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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, BUREAU OF NAVIGATION,

Washington, August 1, 1919.

To collectors of customs, radio inspectors, and others concerned:

This publication, which was discontinued during the war, is issued monthly by the Bureau of Navigation, Department of Commerce, and distributed to the United States officers engaged in or concerned with the enforcement of the radio laws for their guidance and instruction, and to those concerned with the operation of Government and commercial radio stations for their information.

The Radio Service Bulletin supersedes the quarterly supplements to the List of Radio Stations of the United States and contains information concerning Government, commercial, and special stations only.

The Bulletin contains tables of new stations, alterations, and corrections under headings, so that the List of Radio Stations of the United States and the List of Radiotelegraph Stations published by the international bureau at Berne, may be brought up to date. Additions, alterations, and corrections should be entered in these two publications promptly on receipt of the Bulletin.

Amendments to or changes in the Radio Laws and Regulations of the United States (edition of Aug. 15, 1919) are printed in this Bulletin in such a manner that they may be clipped and pasted in

their proper places in that publication.

Items of general interest concerning the enforcement of the radio laws are printed in the Bulletin from time to time, as occasion warrants.

E. T. CHAMBERLAIN, Commissioner of Navigation.

Approved:

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Secretary of Commerce.

NEW STATIONS.

COMMERCIAL LAND STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF STATIONS.

[Additions to the List of Radio Stations of the United States, edition of June 30, 1920, and to the International List of Radiotelegraph Stations published by the Berne bureau.]

Station.	Call signal.	Wave lengths.	Service.	Hours.	Station controlled by—
Beaumont, Tex Bolinas, Calif. Cape May, N. J. Hyder, Alaska	KPH WCY KDFA	300, 440, 600 300, 450, 600 300, 600 300, 550, 600, 1610		N N X	Magnolia Petroleum Co. Radio Corp. of America. International Radio Teleg. Co. Hyder Townsite & Improvement Co.
Quincy, Mass Tulsa, Okla	KDGU KDGT	300, 600, 1985 425, 450	PR PR	X N	Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corp. Southwestern Wireless Teleg. & Telep. Co.

COMMERCIAL SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF VESSELS.

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Name of vessel.	Call signal.	Rates. North and Trans- South Oceanic can service.		Hours.	Owner of vessel.	Station con- trolled by—
Aslaug Rayou Chico Bonnie Brook Cantigny Castana Catahoula Charles H. Cramp China Arrow	KDGX KDFO KDFF KDFG	Cents. Cents. 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	PG PG PG PG PG PG PG PG	X X X X N N	Winneconne S. S. Corp. U. S. Shipping Board. do. do. do. do. do. Standard Transporta-	
City of Rayville Clement Smith Donna Lane Eastern Temple East Hampton	KDGS KDGO KDGN KDEZ KDFZ	4 4	PG PG PG PG	x	tion Co. U. S. Shipping Board. Donna Lane Motorship Corp. U. S. Shipping Board. C. E. Davis Packing	S. O. R. S. Owner of ves-
Edgar F. Coney Etisha Walker	KDHD KDGQ	 	PG PG	X	Co. Philip Shore Pan-American Petro- loum & Transport Co.	sel.
Floraba Gateway City Glénora Gonzaba Griffco	KDFD KDFP KDFL	4 4 4	PG PG PG PG		Gulf Navigation Co U. S. Shipping Board. do. Gulf Navigation Co James Griffiths & Sons (Inc.).	Do,
Halway. Hannawa. Harvester. Intrepid. Janelaw. Joptha. John Stevens. Kekoškeo. Lake Gano.	KDFR KDHC KDFS KDFU KDGM KDGY	4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	PG PG PG PG PG PG PG	X	U.S. Shipping Board. do. Texas S.S. Co. W.S. Kilmer. U.S. Shipping Board. do. do. do.	R. C. of A.

¹ Ship service 6 c. per word.
³ Ship service 6 c. per word, no minimum, cable count; station to station 6 c. per word, domestic count; station to station, night message, 5 c. per word, domestic count; station to station, night letter, 60 c. for 50 words, 12 c. for each additional 10 words or fraction thereef.

