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#### ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

The necessary corrections to the list of Commercial and Government 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:

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Name Loc.	<ul> <li>Name of station.</li> <li>Geographical location.</li> <li>W=west longitude.</li> <li>N=north latitude.</li> <li>S=south latitude</li> </ul>
Call.	= Call signal (letters) assigned.
Type	=Type of wave classified as follows: A1=continuous wave (tube), A, arc=continuous wave A2=interrupted continuous wave, A3=phone, B=spark.
Fy.	= Frequency in kilocycles; normal frequency in italics; wave length in meters in parenthesis.
Service	=Nature of service maintained: PG=general public (ship to shore), PR=limited public (limited to public correspondence between fixed stations), P=private, O=Government business exclusively.
Class	=FX=fixed station (point-to-point service), RG=radio-compass station, FA=aeronautical station, AB=aviation station, RF=directional radiobeacon, B=ship station, FC=coast station.
Hours	=Hours of operation: N=continuous service, X=no regular hour, Y=sunrise to sunset.
Accounts	=Message accounts settled by.
F. T. Co	= Federal Telegraph Co.
I. R. T. Co	
I. W. T. Co	
M. R. T. C	o. = Mackay Radio & Telegraph Co.

F.T. Co
I.R. T. Co,
I.W. T. Co,
I.W. T. Co,
M. R. T. Co,
M. R. T. Co.
R. M. C. A,
R. M. C. A,
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R. M. C. W,
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A. C. W,
A.

V. t. = Vacuum tube.
M. a. = Meters-amperes.
L. S. L. = Applies only to the list of Commercial and Government Radio Stations of the United States.

= Equipped with a radio compass (direction finder).

#### NEW STATIONS

Commercial land stations, alphabetically, by names of stations

[Additions to the List of Commercial and Government Radio Stations of the United States, edition of June 30, 1928, and to the International List of Radiotelegraph Stations, published by the Berne bureau]

Station	Call signal	Frequency in kilocycles, meters in parentheses	Service and class	Hours	Owner t
Fresno, Calif.	KOJI	8,250 (92.3), 4,244 (70.7),	FX-P	X	Federal-State Marketing Service.
	<b>8</b>	5,365 (55.92), 8,810 (34.05), 10,010 (29.97).		31	Dervide
Indio, Calif.	KGJB	do .	FX-P	X	Do.
Lodi, Calif.	KGJC	do	FX-P	X	Do.
Marysville, Calif		do	FX-P	X	Do.
Modesto, Calif.	KGJG KGJA	do	FX-P FX-P	X	Do. Do.
San Diego, Calif. San Francisco, Calif.	KGII	2,446 (122.6)		Ĥ	San Francisco Bar Pilots Association.
Santa Maria, Calif.º.	KGJE	3,250 (92.3), 4,244 (70.7), 5,365 (55.92), 8,810 (34.05), 10,010 (29.97).	FX-P	X	Føderal-State Marketing Service.
Santa Rosa, Calif.19	KGJD	do	FX-P	x	Do.
Manila, P. I.11	KBO	5,145 (58.31), 15,010 (19.987)_	FX-P		Philippine insular gov- ernment.
Manila, P. I., radio 13	KTY	464 (649), 5,585 (53.685),	FC-PG	N	Mackay Radio & Tele-
		11,170 (26.84), 16,755	and		graph Co.
***	*****	(17.89), 17,600 (17.045).	FX-PR		Dahad Dallas Co
Do.11	KUZ	432 (694), 5,555 (53.97), 11,110 (26.98), 16,665	FC-PG	N	Robert Dollar Co.
المرج الجملاني الم		(17.99).			

Commercial ship stations, alphabetically, by names of vessels

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Name of vessel	Call signal	Rates (cents)		Hours	Owner	Message accounts settled by—
Alice CookeBallantrae	WID0			707.8 (2.57) 	Northern Products Corporation Trenton Mercer Area Council,	Owner.
Compania de Fili-	KZEP	15.A F	PG	e#13	Boy Scouts of America.  Compania General de Tabacos de Filipinas.	Do.
Constance Chandler Contoy Eastern Leader Eleu	WFEI KSOI KDHY WJDH	8 8 8	PG PG PG	X X	Los Angeles S. S. Co	R. M. C. A. Do.
Fireboat (unnamed) 1. Fred W. Green 1	WJDP WNAI		PG	X X	Co. City of Detroit Northwestern Sand and Gravel Co.	Owner. Mackinac Ra dio Service.
Hualalai Islas Visayas <sup>4</sup> Jean Jeanette E. <sup>5</sup>	WJDT KZEV WKCK KGJK	5 4 8	PG PG PG P	X X X	Cebu Navigation Co	Owner. Do. Do.
Lanikai 6 Negros 7 Satartia III 8 Sirius 9 Sobre Los Olas Tidewater	WJDQ KZEN WJDM KZAH WJDR WJDN	4 4 8		X X	Hawaiian Sea Products Co	R. M. C. A. Do. Do.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Type, A1 and A2; fy., 500 (600); hours, 8 to 12 a. m., 3 to 5 and 10 to 12 p. m.

Type, A3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Type, Al and A2; rates, Great Lakes service, 4 cents per word.

<sup>4</sup> Type, B; fy., 425 (765), 500 (600); hours, 8 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 and 7 to 11 p. m.

<sup>5</sup> Type, A3; fy., 2320 (129.3).

<sup>6</sup> Type, A2.

7 Type, B; fy., 400 (750), 500 (600); hours, 7 to 12 a. m., 1 to 6 and 7 to 10 p. m.

8 Type, A1; fy., 5525 (54.3), 5555 (54), 8290 (36.19), 11080 (27.15), 11110 (27).

8 Type, A1 and A2; fy., 500 (600); hours, 8 to 12 a. m., 3 to 5 and 9 to 12 p. m.

# Commercial land and ship stations, alphabetically, by call signals

Call signal	Name of station	Call signal	Name of station
KBO KGJA KGJB KGJC KGJE KGJE KGJI KGJI KGJI KDHY KCJK KSOI KSOI KTY KUZ	Manila, P. I         fx           San Diego, Calif.         fx           Indio, Calif.         fx           Ledi, Calif.         fx           Santa Rosa, Calif.         fx           Santa Berbara, Calif.         fx           Modesto, Calif.         fx           Kresno, Calif.         fx           Fresno, Calif.         fx           San Francisco, Calif.         fc           Eastern Leader         b           Deannette         b           Contoy.         b           Manila, P. I.         fc and fx           do         fc	KZEP KZEV WFEI WJDM WJDN WJDO WJDP WJDQ WJDR WJDR WJDS	Fred W. Green

# Commercial aircraft stations, alphabetically, by names of craft

[Additions to the List of Radio Stations of the United States, edition of June 30, 1928, and to the International List of Radiotelegraph Stations published by the Berne bureau]

Station	Call signal	Frequency in kilocycles, meters in parentheses	Service	Hours	Owner
NC97791	KHRC	333 (900), 375 (800), 425 (705), 500 (600), 2,506 (119.7).	P		R. M. C. A.
NC77702	KHAY	(600), 2,506 (119.7). 333 (900), 375 (800), 500 (600)	P		Richard Hoyt (station operated by R. M. C. A.).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Type, A1 and A3.

# Commercial aircraft stations, alphabetically, by call signals

Call signal	i in a second	Name of station	- 1 1934 (1944 1944 1944 1944 1944 1944 1944 19	Call signal	Name of station
KHAY	NC7770.			KHRC	NC9779.

# Broadcasting stations, alphabetically, by names of States and cities

[Additions to the List of Radio Stations of the United States, edition of June 30, 1928]

State and city		Call signal	Frequency in kilo- cycles, meters in parentheses	Power (watts)
Georgia: Savannah	, orașele,	WGSP	1,410 (212.8)	1 500
Mississippi: Jackson (Hinds)		WJDX	1,270 (236.2)	<sup>2</sup> 1, 000 <sup>1</sup> 500 <sup>2</sup> 1, 000
Virginia: Emory		WJDW	1.370 (219)	100

Type, Al and A2.

