

AROUND AND BEHIND THE DIALS.

Voting Closes on Thursday, June 2

THIS is the last time that a voting coupon for the N.Z. DX Club Advisory Board election will appear in the "Radio Record," so all members who have not yet voted should fill in the coupon and post it to the Secretary, N.Z. DX Club, P.O. Box 1680, Wellington, without delay. All votes must reach the secretary by Thursday, June 2.

The result of the ballot will be published in June, as also will a voting coupon for the presidential election, the result of which will be published in July.

Three of the nominees are members of the present Advisory Board, and the other two, while they have not previously served on the board, are well-known to club members for their work on behalf of the N.Z. DX Club and its members.

Those nominated for election to the Advisory Board which will hold office from July 1, 1938, till June 30, 1939, are Messrs. C. A. Cox, F. Hutchings, L. W. Mathie, A. J. Maule and R. A. Roycroft.

The following is a resume of the activities of the nominees:—

C. A. Cox (DX275A.) has been a member of the N.Z. DX Club for nearly five years; was elected president of the club in 1937; attended the first Advisory Board meeting, held in Auckland in August, 1937; has a verified log of over 500 broadcast band stations with which he has won many certificates and trophies in headquarters and Auckland branch competitions; is vice-president of the Auckland branch; frequently contributes articles to the "Radio Times" and "Radio Record."

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F. Hutchings (DX538A.) is a comparatively new member, but, nevertheless, a keen and enthusiastic one; is a member of the Auckland branch, and has been well placed in local competitions; is Auckland district representative of the N.Z. DX Club Stamp Supply Bureau; a contributor to the "Radio Times" and "Radio Record."

L. W. Mathie (DX652A.) is now a member of the Waikato branch; was first member in Hawke's Bay; formed the Hawke's Bay branch, of which he was secretary for several years; was elected to the Advisory Board in 1935, and again in 1936 and 1937; attended the first meeting of the Advisory Board held in Auckland in August, 1937; proposed the idea of having club blazers and monograms; was an ardent advocate of the new-type club report form, and has made many other suggestions which have been of benefit to the club and its members; has been well-placed in headquarters competitions on several occasions; is a frequent contributor to the "N.Z. Radio Times."

A. J. Maule (DX37T.) has been a member of the N.Z. DX Club since 1931; became secretary of the Taranaki branch in 1934; has a log of well over 400 verified overseas broadcast band stations; won the "Radio Times" Battery Cup four times, and the "Radio Record" DX Challenge Cup once; has also won other H.Q. competitions; frequent contributor to the "N.Z. Radio Times."

R. A. Roycroft (DX222A.) joined the N.Z. DX Club in 1933; formed the Whangarei branch, which later became the Northland branch; has been secretary of the branch since its inception; was elected to the Advisory Board in 1937; attended first meeting of Advisory Board, held in Auckland in August, 1937; a frequent contributor to the "Radio Times" under his own name, his club number, and his nom-de-plume of "Bluegun"; has twice been successful in H.Q. competitions.

Addresses Wanted

"D.C. Current" (Auckland): The address of KA1MH is: Sergio Goatia, Pasay, Rizal, Philippine Islands.—"Mudlark" (Greytown).

Identification Wanted

Station on 9.450 m.c. heard on Saturday, November 6, using call "COCB, Havana, Cuba." It signed off at 4.25 p.m. with "La Golondrina" played on an organ. It was not COCB. Has any dxeer the address or any other details?—R.M. (Auckland).

Answers To Correspondents

F.N.F. (Westport): Yes, other dxers have received a card, similar to the one you describe, from VR6AY.

Stations Identified

M.F.S. (Ohura): Your station was VPD2, Suva, Fiji Islands, which operates on 31.45 metres.

224 M.C. (Ashburton): Your station was PI1J, Dordrecht, Holland, which operates on 14.166 m.c. (21.15 metres). The address is Dr. M. Hellingman, Technical College, Dordrecht, Holland.

DX Topics

He Can't Hear Them!

THE following is a list of the verifications I have received lately:—VR6AY, ON4VK, F18AC, XZ2DY, AE2FC, XE1HA, G5RV, G5OV, VE50T, VE4ZK, VE3ACK, SU1RD, OA4R, LU9BV, CX3BL, K6BJJ, VE3NB, W6LYP, W2AZ, W1KKP, W3EEE, W6NCW, W1ADM, W5DIN, VE4SS, VK6MW, VK5AF, VK3EF, VK7CM, VK2CP, VK3TL.

W3EEE wonders why he can't hear ZL's on 20-metre 'phone.—507W. (Wanganui).

Exchange of QSL Cards.

P. M. KIRWAN, of 49 Parnell Street, Dublin, Ireland, will no longer exchange QSL cards with other dxers because he is now an amateur transmitter.—103T. (Stratford).

VOTING COUPON
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ADVISORY BOARD
ELECTION

C. A. COX
F. HUTCHINGS
L. W. MATHIE
A. J. MAULE
R. A. ROYCROFT
(CROSS OUT ONE NAME)

My club number is

Signature

When this coupon has been completed it should be posted to reach the Secretary, N.Z. DX Club, P.O. Box 1680, Wellington, by Thursday, June 2.

Members who do not wish to mutilate their copies of the "Radio Record" may vote by sending in a copy of this coupon.

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