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$\phi = 61^{\circ}12' N.$ $\lambda = 48^{\circ}11' W.$ $h = 20 m.$

Lithologic Foundation: Gneiss.

Instruments: WIECHERT 1000 Kg. Horizontal Seismograph.
WIECHERT 1300 Kg. Vertical Seismograph.

Constants:

Component	T	v	r	V
	sec		mm	
N	8.8	3.6	0.3	180
E	8.9	4.1	0.4	215
Z	5.1	3.3	0.1	195

No.	Date	Hour	Forerunners				L	Undef.	△	Remarks
			P		S					
	1937									
	Jan.		m s	m s	m s	m s	h m	h m o		
1	7	6					.9			
2 ^x	7 ^x	13	32 45	42 33	35.7	37 40	.9		77 China	
3	19	22					47			
4	23	11					.8			
5	25	7					.5		Strong microseisms.	
	Feb.									
6	1	10					.2			
7	5	6					21			
8	7	5					5			
9 ^x	21 ^x	7	14 11	23 41 ^x	24 7	29.0	34		74 Pacific Ocean.	
10	21	7	38 7							
11	21	11					.5			
12	22	3					.5			
13	22	5					.3		Faint.	
14	22	13		45.1			1.0		Pacific Ocean.	
15	23	0		69 14			79		Puncertain, possibly 59 ^m 47 ^s . Pacific Ocean.	
	Mar.									
16 ^x	9 ^x	15	50 17	58 25	53.9		1.1		59 Panama.	
17	10	5					.3			
18	14	12	8 34	119 13	19 1	19 40			87 SS 24 ^m .8. Chile.	
19	17	14					.5			
20	19	19					.1			
21	22	10					46		Small.	
22	22	11					10		"	
23	22	11					35		"	
24	22	11					50		"	
25	22	13					17		"	
26	24	1					.8			
27	25	17					15			
28	26	21					.6			

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			P		S											
			m	s	m	s	m	s	m	s	h	m	h	m	o	
29 ^x	1937 Apr. 5 ^x	7					16	49	22	35		45				New Guinea. No records 12 ^d 13 ^h to 15 ^d 19 ^h . Pacific Ocean. Greenland Sea. Atlantic Ocean.
30 ^x	16 ^x	3					19	59	120	6						
31	21	21	58	2								65				
32	29	18	13	42				15	8	15	26	16				
33	29	18										52				
34 ^x	29 ^x	19	1	54	9	18	3	8	11.7			16	52			Alaska.
35	29	20	29	48	38	46 ^x							68			Japan.
36	May 1	16										0				
	4	5	16	55	24	10	27.6					31	51			P-.S small, uncertain. Alaska.
38	9	14	58	17	67	43	68	0				80	73			P and S small. South of Kurile Islands.
39	13	9									.8					
40	21	13	22	44	31.0								61			
41	28	15	45	8	52	36	45.8						56			P+. Mexico. Depth ca. 160 km. e _{N,E} 18 ^m 10 ^s 55 ^s .
42	28	20					10	28	12	25		.6				
43	31	16														
44	June 2	1										26				
45	8	18	11	46												P+.
46 ^x	8 ^x	22	38	54	46.3		39	38	47	37			55			Mexico.
47	13	23	33	45	41.9							57				"
48	14	14									.3					
49	21	15	24	54	34	2	34	35	38.7			43	70			Peru. P+. No N and E records 23 ^d 21 ^h -24 ^d 12 ^h .
50	24	13	21	40	29.8						.6		59			Off Costa Rica.
51	24	13	23	32	31.6								59			" " "
52	24	20	5	42	10	25	6	12				12	27			S not clearly marked, possibly earlier than read. Atlantic Ocean.
53	26	18												28		
54	28	20									.5					
55	July 1	6										31				
56	1	12					8.8	18.3	.8							24 ^m .1.
57	2	2					56.2	58.1	1.5							No records 2 ^d 13 ^h -6 ^d 16 ^h .
58	11	14									.4					
59	11	17					42.5					49				
60	14	22					51	30				70				
61	16	10					41	43								
62	19	10									.7					
63 ^x	19 ^x	19	145	57	154	35	46	39	47	14	1.0		68			Ecuador.
64 ^x	22 ^x	17	117	13	23	22	18	46	25.7			27	40			Alaska.
65	23	0										12				
66	23	7									.6					
67	24	2									.2					
68	24	9										22				
69	24	16									.7					
70	25	11									.9					
71	25	13										35				
72 ^x	26 ^x	3	156	30	164	2	56	54	59	37			1.0	55		Small preceding movement. Mexico. Depth ca. 80 km.