# Broadcasting stations, alphabetically, by call signals

Call signal	Location of station (address)	Owner Edition	Frequency in kilo- eycles, meters in parentheses	Power (watts)
WIDX WGSP	Savannah, Ga	Chamber of Commerce of Savan- nah. Lamar Life Insurance Co Emory and Henry College	1,410 (212.8)	1 500 2 1,000 1 500 2 1,000 100

<sup>1</sup> Night.

2 Day.

# Government ship stations, alphabetically, by names of stations

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Station	Call signal	Frequency in kilocycles, meters in parentheses	Service	Hours	Owner
Tillamook	NOOB	An explainable for the second of the second			U. S. Navy.

# Government land and ship stations, alphabetically, by call signals

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NOCB	Tillamook	 		******		 	72.113 	. 1. jii 1	b
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# Special stations, alphabetically, by names of stations

[Additions to the List of Commercial and Government Radio Stations of the United States, edition of June 30, 1928]

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Station	Call signal	Frequency in kilocycles, meters in parentheses	Power (watts)	Owner
Connecticut: Hart- ford.	W1XF	321 (935)	200	Colonial Air Transport, 270 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y.
Illinois: Downers Grove.1	W9XR	2,100 (142.9) to 2,200 (136.4), 2,850 (105.3) to 2,950 (101.7).	5,000	Great. Lakes Broadcasting Co., 72 West Adams St., Chicago, Ill.
Massachusetts: Boston.	W1XE	321 (935)	200	Colonial Air Transport, 270 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y.
New Jersey: All- wood.	W2XCP	2,000 (150) to 2,100 (142.9), 2,850 (105.3) to 2,950 (101.7).	2,000	Freed-Eisemann Radio Corp., Junius St. and Lib- erty Ave., New York, N.Y.
Portable				0103 1170,311010 1911,11111
California: Los Angeles.	W6XBR	1,604 (187.03), 2,398 (125.1), 3,256 (92.5), 4,795 (62.57), 6,425 (46.7).	100	Warner Bros. Pictures (Inc.)
Maine: Houlton	W1XR	50 (6,000) to 70 (4,286)	1,000	American Telephone & Tele- graph Co., 195 Broadway, New York, N. Y.
New York: Rocky Point.	W2XCQ	1,604 (187.03), 2,398 (125.1), 3,256 (92.5), 4,795 (62.57), 6,425 (46.7), 8,650 (34.68), 12,850 (23.35),	100	R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
Aircraft		417,300 (17.341).		
NC9746	W10XI	3,076 (97.5), 6,155 (48.74)	20	Aircraft Radio Corp., Boon- ton, N. J.
NC9779	W10XL	1,608 (186.5), 2,302 (130.3), 3,076 (97.5), 4,108 (73.03), 5,510 (54.45), 6,155 (48.74)	300	R. M. C. A., 66 Broad St., New York, N. Y.
NX7918	W10XH	4,108 (73.03)	10	Daniel Guggenheim Fund (Inc.), 598 Madison Ave., New York, N. Y.
X855E	W10XF	315 (952) to 350 (857), 1,608 (186.57), 8,330 (36.01).	200	Chicago Daily News.

<sup>1</sup> Visual broadcasting (television).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Visual broadcasting (television) and experimental.

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# Special stations, grouped by districts

Call signal	District and station	Call signal	District and station
W1XE W1XF W1XR W2XCP W2XCQ W6XBR	First district:  Boston, Mass.  Hartford, Conn. Houlton, Me. (portable).  Second district:  Allwood, N. J.  Rocky Point, N. Y. (portable).  Sixth district: Los Angeles, Calif. (portable).	W9XR W10XF W10XH W10XI W10XL	Ninth district; Downers Grove, Ill. Portable, aircraft and vessels licensed to operate in all districts—Aircraft: X855 E. NX7918. NC9746. NC9779.

#### RADIOBEACON STATIONS

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Ashtabula Light Station, Ohio.—Loc. (approximately) 80° 48′ W., 41° 55′ N.: Transmits groups of 2 dashes and 1 dot for 60 seconds, silent 120 seconds, thus:

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.  $--$ . etc. Silent  $120$  seconds

Operates continuously during thick or foggy weather and daily in clear weather from 11.45 to 12 a. m., 3.30 to 4 a. m. and p. m., and from 9.30 to 10 a. m. and p. m., ninetieth meridian time on a frequency of 314 (955).

## ALTERATIONS AND CORRECTIONS

### COMMERCIAL LAND STATIONS

Alterations and corrections to be made to the List of Commercial and Government Radio Stations of the United States, edition of June 30, 1928, and to the International List of Radiotelegraph Stations, published by the Berne bureau]

Baltimore, Md., Radio.—Loc. 76° 35′ 32′′ W.; 39° 16′ 51′′ N.; fy., 135 (2,222) 143 (2,098), 418 (720), 500 (600).

Bandini, Calif.—Loc. change to Los Angeles, Calif.; fy. 2,482 (120.87), 3,460 (86.7), 5,690 (52.72), 6,410 (46.8).

BOLINAS, CALIF. (KEE).-Call, add KQG; fy., add 18,000 (16.667); owner. R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

BOLINAS, CALIF. (KEM).—Call, add KEB; fy., add 6,852.5 (43.778); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). BOLINAS, CALIF. (KEN).—Call, add KKW; fy., add 15,445 (19.424); owner,

R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

BOLINAS, CALIF. (KER).—Call, add KQR; fy., add 18,040 (16.630); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

Bolinas, Calif. (KET).—Owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

BOLINAS, CALIF. (KKQ).-Call, add KKL; fy., add 15,475 (19.386); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

BOLINAS, CALIF. RADIO (KPH).—Fy., 126 (2,381), 136 (2,206), 143 (2,098), 436 (688), 500 (600).

Bolinas, Calif. (KQZ).—Call, add KEZ; fy., add 10,400 (28.846); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

Bolinas, Calif. (KWE).—Call, add KEI; fy., add 10,620 (28.249); owner,

R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

CAMIGUIN ISLAND, P. I.—Call changed to KTX; loc. (approximately) 121° 53′ 00″ E; 18° 50′ 00″ N.; type, A1; service, FX; hours, X.

CHATHAM, ALASKA (KGIN).—Loc. (approximately) 134° 57′ 00″ W.; 57° 30′ 30″ N.; service and class, FX & FC (PR).

CHATHAM, MASS., RADIO (WIM).—Fy., 406 (740), 500 (600). EXCURSION INLET, ALASKA.—Service and class, FX & FC-PR; accounts, R. M. C. A.

FALSE PASS, ALASKA.—Accounts, R. M. C. A.

GALVESTON, TEX., RADIO.—Type, A2; fy., 418 (720), 500 (600); service and class, FC-PG & FX-PR; hours, 8 a. m. to noon and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. daily. Guam, Guam.—System A arc & A1 and 2; fy., 6,815 (44.02), 6,875 (43.64), 7,655 (39.09), 7,662.5 (38.65), 7,670 (39.11), 7,730 (38.81), 7,737.5 (38.78), 7,745 (38.74), 7,752.5 (38.7), 7,760 (38.66), 8,075 (37.15), 8,710 (34.44), 8,850 (33.9), 8,970 (33.44), 8,980 (33.41), 8,990 (33.37), 9,070 (33.08), 9,290 (32.29), 10.170 (30.81), 10.400 (38.61) (33.49), 8,970 (33.44), 8,980 (33.41), 8,990 (35.37), 9,070 (35.08), 9,290 (32.29), 10,170 (29.5), 10,490 (28.6), 10,810 (27.75), 10,820 (27.73), 10,830 (27.7), 10,890 (27.55), 13,000 (23.08), 13,015 (23.05), 13,030 (23.02), 13,750 (21.82), 13,960 (21.49), 14,680 (20.44), 14,695 (20.415), 14,710 (20.39), 14,725 (20.375), 14,740 (20.35), 14,755 (20.335), 14,770 (20.31), 17,140 (17.503), 17,420 (17.222), 17,660 (16.988), 17,680 (16.968), 17,700 (16.949), 18,260 (16.429), 18,780 (15.974), 19,540 (15.253), 19,560 (15.337), 19,580 (15.322), 19,600 (15.306), 19,620 (15.291), 19,740 (15.198), 20,300 (14.778), 20,980 (14.299), 21,380 (14.032).