COMMERCIAL SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF VESSELS—continued.

		Rat	es.				
Name of vessel.	Call signal.		Trans- oceanic service.	Serv- ice.	Hours.	Owner of vessel.	Station con- trolled by-
Lavada	KDFM KDFT KDGP KDFB KDGZ KDHF	Cents. 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	Cents. 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	PG PG PG PG PG PG PG PG	X X N N X	U. S. Shipping Board. do. do. American Transatlantic Co. U. S. Shipping Board. W. R. Grace & Co. U. S. Shipping Board. do. do. do. U. S. Steel Products	I. W. T. Co.
Sudawsonco Sulanierco Suremico Sureicheo Suscolaneo Tomalva West Carmona West Honaker William Penn	KDFI KDHB KDHA	4 4 4	4 4 4 4	PG PG PG PG PG PG PG	X X X X X	Co. Submarine Boat Corpdodododododododododododododododo	s. o. R. s.

COMMERCIAL LAND AND SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY CALL-SIGNALS.

[b=ship station; c=land station.]

Call signal.	Name.	Call signal.	Name.
KDEZ KDFA KDFA KDFBC KDFBC KDFB KDFB KDFB KDFB KDFB KDFB KDFB KDFB	Eastern Temple	KDGL KDGM KDGM KDGG KDGG KDGG KDGG KDGG KDGG	Steel Ranger.
KDFW KDFX KDFY KDFZ KDGK	West Carmona. b West Honaker. b Aslaug. b East Hampton. b Bayeu Chico. b	KDHI KPH WCY WOD	Intrepid by Boltnas, Calif. c Cape May, N. J c Beaumont, Tex c

GOVERNMENT LAND STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF STATIONS.

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Station.	Call signal.	Station controlled by—
Camp Alfred Vail, N. J Camp John Hay, P. I. Camp Stotsenburg, P. I. Port Eads, La.	WUCB	Do.

GOVERNMENT SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF STATIONS.

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Name of ship.	Call signal.	Name of ship.	Call signal.
Holland, Whitney.	NIRM NIRL	Wright	NIRN

GOVERNMENT LAND AND SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY CALL SIGNALS.

[b-ship station: c-land station.]

Call signal.	Name of station.	Call signal.	Name of station.
NIRL NIRM NIRN WUBA	Whitney	WUCA WUCB WZH	Camp Stotsenburg, P. I

SPECIAL LAND STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF STATIONS.

[Additions to the List of Radio Stations of the United States, edition of June 30, 1920, only.]

Station.	Call signal.	Station controlled by—
Alexandria, La.	5ZD	Frank B. Beuhler.
Atlanta, Ga		B. W. Benning.
Bethesda, Md		John V. Purssell.
Cincinnati, Ohio	SZH	East High School.
Dearborn, Mich	SXD	Henry Ford.
Detroit, Mich		Detroit Edison Co.
Dunmore, Pa		Roy C. Ehrhardt.
Hagerstown, Md	3Z1	Roy C. Corderman.
Hartford, Conn	1XV	C. D. Tuska Co.
Houston, Tex	5ZC	B. J. Still.
Lansing, Mich	SZF	Maurice H. Pancost.
Los Angeles, Calif.	6XN	A. H. McClelland, J. B. Farrington,
		and A. A. Kluge,
Marietta, Ohio	8ZE	Norman A. Thomas and Edward Man- ley.
Marietta, Ohio.	8ZT	George M. Withington, jr.
Mecklenburg, N. C. (near Charlotte, N. C.)	4XD	F. M. Laxton.
New Braunfels, Tex	5Y K	Edgar A. Sahm.
New Philadelphia, Obio.		Charles J. Murray.
New York, N. Y		Ware Radio Co.

SPECIAL LAND STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF STATIONS—continued.

