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last season. My latest verifications are
Kosice, Brussels No. 2, XEMO, 5MU,
WBT and JOXK after 18 months.—
186W (Wellington).

Reception Improving.

RECEPTION seems to be improving
in Hastings. Some of the stations
heard are KMJ, KTAR, WSM, WEAF,
WMAQ, WOCO, CMQ, WWL, KQW,
KWKH, WOAI, KOH. Verifications, to
hand are 2TM, WIBW, KOH, KQW,
KFBK, 100-watter. My only report
sent is CMQ, Havana, Cuba, which I
heard on April 28. Another verification
to arrive is JOXK (18 months), so there

is still hope for other members who have
him overdue.—"Trutime" (Hastings).

Americans Audible from 4.30 p.m.

ALTHOUGH QRN is still severe, re-
ception is much improved. From
4.30 p.m., the Americans are audible,
some of them being at good strength.
Stations heard are WOAI, WHO, WLW,
WOCO, WHAS, WWL, WLAC, WSMB,
WCKY, KFI, KPO, KDKA, KOA,
KNX, KSL, KMOX, KVOO, KFOK,
KFAC, KOMA, KGB, KDYL, KGMB,
KWK, XEPN, XENT and LR3. Recent
verifications are JOXK and W9XBY and
COC on shortwave.—157W (Wellington).

"Lone Star" Ladder

1—D. N. Adams (2HQ) 17
KFVS, WAZL, WCAC, WCRW,
WHDL, WHBY, WJAK, WKBO,
WHEH, WHBU, WGBB, WMBO,
KCKX, WHAD, WLVA (U.S.A.);
LV1 (Argentina); XEAB (Mexico).

2—Ken Graham (38HB) 13
KFGQ (U.S.A.); LS9, LSS, LST, LRI,
LV5, LVB, LV3 (Argentina);
CX28, CX46 (Uruguay); VK3XL
(Australia); FBR.

3—J. R. Bain (217W) 7
WALR, WBTM, WROL (U.S.A.);
CKPR (Canada); ZTC (S. Africa);
RXKR (s.s. City of Panama);
XETP (Mexico).

4—A. Maule (37T) 7
VK's 2DS, 2BK, 2FR, 2SS, 6AW
(Aust.); CJCG (Canada); TSI
(U.S.A.).

5—S. R. Ellis (5T) 7
CNRO, CNRA, CNRS (Canada);
WGUU, W6ABR, KFQU, KFWC
(U.S.A.).

6—F. Carr (150W) 7
WNBH, WPCB (U.S.A.); VK's 4YC,
4LJ, 4WJ (Aust.); CJGX, CRCS
(Canada).

7—J. E. Downes (130Ot.) 3
KGDE, KBPS (U.S.A.); VK4NW
(Aust.).

8—"Omsk" 2
CKFC (Canada); LS11 (Argentina).

9—A. D. Talbot (6MC) 2
WHEP, KGFG (U.S.A.).

10—W. R. Free (226W) 2
KARK, WHBL (U.S.A.).

11—F. C. J. Cook (186W) 2
XBYZ (Mexico); Kiev (U.S.S.R.).

S. Robson (1HQ), VK2JC (Aust.);
"Bulova", WGCP (U.S.A.); A. H.
Rear (26W), VK3OR (Aust.);
"Lofty", Pees (Hungary); G. H.
Law (210A), LSTP5 (Siam).

Eliminators

1—T. H. Bassett (115W) 43
KGCM, KGFF, KRGV, WIEVD,
WAAM, WMAS, WWSW, WCAJ,
WCAD, WOCL, WOS, WPRO,
KKRO, KPCC, WCLO, WCDA,
WFDL, WHBD, WTRC, WKBI,
WIBX, WCLS, WJBI, WJBC,
WAIB, WFBP, WSVS, KGEZ,
KUT WIL (U.S.A.); CHBC, CRCV
(Canada); Berlin, Gleiwitz (Ger-
many); 2GP, VK's 3HB, 2BV
(Aust.); VUL (India); Florence
(Italy); Paris (France); Algiers
(N. Africa); XEH (Mexico); EAJ7
(Spain).

