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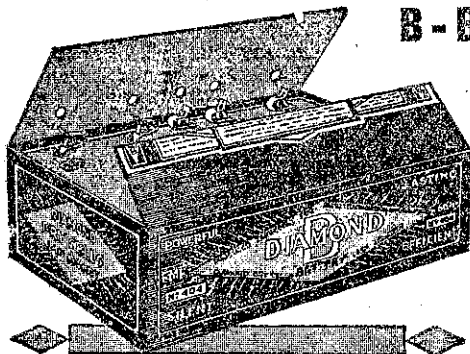
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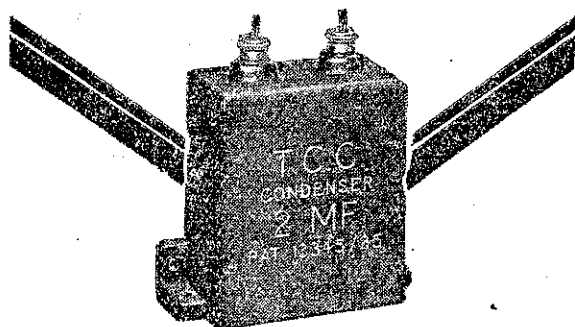


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News and Views of the DX Club

Christchurch DX Club Meeting.

The next meeting will be held on Saturday, May 21, at 8 p.m., in the Radio Society's Rooms, First Floor, Tisdall's Buildings, Cashel St. W. A good attendance is requested as a fairly comprehensive programme is to be put through. Members are requested to bring written statements on power interference and heterodyning.—E. W. Watson (secretary), Christchurch.

Answers to Correspondents

Stations Identified

139A (Kaihere): Details of the method of filling reports will be given in the next "Radio Times." Australian stamps can be obtained at your local P.O., while for American stations International Reply Paid coupons can be obtained from the same source.

67M.C. (Akaroa): No. Why not persuade someone to join?

"Digger" (Hamilton): Between 4 a.m. and 8 p.m., summer time, and 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. winter time.

132 (Auckland): 3WR replied by return mail.—"Radio" (Wgton.).

C.C.B. (Christchurch): The May "Radio Times" contains a complete official list of all N.Z. broadcast stations. A full list of Americans will appear in the next issue.

Pearl (870.C., Gore) would like to hear from members. Address letters c/o "R.R."

Identification Wanted

Station heard between 7.30 till 8.10 p.m., at R3-4, broadcasting a Salvation Army devotional service. Call sounded like KICK. "Minnesota" was mentioned.—139A (Kaihere).

Station heard from 5.30 to 6 a.m. on 1145 k.c. (262m.), on April 21. Man was speaking in a foreign tongue. Also a station on approx. 625 k.c. (480m.). A man speaking in what sounded like Indian.—55W. (Wellington).

Could anyone confirm my reception of KFBI, Kansas, after 11 p.m. on May 8? A doctor was lecturing on surgery.—S.O.N. (Auckland).

Station heard between 5.30 and 5.45 p.m. on May 8 on approx. 1040 k.c. (283m.). "On the Road to Mandalay" was heard following a French song. The woman who sang this was introduced by the announcer, and she addressed listeners in English before commencing her number. Organ solos and orchestral music were also heard. Also on same date between 5.15 and 5.30 p.m., on approx. 970 k.c. (309m.), a station was heard sending greetings to numerous people including missionaries in India and Egypt. Referred to Rev. and Mrs. Clements of Alps District, India.—C.C.B. (Christchurch).

Australian station broadcasting a choral service about 9.30 p.m. on May 5. Another station was coming in on exactly the same frequency; 1220 k.c. (246m.). Both were very clear, but the result was confused.—W.H.B. (Auckland).

Early morning station on approx. 1063 k.c., heard on May 1 and 2. On 1st was broadcasting band items between 9.30 a.m. and 7 a.m.—73 O.O.

220.C.—I heard the same station and reported to 2BH, Horby, Sweden.—"Digger" (Hamilton).

14A: Station 4QG's frequency is Bucharest, Roumania, on 760 k.c. (394m.). 181A. and others: KGBQ Police Station, Los Angeles, on about 1650 k.c. (182m.). Frequency is shifted from time to time between 1600 and 1650 k.c. 2ZE, Eketahuna, 1210 k.c. (248m.), was testing at about 11.45 a.m. on May 11 at about R8.—98W. (P.N.).

T.K.McK. (Akaroa): Your station on 1500 k.c. (200 m.) announced as "Radio Service Co., relaying KFI, Los Angeles." This would account for your mistaking KLI for KFI. Signals were R8, but transmission was spoiled by loud humming, surging, and distortion.—28HB (Napier).

Digger (Hamilton): On April 24 I heard your station on 1240 k.c. Before closing he gave a summary of his next day's programme, and I heard him say he would be rebroadcasting KGEF. He closed at 6.29 with "Good-night, Sweetheart," but I was unable to hear his call. It makes a practice of rebroadcasting other stations as there is a 100 w. station, KGFI, which broadcasts on 1500 k.c. It is situated at Corpus Christi, Texas. Your other station is WTAM, Cleveland, 50 k.w., 1070 k.c. **14A:** There is a station CJCA, Edmonton, Alta, but it transmits on 930 k.c. If no dxer knows to whom you were listening your best plan would be to write to CJCA and inquire if any station on 580 k.c. was rebroadcasting it. Station on 738 k.c. is, I think, Katowice, Poland; call is SP4 and power 10 k.w.—730C.

26HB: Station on approx. 950 k.c. is XED, Reynosa, Mexico, but he generally signs off at 8 p.m. **1530C (Timaru):** Station on 650 k.c. would either be WSM, Nashville, up to 5.30 p.m., or KOCB, Seattle, after that time. They both come in at fair strength. Other American on 760 k.c. is probably KVL, Tacoma, Wash. "Joe" (Greymouth): VK2ME, Sydney, calling up trawlers off N.S.W. coast. Some of the ships they call up are VJMN, Oorana; VJML, Nova; VJMK, Broadway; VJMT, Tunkara. **22MC:** European on 1160 k.c. is Horby, Sweden, using 15 k.w. **14A:** Bucharest, Roumania, broadcasts on 4QG's frequency.—N. Jenkins (Master-ton).

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