Station.		Station controlled by—		
Northville, Mich.	8XL	Henry Ford.		
Philadelphia, Pa	3XJ	St. Joseph's College.		
Philadelphia, Pa	3YG	Philadelphia School of Wireless Teleg-		
•,,	•	raphy.		
Philadelphia, Pa	3ZG	Allyn E. Seuffert.		
Philadelphia, Pa	3ZJ	Maj. J. H. Clipton.		
Pilot Point, Tex	5ZB	Clyde S. Mosteller.		
Pittsburgh, Pa	8XN	Carnegie Institute of Technology, Ra-		
		dio Club.		
Pittsburgh, Pa	8ZD	Burton P. Williams.		
Port Chester, N. Y	2ZE	Paul F. Godley.		
Port Huron, Mich	8X P	Detroit Edison Co.		
Portland, Oreg	7XA	Radio Corp. of America.		
Providence, R. I	1XX	Brown University (Physics Depart-		
T		ment).		
Redlands, Calif	6ZJ	Arthur L. Munzig.		
Richfield, Utah Richmond Hill, N. Y.	6Z H	Wesley C. Thompson.		
Richmond Hill, N. Y.	2XE	A. H. Grebe & Co.		
Richmond Hill, N. Y.	2ZV 8ZG	Do.		
Salem, Ohio	6ZB	A. J. Manning. Dr. Alfred E. Banks.		
San Diego, Calif	6XC	Lee de Forest (Inc.).		
San Jose, Calif. (portable)	6XE	Charles D. Herrold.		
Seattle, Wash	7XC	Vincent I. Kraft.		
South Manchester, Conn	iXT	John L. Reinartz.		
Sunnyvale, Calif	6ŽK	Arthur E. Bessey.		
Superior, Mich	8XQ	Detroit Edison Co.		
Toledo, Ohio.	8ZB	Earl S. Ensign and William P. Van		
a dioaco, o hiorita	021	Behren.		
Vancouver, Wash	7ZG	Royal Mumford.		
Waco, Tex	52 F	Henry M. Harris.		
Washington, D. C	3XL	Alfred Crossley.		
Washington, D. C	3ZE	Harold A. Snow.		
Woodside, N. Y. (Long Island)	2ZD	Ship Owners' Radio Service.		
Yuma, Ariz.	6ZL	Alexander N. Marquis.		
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SPECIAL LAND STATIONS GROUPED BY DISTRICTS.

Call signal.	District and station.	Call signal.	District and station.
	First district:		Sixth district:
1XT	South Manchester, Conn.	6XC	San Francisco, Calif.
1XV	Hartford, Conn.	6XE	San Jose, Calif. (portable).
1XX	Providence, R. I.	62B	San Diego, Calif.
	Second district:	6ZH	San Diego, Calif. Richfield, Utah.
2XD	New York, N. Y.	6 <i>Z</i> J	Redlands, Calif.
2XE	Richmond Hill, N. Y. Woodside, N. Y. (Long Island). Port Chester, N. Y.	62K	Sunnyvale, Calif.
zzD	Woodside, N. Y. (Long Island).	6ZL	Yuma, Artz.
zzE	Port Chester, N. Y.	6XN	Los Angeles, Calif.
zzv	Richmond Hill, N. Y.	!	Seventh district:
	Third district:	7XA	Portland, Oreg.
3XJ	Philadelphia, Pa.	7XC	Seattle, Wash.
3XL	Washington, D. C.	7ZG	Vancouver, Wash.
3YG	Philadelphia, Pa.	il	Eighth district:
ZE	Washington, D. C.	8XD	Dearborn, Mich.
3ZF	Bethesda, Md.	8XL	Northville, Mich.
3ZG	Philadelphia, Pa.	8XN	Pittsburgh, Pa.
3 2 I	Hagerstown, Md.	8XP	Port Huron, Mich.
3ZJ	Philadelphia, Pa.	8XQ	Superior, Mich.
	Fourth district:	8ZA	New Philadelphia, Pa.
4XC	Atlanta, Ga.	8ZB	Toledo, Ohio."
4XD	Mecklenburg, N. C. (near Charlotte,	8ZD	Pittsburgh, Pa.
	N. C.).	8ZE	Marietta, Ohio.
	Fifth district:	8ZF	Lansing, Mich.
5YK	New Braunfels, Tex.	8ZG	Salem, Ohio.
ZB	Pilot Point, Tex.	8ZH	Cincinnati, Ohio.
SZC	Houston, Tex.	8ZQ	Dunmore, Pa.
ZD	Alexandria, La.	8XR	Detroit, Mich.
ZF :	Waco, Tex.	8ZT	Marietta, Ohio.

