83 57	03	+ 1	
Budapest	83 57	05	+ 3	
Lund	84 27	10	+ 6	
Copenhagen	84 52	12	+ 6	
Vienna	85 27	14	+ 5	
Prague	85 58	14	+ 2	
Bergen	86 10	22	+ 9	
Zagreb	86 34	21	+ 6	
Leipzig	86 40	20	+ 5	
Hamburg	87 03	23	+ 6	
Cheb	87 10	22	+ 4	
Jena	87 15	23	+ 5	



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	° Δ	P h. m. s.	O-C s	Remarks
FEBRUARY 14, 1934.—Continued				
17° 20' N: 119° 20' E; H = 3 ^h 59 ^m 34 ^s				
Hof	87 22	21	+ 2	De Bilt and Bombay adopt the Manila position of this epicenter. The International Summary gives 17.4°N: 119°E. Hokoto, Zinsen, and Honolulu gives position differing little from that of the International Summary. St. Louis gives a position which is one degree too far north. The macroseismic evidence confirms the Manila position. Felt very strongly on the northwest coast of Luzon. Perceptible over the whole of Luzon except in the southeast peninsula. Small sea wave opposite the epicenter. Manila-Shanghai cable broken at the epicenter. Many small aftershocks felt by the cable ship. Apparent drop of 600 feet in the sea bottom. The instrumental-reception of this earthquake over the whole world; the reception of the P-phase on the small seismographs in Spain; and the penetration of the P-phase into the shadow zone to an epicentral distance of 117°, indicate that this earthquake was the strongest Philippine earthquake of which we have definite quantitative evidence.
Laibach	87 28	25	+ 6	
Taranto	87 36	23	+ 3	
Gottingen	87 58	25	+ 3	
Triest	88 04	27	+ 4	
Scoresby-Sund	88 10	27	+ 3	
Trent	88 42	35	+10	
Treviso	89 01	33	+ 6	
Venice	89 02	35	+ 3	
Padua	89 24	36	+ 7	
Stuttgart	89 36	34	+ 4	
Karlsruhe	59 56	35	+ 4	
Catania	90 10	41	+ 7	
Chur	90 13	39	+ 6	
De Bilt	90 17	4 12 38	+ 5	
Rome	90 24	42	+ 8	
Prato	90 24	37	- 2	
Florence	90 26	37	+ 3	
Strasbourg	90 30	38	+ 4	
Zurich	90 34	40	+ 5	
Sienna	90 35	30	- 5	
Piacenza	90 55	40	+ 4	
Basle	91 00	37	- 4	
Livorno	91 10	40	+ 2	
Uccle	91 21	43	+ 5	
Neuchatel	91 44	44	+ 4	
Edinburgh	92 26	44	+ 0	
Stonyhurst	93 15	53	+ 5	
Grenoble	93 19	38	-10	
Paris	93 24	54	+ 6	
Kew	93 30	54	+ 6	
Bidston	93 50	50	0	
Oxford	93 50	47	- 3	
Victoria	93 54	40	-10	
Marseilles	94 36	13 00	+ 7	
Barcelona	97 28	09	+ 1	
Bagneres	97 51	10	+ 3	
Ukiah	97 48	22	+ 7	
Tortosa	98 50	16	+ 1	
Algiers	99 09	19	+ 2	
Berkeley	100 06	24	+ 4	
Branner	100 24	29	+ 7	
Alicante	100 48	32	+ 8	
Toledo	102 16	31	0	
Bozeman	102 36	36	+ 4	
Almeria	102 54	39	+ 6	
Granada	103 30	28	- 8	
Haiwee	103 55	43	+ 5	
Malaga	104 18	49	+ 9	
Pasadena	104 54	46	+ 3	
Mt. Wilson	104 57	46	+ 2	
Riverside	105 32	44	- 2	
La Jolla	106 15	52	+ 3	
Toronto	116 38	14 40	+ 2	
Florissant	117 21	38	- 3	
St. Louis	117 33	18 26	+ 8	
Oak Ridge	119 30	27	+ 4	
Little Rock	119 48	32	+ 8	
Georgetown	121 42	35	+ 7	
San Juan	143 52	19 12	+ 4	
Huancayo	164 51	43	+ 9	
La Paz	172 48	50	+ 9	
Sucre	175 16	47	+ 5	

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17° 20' N: 119° 20' E; H = 17^h 14^m 44^s; h = 200 Km.

Manila	3 12	17 15 40	0
Hong Kong	6 51	16 11	-17
PhuLien	12 31	17 38	+ 2
Ziikawei	14 00	48	- 7
Nanking	14 44	18 09	+ 6
Amboina	22 46	19 38	+ 5
Chiufeng	22 54	42	- 8
Medan	24 28	(19) 44	- 4
Batavia	26 34	(20) 35	+28
Vladivostok	27 54	32	+12
Tashkent	48 54	23 28	+17

MARCH 18, 1934

11° 30' N: 124° 20' E; H = 7^h 13^m 15^s; h = 150 Km.