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			P		S									
			m	s	m	s	m	s	h	m	h	m	o	
	1937													
	July													
73	26	20	8	47						38				No N or E records.
74	28	11								2				
75	30	15								.2				
76	31	20					58	34		62.5				1.3
	Aug.													
77	1	11					3	49						
78	2	15												Small preceding movement.
79	4	22												
80	5	0								1.5				
81	5	15								4.2	14.0			15 ^m .0; 15 ^m .4.
82	10	16												
83 ^x	11 ^x	1					113	45		15	36			Deep focus. Off Java.
84	17	13					33	26						
85 ^x	20 ^x	12					17	38		23	26			Luzon. Small preceding movement.
86	24	18												
87	24	20												
88	24	23												
89	26	19								.6				
90	31	15								.0				
	Sept.													
91	1	9												
92	3	18	58	13	66	18 ^x	66	33	67	3			58	Deeper than normal. Aleutian Islands.
93	4	6												Small preceding movement.
94 ^x	8 ^x	1												South Atlantic.
95	15	12					0.3		5	17 ^x		27		e _N 64 ^m .9. Solomon Islands region. Beginning of record disturbed.
							58	24	60.4					L' of preceding shock?
96	15	14												P small, uncertain. Off Guatemala.
97	15	23					66	16						
98	17	10								.5				
99	20	7	13	48	21.8						35			P possibly 10 ^s earlier than read. Off Mexico.
100	21	10								.6				
101	22	4								.1				
102	23	13					24	54	26	37				e _N 35 ^m .8. e _N 36 ^m 37 ^s . Solomon Islands.
103	25	4	34	43	38	45							23	L small. Atlantic Ocean.
104	27	9					14	12	17.5					e _N 22 ^m .8. Java.
105	28	6								.8				Small preceding movement.
	Oct.													
106	5	6									49			Very strong microseisms. Mexico.
107	6	9					64	33	60	28				Solomon Islands.
108	6	17							25	21	35.3			
109	6	22												
110	12	21	3	34			4	5	14	12				SKS 13 ^m 56 ^s . e _N 15 ^m .0. Chile.

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			P		S					
	1937									
	Oct.		m s	m s	m . s	m s	h m	h m	o	
111	23	18					1			
112	24	11	44 25	51 14	54.4		57		P quite small, uncertain. Alaska.	
113	29	7	37 26	46.4						
	Nov.									
114	10	7					.7			
115	13	11					.1			
116	13	19					.3			
117 ^x	14 ^x	11	9 4	i18 5	i10 3	i10 27		73	Faint. Afghanistan.	
118	15	22					.2		No records 20 ^d 12 ^h to 24 ^d 20 ^h .	
119	25	5					.9			
120	27	20					.4		Small preceding movement.	
121	28	5			43.8	51.0	1.5			
122	30	1					.6			
123	30	13			20 42					
	Dec.									
124	8	8			56 20		1.3			
125	12	9					.2			
126	13	19					.6			
127	13	23						14		
128	17	10					.3		Faint. Strong microseisms.	
129	18	13					.8		Pz recorded, but reading uncertain.	
130	22	3	47 41	55 32	51 1	62 6	67	57	SS 59 ^m .6. P small, uncertain. Off Mexico.	
131	22	8					7			
132 ^x	23 ^x	13	i27 46	35 50	30 0	37 49		59	Mexico.	
133	30	11					27			
134	31	18					.2		Strong microseisms.	

^x affixed to number and date refers to Notes.

^x affixed to time of phase indicates that beginning of phase is in time-mark.