ABBREVIATIONS.

The necessary corrections to the List of Radio Stations of the United States and to the International List of Radiotelegraph Stations, appearing in this Bulletin under the heading "Alterations and corrections," are published after the stations affected in the

following order: Name =Name of station. G. loc. =Geographical location: O=west longitude, N=north latitude, S=south

Call —Call letters assigned. System =Radio system used and sparks per second.

latitude.

Range Normal range in nautical miles. W. L.

=Wave lengths assigned: Normal wave lengths in italics. = Nature of service maintained: Service

PG≕General public. PR=Limited public.

P = Private. O =Government business exclusively.

Hours ≈Hours of operation: N =Continuous service. X = No regular hours.

m = a. m. (12m = midday).

= p. m. (12s = midnight).=Ship or coast charges in cents: c=cents. (The rates in the interns-Rates

tional list are given in francs and centimes. For approximate purposes, I franc equals 20 cents and 5 centimes equal I cent.)

I. W. T. Co. = Independent Wireless Telegraph Co. R. C. of A. = Radio Corporation of America. S. O. R. S. = Ship Owners Radio Service.

Co. ≈Company. Corp. =Corporation.

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ALTERATIONS AND CORRECTIONS. COMMERCIAL LAND STATIONS.

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30, 1920, and to the International List of Radiotelegraph Stations, published by the Berne bureau.] AVALON, CALIF.—Read Pedrocitas, Calif.; rates, station to station 25 c. for five minutes,

each additional minute 5 c., person to person 30 c. for three minutes, each additional minute 10 c., appointment 35 c. for three minutes, each additional minute 10 c., report charge 10 c. Telegraph rate 60 c. for 10 words, each additional word 5c.

LONG BEACH, CALIF.—Rates, same as above.

ROCKLAND, ME.—Service, PG; hours, N; rates, transoceanic and coastal ships 6 c. per word.

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Asuncion.—G. W. McNear (Inc.) owner of vessel.

Babinda.—Pacific Motorship Co. owner of vessel.

Buckhannon,—Gulf & Southern S. S. Co. owner of vessel.

CARPLAKE.—Correct orthography CARPLAKA; station operated and controlled by I. W. T. Co.

Chancook.—Name changed to H. F. Morse, United States Transport Co. owner of vessel; station operated and controlled by S. O. R. S. DEERFIELD.—Elder Steel S. S. Co. owner of vessel.

Dirigo.—Texas Co. owner of vessel. ELMAC.—U. S. Shipping Board owner of vessel; station operated and controlled by

S. O. R. S.

George E. Paddleford.—Name changed to Oscar D. Bennett.

GOVERNOR COBB.—Peninsular & Occidental S. S. Co. owner of vessel.

LAKE GREENWOOD.—Name changed to Catherine.

LAKE MONROE.—Name changed to Mary. LIGHTBURNE.—Texas Co. owner of vessel.

LYDIA.—Lydia S. S. Co. owner of vessel.

Oconee S. S. Co. owner of vessel.

ROBIN ADAIR.—Seas Shipping Co. owner of vessel.
THEODORE F. REYNOLDS.—Steamships Theodore F. Reynolds Corp. owner of vessel.
WEST CAWTHON.—Imperial S. S. Corp. owner of vessel.

THE STATIONS OF THE FOLLOWING-NAMED VESSELS ARE OPERATED AND CONTROLLED BY THE RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA.

Carenco.

City of Lordsburg. Cuyamaca.

Kiokee. Mosella. Palo Alto. Topa Topa.

THE STATIONS OF THE FOLLOWING-NAMED VESSELS ARE OPERATED AND CONTROLLED BY THE INDEPENDENT WIRELESS TELEGRAPH CO.

Algic.

Apus. Câpe Romain. Derblay.

Eastern Soldier.