Manila	4 30	7 14 30	0
Hong Kong	14 30	16 33	+ 2
Batavia	24 48	18 20	+ 1
Medan	26 36	34	- 2
Tashkent	56 12	22 49	0

By way of exception, all residuals have been retained. Same epicenter as the preceding earthquake. The large negative residuals resulting from normal travel times and the form of the Manila records indicated abnormal focal depth. The value h=200 km has been adopted as a suggestion; the residuals are too discordant to establish a definite value. The calculated distances, given above, were reduced for h=0.03 before using the travel times.

Not reported as felt, which may possibly be due to the fact that there were no meteorological stations operating in the immediate vicinity at this time. The International Summary gives the epicenter as 10.7°N: 124.7°E. This position does not satisfy the distances from Manila and Butuan derived from the S-P intervals. Placing the epicenter in the position given above and assuming a depth of focus greater than normal, which has some confirmation in the appearance of the records, we obtain the residuals given in the table. These are quite satisfactory. The travel times used were those derived from the earthquake of April 13, 1927, at 15° 12'N: 119° 40'E.

EPICENTERS—Continued



	° Δ	P	O-C	Remarks
	'	h. m. s.	s	
APRIL 1, 1934				
17° 20' N: 119° 20' E; H = 21 ^h 55 ^m 32 ^s				
Manila.....	3 12	21 56 22	0	Same epicenter as February 14, 1934.
Hong Kong.....	6 51	57 15	+ 1	
APRIL 12, 1934				
21° 10' N: 122° 15' E; H = 3 ^h 20 ^m 23 ^s				
Manila.....	6 42	3 22 03	0	Not reported as felt.
Hong Kong.....	7 36	22 13	- 2	
PhuLien.....	14 36	23 50	- 1	
Medan.....	28 54	26 25	- 1	
Batavia.....	31 15	44	- 2	
APRIL 15, 1934				
7° 15' N: 127° 05' E; H = 22 ^h 15 ^m 10 ^s				
Palau.....	7 21	22 17 04	+ 5	
Manila.....	9 28	29	0	
Amboina.....	11 00	57	+ 7	
Ishigakizima.....	17 19	19 12	+ 1	
Taihoku.....	18 36	30	+ 3	
Hong Kong.....	19 32	38	+ 1	
Naze.....	21 16	59	+ 1	
PhuLien.....	23 59	20 26	+ 1	
Titizima.....	24 28	33	+ 3	
Zikawei.....	24 31	30	0	
Batavia.....	25 06	36	0	
Nagasaki.....	25 37	41	0	
Nanking.....	25 58	42	- 3	
Simidu.....	26 00	47	+ 2	
Hukuoka B.....	26 31	52	+ 2	
Hukuoka A.....	26 31	48	- 2	
Koti.....	26 58	55	0	
Matuyama.....	27 05	56	0	
Niihama.....	27 18	58	0	
Tadotu.....	27 46	21 05	+ 2	
Husan.....	27 55	02	- 2	
Wakayama.....	28 00	01	- 3	
Sumoto.....	28 03	04	0	
Kobe.....	28 26	08	0	
Osaka.....	28 29	04	- 5	
Medan.....	28 30	14	+ 5	
Taikyu.....	28 39	11	+ 1	
Kameyama.....	28 55	14	+ 1	
Toyooka.....	29 10	13	- 2	
Zinsen.....	30 13	22	- 2	
Kohu.....	50 18	25	0	
Keizyo.....	30 19	24	- 1	
Kumegaya.....	31 02	25	- 6	
Nagano.....	31 07	31	- 1	
Kakioka.....	31 20	33	- 1	
Wazima.....	31 25	34	- 1	
Heizyo.....	31 48	43	+ 4	
Dairen.....	32 03	38	- 2	
Huku-sima.....	33 22	46	- 7	
Chiufeng.....	34 16	56	- 4	
Mizusawa.....	34 18	22 01	+ 1	
Morioka.....	34 49	06	+ 2	
Sapporo.....	37 57	25	- 4	
Perth.....	40 39	22 23 00	+10	
Melbourne.....	48 04	45	- 4	
Sydney.....	48 27	58	+ 6	
Tashkent.....	62 06	25 30	+ 5	
Sverdlovsk.....	72 12	26 26	- 5	
Baku.....	76 18	27 02	+ 6	
Tiflis.....	79 42	21	+ 6	
Kucino.....	84 30	40	0	
Theodosia.....	86 36	55	+ 4	
Simferopol.....	86 58	58	+ 5	
Ksara.....	86 58	28 01	+ 8	
Yalta.....	87 00	00	+ 7	
Sebastopol.....	87 24	02	+ 7	
Sitka.....	88 00	06	+ 8	
Pulkovo.....	88 09	27 48	0	
Helsingfors.....	89 04	28 12	+ 8	
Budapest.....	96 34	46	+ 6	
Vienna.....	98 01	51	+ 4	
Scoresby-Sund.....	98 30	57	+ 7	
Hamburg.....	98 30	58	+ 8	
Prague.....	98 32	46	- 3	
Zagreb.....	99 08	56	+ 4	
Gottinghen.....	100 30	29 01	+ 3	
Triest.....	100 37	01	+ 2	
Treviso.....	101 35	28 55	- 9	
Padua.....	101 56	29 06	+ 1	
Stuttgart.....	102 12	10	+ 3	
De Bilt.....	102 51	13	+ 4	
Florence.....	102 59	10	0	
Strasbourg.....	103 06	14	+ 4	
Prato.....	103 47	10	- 4	