Notes

- No. 2. Jan. 7. 13^h. China. P_Z 32^m45^s; i_Z 32^m58^s. PP 35^m.7; PPP 37^m40^s. $e_{N,E}$ 42^m33^s; i_E 42^m51^s, large.
- No. 9. Febr. 21. 7^h. Pacific Ocean. e_P 14^m11^s, condensation. e_Z 14^m54^s. e_S 23^m41^s, in time-break; e_N 23^m59^s larger. e_Z 24^m7^s. e_E 26^m10^s. SS 29^m.0.
- No. 16. March 9. 15^h. Panama. P possibly 2 sec. later than read. S small, not clearly marked; followed by larger movement, probably other phases.
- No. 29. April 5. 7^h. New Guinea; $\Delta =$ ca. 120°. PP_{N,Z} 16^m49^s, e_Z 18^m7^s. SKS_N 22^m35^s; SKKS_N 23^m.5. PS_{N,Z} 26^m.6; e_E 27^m.2; PPS_{N,E} 28^m8^s. SS 33^m.0. L_Q 45^m, L_R 53^m.
- No. 30. April 16. 3^h. Pacific Ocean. The following interpretation is based on the Pasadena travel-time curve, 1936, for a focal depth of 400 km. For the epicentral distance 128° there is a rough agreement with the curves. P'_Z 19^m59^s, quite small; i_Z 20^m6^s, rather large. PP'_Z 21^m44^s. PP 22^m7^s. e_Z 22^m.9. pPP 23^m25^s, large on E. sPP 24^m26^s. PPP 25^m.0. e 26^m.0. SKS 26^m42^s, large on E. e_E 27^m7^s. pSKS 28^m30^s. S or sSKS 29^m.6, large on N. SP or SKSP 31^m.6. SPP 33^m.1. pSP 33^m.5. e_E 35^m26^s, e 36^m.6. SS 38^m.6 and sSS 41^m.0 large. SSS_E 44^m.1. L small.
- No. 34. April 29. 19^h. Alaska. P 1^m54^s. $P_c P_N$ 3^m8^s. e_{S_N} 9^m18^s, $i_{S_E Z}$ 9^m23^s. PS 9^m37^s. e_N 10^m1^s. $S_c S$ 11^m.7. SS 13^m.6.
- No. 46. June 8. 22^h. Mexico. Depth 190 km. P 38^m54^s; pP 39^m38^s; PPP 42^m.2. S 46^m.3; sS 47^m37^s. e_N 52^m.0.
- No. 63. July 19. 19^h. Ecuador. Depth about 170 km. i_{P_Z} 45^m57^s, condensation. pP 46^m39^s. e_Z 47^m14^s. i_S 54^m35^s. e 55^m32^s, 46^s.
- No. 64. July 22. 17^h. Alaska. i_P 17^m13^s, dilatation; e 17^m21^s larger. PP 18^m46^s; e 52^s. e_Z 19^m53^s. S 23^m22^s, clearly marked on N and Z; on Z preceded by increase of movement. e 23^m51^s. 25^m.7; 26^m.4.
- No. 72. July 26. 3^h. Mexico. Depth about 80 km. i_P 56^m30^s. pP 56^m54^s. e_E 57^m19^s. PP 59^m37^s. e 60^m.4. i_S 64^m2^s. e 64^m.8. e_E 66^m11^s; 53^s. 68^m.6.
- No. 83. Aug. 11. 1^h. Off Java; $\Delta =$ ca. 125°. Depth about 600 km. i_Z 13^m45^s, quite small; i_Z 13^m47^s larger. Later phases not clearly marked. e 15^m36^s. 17^m5^s. 21^m.6. 24^m.8. 27^m.3, 28^m.6.

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- No. 85. Aug. 20. 12^h. Luzon; $\Delta = \text{ca. } 110^\circ$. PP 17^m38^s. SKS 23^m26^s.
SKKS 24^m 1^s. PS 26^m13^s. PPS 26^m.9. e_E 30^m56^s. SS
32^m26^s. SSS 37^m.3.
- No. 94. Sept. 8. 1^h. South Atlantic; $\Delta = \text{ca. } 115^\circ$. Deeper than normal.
e_{N,Z} 0^m.3. e_N 5^m17^s, 6^m36^s. e_{N,Z} 9^m29^s. SS 16^m.0.
L_Q 27^m, L_R 33^m.
- No. 117. Nov. 14. 11^h. Afghanistan. Depth about 220 km. eP 9^m 4^s,
iP 9^m 6^s. e_{N,E} 9^m48^s. iP 10^m 3^s, iSP 10^m27^s.
e 11^m20^s. PP 11^m48^s. PPP 13^m24^s. e 14^m45^s. iS 18^m 5^s.
SP 18^m43^s. sS 19^m.5. e_E 20^m31^s. SS 22^m.5.
- No. 132. Dec. 23. 13^h. Mexico. Phases large and clearly marked. P
27^m46^s, condensation. PP 30^m 0^s, PPP 31^m 1^s. e
31^m26^s. S 35^m50^s. S_cS 37^m49^s.