Hera. Lake Ennis. Lake Falun. Lake Tippah.

Niobe.

Pawnee (KDGC).

Yaka.

THE STATIONS OF THE FOLLOWING-NAMED VESSELS ARE OPERATED AND CONTROLLED BY THE SHIPOWNERS' RADIO SERVICE.

Bayside. Carlton. City of Freeport.

Clemence C. Morse. Cody. Edgewood. Haif Moon.

Halsey. Hollywood (KDCS). John Englis.

Kitchi.

Lake Dunmore. Lake Galisteo.

Lake Haresti. Menominee. Monomac. Panhandle State.

Sioux City. Wauwatosa.

STRIKE OUT ALL PARTICULARS OF THE FOLLOWING-NAMED VESSELS:

Artigan. Balino.

Barrington. Boringuen. Cabura. Coloma.

Columbine. Coulter. Elihu Thomson.

Fame. Hamlin. Marvanne. Santa Elena. Seypen. Woodman. Xenia.

COMMERCIAL LAND AND SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY CALL SIGNALS.

KDES, read Carplaka; KOFJ, read H. F. Morse; KTOE, read Mary; KTOI, read Catherine; KUXV, read Pedrocitas, Calif.; WIV, read Oscar D. Bennett. Strike out all particulars following the call signals KBOE, KEDL, KEXD, KFL, KFV, KIBP, KJIA, KNIU, KOJC, KOLQ, KQAA, WBZ, WGEU, WKUO, WLOI, and WQAO.

GOVERNMENT LAND STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF STATIONS.

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FORT WASHINGTON, MD. Call letters, WXG.

STRIKE OUT ALL PARTICULARS OF THE FOLLOWING-NAMED VESSELS:

Alexandria, Va.
Camp Vail, N. J. (WEBB)
Camp Vail, N. J. (WEBC)
Camp Vail, N. J. (WEBD)
Camp Vail, N. J. (WEBF)
Camp Vail, N. J. (WEBF)
Camp Vail, N. J. (WEBG)

Fort De Russey, Hawaii. Fort Hughes, Philippine Islands, Fort William McKinley, Philippine Islands.

GOVERNMENT SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY NAMES OF VESSELS.

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Petrel.—Strike out all particulars.

GOVERNMENT LAND AND SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY BY CALL SIGNALS.

Strike out all particulars following the call signals WEBB, WEBC, WEBD, WEBF, WEBG, WVM, WVQ, WXY, WZG, and NOZ.

SPECIAL LAND STATIONS, BY NAMES OF STATIONS.

MIDDLETOWN, CONN. (IXN).—Station controlled by Wesleyan University.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST COMMERCIAL RADIO OPERATORS' LICENSES.

Printed below is a list of radio operators' licenses which have been reported to this Bureau as having been lost. Should any of them be found, they should be returned to the Bureau for cancellation. Inspectors and others concerned should see that lost licenses are not being used by unauthorized persons.

Name.	Grade.	Num- ber.	Date issued.	Port issued.
nderson, William W	Second	15819	Jan. 21, 1920	New York.
ustin, Francis M	First	21913	May 20, 1920	New Orleans.
Boldt, Earl H	First	17190	Apr. 19, 1920	Chicago.
loye, Herman W Brantley, Claude V	Second	15707	Nov. 11, 1919	New York.
Brantley, Claude V	First	21858	Mar. 16 1920	New Orleans.
Inter Dolph F	Sanond.	14134	Dec. 12, 1919	Seattle.
nurchul, John Rech	First	13259	Aug. 27, 1918	Norfolk.
ufour, Albert M	Second		July 8, 1920	Baltimore.
'ield, Paul	Second	15887	Feb. 28, 1920	New York.
'inzimer, Joseph	First	19882	Mar. 6, 1920	Baltimore.
orman, Abe	Second	15446	May 6, 1920	Boston.
rey, Elmer Ed	Second	16109	Apr. 9,1920	New York.
linsburg, Louis	First	18846	Aug. 1, 1919	Do.
laring, Dion L	First		Aug. 22, 1919	Do.
fazan, S	First	16012	Dec. 11, 1917	New Orleans.
llein, Ernest A	First	16539	July 7, 1919	Chicago.
andon, Edward B	First	17256	Mar. 23, 1920	Detroit.
Iac Master, Nelson	Second	15834	Feb. 2, 1920	New York.
[cCeney, Herbert L	Second	12047	Jan. 26, 1920	Do.
louiton, Harold	First	14560	June 12, 1919	Boston.
lay, James	Second	14125	Nov. 1, 1919	Seattle.
mith, Herbert D	First	19645	Oct. 10, 1919	Boston.
timson, Robert C	First	20736	July 20, 1920	New York.
'heiss, Otto	First	19441	Dec. 18, 1919	San Francisco.
rolano. Vincent	Second	15803	Jan. 14, 1920	New York.
andenburgh, Charles M	First	13119	Sept. 5,1919	San Francisco.
Vhite, Lawrence S	First	23535	July 6,1920	New York.