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	Δ	P	O-C	Remarks
	° ' "	h. m. s.	s	
APRIL 15, 1934.—Continued				
$7^{\circ} 15' N: 127^{\circ} 05' E; H = 22^h 15^m 10^s$				
Uccle.....	103 57	17	+ 3	
Neuchatel.....	104 20	18	- 2	
Haiwee.....	105 16	30	+ 9	
Mt. Wilson.....	105 54	28	+ 5	
Paris.....	106 00	26	+ 2	
Riverside.....	106 30	32	+ 6	
Algiers.....	111 40	29 50	- 1	
Buffalo.....	124 33	34 16	+ 5	P ₁ '
Harvard.....	127 40	23	+ 6	P ₁ '
Fordham.....	128 12	25	+ 7	P ₁ '
Georgetown.....	128 42	27	+ 9	P ₁ '
APRIL 16, 1934				
$7^{\circ} 15' N: 127^{\circ} 05' E; H = 3^h 59^m 10^s$				
Manila.....	9 28	4 01 29	0	Felt in eastern Mindanao. Same epicenter as preceding earthquake.
Hong Kong.....	19 32	03 33	- 4	
Naze.....	21 16	59	+ 1	
Zikawei.....	24 31	04 29	- 1	
Batavia.....	25 06	37	+ 1	
Nagasaki.....	25 37	40	- 2	
Nanking.....	25 58	52	+ 7	
Koti.....	26 58	4 04 56	+ 1	
Chiufeng.....	34 16	05 56	- 4	
Vladivostok.....	36 06	06 16	- 4	
Tashkent.....	62 06	07 32	+ 6	
Baku.....	76 18	11 04	+ 8	
Tiflis.....	79 42	24	+ 9	
Pulkovo.....	88 09	12 03	+ 3	
MAY 7, 1934				
$9^{\circ} 00' N: 126^{\circ} 45' E; H = 4^h 06^m 41^s$				
Manila.....	7 50	4 08 38	0	Felt in eastern Mindanao. Same epicenter as June 10, 1920; December 25, 1925; November 18, 1927; April 8, 1929; September 24, 1930; and January 24, 1931.
Hong Kong.....	17 45	10 49	0	
Zikawei.....	21 55	11 42	+ 1	
Batavia.....	25 00	12 08	+ 2	
Sverdlovsk.....	69 33	17 39	- 7	
JULY 21, 1934				
$16^{\circ} 45' N: 121^{\circ} 00' E; H = 4^h 37^m 30^s$				
Manila.....	2 06	4 38 05	0	Very strong in the epicentral section.
Phu-Lien.....	14 12	40 53	0	
Nanking.....	15 26	(41) 16	+ 8	
Sumoto.....	21 34	42 27	+ 6	
Kobe.....	21 58	33	- 7	
Osaka.....	22 12	21	- 6	
Tashkent.....	50 22	46 29	+ 3	
Sverdlovsk.....	60 00	47 38	+ 6	
Pulkovo.....	75 58	49 16	+ 2	
JULY 31, 1934				
$15^{\circ} 08' N: 119^{\circ} 47' E; H = 5^h 58^m 42^s; h = 65 \text{ Km.}$				
Manila.....	1 15	5 59 06	0	Felt strongly in western Luzon. Perceptible over all of central Luzon. Residuals from normal travel times indicated abnormal focal depth. Distances were corrected for $h=0.01$ and the residuals given above were obtained.
Takao.....	7 30	6 00 36	+ 4	
Arisan.....	8 26	49	+ 3	
Taihoku.....	10 02	01 15	+ 7	
Naze.....	16 00	02 23	- 2	
Zikawei.....	16 08	25	- 1	
Nanking.....	16 56	37	+ 2	
Nagasaki.....	19 50	03 09	+ 1	
Miyazaki.....	19 52	15	+ 7	
Itusan.....	21 38	26	- 3	
Zinsen.....	23 12	44	0	
Sumoto.....	23 16	47	- 1	
Medan.....	23 48	54	+ 5	
Kobe.....	24 06	54	+ 1	
Osaka.....	24 10	55	+ 1	
Chiufeng.....	25 08	04 03	0	
Oiwake.....	27 00	15	- 9	
Midusawa.....	30 27	50	- 5	
Sapporo.....	33 28	05 24	+ 5	
Tashkent.....	50 42	6 07 36	+ 3	
Sverdlovsk.....	60 45	08 48	+ 4	
Baku.....	65 02	09 02	-10	
Yalta.....	76 21	10 28	+ 5	
Simferopol.....	76 21	28	+ 5	
Theodosia.....	76 38	21	- 4	
Pulkovo.....	76 41	28	+ 2	
Copenhagen.....	86 57	11 23	+ 3	
Hamburg.....	89 05	33	+ 2	
Stuttgart.....	91 33	45	+ 2	
Chur.....	92 11	48	+ 1	
De Bilt.....	92 21	48	+ 1	
Strasbourg.....	92 30	47	- 1	
La Paz.....	172 12	18 48	- 1	

