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Geological Survey Office,
Department of Mines,
Union of South Africa.

SEISMOLOGICAL BULLETIN.

The data herewith give the results from a network of seismographs intended particularly for the study of earthquakes occurring in or near South Africa. This bulletin, however, is prepared regularly and will be sent to interested organisations on request.

Station	Grahamstown (GRH)	Pietermaritz- burg (PIE)	Kimberley (KIM)
Lat:	33° 13.6'S	29° 37.2'S	28° 45.1'S
Long:	26° 34.5'E	30° 23.8'E	24° 46.8'E
Lithologic foundation.	Dwyka Shale	Soft Ecca Shale	Dolorite boulders embedded in decayed dolorite
Height:	558 m.	656 m.	1321 m.
Instrument:	Benioff S.P. vertical with short and long period recorders	Benioff S.P. vertical	Benioff S.P. vertical
Seismo. Officer:	Professor of Physics	Professor of Physics	Rev. Br. T.N. Purcell
Institution:	Rhodes University	Natal University	Christian Brothers College

Notes: "Earth tremors" originating in the mining district of the Witwatersrand are recorded several times daily by the Pretoria station, and less frequently by others. These are not dealt with in this bulletin.

Data are occasionally reported herein by courtesy of the Union Observatory, Johannesburg, which operates a 200kg. Wiechert Horizontal seismograph. This station is called J, and is at 26° 10.9'S, 28° 04.5'E, height 1806 metres.

All times given are G.M.T.

The supervision of this network and bulletin is at present in the hands of the undersigned, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

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H.O. Oliver.
Seismological Officer.

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Date	Station	Phase	h. G.	n. M.	s. T.	Arc Dist	C/R	Remarks.
2	Pic	o	11	34	00			
2	Kin	iPKP	16	30	16	135°	C	USCGS H=16 11 00.2 45.5N, 150.3E Kurilo Is. h=35Km Mag 5.7
2	Pic	o	16	32	30			
2	Grh	o	17	18	(29)			
4	Kin	o	12	23	12			
		i		24	36			
4	Kin	o	17	09	53		C	USCGS H=17 05 20 55.8S, 4.4W Bouvot Is. region h=33Km mag5.4
		i		11	31			
	Pic	o			36			
5	Kin	iP	11	19	33	34°		USCGS H=11 12 52 55.8S, 4.3W Bouvot Is. region h=33Km
5	Pic	o	11	29	21			
6	Pic	o	09	07	26			
6	Kin	i	15	46	32			
6	Pic	o	16	46	(16)			
7	Grh	i	05	50	(39)			USCGS H=05 45 29.5 4.0S, 34.9E
	Pic	iP		51	01	26°	R	Tanganyika h=33Km mag6½
		i		55	38			
	Kin	i		51	04	28°	C	
7	Grh	(e)i	07	17	(13)			
	Kin	i			13		C	
7	Pic	o	20	28	(17)			
7	Grh	e	21	14	-			
8	Kin	i	16	41	43			
		e		42	(17)			
8	Kin	iP	20	49	06	82°		USCGS H=20 36 54.1 24.2S, 69.3E Northern Chilo h=78Km Mag4.9 USCGS H=21 45 47 1.7N, 126.5E Molucca Passage h=33Km
8	Kin	i	21	54	20			
9	Kin	o	00	01	38			
		i			47			
	Pic	o		03	(17)			
9	Pic	oPKP ₁	02	22	26	154°		USCGS H=02 02 28.8 52.2N, 169.6W Andreanof Is. h=25Km Mag5.1
		i			38			
9	Kin KIM	iP	12	36	16			
		i			27			
		i			57			
	Pic	oP	12	36	25			
		i			31			
9	Kin	(o)iPKP	18	35	13	123°		USCGS H=18 16 17.5 13.7S, 166.6E New Hebrides Is. h=41Km Mag5.0 USCGS H=21 07 41.6 9.2S, 156.7E Solomon Is. region h=26Km Mag5.4
9	Kin	iPKP	21	25	52	120°		
10	Kin	i	11	51	08			
		i			19			
		i			50			
		i		52	06			
11	Kin	e	12	43	05			
		i		45	33			
	Pic	o		43	42			
12	Pic	oPKP ₁	18	35	(48)	153°		USCGS H=18 16 41.9 56.6N, 152.4W Alaska Aftershock h=10Km Mag5½
12	Grh	o	19	40	(30)			
13	Pic	e(i)	06	35	(48)			
16	Kin	iP	08	50	11	78°		USCGS H=08 38 54.0 36.3N, 71.5E Hindu Kush h=122Km Mag5.3 USCGS H=14 44 54 57.6N, 151.0W Alaska Aftershock h=33Km Mag5.4
16	Kin	iPKP ₁	15	04	43	154°		
16	Kin	oP	19	04	08			
17	Kin	iP	19	38	59	85°		USCGS H=19 26 20.6 35.2N, 35.9W North Atlantic Ocean h=33Km mag6½
17	Pic	e	19	50	(19)			
		i		20	10	(19)		
18	Grh	o	13	59	(20)			
18	Kin	iPKP	14	31	12	127°		USCGS H=14 12 10.1 21.2S, 174.5W Tonga Is. region h=33Km Mag4½
18	Grh	o	18	26	44			
19	Kin	iPKP ₁	15	57	29	153°	R	USCGS H=15 37 35.9 57.0N, 152.8W Alaska Aftershock h=25Km Mag4.9