BRITISH LAND LINE RATES.

Land lines quote rates effective, September 1, British Isles, 1s for 12 words, each additional word 1d.

NEW COMMERCIAL STATION AT DEVIZES, WILTSHIRE.

The British General Post Office advises that a new station has been placed in operation at Devizes, Wiltshire, working on 2200 meters, continuous wave. Call letters GKU. This station is in operation at the following times:

G. M. T.

0–2

8-10 16-18.

WATCH HOURS FOR ITALIAN VESSELS WITH ONE AND TWO OPERATORS, RESPECTIVELY.

This office is informed by the Berne international bureau that the Italian Government placed the following schedule in effect, beginning February 1, 1920:

WATCH HOURS FOR VESSELS WITH ONE OPERATOR.

Zone.	Western boundary.	Eastern boundary.	Watch hours (Green- wich time).
Α.			
East Atlantic	Meridian 30° W. coast of Greenland.	Meridian 30° E to the south of tha coast of Africa, shores of the Mediterranean, Black Sea, and Baltic, meridian 30° E to the north of Nor-	8-10, 12-14, 16-18, 20-22
В.		way.	•
Indian Ocean, east Arc- tic Ocean.	East of zone A,	Meridian 90° E.	0-2, 12-14, 16-18, 20-22.
C.			
China Sea, west Pacific Ocean.	East of zone B	Meridian 160° E	0-2, 4-6, 12-14, 20-22.
D.			
	East of zone C	Meridian 140° W	0-2, 4-6, 8-10, 20-22.
E.			
East Pacific Ocean	East of zone D	Meridian 70° W. to the south of the coast of Africa, west coast of America.	0 2, 4.6, 16-18, 20-22.
West Atlantic Ocean, Gulf of Mexico.	Meridian 70° W. to the south of the coast of America, east coast of America.	Meridian 30° W. coast of Green- land.	0-2, 12-14, 16-18, 20-27.

WATCH HOURS FOR VESSELS WITH TWO OPERATORS.

Zone.	Watch hours (Greenwich time).	Zone.	Watch hours (Greenwich time).
A	0-6, 8-14, 16-18, 20-22, 0-2, 4-10, 12-14, 16-18, 0-6, 8-10, 12-14, 16-22.	D E F	0-2, 4-6, 8-10, 12-18, 20-24, 0-2, 4-6, 8-11, 16-22, 0-2, 4-10, 12-18, 20-22.

BRITISH COAST STATION RATES.

Beginning September 1, this year, the combined rates should appear in notes 2, 3, and 4, page 71, of the English edition of the Berne international list as follows: 73 centimes per word, no minimum; 44 centimes per word, minimum 4 francs 40 centimes; and 28 centimes per word, minimum 2 francs 80 centimes, respectively.

NEW FRENCH COAST STATIONS.

The coast stations Cherbourg-Rouges-Terres and Oran-Ain-el-Turck are open for general public service correspondence.

TRANSMISSION OF METEOROLOGICAL INFORMATION BY RADIO.

The Naval Communication Service advises that the naval radio station at Point Isabel, Tex., transmits meteorological information to mariners daily at 11 p. m., 75th meridian time, on 2,350 meters.