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	Δ	P	O-C	Remarks
	$^{\circ}$	h. m. s.	s	
AUGUST 12, 1934				
$8^{\circ} 20' N; 126^{\circ} 50' E; H = 23^h 49^m 23^s$				
Palau	7 40	23 51 12	- 4	
Manila	8 24		0	
Amboina	12 06	52 15	- 3	
Karenko	16 26	53 18	- 5	
Taihoku	17 27		+ 2	
Naha	17 54		+ 4	
Hong Kong	18 36		- 4	
Naze	20 12		- 5	
PhuLien	23 09	54 21	- 8	
Zikawei	23 24		- 7	
Titizima	23 43		+ 2	
Miyazaki	23 58		- 5	
Nagasaki	24 32		- 4	
Batavia	24 42		- 4	
Nanking	24 52		- 5	
Hukuoka A	25 27		- 2	
Hukuoka B	25 27		- 3	
Koti	25 57		- 5	
Hirosima	26 32	55 00	- 3	
Husan	26 50		- 4	
Sumoto	27 00		- 7	
Hamada	27 00		- 3	
Kobe	27 25		- 4	
Oosaka	27 30		- 4	
Taikyo	27 36		- 5	
Toyooka	28 09		0	
Omaesaki	28 16		- 4	
Medan	28 24		- 3	
Zinsen	29 09		- 4	
Keizyo	29 15		- 5	
Nagano	30 09		- 2	
Mito	30 40		- 2	
Heizyo	30 43		- 6	
Hukushima	31 54		- 9	
Sendai	32 30	23 55 48	-10	
Mizusawa	33 22	56 03	- 3	
Sapporo	37 00		+ 5	
Perth	41 36	57 15	+ 4	
Adelaide	44 40		+ 9	
Tashkent	60 18	59 28	+ 1	
Sverdlovsk	70 06	24 00 31	- 1	
Honolulu	73 21		- 3	
Tananarive	82 40		0	
Theodosia	85 08	02 00	+ 4	
Simferopol	86 03		0	
Yalta	86 06		+ 2	
Pulkovo	86 06	01 59	- 2	
Ksara	86 12	02 08	+ 6	
Sitka	87 18		+ 5	
Victoria	87 58	(02) 13	+ 2	
Budapest	96 10		+ 1	
Copenhagen	96 22		0	
Vienna	97 03		+ 1	
Zagreb	98 10	03 05	+ 4	
Gottingen	99 28		+ 1	
Triest	99 39		+ 2	
Stuttgart	101 10		- 7	
De Bilt	101 48		+ 6	
Florence	102 00		0	
Strasbourg	102 06		- 2	
Zurich	102 09		+10	
Basle	102 42		- 6	
Uccle	102 55		+ 5	
Neuchatel	103 20		+ 1	
Paris	105 12		- 2	
Kew	105 18		+ 2	
Georgetown	127 54	08 38	+ 8	P ₁ '
San Juan	150 24	09 20	+ 5	P ₁ '

SEPTEMBER 6, 1934

$6^{\circ} 30' N; 126^{\circ} 00' E; H = 2^h 16^m 51^s; h = 100 \text{ Km.}$

Manila	9 30	2 19 08	0
Batavia	22 54	21 48	- 2
PhuLien	23 06		- 5
Nanking	26 25	(22) 13	- 9
Medan	27 20		0
Tashkent	61 06	26 47	- 2
Baku	75 12	28 22	+ 4
Tiflis	79 08	23 36	- 5
Theodosia	85 48	29 13	- 4
Ksara	86 30		- 2
Yalta	86 42		- 8
Simferopol	86 48		- 5
Pulkovo	87 12		-10
De Bilt	102 54	30 33	- 9
Uccle	104 00		-10

The distances given above are the actual distances. They were corrected for depth before travel times were used to obtain the residuals given in the last column.

