

News and Views of the DX Club

Answers to Correspondents

99W (P.N.): Either would count, but, of course, not both. As far as we know at present XER and XEP are sharing time. A separate verification from each

Stations Identified

"Del Rio" (Wellington) and others: The station you heard was XEF, now sharing time with XER, Villa Acuna, Mexico. It operates on 410.7 (730 k.c.), power 75 k.w. J.L. (Wellington): Station on 595 k.c. is JOAK—"Omsk" (Whakatane).

Special DX Broadcast from 4ZP

Arranged by Southland Branch

On Thursday, July 7, between 9 and 10 p.m., a special dx programme for members of the N.Z. DX Club will be broadcast from station 4ZP, Dunedin. 4ZP is operated by Parson's Radio Supplies, 155 Layard Street North, Invercargill, on 1160 k.c. (258.6 m.), with a power of $\frac{1}{2}$ k.w.

S. Robson,
District Secretary.

DX Topics

Japanese Broadcasters.

THE following are the particulars of JOIK, taken from a verification card. Address, Kochi City, Shikoku; frequency, 720 k.c. (416 m.); power, 5 k.w. JOAK, Kwantung, Darlen, 645 k.c. (465 m.); power, $\frac{1}{2}$ k.w. Station operates from 6.30 a.m. to 8.50 p.m. J.S.T.—7500 (Invercargill).

Special N.Z. Broadcasts.

IN a communication just received from station 3TR, Sale, they state: "We propose to refer to New Zealand every Thursday night between 10 p.m. and 10.15 p.m. Australian Eastern standard time (11.30 p.m. to 11.45 p.m. N.Z.S.T.). Listeners' reports on transmission will be appreciated and will be promptly acknowledged. It may be of interest to you to know that station 2SM, Sydney, with whom you say we are inclined to heterodyne, goes off the air at 10 p.m. on the night mentioned." 3TR broadcasts on 1280 k.c. (234 m.), and their new

must be entered if both stations are to be credited

32T (New Plymouth): Yes.

64A (Mokau): A complete and up-to-date list of New Zealand amateur transmitters appears in the "N.Z. Radio Call Book," published last week. It may be obtained from dealers or booksellers, or direct from Box 1032, Wellington; price, 10d posted.

32T (New Plymouth): Yes, I have received daylight verification from 2GB, and also from 2CO, 7ZL, 2FC, 3LO, 2BL, 2GB, 2UW, 2CH, and 2NC—44NW (Hokitika).

Identification Wanted

Station heard from 1.30 a.m. to 2 a.m. on June 22 on approx. 600 k.c. (500 m.). Items heard included a yodelling song, two songs by Lloyd Williams entitled "Corda" and "Just Friends," and an instrumental number "Smile." The announcer then said, "You have been listening for the past hour — from a Pacific liner." The concluding number, which was by special request, was entitled "Save the Last Dance For Me." It was played on an organ. At 2 a.m. N.Z. time the time was given on a gong as 10.30 p.m., and the announcer remarked the station would be on the air again at 6 a.m.—J.C.W. (Gisborne).

On June 19, at 12.45 p.m., station heard on about 31.19 metres, at about R4-5, broadcasting music. Each item was announced in a foreign language, and then in English. Call-sign sounded like ERGA—and once they called "Experimental station, Rio de Janeiro," and asked for reports. Closed down at 1 p.m.—"Loco" (Huntly).

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Wanganui Branch Meeting

A meeting of the Wanganui branch of the N.Z. DX Club will be held at the residence of the secretary, 29 Ballance Street, Aramohe (note new address), at 7.45 p.m., on Wednesday, July 13. All dxers are expected to attend, but those unable to do so are asked to prepare and send along a report on heterodyne and power interference, and also a list of stations heard during the month.

Les. Armstrong (29W).
District Secretary.

address is: Gippsland Broadcasting Station, Raymond Street, Sale, Victoria.—"Imafan" (Otorohanga).

2ME's First Anniversary.

On June 26 VK2ME announced a new schedule which was to be operative from Sunday, July 3. First session (N.Z. time) 4.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.; second and third sessions, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.; fourth session, 6 a.m. to 8 a.m. The announcer stated that "A special transmission would be put over next Sunday, it being Continued on page 22.)

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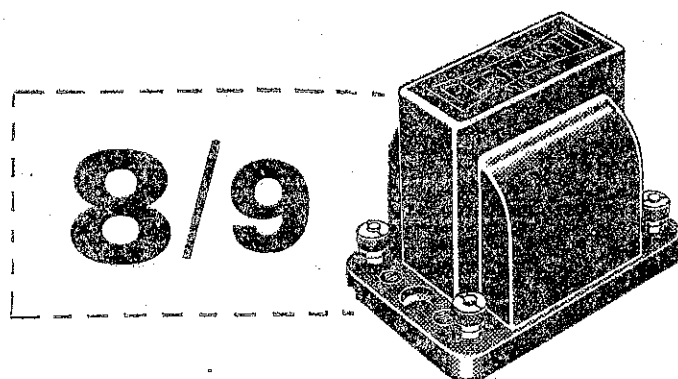
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