MINE WARNINGS TO MARINERS.

The following information is taken from "Mine Warnings to Mariners No. 376":

German mine pilots may be obtained off Dungeness and 5 to 10 miles northwest of the Maas light vessel. Vessels leaving German ports may obtain mine pilots at Cuxhaven. Hamburg and occasionally at Brunsbuettel

haven, Hamburg, and occasionally at Brunsbuettel.

Alterations in the marking of the mine-free channels in the North Sea and information regarding mines are transmitted by the German naval wireless station at Borkum every four hours, at 8 hours 0 minutes, 12 hours 0 minutes, etc. (Central European time), with a wave length of 600 meters. All merchant vessels are advised in the interests of safety to keep continuous wireless watch while navigating in the vicinity of the mined areas.

AMENDMENT TO REGULATIONS.

Paragraph 9, page 50, amended October 1, 1920, to read:

Every ship station shall carry a reasonable number of spares of such parts of both the main and emergency radiotelegraph equipments as are subject to undue wear, deterioration, or liability to accident, and the tools required to make necessary repairs at sea.

OPERATOR'S LICENSE SUSPENDED.

License No. 20023 issued at Norfolk, Va., February 10, 1920, has been suspended for a period of six months on account of the holder of the license violating Article VI of the service regulations and the international convention. The offending operator in this case caused superfluous signals to be transmitted.

NEW BRITISH WIRELESS ACT.

Vessels of the United States on arriving on and after December 1, 1920, at ports of the United Kingdom will be subject to the provisions of the British wireless act 1919, so far as applicable. An operator holding a cargo grade license issued by this Government is qualified to be a watcher as specified in the regulations.

Following is the act and regulations thereunder:

MERCHANT SHIPPING (WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY) ACT, 1919.

[An act to make further provision with respect to wireless telegraphy on ships, Aug. 15, 1919.]

1.—(1) Every seagoing British ship registered in the United Kingdom being a passenger steamer or a ship of sixteen hundred tons gross tonnage or upwards shall be provided with a wireless telegraph installation, and shall maintain a wireless telegraph service which shall be at least sufficient to comply with the rules made for the purpose under this Act, and shall be provided with one or more certified operators and watchers, at least in accordance with those rules:

Provided that the Board of Trade may exempt from the obligations imposed by this Act any ships or classes of ships if they are of opinion that, having regard to the nature of the voyages on which the ships are engaged, or other circumstances of the

case, the provision of a wireless telegraph apparatus is unnecessary or unreasonable.

(2) The Board of Trade, in consultation with the Postmaster-General, shall make rules prescribing the nature of the wireless telegraph installation to be provided, of the services to be maintained, and the number, greate, and qualifications of operators and watchers to be carried:

Provided that no ship shall be required to carry more than one operator unless more than one operator would have been required under the provisions of the Mer-

chant Shipping (Convention) Act, 1914.

(3) If this section is not complied with in the case of any ship, the master or owner of the ships shall be liable in respect of each offense to a fine not exceeding five hundred pounds, and any such offense may be prosecuted summarily, but, if the offense

is prosecuted summarily, the fine shall not exceed one hundred pounds.

(4) A surveyor of ships or a wireless telegraphy inspector may inspect any ship for the purpose of seeing that she is properly provided with a wireless telegraph installation and certified operators and watchers in conformity with this Act, and for the purpose of that inspection shall have all the powers of a Board of Trade inspector under the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1894 to 1916.

If the said surveyor or inspector finds that the ship is not so provided, he shall give to the master or owner notice in writing pointing out the deficiency, and also pointing

out what in his opinion is requisite to remedy the same.

Every notice so given shall be communicated in the manner directed by the Board of Trade to the chief officer of customs of any port at which the ship may seek to obtain a clearance or transire, and the ship shall be detained until a certificate under the hand of any such surveyor or inspector is produced to the effect that the ship is properly provided with wireless telegraph installation and certified operators and watchers in conformity with this Act.