EPICENTERS—Continued

	° Δ	P	O-C	Remarks
	'	h. m. s.	s	
OCTOBER 30, 1934				
7° 40' N: 127° 05' E; H = 20 ^h 52 ^m 48 ^s				
Palau.....	7 21	20 54 47	+10	
Manila.....	9 12	55 04	0	
Hong Kong.....	19 12	57 09	- 3	
Batavia.....	24 30	58 05	- 3	
Chiufeng.....	33 51	59 41	+ 6	
NOVEMBER 26, 1934				
14° 10' N: 120° 10' E; H = 12 ^h 09 ^m 22 ^s ; h = 75 Km.				
Manila.....	0 50	12 09 35	0	Slightly destructive in Manila
Arisan.....	9 23	11 34	+ 1	
Karenko.....	9 55	40	0	
Hong Kong.....	9 56	40	0	
Isigakizima.....	10 51	51	- 1	
Taihoku.....	10 57	57	+ 4	
PhuLien.....	14 30	12 46	+ 4	
Palau.....	15 38	51	- 5	
Naze.....	16 39	13 06	- 2	
Zikawei.....	17 04	13	- 1	
Nanking.....	17 56	20	- 4	
Amboina.....	19 33	30	- 9	
Nagasaki.....	20 35	49	- 1	
Hukuoka A.....	21 30	14 02	+ 3	
Hukuoka B.....	21 30	01	+ 2	
Husan.....	22 24	09	+ 2	
Koti.....	22 52	15	+ 5	
Taikyu.....	23 00	18	+ 6	
Siomisaki.....	23 55	24	+ 4	
Zinsen.....	24 03	25	+ 2	
Keizyo.....	24 10	27	+ 3	
Titizima.....	24 15	23	- 1	
Batavia.....	24 16	27	+ 2	
Sumoto.....	24 24	26	0	
Kobe.....	24 36	31	+ 3	
Oosaka.....	24 45	30	0	
Toyooka.....	25 00	38	+ 6	
Kameyama.....	25 24	37	+ 1	
Chiufeng.....	26 09	46	+ 4	
Nagano.....	27 39	15 02	+ 6	
Mizusawa.....	31 03	30	+ 3	
Colombo.....	40 15	16 54	+ 6	
Bombay.....	45 30	17 35	+ 4	
Perth.....	46 18	31	- 6	
Tashkent.....	51 36	18 13	- 4	
Adelaide.....	52 09	18	- 3	
Baku.....	65 57	20 01	+ 5	
Tiflis.....	69 48	22	+ 2	
Christchurch.....	74 57	58	+ 8	
Theodosia.....	76 24	21 02	+ 4	
Simferopol.....	77 18	08	+ 6	
Yalta.....	77 20	08	+ 6	
Pulkovo.....	77 44	07	+ 2	
Sebastopol.....	77 44	12 21 11	+ 6	
Helwan.....	82 00	24	+ 4	
Vienna.....	88 21	22 02	+ 1	
Zagreb.....	89 27	10	+ 3	
Triest.....	90 57	13	- 2	
Gottingen.....	92 15	15	- 6	
Stuttgart.....	92 33	22	- 1	
De Bilt.....	93 21	29	+ 2	
Strasbourg.....	93 30	28	0	
Zurich.....	93 33	27	- 1	
Basel.....	94 06	29	- 2	
Uccle.....	94 25	28	- 5	
Neuchatel.....	94 42	31	- 3	
Paris.....	96 28	39	- 1	
NOVEMBER 27, 1934				
13° 10' N: 124° 25' E; H = 1 ^h 14 ^m 38 ^s ; h = 100 Km.				
Manila.....	3 36	1 15 37	0	Felt in southeastern Luzon
Hong Kong.....	13 15	17 42	- 2	
Chiufeng.....	27 50	20 19	- 1	
Sverdlovsk.....	64 43	25 04	+ 9	
DECEMBER 27, 1934				
14° 05' N: 121° 30' E; H = 17 ^h 43 ^m 11 ^s ; h = 100 Km.				
Manila.....	0 42	17 43 28	0	
Nanking.....	18 16	47 12	- 5	
Chiufeng.....	26 24	48 38	- 3	
Sverdlovsk.....	62 30	53 21	+ 4	

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$\phi=14^{\circ} 34' 42''$ N. $\lambda=120^{\circ} 58' 41''$ E. $h=3$ m. Alluvium.

CONSTANTS OF THE GALITZIN-WILIP

	T_1	T	μ^2	V_s
N-S	12.6	12.9	0	400
E-W	11.6	11.9	.08	229
Z	11.6	9.0		

CONSTANTS OF THE WIECHERT INVERTED PENDULUM. M ϕ 55 Kg.

January 1, 1940.

	T_0	V	ϵ	$\frac{r}{T_0^2}$
N-S	4.2	211	2.4	0.087
E-W	4.2	268	2.8	0.086

Cf. Theoretical Seismology.
Sohn. S.J.