HAWK INLET. ALASKA.—Accounts, R. M. C. A.

HIDDEN INLET, ALASKA.—Fy., add 2,320 (129.3); service and class, FC and FX-PR and P.

Honolulu, Hawaii (KOG).-Fy., add 16,580 (18.094), 16,900 (17.751); service and class, add FC-PG.

Honolulu, Hawaii, Radio (KYG).—Fy., add 460 (652), 500 (600).

IKATAN, ALASKA, RADIO.—Accounts, R. M. C. A.

ISABELA DE BASILAN, P. I. (ZAMBOANGA) RADIO.—Call changed to KPN.

KAHUKU, HAWAII (KKH).—Call, add KKP; fy., strike out 7,415 (40.459), add

7,520 (39.89), 13,705 (21.890); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

KING COVE, ALASKA, RADIO.—Accounts, R. M. C. A. LAS VEGAS, NEV.—Type, A2; fy., 2,482 (120.87), 3,460 (86.7), 5,690 (52.72), 6,410 (46.8).

LAZY BAY, ALASKA.—Accounts, R. M. C. A. LINDEN, N. J.—Loc. 74° 14′ 13′′ W.; 40° 36′ 40′′ N.

LUMARSO, P. I.—Call changed to KBM.

MANILA, P. I. RADIO (KAA).—Fy., 187.5 (1,600), 474 (632.5), 500 (600), 5,645 (56.11), 11,290 (26.55), 16,935 (17.704).

MARION, MASS., RADIO (WCC).—Type, A1; fy., 117 (2,564), 129 (2,326), 141

(2,128), 143 (2,098).

Marion, Mass. (WSO).—Fy., 25.8 (11,628); owner, R. C. A. Communications

MOBILE, ALA. (WPP).—Fy., 143 (2,098), 165 (1,818), 438 (6,849), 500 (600), 4,116 (72.9), 6,515 (46.05).

NAGA, P. I.—Correct name is Naga-Naga, P. I.; loc. (approximately) 122° 55′ 30″ E.; 7° 30″ 54″ N.; type, A1; service and class, FX-P; hours, X.

NAKEEN, ALASKA (BRISTOL BAY).-Fy., 2,320 (129.3).

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. (WII).—Fy., 21.8 (13,750); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. (BOUND BROOK) (WRT).-Fy., 22.6 (13,265); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

New London, Conn.—Fy., strike out 326 (920), add 476 (630).

New York, N. Y., Radio (Borough of Brooklyn) (WNY).—Type, A1 and A2; fy., 135 (2,222), 143 (2,098), 442 (680), 500 (600).

New York, N. Y. (WPY).—Type, A1 & A2; fy., 438 (685), 500 (600).

Palm Beach, Fla.—Type, A2; fy., 119 (2,520), 143 (2,098), 394 (760), 500 (600), owner; R. M. C. A.

Palo Alto, Calif. (near) (KFS).—Fy., 109 (2,752), 123 (2,439), 143 (2,098), 418 (729), 500 (600), 5,525 (54.3), 8,690 (34.52), 11,050 (27.15), 13,060 (22.97),

16,580 (18.094), 16,980 (17.668), 21,580 (13.902), 22,100 (13.575).

Разач, Р. І., Варіо.—Fy., add 5,615 (53.395), 11,230 (26.69).

Ригарегриіа, Ра., Варіо (WNW).—Туре, В; fy., 410 (730), 500 (600); hours, 6 a. m. to midnight daily.

PORTLAND, OREG., RADIO (KPK).—Accounts, R. M. C. A.

PORT MOLLER, ALASKA.—Accounts, R. M. C. A.

ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (KIO).—Call, add KEQ; fy., add 6,732.4 (44.560).
ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WAJ).—Call, add WEV; fy., add 6,942.5 (43.212); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WBU).—Call, add WEN; fy., add 7,407.5 (40.500); owner,

R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WEA).—Call, add WQE; fy., add 18,920 (18.856); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).

- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WEC).—Fy., 8,930 (33.594); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WED).—Call, add WQL; fy., add 14,815 (20.250); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WEG).—Call, add WKD; fy., strike out 7,520 (38.894), add 7,415 (40.459), 13,435 (22.330); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WEL).—Call, add WQU; fy., add 13;855 (21.653); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WER).—Call, add WQI; fy., add 17,880 (16.779); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WES).—Call, add WQT; fy., add 13,885 (21.606); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WET).—Call, add WQS; fy., add 13,915 (21.559); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WEX).—Call, add WQR; fy., add 16,015 (18.732); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WHR).—Call, add WKL; fy., add 8,940 (33.557); owner,
- R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WIK).—Call, add WQF; fy., add 17,920 (16.741); owner,
- R. C. A. Communications (Inc.) ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WIY).—Call, add WKJ; fy., add 9,460 (31.712); owner,
- R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WKO).—Call, add WEZ; fy., add 6,927.5 (43.306); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WKU).—Owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
  ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WKW).—Call, add WEO; fy., add 6,957.5 (43.119);
  owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
  ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WPE).—Call, add WQJ; fy., add 21,240 (14.124); owner,
- R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WQA).—Call, add WKC; fy., add 13,465 (22.280); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WQK).—Owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WQP).—Call, add WQD; fy., add 18,960 (15.823); owner,
- R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WQV).—Call, add WQH; fy., add 18,800 (15.890); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- ROCKY POINT, N. Y. (WQW).—Owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
  SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH (KGTH).—Fy., 2,482 (120.87), 3,460 (86.7), 5,690 (52.72), 6,410 (46.8).
- San Francisco, Calif., Radio (KTK).—Location changed to Mussell Rock, Calif., Radio; loc. (approximately) 122° 29′ 36′′ W.; 37° 39′ 12′′ N.; fy,,460 (652), 500 (600), 8,445 (35.52), 11,370 (26.39), 16,890 (17.762).
- San Juan, P. R. (WGT).—Call, add WGU; fy., add 6,717.5 (44.659); owner,
- R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). SAN JUAN, P. R. (WGX).—Call, add WQZ; fy., add 15,985 (18.768); owner,
- R. C. A. Communications (Inc.). SAN JUAN, P. R. (WJT).—Call, add WGZ; fy., add 9,480 (31.646); owner, R. C. A. Communications (Inc.).
- SEATTLE, WASH. (KSA).—Fy., add 460 (652), 500 (600).
  TENAKEE, ALASKA.—Loc. (approximately) 135° 6′ 00″ W.; 57° 47′ 00″ N. TORRANCE, CALIF. (LOS ANGELES) RADIO.-Fy., 133 (2,256), 143 (2,098), 408
- (735), 500 (600).
- TUCKERTON, N. J. (WSC).—Fy., add 5,525 (54.3), 6,485 (46.26), 6,500 (46.15), 8,370 (35.84), 11,050 (27.15), 12,670 (23.68), 12,730 (23.57), 12,820 (23.40), 13,210 (22.71), 16,575 (18.100), 16,740 (17.921), 16,780 (17.873), 21,700 (13.825), 21,740 (13.799), 21,780 (13.774), 21,820 (13.749), 22,100 (13.575). UGANIK, ALASKA (KVF).—Accounts, R. M. C. A. UNION BAY, ALASKA RADIO.—Type, add A3; fy., add 2,320 (129.3); service and
- class FC-PG and FX-PR; rates, 6c per word.
- WATERFALL, ALASKA RADIO.—Type, add A3; fy., 2,320 (129.3); service and class FC-PG and FC-PR. Portable:
  - Louisiana (WFG).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 1. Louisiana (WFH).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 2. Louisiana (WFJ).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 6.
  - Louisiana (WFQ).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 13.
  - Louisiana (WFR).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 14.