(5) The obligations imposed by this Act shall not come into operation while the obligations with respect to wireless telegraphy on ships imposed by the Defense of the Realm Regulations remain in force, but shall be in addition to, and not in substitution for, the obligations as to wireless telegraphy imposed by the Wireless Telegraphy Act, 1904, or any Order in Council, or regulations made thereunder, or by the Merchant Shipping (Convention) Act, 1914.

2.—The foregoing provisions of this Act shall, as from a date three months after the coming into operation of the obligations imposed by this Act on British ships registered in the United Kingdom, apply to ships other than British ships registered in the United Kingdom while they are within any port in the United Kingdom in like manner as they apply to British ships so registered.

3.—(1) This Act may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (Wireless Telegraphy) Act, 1919, and the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1894 to 1916, and this Act may be cited together as the Merchant Acts, 1894 to 1919.

(2) This Act shall be construed as one with the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and "passenger steamer" shall mean a steamer which carries more than twelve pas-Sengers, and "wireless telegraphy inspector" means an officer appointed under section twenty of the Merchant Shipping (Convention) Act, 1914, for the purposes therein nentioned.

BRITISH RADIO REGULATIONS.

Extracts from the rules of the Board of Trade under the provisions of the merchant shipping (wireless telegraphy) act, 1919, effective December 1, 1920, and applies to all seagoing passenger steamers or hips of 1,600 tons gross tonnage or upwards, while within any port In the United Kingdom.

INTERPRETATION.

In these Rules—

The expression "coasting trade" means trade exclusively carried on between port in the British Islands.

The number of hours occupied in a voyage from port to port means the norma number of hours occupied in a voyage between one port of call and the next.

CLASSIFICATION OF SHIPS.

2. For the purposes of these Rules ships shall be classified as follows:

Class I. Ships carrying 200 persons or more which are not engaged in the coasting trade.

Class II. Ships not engaged in the coasting trade carrying 50 but less than 200 persons and ships engaged in the coasting trade carrying 50 persons or more.

Class III. Ships carrying less than 50 persons.

In reckoning the number of persons carried by a ship there shall be included the normal crew of the ship and the maximum number of passengers permitted to be carried by the passenger certificate of the ship.

NATURE OF INSTALLATION.

3. The installation shall comply with the requirements of the International Radio telegraph Convention, 1912, as modified by any other international agreement (and in particular the International Convention of Safety of Life at Sea, 1914), or of any international agreement by which the said Convention of 1912 may be superseded.

(I) A ship of Class I shall carry certificated operators in accordance with the following table, and while at sea a certificated operator shall be always on watch-

NATURE OF VOYAGE.

- (a) Voyage exceeding 48 hours from port to port.
- (b) Voyage exceeding 8 hours but not exceeding 48 hours from port to port. (c) Voyage not exceeding 8 hours from port to port.

NUMBER AND GRADE OF OPERATORS.

Three operators, of whom one shall hold a first grade certificate, and not more than one a third grade certificate.

Two operators of whom one shall hold a first or a second grade certificate. One operator who shall hold a first or a

second grade certificate.

(II) A ship of Class II shall carry certificated operators and certificated watchers in accordance with the following table, and while at sea a certificated operator shall always be on watch at the times specified in the Schedule to these Rules, and either a certificated operator or a certificated watcher shall always be on watch at other times.

NATURE OF VOYAGE.

(a) Voyage exceeding 48 hours from port to port.

(b) Voyage exceeding 8 hours but not exceeding 48 hours from port to port.

(c) Voyage not exceeding 8 hours from

port to port.

NUMBER AND GRADE OF OPERATORS AND WATCHERS.

One operator who shall hold a first or a second grade certificate. and watchers.

One operator who shall hold a first or a second grade certificate, and one watcher.

One operator who shall hold a first or a second grade certificate.

(III) A ship of Class III shall carry one operator who shall hold a first or a second grade certificate, and while at sea the operator shall always be on watch at the times specified in the Schedule to these Rules.

11. The Postmaster General may accept certificates granted to operators by the Government of any part of His Majesty's Dominions or of a foreign country in pursuance of the regulations annexed to any International Radiotelegraph Convention

for the time being in force. 12. These rules shall come into operation on the 1st day of September, 1920.