No. and Date	Phase	Greenwich Time			Dist. Km.	Remarks
		h.	m.	s.		
Jan. 1940 #1 1st	ePNEZ SNEZ F	0	22	22 39 25	135	Deeper than normal.
#2 1st	iPZ ePNE S?NE F	12	25	20 20 29 31 13 03	2,700?	Dilatation.
#3 2nd	eP?NE SNE F	5	05	25 08 20 30	1,700?	
#5 2nd	ePPNE LNE F	11	29	36 12 08 ca 13 36	14,710 $\frac{1}{2}$	31 $^{\circ}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ -S; 108 $^{\circ}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ -W; H=11:07.6 by USCGS.
#8 6th	ePNEZ SNEZ F	0	29	59 51 21 55	740	
#9 6th	iPZ ePE SN LN F	8	23	16 16 28 50 33 25ca 9 35	3,965	Dilatation.
#10 6th	ePNEZ SNE LNE MN F	10	46	30 49 23 50 45ca 52 ca 11 50	1,670	
#12 6th	iPZ iPE iSNE LNE MN F	14	13	34 36 21 44 32 20ca 37 25ca 17 30	6,620	Dilatation. Deep focus. Between New Hebrides and New Caledonia by Riverview and Manila. 22 $^{\circ}$ S; 170 $^{\circ}$ E by USCGS.

SEISMOLOGICAL BULLETIN OF THE OBSERVATORY.--Continued.

No. and Date	Phase.	Greenwich Time h. m. s.	Dist. Km.	Remarks.
Jan. 1940 #14 7th	ePNEZ SNE LNE F	3 28 24 33 28 37 10ca 5 25	3,490	
#17 9th	iPZ ePNE S?E F	6 36 18 18 39 26 55	1,835?	Dilatation.
#19 10th	ePZ ePN SNE LNE MN F	11 23 33 37 28 47 32 30ca 35 05ca 12 46	3,640	Disturbed by microseisms.
#20 11th	ePNE SN F	10 30 48 31 42 44	440	
#21 12th	ePZ ePNE SNEZ F	17 16 32 34 17 29 37	480	Deeper than normal. Baguio 150 Km.
#24 14th	ePNEZ S?NE F	8 03 37 07 14 9 40	2,200?	Disturbed by another movemwnts.
#25 14th	eP?NE SN F	9 51 16 10 00 33 11 25	7,750?	Disturbed by another movements.
#27 14th	eP?N SNE F	13 35 25 41 13 14 17	4,180?	
#29 15th	iPZ ePNE SNE F	11 11 04 04 14 40 33	2,190	Dilatation. Deep focus.
#33 16th	ePNEZ SNEZ F	5 05 40 06 31 16	340	

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No. and Date	Phase.	Greenwich Time			Dist. Km.	Remarks.
		h.	m.	s.		
Jan. 1940 36 17th	iPZ PNE SNE LE F	1	20	31 34 25 16 39 55ca 5 00	3,020	Dilatation. 18°N: 148.2°E by Manila, Hong Kong and Riverview. S-P at Guam 50 seconds. Data after P from the Wiechert and Horizontals. 17°N: 148°E by USCGS.
38 17th	PNEZ SNE F	12	12	43 17 50 58	3,530	
43 19th	ePZ SE F	0	49	58 53 14 1 04	1,935	
44 19th	ePNEZ SNE ME F	5	34	38 38 47 43 25ca 6 46	2,655	
45 20th	ePNEZ S?NE F	10.	17.	31 26 35 12 30	7,530?	
46 21st	iPZ ePN iPE iSNEZ F	2	48	42 43 44 51 34 3 22	1,655	Compression. Deep focus.
47 21st	ePNEZ SNE F	4	39	18 41 42 5 00	1,390	
48 21st 22nd	iPZ ePNE SNE F	23	50	15 15 53 54 0 20	2,220	
49 23rd	iPNEZ SNE F	11	30	14 28 44	110	Dilatation. Felt at Infanta and in Manila. Data after P from the Wiechert.
52 26th	ePZ ePNE SNE F	6	51	11 13 58 45 7 42	6,010	Deep focus.

SEISMOLOGICAL BULLETIN OF THE OBSERVATORY.--Continued.



No. and Date	Phase.	Greenwich Time h. m. s.	Dist. Km.	Remarks.
Jan. 1940 53 26th	iPZ iPE iPN iSNE LNE F	17 08 10 11 12 14 01 19 20ca 19 25	4,255	Dilatation.
54 27th	ePNEZ SE F	14 54 56 15 01 14 40	4,690	
55 27th	ePNEZ SE F	23 05 36 07 30 20	1,080	
57 28th	ePNEZ SN F	11 10 44 12 37 21	1,070	

Twenty-eight insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of January: 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 6th(2), 7th(2), 9th, 14th(3), 15th(2), 16th(4), 17th(3), 18th, 19th, 24th, 25th, 27th, 29th, 30th, and 31st.

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$\delta=14^{\circ} 34' 42''$ N.

$\lambda=120^{\circ} 58' 41''$ E

h=3 m.

Alluvium.

CONSTANTS OF THE GALITZIN-WILIP

CONSTANTS OF THE WIECHERT INVERTED PENDULUM. M=955 Kg.
February 1, 1940

	T_1	T	μ^2	V_s
N-S	12.6	12.9	0	400
E-W	11.8	11.9	.08	229
Z	11.6	9.0		

	T_0	V	ϵ	$\frac{F}{T_0 Z}$
N-S	4.3	205	2.4	0.088
E-W	4.2	268	2.6	0.099

Cf. Theoretical Seismology.
Schoen S.J.