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Louisiana (WFS).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 15. Louisiana (WFS).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 15.
Mississippi (WFM).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 7.
Mississippi (WFP).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 8.
Mississippi (WFP).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 9.
Oklahoma (KNL).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 21.
Oklahoma (KNM).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 19.
Oklahoma (KNY).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 12.
Oklahoma (KNZ).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 11.
Oklahoma (KNZ).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 11.
Oklahoma (KNZ).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 10. Oklahoma (KOD).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 10. Texas (KNS).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 18. Texas (KNS).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 18. Texas (KNT).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 17. Texas (KNU).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 16. Texas (KOF).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 5. Texas (KOI).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 4. Texas (KOT).—Read Third Radio Zone No. 3.

Strike out all particulars of the following-named stations: Cape Charles, Va.; Houston, Tex.; Johnswood, Mich.; Norfolk, Va. (WEI); Pampa, Tex.; Poinciana, Fla.; Vestal Substation, Calif.; Wilsonville, Pa.

COMMERCIAL SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY, BY NAMES OF VESSELS

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Admiral Fiske.—Fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 157 (1,911), 375 (800), 400 (750) 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600); hours, N (first class), X (third class).

AGWIHAVRE.—Name changed to Gulfpenn.

AGWIMEX.—Name changed to Gulfwax. AGWISUN.—Name changed to Gulfgem.

ALLEGRO.-Name changed to Mizpah.

AMERICAN MERCHANT.—Owner, United States Lines.

AMERICAN SHIPPER.—Owner, United States Lines.

AMERICAN SHIPPER.—Owner, United States Lines.

ANNA HELEN.—Type, A1 and A2; fy., 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600), 5,525 (54.3), 5,555 (54), 8,450 (35.5), 11,050 (27.15), 11,110 (27); service, P; hours, X.

BALDHILL.—Accounts, R. M. C. A. (U. S. L.).

BENSON FORD.—Type, A1 and A2; fy., 143 (2,098); 160 (1,875); service, P.

BERYLE E.—Fy., 2,320 (129.3); service, P.

BOHEMIA.—Owner, Pathe Studios (Inc.).

CAPE ROMAIN.—Name changed to Emilia; owner, A. H. Bull S. S. Co.

CARONIA.—Type, A1 and A2; fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 153 (1,961), 157 (1,911), 159 (1,887), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600).

454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600). Chickamauga (KULC).—Name changed to Malchace; owner, Malsah S. S. Co.

Chincha.—Owner, American South African Line.

Chirikof.—Type, A1; fy., 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600); hours, N; accounts, owner.

CITY OF ALBANY.—Name changed to Commercial Orleanian; owner, Commercial Mariner S. S. Co.

CITY OF SYDNEY.—Owner, Northern Fisheries.

DEFIANCE.—Type, A arc and B; fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 153 (1,961), 157 (1,911), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 500 (600); hours, N (first class), X (third class).

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DOROTHY ALEXANDER.—Fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 157 (1,911), 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 500 (600).

EASTERNER.—Fy., add 410 (730), 454 (660); accounts, R. M. C. A.

EASTERN KNIGHT.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co. EDRIS.—Name changed to Wanderlust; owner, Harvey S. Bissell.

ENCHANTRESS (KGBT).—Owner, Morgan Adams.
ENCHANTRESS (WPBN).—Fy., add 410 (730), 454 (660).
ETHEL M. STERLING.—Owner, Santa Fe Mercantile Co.
F. A. DOUTY.—Owner, Matson Navigation Co.
FIRE BOAT No. 31.—Fy., 1,596 (187.9).

FIRE BOAT No. 44.—Fy., 1,596 (187.9).

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FIRE BOAT No. 47.—Fy., 1,596 (187.9).
FOUR WINDS.—Fy., add 5,525 (54.3), 8,290 (36.19), 11,050 (27.15), 13,240
    (22.66), 16,580 (18.094), 16,860 (17.794); service, P.
FRANK D. STOUT.—Owner, Southern Redwood Corporation.
Frederick C.—Type, A3; fy., 2,320 (129.3).
Garfield.—Name changed to Nosa Chief; owner, New Orleans & South American
   S. S. Co.
GATEWAY CITY.—Type, B; fy., 375 (800), 425 (705), 500 (600).
GENERAL M. H. SHERMAN.—Accounts, M. R. T. Co.
GEORGE WASHINGTON (KDCL).—Owner, United States Lines.
GEORGE W. MEAD.—Type, A1 and A2; fy., 375 (800), 394 (760), 410 (730), 425 (705) (750), 410 (730), 425 (705)
GEORGIAN (KJUA).—Type, A2; fy., 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600).

GEORGIAN (WACF).—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.
GLENDOYLE.—Owner, Leonard C. Hammond.
HARVESTER.—Owner, Texas Co.
HAWAIIAN.—Fy., 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 500 (600).
HELEN WHITTIER.—Type, B; fy., 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660),
    500 (600).
HILDA.—Accounts, M. R. T. Co.
IDA MAE.—Type, A1; fy., 2,320 (129.3).
INDIANA (WPCZ).—Type, B; fy., 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705); hours, X.
INTREPID.—Owner, Transportation Products Co.
J. A. Bailey.—Correct name, F. A. Bailey.
JOHN F. CUSHING.—Rates, Great Lakes service 4 cents per word.
J. R. GORDON.—Fy., add 410 (730), 454 (660).
Kaimiloa.—Owner, Elizabeth Lauder Kellum.
Kiska.—Fy., 2,320 (129.3); service, P; hours, X; accounts, owner.
LAKE ELLENDALE.—Owner, National Dredging Co.

LAKE ORMOC.—Fy., 143 (2.098), 153 (1,961), 157 (1,911), 159 (1,887), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 394 (760), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600), 11,050 (27.15).
LEONINE.—Fy., 2,320 (129.3); service, P. LEVIATHAN.—Owner, United States Lines.
Mala.—Accounts, owner.
MALAMA.—Accounts, owner.
 MANA.—Accounts, owner.
MARIAN OTIS CHANDLER.—Accounts, R. M. C. A.
Mariska.—Name changed to Heigh-Ho; owner, A. E. Walbridge.
MARQUETTE & BESSEMER No. 2.—Fy., 375 (800), 394 (760), 410 (730), 425 (705).
 MARY COLLINS.—Name changed to Leopold Adler.
 MARY PINCHOT.—Fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 153 (1,961), 157 (1,911), 159 (1,887), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660),
    468 (640), 500 (600).
 Maunalei.—Accounts, owner.
 Maunawili.—Accounts, owner.
MAUNAWILL.—Accounts, owner.

MIKIMIKI.—Type, A3; fy., 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600), 2,320 (129.3); service; P; hours, X; accounts, owner.

MITCHELL.—Type, B; fy., 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 500 (600).

MURSA.—Name changed to General M. H. Sherman.
 MYRTLE.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.
NAKEEN.—Type, A3; fy., 2,320 (129.3); accounts, owner.
 NEPONSET.—Accounts, Luckenbach S. S. Co.
 Nirvana.—Owner, Frank Aranow.
Nosa King.—Type, A2; fy., 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600).

Orlians.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.
Ossining.—Fy., 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 500 (600).

Pacific Oak.—Type, A1 and A2; fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 157 (1,911), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500
     (600).
 PENNSYLVANIA (WKCV).—Owner, Texas Co.
 Peter Kerr.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.
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Petrel (WRBS).—Type, A3; fy., 2,320 (129.3).
Point Bonita.—Accounts, M. R. T. Co.
Point Lobos.—Name changed to Ernest H. Meyer.

