

## Addresses &amp; Addresses Wanted

**"INQUISITIVE"** (Motueka): Address of KOA is National Broadcasting Co., Inc., Denver, Colorado; and of 1ZR is c/o Lewis Eady and Sons Ltd., Queen Street, Auckland. The latter has been on the air only a few weeks.

**"AMURI"** (Invercargill): See above.

## Identification Wanted

**WHAT** station operates on 2BL's frequency? I hear the latter on 63 and the stranger on 65½ (not KWKH). On the 17th I logged WOWO on 254 metres (1180 kc.), asking for reports. He came in with splendid volume on the speaker and closed down at 8.10. N.Z.T.—A.E.W. (Waitati.)

**WHAT** Jap. operates on 334 metres (780 kc.)? I have heard this station three times in the last fortnight, but no call is given.—"Redbird" (Wellington.)

**HONOLULU** station operating on 1320 kc. (227 m.), I heard him on January 22, but though the announcer's voice was clear, I could not get the call. On the same night I logged 4BK, 1380 kc. (217 metres), at 10 p.m. They were singing their station song to the tune of "Happy Days are Here Again." I also heard 3GL, Geelong, 3WR, Wanganui, and 2AY, Albury, all at good speaker strength.—E. Trigg (Palmerston North.)

# News and Views of the D.X. CLUB

**AT** approximately midnight on the 22nd instant I heard a foreigner at 81 on the lower dial (4YA on 79). The language used was neither English nor Oriental, and during the time I listened a dialogue seemed to be taking place. This was much after the form of a church service in that a male voice spoke and was answered by what sounded to be a number of male and female voices. This continued for some time, no call being given. Reception was at good strength without much fading. 3KZ, Melbourne, was coming in at splendid strength on the same night.—"Screen-grid" (Opunake.)

**I** HEARD a new Australian B class station recently, one deg. above 3GL, Geelong. All I heard was 4BK. What is the call of the Jap. heard one night recently about 2 a.m. operating half a deg. below 2FC? Also a station on approximately 385 metres, just below 4QG, Brisbane, heard about 2 a.m. recently. Singing and talking seemed to be a mixture of Italian and American, but announcements were made in English. Would this be a Mexican station?—E.C. (Christchurch.)

[4BK, Brisbane Broadcasting Co., Brisbane. Operates on 217 metres (1380 kc.), with a power of 200 watts.—Ed.]

**STATION** operating about 2 deg. below Christchurch, heard about 11.40 p.m. on 24th instant. Items were: "By-bye Blues" and "... Blackbirds." One of these was composed by Don Bradman. The announcer remarked that recordings could be bought at a certain place, and that Bradman was willing to autograph them. Mention was also made of Anniversary Day and a river trip. Birthday greetings were given out between items. Call sign was missed through static.—"Inquisitive" (Motueka.)

**STATION** heard on January 24 at 8.10 p.m. on 1195 kc. (250 metres). Items heard: "Around the Corner," "Swinging in a Hammock," and at 9.25 a.m., "Give Yourself a Pat on the Back." Call sounded like ZRLD.—"Yankee" (N.P.).

**STATION** on 850 kc. (340 m.), heard after 11 p.m. on January 26. Either Chinese or Japanese. A lecture in foreign language was in progress and occupied a long period. Reception was quite clear. On 214 m. (1400 kc.) what appeared to be a court case was in progress.—"Listener" (Marton).

**AT** 11.55 a.m. on January 22 an American station on 2ZC, Palmerston North's, frequency, was broadcasting an

excellent programme. No call sign was given. Announcer intimated "That gift certificates would be sent on request in connection with free gift 'Outboard Motor.' Results to be announced at 6.45 next morning." He later announced humorously "That a good way to die is laughing, and in the future men will know too much to laugh."—"Wireless Bug" (Raetihi).

(The other station you heard was 2MO operating on 200 metres (1500 kc.) on a power of 50 watts. Address: M. J. Oliver, Gunnedah.—Ed.)

**ON** the morning of January 21 I located a station of 508 metres (590 kc.), one degree above 2ZK, Wanganui. Reception was very good, but he failed to state who he was. The only call he gave was "Hello, hello," and would then give the name of the next record. The session concluded at 11.30 a.m.—R.B.M. (Harmoana).

## Stations Identified

**"JACONSECK"** (Christchurch): The station on 28, 38.5, is probably KYW, San Francisco. WTAM, not "N," is the call of the Cleveland station.—"Ray Dio" (Shannon).

**"WIRELESS BUG"** (Raetihi): KNX, Hollywood, California. "Little Willie" (Timaru): KYA, San Francisco.—"Yankee" (New Plymouth).

**"JACONSECK"** (Christchurch): American 2 degrees above WTAM is probably KFKB, and the one 3 degrees below, KMOX.

**"WIRELESS BUG"** (Raetihi): The station heard broadcasting from the "Silver Slipper" Cafe is KFOX. I

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