2—"Digger" 35
KGIX, KGBI, KOAC, KFQD,
WJLN, WASH, WAVE, WOBV,
WIBG, WEND, WIBU, WTAD,
WRDO, WHDH, WHAZ (U.S.A.);
CJRW, CKCR, CFCA, CHNS
(Canada); XEPI, XEPC (Mexico);
XOPP, XQHE (China); CMK
(Cuba); LR9 (Argentina); YV3BC
(Venezuela); VK's 2AQ, 2CM, 3CL
(Australia); Belgrade, Ljubljana
(Yugoslavia); Huizen (Holland);
Sundsvall (Sweden); Dresden (Ger-
many); Magyarovar (Hungary).

3—S. Robson (1HQ) 14
WABZ, WOMT, WMBC, KREG,
WQDM, WOY, WKAQ, WEHC
(U.S.A.); Vipuri (Finland);
VK2UX, VK2AJ, 6IX (Australia);
CFRB, CKNC (Canada).

4—D. N. Adams (2HQ) 14
KFXR, WHA, KIDW, WOOD,
WJAC, WFAM, WVAE, WRUF
(U.S.A.); XEJ (Mexico); JOIK,
JOJK, JOKE, JOQK (Japan); Bres-
lau (Germany).

5—F. Carr (150W) 11
KGFI, WKBH, WAAF, WEDC,
KXL, WCBM (U.S.A.); CHLP,
CRCT, CHGS, CRCO (Canada);
CX26 (Uruguay).

6—A. Maule (37T) 9
KFON, KSD, KSAT, WLBG
(U.S.A.); COMK (China); VK2BK
(Aust.); CFQC (Canada); JOKE
(Japan); Brussels 2 (Belgium).

7—C. J. Morgan (143W) 8
WLBI, WNBQ, KICA, WRBX
(U.S.A.); VK2RJ (Australia); ZTD,
ZTU (S. Africa); LTI (Argentina).

8—"Bulova" 7
WNBX, WGBC, WEW, WAIU,
WBOQ, WBBC (U.S.A.); XEN
(Mexico).

9—"The Southlander" 6
VK's 3HK, 3GZ, 4JN, 3KE, 3CB,
3WE (Australia).

10—N. Jenkins (22W) 4
VK4EW (Aust.); WSMK, KFDY
(U.S.A.); Bisamberg (Austria).

11—A. D. Talbot (6MC) 3
WBNX, WPAD (U.S.A.); XHHG
(China).

12—L. G. Hopkins (164A) 3
CKY, CKWX (Canada); WBSO
(U.S.A.).

13—F. C. J. Cook (186W) 2
JOFB (Japan); Naples (Italy).

14—F. C. Johnston (130W) 2
Cairo (Egypt); Copenhagen (Den-
mark).

15—S. R. Ellis (5T) 2
WILL (U.S.A.); CMC (Cuba).

16—F. J. Reeves (157W) 2
Nyiregyhaza (Hungary); VK4WI
(Aust.).

17—"Oxshaw" 2
Hamburg (Germany); Rabat (Mor-
occo).

18—W. L. McSwigan (63S) 2
XHER (China); VK7BQ (Aust.).
"Ariel," JOCK (Japan); G. E.
Bott (99HB), WSXO (U.S.A.); C.A.
Cox (275A), Pecamp (France); A.
Martin (332W), VK2WS (Aust.); L.
M. Anderson (32T), WSYR (U.S.A.);
H. Vine (122MO), VK7LJ (Aust.).

Double Claims

KPCB, WMBI, WRVA, WTMJ,
WWNC, KTFX, WJSV, WAAW,
WQAM, KTAB, WPTF, WTAR,
WBBC, WMRG, WSUI, KWSC,
KALE, WEEL, WCFL, WRBN,
WHBC, WJJD, WOWO, WHN
(U.S.A.); LR3, LTB (Argentina);
Budapest (Hungary); JOHK
(Japan); Lyons (France); Graz
(Austria); ZBW (China).