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President Harding.—Owner, United States Lines.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.—Owner, United States Lines.

REAPER.—Owner, Texas Co.
RELAY.—Type A1 and A2; fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 153 (1,961), 157 (1,911), 159 (1,887), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600); service, PG.

RIPPLE (KFLF).—Type, B; fy., 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 500 (600).

ROYONO.—Name changed to Hedalca; owner, Alcan Hirsch.

Sally S.—Fy., 2,320 (129.3); service, P. Samson.—Owner, Diamond "P" Transportation Co.

San Antonio.—Ówner, South Coast S. S. Co.

SANTA INEZ (WIDA).—Type, A1 and A2; fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 157 (1,911), 159 (1,887), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600); hours, X.

SCHOHARIE.—Type, A2; fy., 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 458 (640), 500 (600).

SENARGE —Ourse Michael V.

Senator.—Owner, Nicholson-Universal S. S. Co.

SHENANGO (WJDB).—Rates, Great Lakes service 4 cents per word.

SIALIA (WBDI).—Accounts, R. M. C. A. SIERRA (WKCM).—Accounts, R. M. C. A. SOLITAIRE.—Owner, Texas Co. SONORA.—Accounts, R. C. A.

Southseas.—Name changed to Velma Lykes.

SPRAY.—Name changed to Patrick J. O'Hara; owner, O'Hara Bros. Co.

STOCKTON.—Owner, Walter Miller.
SULTANA.—Fy., 375 (800), 410 (730), 425 (705); accounts, R. C. A. TAMPA (WLCM).—Owner, William H. Cochrane.

TRANSFORD II.—Owner, New England S. S. Co.
TRIUMPH.—Type A arc and B; fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 153 (1,961), 157 (1,911), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600); accounts, R. M. C. A.
VIRGINIA (WKCY).—Owner, Texas Co.
VIRGINIA E.—Fy., 2,320 (129.3); service P; hours, X.
VOLCANO.—Owner, Warrior Transportation Co.
Wirguard Owner, Ered Thommessen

WAEGWOLTIC.—Owner, Fred Thommessen.

WALUCIA III.—Type A1 and A2; fy., 143 (2,098), 151 (1,987), 157 (1,911), 159 (1,887), 160 (1,875), 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600); service, PG; hours, X; rates 8 cents per word.

WARRIOR (WHDO).—Type, A1 and A2; fy., 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705), 454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600); service, P; hours, X; accounts, owner.

Wekika.—Owner, Malsah S. S. Co.

WESTERLY.—Owner, E. W. Murphy.

WEST HAVEN.—Name changed to Marian Otis Chandler. WEST IRA.—Owner, Pacific-Argentine Brazil Line.

WEST KATAN.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co. WEST KEATS.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.

Westland.—Name changed to Sea Thrush; owner, Shepard S. S. Co. WEST MINGO.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.

West Montop.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.

WILLANGLO.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co. WILLBABCO.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.

WILLHILO.—Name changed to Arizonan; owner, Williams S. S. Corporation.
WILLIAM J. O'BRIEN.—Type, A2; fy., 375 (800), 400 (750), 410 (730), 425 (705),
454 (660), 468 (640), 500 (600).
WILLWELLO.—Owner, Pacific-Atlantic S. S. Co.

WINIFRED O'DONNELL.—Name changed to Nevada; owner, Texas S. S. Co. Yaka.—Accounts, R. M. C. A.

Strike out all particulars of the following-named vessels: Aledo, Barbara C., Bellemina, Bellerose, Belvidere, Boobyalla, Bremerton, Cabegon, Cascade (WPUO), Chappaqua, Chester Kiwanis, City of Berkeley, Cohasset, Cokesit, Conotton, Contoocook, Eagle (KDBF), Eastern Moon, Eastern Sea, Eastern Shore, Eastern Sword, Eastport, East Wind, Englewood, Euzkadi, Foam (KFSR), Glen Ridge, Hagan, Halcyon (WNCQ), Jacona, Kamesit, Kenowis,

Lackawanna, Lake Elmdale, Lake Elmsford, Lake Fablus, Lake Fithian, Lake Gilpen, Lavada, Meton, Montgomery, Morristown, Naiwa, Newport, Owego, Pachet, Panay (KEMJ), Phyllis, Puget Sound, Rescue, Rockaway Park, Shooters Island, Sinasta, Stanwood, Tecomate, Venture, Volcano, West Africa, West Apaum, Westchester, Western Knight, Western Light, Western Ocean, Western Plains, West Jaffrey, Westlake, West Munham, W. F. Burrows, Winifred II, Woonsocket, York.

COMMERCIAL LAND AND SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY, BY CALL SIGNALS

KDAD, read Gulfgem; KDBG, read Wanderlust; KDFT, read General M. H. Sherman; KDRX, read Gulfpenn; KDWJ, read Patrick J. O'Hara; KDUQ, read Gulfwax; KFSK, read Leopold Adler; KFZT, read Mizpah; KGCD, read Hedalca; KGTI, read Los Angeles, Calif.; KJUI, read Ernest H. Meyer; KNL, sherman; KDRX, read Gulfpenn; KDWJ, read Patrick J. O'Hara; KDUG, read Hedalca; KGTI, read Los Angeles, Calif.; KJUI, read Ernest H. Meyer; KNL, read Third Radio Zone No. 21 (portable); KNM, read Third Radio Zone No. 20 (portable); KNQ, read Third Radio Zone No. 18 (portable); KNT, read Third Radio Zone No. 18 (portable); KNT, read Third Radio Zone No. 16 (portable); KNV, read Third Radio Zone No. 12 (portable); KNZ, read Third Radio Zone No. 11 (portable); KOD, read Third Radio Zone No. 10 (portable); KOT, read Third Radio Zone No. 11 (portable); KOD, read Third Radio Zone No. 10 (portable); KOF, read Third Radio Zone No. 16 (portable); KOT, read Munlisto; KOT, read Third Radio Zone No. 3 (portable); KOR, read Munlisto; KOT, read Third Radio Zone No. 3 (portable); KOR, read Munlisto; KOT, read Third Radio Zone No. 3 (portable); KOR, read Munlisto; KOT, read Radio Zone No. 3 (portable); KOR, read Munlisto; KOT, read Radio Zone No. 3 (portable); KPG, call changed to KPN; KREA, read Emilia; KTK, read Mussell Rock, Calif., Radio (San Francisco); KUFG, read Velma Lykes; KUGV, read Arizonan; KULC, read Malchace; KUQ, read, Naga-Naga, P. 1; KUX, call changed to KTX; KUZ, call changed to KBM; WBCV, read Marian Otis Chandler; WBCW, read Sea Thrush; WFCR, read Commercial Orleanian; WFG, read Third Radio Zone No. 1 (portable); WFH, read Third Radio Zone No. 2 (portable); WFM, read Third Radio Zone No. 5 (portable); WFP, read Third Radio Zone No. 7 (portable); WFN, read Third Radio Zone No. 10 (portable); WFR, read Third Radi

COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY, BY NAMES OF CRAFT

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The service is P and the hours X for all of the following named stations: NC9606, NC9607, NC9643, NC9644, NC9645, NC9646, NC9647, NC9648, NC9649, NC9650, NC9651, NC9652, NC9653, NC9654, NC9655, NC9656, NC9657, MC9658, NC9659, NC9660.

#### BROADCASTING STATIONS, BY CALL SIGNALS

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KFH (Wichita, Kans.).—Owner, Radio Station KFH Co. KFLV (Rockford, Ill.).—Power, 500.
KGEZ (Kalispell, Mont.).—Owner, Kalispell Chamber of Commerce. KGFF (Alva, Okla.).—Owner, KGFF Broadcasting Co. KGFI (San Angelo, Tex.).—Power, 100; fy., 1,500 (200).

