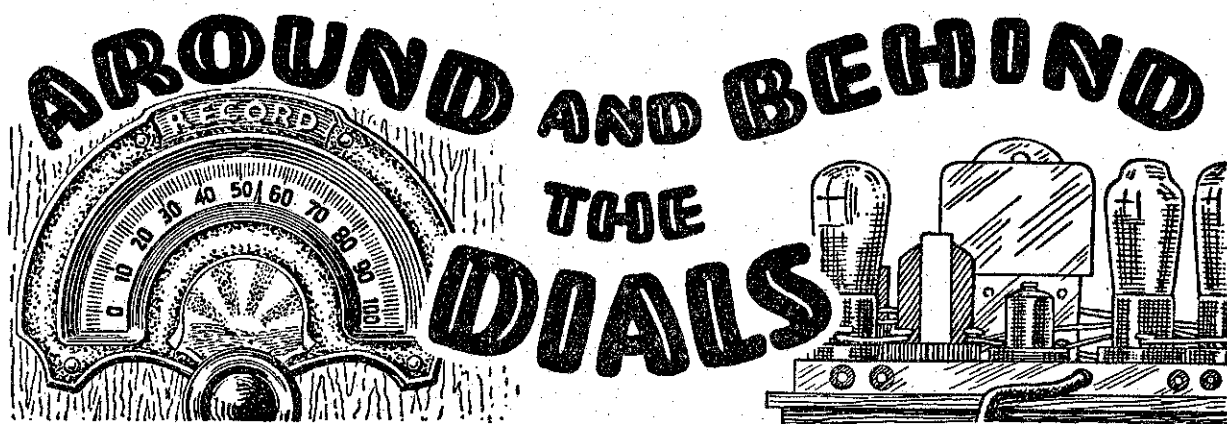




Answers to Correspondents

"Digger" (Pukeroro): Many thanks. Offer accepted.

"Digger" (Pukeroro): I was the "someone" that logged XEYZ. I heard KTM close down at 11.30 p.m. and JOPK at 12.20 a.m., but could still hear another station coming through. I held it until 1.17 a.m. when it faded out. All singing and speech was in Spanish or Mexican. On looking up a call-book, I saw XEYZ listed as being on 780 k.c., so wrote asking if it was them I had heard.

DX Club Meetings

Auckland.

In room 52, 5th floor, Lewis Eady's Buildings, Queen St., at 7.45 p.m. on Wednesday, November 7.

A. G. CONCHIE (241A.),
(Corresponding Sec.).

South Canterbury.

At the Secretary's residence, 35 Bowker St., at 7.45 p.m. on Wednesday, November 7.

D. N. ADAMS (2HQ.),
(Branch Sec.).

Wellington

In room 15, 3rd floor "Dominion" Building, Wakefield St., at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, November 13.

F. J. REEVES (157W.),
(Branch Sec.).

Manawatu

At 157 Bryant St., at 8 p.m. on Thursday, November 15.

C. J. MORGAN (143W.),
(Branch Sec.).

Napier

At the club rooms, G. T. Herd's premises, corner of Carlyle and Faraday Streets, at 7.45 p.m. on Monday, November 12.

A. BRIMER (151H.B.),
(Branch Sec.).

Hawke's Bay

In the club room at the premises of Mr. L. Beachen, next Annand's, Waipukurau, at 7.30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 14. Members are reminded that the "A" and "B" trophies will be decided at this meeting.

L. W. MATHIE (11H.B.),
(Branch Sec.).

DX CLUB News and Views

A Challenge to "Cleveland": Midnight Americans Excellent: A "Pirate" Broadcaster: Some Mystery Stations: VK3CH Would Like Reports: Chinese Stations Good.

Perhaps you could help me identify this station?

[The latest "Radex" lists XEYZ as being on 780 k.c. with 10 kw. Address:—Angel M. Diez, Ave. Juarez 48, Mexico City, D.F.—Ed.]

"Tiny" (Palmerston North): I have a verification from 6BY when they were using 50 watts. They have since increased their power to 68 watts. 92S (Invercargill): Would you be kind enough to give me the date and frequency you logged VK4LW, as I think this is the station I have heard several times—164A (Morrinsville).

Identification Wanted

American station on approximately 1410 k.c. heard on Monday morning, October 29, between 2 and 2.30 a.m., on a Mexican programme, similar to that often heard from KFOX or KFVD. All announcements were in a foreign language.—164A (Morrinsville).

Stations Identified

70T (Niho Niho): Your station on 312 metres is XEAW and the American on 322 m. is KROW.—164A (Morrinsville).

DX Topics

Midnight Americans Excellent.

MIDNIGHT Americans have greatly improved, and about 15 were heard on October 30. XEPN, WLW, WTAM, WLS, and KMOX were at local strength, and KFBI, KFAB, KFVR and WNAX provided good signals. WMBD and stations on 740, 780, 890, 900, 920, 1110, and 1410 were fair.

Another Canadian on 840, proved to be CROT, but needed gentle persuasion at times before the call was heard. A station on 850 was heard at 6.40 p.m. on October 30, but 2YC spoilt further recep-

To Waikato Dxers

Will all members of the above branch, living in or near Cambridge, Hamilton, Morrinsville or Te Awamutu, and who wish to form an active branch of the Club in this district, please write me signifying their willingness to co-operate with me to that end?

Also, send along your notes, etc., to reach me by the 16th of each month, for inclusion in our monthly report for the "Times."

E. A. MORRICE (23A.),

C/o Calvert's,

Cambridge.

tion. KFWB was also heard at 6.30 p.m. at good strength.

Latest verifications include WDAG and XEMO who gives his present power as 1k.w. Correspondence should be addressed to XEMO, P.O. Box 202 San Diego, Cal.

Receiver in use is 7-valve, A.C. commercial.—157W. (Wellington).

A Challenge to "Cleveland."

I READ in the "Radio Record," dated October 26 that "Cleveland" has logged 188 stations and received 141 QSL's in six months.

I would like to issue "Cleveland" a friendly challenge. I have had my set six weeks and have logged 178 stations, so far I have only 30 QSL's.—"Le Inconnu" (Waipawa).

A "Pirate" Broadcaster.

I LISTENED to a station on 1230 k.c. on September 21 and heard him give his call as 3AH. I also heard the name A. R. White given. I duly reported to Mr. White and received a reply back saying that he had never operated on the 200m. band and that it must have been a "pirate" using his call and name. He also stated that he had heard of this "pirate" before but had never been able to locate him. He is only a 5-watt station, and is situated in the desert thirty

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