No.	Date	Station	Greenwich Time			Dist. Km.	Remarks.
			h.	m.	s.		
61	1st	ePNE SNEZ F	18	24	02 19 29	135	
62	1st	ePN SNEZ F	20	48	54 49 11 52	135	
64	5th	iPZ SNE	6	34	01 38 04	2,635	
65	5th	eP?Z iSNE F	7	07	48 12 53 37	3,510?	No. 64 still recording.
71	7th	iPEZ ePN iSNE LNE MNE F	17	25	40 40 33 49 43 30ca 48 ca 19 28	6,500	Dilatation. 52° N: 174.5° E by U.S.C.G.S.
73	8th	ePNEZ SNE F	15	13	40 16 10 40	1,445	
74	9th	ePNEZ SNEZ F	8	06	56 09 27 25	1,455	
77	10th	ePNE SNE F	22	44	08 45 24 57	680	Felt at Dumaguete.
81	11th	iPEZ ePN iSNEZ LNE MN F	21	30	28 28 33 22 34 50ca 36 25ca 22 08	1,690	Compression.
82	12th	ePNEZ SNE LE MNE F	0	21	27 26 07 30 35ca 32 40ca 1 17	3,120	Disturbed by microseisms.



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No.	Date	Phase.	Greenwich Time h. m. s.	Dist. Km.	Remarks
	Feb. 1940				
83	12th	iPZ ePNE LNE	8 31 59 59 41 00	8,710	Dilatation. Disturbed by microseisms
84	12th	ePNEZ SNE F	9 29 53 38 24 10 30	7,920	No. 83 still recording. Disturbed by microseisms.
85	12th	iPZ ePNE SNE LNE F	16 36 44 44 40 24 42 35ca 17 22	2,265	Dilatation. Disturbed by microseisms.
88	14th	ePNE S?N F	2 20 14 24 03 3 12	2,365?	No records on Z Component throughout the 14th.
90	14th	ePNE SE F	11 54 29 58 38 12 20	2,655	
93	16th	ePNEZ SNE MNE F	1 14 11 16 50 19 35ca 38	1,530	
95	17th	ePNEZ SNE F	1 06 54 10 03 42	1,845	
96	18th	ePNEZ SNE F	10 43 30 46 52 55	2,010	
99	20th	iPZ iPNE iNEZ iSNE LNE MNE F	2 27 26 28 28 30 34 45 41 30ca 45 45ca 4 40	5,610	Compression. 12° S: 167° E by USCGS.
100	20th	ePNE SN LNE F	13 06 16 13 52 22 ca 14 40	6,000	
102	21st	ePNEZ iSN F	13 28 41 32 51 14 02	2,665	Deep focus.
103	22nd	iPNEZ iSNEZ F	13 32 06 33 09 14 37	510	Compression. Felt in northern Luzon. About $19^{\circ} 10' N$: $121^{\circ} 15' E$ by Manila and Hong Kong.

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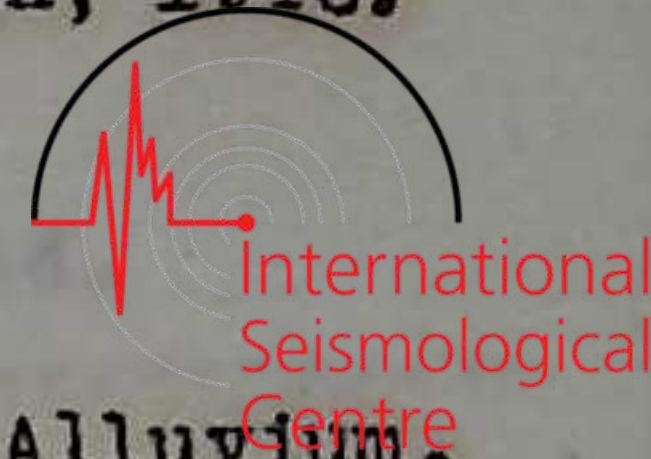
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No.	Date	Phase	Greenwich Time h. m. s.	Dist. Km.	Remarks.
	Feb. 1940				
104	24th	ePNEZ SNE iNE LNE F	12 05 52 10 28 12 13 13 05 14 10	3,065	
109	27th	ePNEZ SNEZ iE iN LNE F	19 15 23 19 20 20 40 54 21 40ca 20 45	2,490	
110	28th	ePNEZ SNEZ F	13 13 23 14 57 22	880	
111	28th	ePNEZ SNE iN F	19 37 09 40 01 41 15 50	1,630	
112	29th	PNEZ iSN eSE iN MN ME F	16 20 25 30 57 57 31 23 54 30ca 58 ca 17 45	9,460	

Twenty-five insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of February: 4th, 5th(2), 6th(2), 7th, 8th, 9th(2), 10th, 11th(2), 13th, 14th(5), 15th, 16th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 25th(2), 26th, and 27th.