KMBS (Independence, Mo.).—Power, notice in Radio Service Bulletin for last month should have read 1,000 night, 1,500 additional day (total day 2,500).

KMIC (Inglewood, Calif.).—Owner, Daltons (Inc.).

KPLA (Los Angeles, Calif.).—Power, 1,000; fy., 1,000 (300). KTHS (Hot Springs, Ark.).—Power, 1,000; fy., 1,040 (288.5)

KTSL (Shreveport, La.).—Owner, Houseman Sheet Metal Works.

WAPI (Birmingham, Ala.).—Owner, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, University of Alabama and Alabama College.

WBAP (Fort Worth, Tex.).—Power, 25,000 normally, 50,000 experimentally. WBAW (Nashville, Tenn.).—Owner, Tennessee Publishing Co. WBRC (Birmingham, Ala.).—Location changed to Birmingham, Ala. (near); power, 500 night, 1,000 day.

WCAU (Byberry, Pa.).—Power, 10,000.

WCKY (Harrison, Ohio).—Location changed to Villa Madonna, Ky.; owner,
L. B. Wilson, Inc., power, 5,000.

WDOD (Chattanooga, Tenn.).—Location changed to Chattanooga, Tenn. (near). WFAA (Dallas, Tex.).—Power, 500; fy., 800 (375).

WHBD (Bellefontaine, Ohio).—Owner, F. P. Moler. WIL (St. Louis, Mo.).—Power, 100 night, 250 day; fy., 1,200 (250). WJAR (Providence, R. I.).—Power, 250 night, 400 day.

WJAR (Providence, R. I.).—Power, 250 night, 400 day.
WJBY (Gadsden, Ala.).—Owner, Charles J. Black.
WJR (Pontiac, Mich.).—Owner, WJR, The Goodwill Station (Inc.).
WLBV (Mansfield, Ohio).—Call changed to WJW.
WMAL (Washington, D. C.).—Power, 250 night, 500 day.
WMAY (St. Louis, Mo.).—Power, 100 night, 250 day.
WMCA (Hoboken, N. J.).—Owner, Knickerbocker Broadcasting Co. (Inc.).
WNBO (Washington, Pa.).—Power, 100.
WNBZ (Saranac Lake, N. Y.).—Power, 50.
WOWO (Fort Wayne, Ind.).—Location changed to Fort Wayne, Ind. (near);
power, 1.000.

power, 1,000. WPRC (Harrisburg, Pa.).—Call changed to WCOD.

Strike out all particulars of the following-named stations: KFEY (Kellogg, Idaho); KGFH (Glendale, Calif.); KGIF (Nebraska portable); WABF (Kingston, Pa.-Pringleboro); WLBO (Galesburg, Ill.); WNBQ (Rochester, N. Y.); WTHS (Atlanta, Ga.).

# GOVERNMENT LAND STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY, BY NAMES OF STATIONS

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Unionville, Mo.—Strike out all particulars.

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Apo.—Type, A2 and B; fy., 6,593.4 (45.5); service, O; hours, 6 to 8 and 8.30 to
11.30 a. m., 1 to 3 and 6.30 to 11.30 p. m.

Basilan.—Hours, 6 to 8 and 8.30 to 11.30 a.m., 1 to 3 and 6.30 to 11.30 p.m.

BRANT (WTDB).—Type, B; fy., 500 (600); hours, N. BUSTAMENTE.—Type, B; fy., 500 (600); hours 6 to 8 and 8.30 to 11.30 a.m., 1 to 3 and 6.30 to 11.30 p. m.

CORREGIDOR.—Service, O; hours, 6 to 8 and 8.30 to 11.30 a.m., 1 to 3 and 6.30 to 11.30 p. m. Crane (WTDC).—Type, B; fy., 375 (800), 425 (705), 500 (600); hours, N. Eider (WTDD).—Type, B; fy., 315 (952), 375 (800), 500 (600).

KITTIWAKE.—Fy., 3,000 (100), 4,480 (67), 5,560 (54). PATHFINDER.—Type, A2 and B; fy., 500 (600), 1,000 (300), 6,630 (45.25), 7,900 (37.97).

Scoter.—Fy., 375 (800), 425 (705), 500 (600). Teal (WTDE).—Type, B; fy., 375 (800), 425 (705), 500 (600); hours, N. Strike out all particulars of the following-named vessels: Bear, Sylph.

GOVERNMENT LAND AND SHIP STATIONS, ALPHABETICALLY, BY CALL SIGNALS

Strike out all particulars following the call signals KMH, NEXK, NIGX.

#### SPECIAL STATIONS, BY NAMES OF STATIONS

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#### California:

Eureka (W6XAK).—Strike out all particulars. Los Angeles (W6XA).—Strike out all particulars. San Gabriel (W6XS).—Strike out all particulars.

Venice (W6XBX).—Strike out all particulars.

Connecticut: Hartford (W1XF).—Fy., 321 (935); power, 200. DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: Washington (W3XK).—Change to Silver Springs, Md. MASSACHUSETTS:

Boston (W1XE).—Fy., 321 (935); power, 200. Lexington (W1XAY).—Fy., 4,800 (62.5) to 4,900 (61.22), 2,000 (150) to 2,100 (142.9); power, 5,000; owner, Lexington Air Stations (visual broadcasting).

Minnesota: Robbinsdale (W9XAE).—Fy., 1,604 (187.03), 2,398 (125.1), 3,256 (92.5), 4,795 (62.57), 6,425 (46.69), 8,650 (34.68), 12,850 (23.35), 17,300 (17.341).

NEW HAMPSHIRE: Hanover (W1XP).—Strike out all particulars.

New Jersey: Coytesville (W2XAL).—Fy., 6,040 (49.67), 11,800 (25.42), 15,250 (19.672), 21,460 (13.979).

NEW YORK: New York (W2XR).—Owner, Radio Pictures (Inc.). RHODE ISLAND: Providence (W1XAC).—Fy., 1,604 (187.03), 2.398 (125.1), 3,256 (92.5), 4,795 (62.57), 6,425 (46.7), 8,650 (34.68), 12,850 (23.35), 17,300 (17.341); power, variable to 250; owner, Ceco Mfg. Co.

WASHINGTON: Seattle (W7XO).—Strike out all particulars.

#### Portable

California:

Orange (W6XE).—Fy., 1,604 (187.03), 2,398 (125.1), 3,256 (92.5), 4,795 (62.57), 6,425 (46.69), 8,650 (34.68), 12,850 (23.35), 17,300 (17.341). San Francisco (W6XAR).—Strike out all particulars.

MAINE: Houlton (W1XR).—Fy., 50 (6,000) to 70 (4,286); power, 1,000.

New York: Rocky Point (W2XCQ).—Fy., 1,604 (187.03), 2,398 (125.1), 3,256 (92.5), 4,795 (62.57), 6,425 (46.7), 8,650 (34.68), 12,850 (23.35), 17,300 (17.341).

Sixth radio district (W6XR).—Fy., 283 (1,060), 360 (833).

#### RADIOBEACON STATIONS

[Alterations and corrections to be made to the List of Commercial and Government Radio Stations of the United States, edition of June 30, 1928, and to the International List of Radiotelegraph Stations published by the Berne bureau]

Cape Henry Light Station, Va.-Characteristic of air oscillator fog signal changed and synchronized with the radiobeacon to sound a group of 2 blasts followed by 2 single blasts every 60 seconds; thus, blast 3 seconds, silent 3 seconds; blast 3 seconds, silent 15 seconds; blast 3 seconds, silent 15 seconds; blast 3 seconds silent 15 seconds. The first dash of the radiobeacon and the blast of the oscillator following the 3 seconds silent interval are to be sounded simultaneously: navigators may determine their distance in nautical miles from the lighthouse by dividing the number of seconds intervening between the reception of the radio dash and the blast of the oscillator by 5.5. In the event that the air oscillator is out of commission, the air siren will sound a characteristic of blast 3 seconds, silent 17 seconds; thus, blast 3 seconds, silent 17 seconds.