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Date	Station	Phase	h. G.	m. M.	s. T.	Arc Dist	C/ R	Remarks.
19	Pie	o(i)	23	22	(19)			
19	Grh	e	23	54	(49)			
20	Kim	iPKP ₁	05	52	05	152°	R	USCGS H=05 32 13.7 58.0N, 149.6W Alaska Aftershock h=20Km Mag4.9
21	Kim	oPKP ₁	15	55	44	151°		USCGS H=15 36 01.5 59.0N, 153.5W Alaska Aftershock h=15Km Mag 6.0
23	Kim	e	20	16	29			
		i			38			
		i			47			
		i		17	19			
25	Kim	e	15	54	06			
25	Kim	iP	19	54	31	63°		USCGS H=19 44 07 9.1S, 88.9E Indian Ocean h=33Km Mag5.5
26	Grh	i	11	06	03			USCGS H=10 59 12.3 56.2S, 27.8W
	Pie	iP		07	42	48°	R	Sandwich Is. h=120Km Mag7½
27	Kim	iP	01	04	53	45°	C	USCGS H=00 56 42.556.1S, 27.6W
	Pie	iP		05	(17)	48°	R	Sandwich Is. h=105Km Mag5.6
27	Kim	(e)iP	06	39	09	44°	R	USCGS H=06 30 57.7 56.2S, 27.4W Sandwich Is. h=116Km Mag5.8
28	Kim	i	13	42	34		R	
28	Kim	iPKP ₁	16	37	53	153°	R	USCGS H=16 18 04.2 58.3N, 150.6W Alaska Aftershock h=25Km Mag5.4
30	Kim	i	13	39	15			
30	Pie	e	14	50	(18)			
31	Pie	i	00	01	43			
31	Grh	e	00	59	02			
	Pie	i			40		R	
	Kim	(e)i			44			

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Date	Station	Phase	h. G.	m. M.	s. T.	Arc Dist	C/R	Remarks.
1	Kim	i	07	06	51		C	
2	Kim	e	07	01	53			
2	Kim	iP	07	04	27	93°	C	USCGS H=06 50 58.2 4.1S, 76.9W N. Peru Mag 6.2 h=1Km
7	Pie	e	19	11	(11)			
8	Pie	e	03	07	(41)			
10	Kim	iP	15	58	33	69°	R	USCGS H=15 47 49.3 36.2N, 49.1E Western Iran Mag 5.3 h=28Km
13	Kim	e	15	56	17			
16	Pie	eP	22	53	40	69°		USCGS H=22 40 44 1.0N, 118.8E Borneo Mag 6.7 h=33Km
17	Pie	e(i)P	08	30	19	114°		USCGS H=08 15 39.3 5.7S, 150.7E
	Kim	iPKP		34	24	119°		New Britain region Mag 7.2 h=45Km
	Grh	e(i)PP		35	(11)	116°		
17	Kim	i	08	44	46			
	Pie	e		45	05			
18	Kim	i	14	54	23			
18	Pie	e	15	03	(08)			
18	Kim	ePKP	22	40	07	119°		USCGS H=22 21 01.9 20.2S, 174.1W Tonga Is. Mag 5.8 h=33Km
	Pie	e	23	22	(38)			USCGS H=23 35 06 6.0S, 150.8E
19	Pie	e	23	50	08			New Britain region Mag 6.2 h=3Km
	Kim	i		54	45			
	Kim	i		53	58			
20	Kim	i	00	04	19			
	Grh	e(i)			(21)			
23	Pie	i	20	07	03		R	
	Kim	e		08	32			
		i			(40)			
24	Pie	iP	10	53	06	75°	C	USCGS H=10 41 33.5 6.8S, 107.4E
	Kim	iP			32	80°		Java Mag 6.0 h=125Km
24	Pie	e(i)P	12	54	37	100°		USCGS H=12 40 51.4 13.1N, 124.7E
	Kim	iPP		59	19	105°		Luzon Philippine Is. Mag 6.1 h=5Km.
28	Kim	iP	16	53	35	92°	R	USCGS H=16 41 33.4 7.7S, 71.2W Western Brazil Mag 5.4 h=26Km
28	Kim	iP	17	01	31	92°	R	USCGS H=16 49 30.3 8.0S, 71.4W Western Brazil Mag 5.6 h=55Km
29	Grh	eP	12	39	28	103°		USCGS H=12 26 29.6 4.6N, 77.6W West Coast of Columbia Mag 4.3 h=44Km
		i	13	00	-			
30	Kim	eP	12	35	57	74°		USCGS H=12 24 09 6.2N, 93.7E Nicobar Is region h=33Km
30	Pie	e(i)	12	38	36			
	Kim	(e)i		39	23			

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31st May, 1965.