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$\phi=14^{\circ} 34' 42''$ N.

$\lambda=120^{\circ} 58' 41''$ E.

$h=3$ m.

Alluvium.

CONSTANTS OF THE
GALITZIN-WILIP

	T_1	T
N-S	12.6	12.9
E-W	11.8	11.9
Z	11.6	9.0

CONSTANTS OF THE WIECHERT
INVERTED PENDULUM. M 955 Kg.
March 1, 1940.

	T	V	ϵ	$\frac{-T}{T_0} Z$
N-S	4.3	202	2.5	0.079
E-W	4.2	275	2.4	0.093

No.	Date	Phase.	Greenwich Time			Dist. Km.	Remarks.
			h.	m.	s.		
113	1st	ePNEZ SNE F	10	43	47 48 08	520	
116	2nd	ePNEZ SNE F	6	35	21 27 10	580	Felt in the eastern part of Visayas
117	3rd	ePN iSNE F	0	15	21 13 40	6,320	Near 17° S: 165° E by Riverview and Manila. P in E and Z components lost in changing records.
119	3rd	iPZ ePNE iSN LN F	12	03	26 26 15 45ca 13	3,250	
121	4th	iPZ ePNE SNEZ F	15	49	48 48 49 23	2,545	
125	6th	iPZ ePNE SN LNE F	18	34	30 30 06 ca 45	8,220	Dilatation.
127	9th	iPZ ePNE SNE F	10	51	22 22 27 10	1,810	Dilatation.
130	10th	ePNEZ SNE F	10	12	28 29 32	630	
132	12th	ePNEZ SNEZ F	22	19	44 52 19	600	Approx. 20° N: 121° E by Manila and Hong Kong. Felt in northern Luzon.
133	12th 13th	ePNEZ SNEZ F	23	56	36 27 10	420	Felt at Prieto-Diaz, Sorsogon.

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SEISMOLOGICAL BULLETIN OF THE OBSERVATORY.--Continued.



No.	Date	Phase.	Greenwich Time			Dist. Km.	Remarks.
			h.	m.	s.		
137	Mar. 1940 14th	ePEZ	18	34	14	8,190	In region of New Zealand by River- view and Manila.
		ePN			18		
		iSNE		43	52		
		LNE		58	40ca		
		MNE	19	05	ca		
		F	21	15			
139	15th	ePNEZ	5	33	23	2,880	
		SN		37	47		
		LE		40	30ca		
		ME		43	ca		
		F	7	10			
141	16th	ePEZ	17	29	25	150	Felt at Iba, Zambales.
		SNE			44		
		F		38			
146	19th	iPEZ	4	44	44	5,520	
		iSN		51	50		
		LE	5	00	ca		
		F		52			
147	19th	ePNEZ	10	52	25	3,365?	
		S?NE		57	33		
		F	12	10			
150	21st	iPEZ	13	58	45	3,730	Compression.
		ePN			45		
		iSNE	14	04	04		
		LNE		08	05ca		
		MNE		11	05ca		
		F	16	00			
151	22nd	ePNEZ	20	31	32	8,980	
		SN		41	40		
		LN		52	30ca		
		MNE		59	ca		
		F	22	00			
153	27th	iPZ	12	41	20	6,620	Compression. 51°N: 180° by U.S.C.G.S
		ePNE			22		
		iSNE		49	34		
		LNE	13	00	ca		
		ME		04	50		
		F	14	38			
155	28th	ePNEZ	14	18	26	410	Felt at Virac, Catanduanes and Naga, Camarines Sur.
		SNEZ		19	17		
		F		47			
156	28th	iPNEZ	15	49	22	175	Compression. Epicenter probably to the SW. Felt in southwestern Luzon, Mindoro, Culion and Marinduque. S from Horizontal Pendulums.
		S			44		
		F	18	20			
161	29th	ePNEZ	21	43	12	3,920	
		SNE		48	43		
		LNE		53	50		
		F	22	25			

No.	Date	Phase.	Greenwich Time h. m. s.	Dist. Km.	Remarks.
162	Mar. 1940 30th	ePZ ePNE SNE F	4 18 59 59 19 21 27	175	
163	30th	iPZ ePNE SNE INE F	6 26 50 50 31 06 33 20 7 43	2,630	
164	30th	ePNE SNE F	8 42 51 43 36 9 13	350	Felt in northern part of Luzon. Z cylinder stopped at 7:38.
165	30th	ePNE SNE F	13 00 51 01 13 07	175	
167	30th	ePNE SNE F	21 36 37 37 00 44	180	

Thirty insignificant or undecipherable disturbances on the following days of March: 1st(2), 3rd, 4th(2), 5th, 6th, 7th, 9th(2), 11th, 13th, 14th(2), 15th(2), 17th(2), 18th(2), 19th, 21st, 25th, 27th, 29th(4), 30th, and 31st.

February 12th, 8:31:59
Near 22°S: 176°E by Riverview and Manila.

February 20th, 2:27:26
13°S: 162°E by Riverview and Manila.