Cape Lookout Shoals Lightship, N. C.—Fry., 290 (1,034).

Los Angeles Harbor Light Station, Calif.—Characteristic changed to groups of 1 dot and 2 dashes, thus:

60 seconds Silent 120 seconds

Fy., 305 (984).

Point Arguello Light Station, Calif., -Fy., 290 (1,034). Clear-weather operating period changed; will transmit regular characteristic both the first and fourth 15-minute periods of each hour from 5 p. m. to 8 a. m. No change in daylight clear-weather operating periods.

Point Sur Light Station, Calif.—Clear-weather operating period changed; will transmit regular characteristic both the first and fourth 15-minute periods of each even hour from 6 p. m. to 7 a. m. No change in daylight clear-weather

periods.

San Francisco Lightship, Calif.—Fy., 310 (968).

Point Arena Light Station, Calif.—Fy., 295 (1,017).

Blunts Reef Lightship, Calif.—Characteristic changed to groups of 1 dot, 1 dash, 1 dot and 1 dash, thus:

60 seconds Silent 120 seconds

Cape Blanco Light Station, Oreg.—Characteristic changed to groups of 3 dashes and I dot, thus:

60 seconds Silent 120 seconds

Transmits daily in clear weather from 10.30 to 11 a.m. and from 4.30 to 5 p.m. and during the third 15 minutes of each even hour from 10.30 p. m. to 6. 45 a. m. and continuously during thick or foggy weather. Fy., 290 (1,034).

Columbia River Lightship, Oreg.—Fy., 310 (968).

Grays Harbor Light Station, Wash.—Fy., 295 (1,017).

Umatilla Reef Lightship, Wash.—Characteristic changed to groups of 1 dot, 1 dash and 1 dot, thus:

60 seconds Silent 120 seconds

Fy., 305 (984). Loc. (approximately) 124° 50′ W., 48° 10′ N. Operated only upon request.

Swiftsure Bank Lightship, Wash.—Fy., 290 (1,034).
Sentinel Island Light Station, Alaska.—Fy., 295 (1,017).
Cape Spencer Light Station, Alaska.—Fy., 310 (968).
Cape St. Elias Light Station, Alaska.—Fy., 290 (1,034).

Great Lakes.—Changes in operating periods, frequency, and codes to be made on July 1, 1929. At 12 midnight central standard time, on June 30, 1929, the daily operating periods, frequencies, codes and intervals, of all beacons on the Great Lakes, will be changed as necessary to conform with the schedule which follows. This schedule will continue in effect after July 1, until further notice. The changes in operating periods provide for an additional daily period which is to be made effective at all stations. The changes in frequency provide for a synchronized group system of operation which will be made effective on and after July 1, 1929, to eliminate interference. (A new radiobeacon chart embodying the information contained in this notice, also information as to the details of operation of radiobeacons proposed for establishment this season, will be distributed on June 1, 1929, by mail to all vessels equipped with the radiocompass. Masters failing to receive this chart by July 1, 1929, should make application to the Superintendent of Lighthouses, Detroit, Michigan, for a copy.)

Station	Daily operating periods 1		orval onds)	Wave length	Fre-	Code	Class
		On	Off	(meters)	(kilo- cycles)	0000	
	Central standard time, a.m. and p. m.				in the second		
Buffalo Ashtabula Detroit River Lake Huron Thunder Bay Island Detour Whitefish Point Marquette Manitou Island Passage Island Devils Island La Pointe Duluth Lansing Shoal Point Betsie Manitowoc Ludington Grand Haven Milwaukee Chicago Harbor Calumet Harbor	2.80 to 3, and 8.30 to 9 4 to 4.30, and 10 to 10.30 3 to 3.30, and 9 to 9.30 3.30 to 4, and 9.30 to 10 1.30 to 2, and 7.30 to 8 2 to 2.30, and 8 to 8.30 4 to 4.30, and 10 to 10.30 1 to 1.30, and 7 to 7.30 3 to 3.30, and 9 to 9.30	60 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 6	120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120	1,020 955 980 1,049 1,049 1,049 993 993 1,049 955 955 955 993 993 1,049 1,049	294 314 306 286 286 302 302 302 302 286 314 314 314 302 302 202 286 286 302		BBCBBBBBBBBBBCBBCCCBBB

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All stations operate simultaneously from 11.45 a.m. to noon, and continuously during fog. Note.—B class, 100 to 200 watts; C class, 5 to 50 watts.

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#### GENERAL ORDER OF THE FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION

Postponement of General Order No. 43, limiting chain programs (General Order No. 63, May 15, 1929.)—The Federal Radio Commission hereby postpones the effective date of General Order No. 43, limiting duplicated operation on cleared channels to stations more than 300 miles apart, 122 days to October 1, 1929.

# AUSTRALIA RATIFIES INTERNATIONAL RADIO CONVENTION

In addition to the lists promulgated in the February and April, 1929, editions of this publication, Australia deposited with the Department of State, Washington, on April 3, its ratification of the International Radiotelegraph Convention and the regulations annexed thereto, Washington, 1927.

# WEATHER REPORTS TRANSMITTED FOR BENEFIT OF AVIATION AND COMMERCIAL INTERESTS ON PACIFIC COAST

The United States Weather Bureau, through the naval radio station NPG at San Francisco, Calif., broadcasts early reports of weather observations taken at about 130 stations in the United States, Canada, and Alaska; also ship reports from vessels in the eastern Pacific Ocean and pilot balloon upper-air aerological reports from selected stations. The observations taken at land, vessel, and aerological stations are in the Weather Bureau word codes applying to these types of stations and are easily decoded.

#### Transmitting schedules

At 6.18 a. m. (one hundred and twentieth meridian time).—Daily, including Sundays and holidays; average time, about 1 hour.

At 6.18 p. m. (one hundred and twentieth meridian time).—Daily, including Sundays and holidays; average time, between 40 and 45 minutes.

Both a. m. and p. m. broadcasts are made on simultaneous frequencies of 8,590, 108, and 42.8 kilocycles (34.9, 2,776, and 7,000 meters, respectively).

1. All observations in the foregoing broadcasts are of current date, taken at 5 a.m. and 5 p.m. (one hundred and twentieth meridian time), and they contain coded weather information in a group of words arranged for each station, as

follows: (a) Sea-level barometric pressure; current temperature. (b) Wind direction; state of weather; temperature (minimum in the a. m. broadcast and maximum in the p. m. broadcast). (c)1 Sea-level barometric pressure of the previous 5 p. m. observation; maximum temperature of preceding 24 hours ending at 5 a. m. (d) Wind velocity; amount of precipitation. (e) Clouds (kind, direction, and rate of movement).

Reports from Alaska, except those from Juneau, Kodiak, Dutch Harbor, and

St. Paul, are observations taken 12 hours previously.

2. A selected list of vessel weather observations taken on the current date in the eastern Pacific Ocean will follow the land-station observations. These reports are in the vessel weather code and consist of the position of the vessels (latitude and longitude), sea-level barometric pressure, current temperature, wind direc-

tion, state of weather, and wind velocity.

3. Next will follow aerological, or pilot balloon upper-air, observations of current date made at a selected list of far-western Weather Bureau stations. These reports are based on readings which give the wind velocity and direction at the surface and the following levels aloft: 250, 500, 1,000, 1,500, 2,000, 3,000, and 4,000 meters, and for the maximum altitude observed. Data for visibility and clouds are also included in this broadcast. The observations are coded in the Weather Bureau Aerological Code.

#### Notes

Code books for translating the three foregoing broadcasts (1, 2, and 3) are necessary. Information regarding the procuring of these three separate codes may be obtained by addressing the Weather Bureau offices at either San Francisco,

Calif., or Washington, D. C.