December, 1964.			h.	m.	s.	Arc	C/R	Remarks.
Date	Station	Phase	G.	M.	T.	Dist		
1	Kim	e	23	42	00			
		i		45	51		(R)	
1	Pic	e	23	48	07			
		i			28			
2	Kim	ePKP ₁	13	38	06	155°	(R)	USCGS H=13 18 29 53.8N, 165.4W Fox Is. Mag 5.0 h=35Km
		i			40			
3	Kim	iP	03	57	40	42°		USCGS H=03 50 01.2 15.0S, 66.8E
	Grh	eP			(48)	41°		Mid - Indian Rise Mag 6.1 h46Km
	Pic	ePP			58 (06)	37°		
		i	04	07	(36)			
7	Kim	i	09	17	27		R	
7	Kim	i	09	27	45			
7	Pic	e	09	52	(06)			
8	Kim	e	10	14	25			
9	Kim	iP	13	46	29	74°	R	USCGS H=13 35 42.4 27.5S, 63.2W
	Pic	eP			52	80°		Santiago del Estero Province Argentino Mag 6 h586Km
10	Kim	i	13	23	12			
10	Kim	iP	15	30	06	126°	C	USCGS H=15 11 05.5 40.4N, 138.9E
	Pic	ePP			31 (35)	124°		Eastern Sea of Japan Mag 7 h=33Km
12	Kim	e	10	31	22			
		i			26			
13	Kim	iPKP ₁	00	52	56	146°		USCGS H=00 33 24.7 64.9N, 165.7W Alaska Mag 6 h=15Km
13	Pic	i	02	05	(16)			
14	Grh	e(i)	02	04	07			USCGS H=01 59 05.6 54.3S, 2.4W
	Kim	iP			05 26	33°	R	South Atlantic Ridge h=33Km
15	Kim	iPKP	12	32	06	120°		USCGS H=12 13 25.8 14.7N, 91.7W Guatemala Mag 5.4 h=118Km
15	Kim	i	13	34	13			
18	Kim	i	00	04	36		C	
18	Pic	i	00	10	08		C	
21	Kim	e	14	09	14			
		i			20			
21	Pic	e(i)	14	15	02			
21	Kim	iPKP ₂	18	51	28	147°	R	USCGS H=18 32 03 63.1N, 50.3W Central Alaska Mag 4.8 h111Km
22	Kim	iP	00	36	50	90½°	C	USCGS H=00 24 48.7 9.5S, 71.3W Peru-Brazil border region Mag 5.3 h=614Km
22	Kim	eP	04	47	05	64°		USCGS H=04 36 34.7 28.2N, 57.0E
		i			10			Southern Iran Mag 5.5 h42Km
	Pic	eP			49 (02)	62°		
22	Grh	e	05	10	(27)			
22	Kim	eP	08	14	54	101°		USCGS H=08 01 12.6 18.4N, 68.8W Mona Passage Mag 6.0 h115Km
22	Kim	e	21	13	28			
		i			14 23			
22	Kim	iPKP ₁	21	54	10	153°		USCGS H=21 34 21.1 51.4N, 177.9W Andreanof Is. Mag 4.6 h65Km
22	Pic	e	22	08	(02)			
23	Kim	iP	05	55	08	46°		USCGS H=05 46 45 59.4S, 26.9W South Sandwich Is. region Mag 6.0 h=23Km
24	Kim	iPPP	02	20	21	64°		USCGS H=02 06 05 28.1N, 57.4E Southern Iran h33Km
24	Kim	iPKP	19	04	29	120°	C	USCGS H=18 45 45.5 4.4S, 153.3E New Ireland region Mag 6.1 h93Km
24	Kim	e	23	50	19			
		i			38		R	

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Date	Station	Phase	h. G.	m. M.	s. T.	Arc Dist	C/ R	Remarks.
25	Kim	iP	09	00	59	85°	R	USCGS H=08 48 37.7 18.8S, 69.0W Northern Chile. Mag5.1 h117Km
25	Kim	i	18	28	48		R	
26	Kim	iPKP	14	49	28	140°	R	USCGS H=14 30 29.1 51.8N, 156.8E Kamchatka. Mag5.7 h136Km
26	Kim	i	14	53	30		R	
28	Kim	iPKP	16	34	04	124°	R	USCGS H=16 16 11 22.1S, 179.6W South of Fiji Is. Mag6.1 h611Km
28	Pie	e	16	39	30			
28	Kim	i	21	14	09		R	
29	Kim	iPKP ₂	06	59	02	154°	R	USCGS H=06 39 08 51.5N, 174.8W Andreanof Is. Mag5.3 h33Km
29	Kim	iPKP ₂	10	29	44	154°	R	USCGS H=10 09 42.4 51.8N, 175.1W Andreanof Is. Mag4.4 h76Km
30	Pie	e	13	57	34			
31	Kim	iP	16	28	30	65°	C	USCGS H=16 18 01.7 35.8N, 25.6E Crete. Mag5.1 h86Km

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