No forecasts of any kind are included in the broadcasts, as such forecasts, for the benefit of aviation, marine, and commercial interests, are broadcast from the same radio station (NPG) immediately following the daily major marine bulletin, which is described in the Weather Bureau Radio Circular No. 10 (4th ed., re-The forecasts are for aviation zones 12, 13, and 14 (see chart on back), and also for the States of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Nevada, and California. The forecasts are in plain language. In the a.m. broadcast the period covered by the State forecasts is 24 hours, beginning 5 p. m. of the same day; in the p. m. broadcasts for 36 hours, beginning at 5 a. m. the next day. The aviation forecasts broadcast in the a. m. are for 12 hours, beginning at noon of the same day and continuing until midnight; those in the p. m. broadcast are for 12 hours, from midnight until noon of the next day. The major marine bulletin begins at 7.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. (one hundred and twentieth meridian time) and usually occupies between 35 and 40 minutes in the morning and between 30 and 35 minutes Listeners desiring the forecasts, and who do not wish to copy the entire major bulletin, may easily adjust their schedules to the reception of the forecasts only.

Forecasts of weather conditions and of wind at surface and aloft are issued twice daily for the benefit of aviators. They are made at approximately 9.30 a. m. and 9.30 p. m. (seventy-fifth meridian time), and cover a period of 12 hours,

beginning at noon and midnight, respectively.

Circular No. 17—Radio (2d ed. revised), which may be obtained from the United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, at either San Francisco, Calif., or Washington, D. C., contains a chart showing the aviation forecast zones.

DISTRIBUTION OF WEATHER INFORMATION, FORECASTS, AND WARNINGS BY NAVAL RADIO FOR BENEFIT OF MARINE INTERESTS ON PACIFIC OCEAN AND COAST

[In cooperation with Office of Communications, Navy Department]

The Weather Bureau issues daily (Sundays and holidays included) bulletins containing weather reports, forecasts, and warnings for the benefit of marine interests in the eastern waters of the Pacific and in the States bordering on that These bulletins are broadcast from naval radio stations and will conform to the provisions of this circular.

All time referred to herein is one hundred and twentieth meridian (Pacific standard time) and is equivalent in GCT, unless otherwise specifically indicated.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The third word of the group indicated at (c) is included only in the 5 a. m. observations broadcast at 6.18 a. m. Therefore in the 6.18 p. m. broadcast (d) becomes the third word and (e) the fourth word.

# Major marine bulletin

This bulletin is broadcast from the San Francisco naval radio station (call letters NPG) twice daily, as follows:

Morning bulletin at 7.30 a. m. (1530 GCT) on wave lengths of 7,000 meters

(42.8 kc.), 2,776 meters (108 kc.), and 34.9 meters (8,590 kc.) simultaneously. Evening bulletin at 7.30 p. m. (0330 GCT) on wave lengths of 7,000 meters (42.8 kc.), 2,776 meters (108 kc.), and 34.9 meters (8,590 kc.), simultaneously.

The bulletin is divided into two parts and invariably begins with the letters

USWB (U. S. Weather Bureau).

The first part consists of surface weather conditions at a selected list of places, being based upon observations taken at 5 a.m. and 5 p.m., except as indicated.

The foregoing list is followed by reports from ships in the north Pacific Ocean. Ship observations taken at 4 a. m. are included in the a. m. bulletin, and 4 p. m. observations in the p. m. bulletin. Belated a. m. reports will be added to the following p. m. bulletin, and belated p. m. reports will be added to the next a. m. bulletin. Such belated reports will always be preceded by the words "Previous reports."

The second part of the bulletin consists of a summary of general atmospheric pressure distribution over land and sea, including the locations of "high" and "low" areas, and the barometer readings at their centers, wind and weather

forecasts for Pacific offshore areas, and storm warnings for these areas.

The following is a list of places for which weather observations are included in the regular broadcasts. Only the key letters, and not the names of the places, are transmitted.

# Key letters, stations, and locations

Observations taken at 4 a. m. and 4 p. m., 120th meridian time.

Observations taken at 8 s. m. and 8 p. m., 135th meridian time.
Observations taken at 8 s. m. and 8 p. m., Honolulu local time.
Observations taken at 6.30 p. m., midway local time of preceding day. Observations taken at 6 a. m., 120th east meridian time of the same day.

# EXPLANATION OF CODE USED IN THE FIRST PART OF MAJOR MARINE BULLETIN

# Key to groups and examples

Barometric pressure (first three figures of group): Pressure, First group. (reduced to sea level) in inches and hundredths, except that the first figure of full reading is omitted. Thus, if the corrected pressure is 29.98 inches, the figures 998 are sent, or if the reading is 30.14 inches, the figures 014 are sent.

Direction of surface wind (fourth figure of group): 0=calm, or no movement; 1=northeast; 2=east; 3=southeast; 4=south; 5=southwest; 6=west; 7=north-

Force of wind (fifth figure of group): Sent according to Beaufort scale, values 0 to 9, inclusive.

# Beaufort scale

Scale No.	Explanatory titles	Statute miles per hour	Terms used in forecasts
0	Calm : Light air Slight breeze Gentle breeze Moderate breeze Fresh breeze Strong breeze High wind Gale Strong gale Whole gale	8 to 12 13 to 18 19 to 24 25 to 31 32 to 38 39 to 46 47 to 54	Light. Gentle. Moderate. Fresh. Strong. Gales.
*12 (H)	Hurricane	Over 75	Hurricane.

<sup>\*</sup> The numeral code does not admit of force in excess of 9 being sent. Therefore, the letters W, S, and H will be used for wind forces 10, 11, and 12, respectively.

Example of first group as sent: 99842.

Translation: Barometric pressure, 29.98 inches; wind from south; wind force, 2

(4 to 7 statute miles per hour).

Second group. Present weather (first figure of group): State of weather at surface at 5 a. m. and 5 p. m. 1=clear (3 tenths or less); 2=partly cloudy (4 to 7 tenths); 3=cloudy (8 to 10 tenths); 4=raining; 5=snowing; 6=thunderstorm; 7=sleeting or hailing; 8=dense fog.

Pressure change (second figure of group) in hundredths of inch during two hours preceding observation: 0=change of less than 0.04 inch; 1=increase of 0.04; 2=decrease of 0.04; 3=increase of 0.06; 4=decrease of 0.06; 5=increase of 0.08; 6=decrease of 0.08; 7=increase of 0.10; 8=decrease of 0.10; 9=increase or decrease of 0.12 or more. (Whether it is an increase or decrease can be obtained

by barometric tendency at surrounding stations.)

Precipitation (third figure of group): The amount of precipitation during the previous 12 hours is indicated by the third figure of the group. The figure used is indicative of the amount of precipitation, as: 0=no precipitation; 1=0.01 inch to 0.10 inch; 2=0.12 inch to 0.20 inch; 3=0.22 inch to 0.30 inch; 4=0.32 inch to 0.40 inch; 5=0.42 inch to 0.50 inch; 6=0.52 inch to 0.60 inch; 7=0.62 inch to 0.70 inch; 8=0.72 inch to 0.80 inch; 9=0.82 inch or more.

Current temperature (fourth and fifth figures of group): Temperatures are reported in even degrees, Fahrenheit. When the temperature is zero or 100°, the fourth and fifth figures will be 00; when between 2° and 8°, inclusive, the fourth figure will be 0, and the fifth figure the temperature; when below zero, complementary figures will be used (subtract coded temperature sent from 100° to obtain correct temperature). to obtain correct temperature). The significant figure I is omitted for temperatures of 100° or more. No confusion should arise in determining below zero and above 100° temperatures when the season of the year and the location of the reporting stations are considered.

Examples of temperature coded for stations which may be 100° or more in summer and below zero in winter: (Eagle) EA  $62=62^{\circ}$  in summer or  $-38^{\circ}$  in winter; (Calgary) CY 00=100° in summer or zero in winter; (Boise) BS 08=108° in summer or 8° in winter.

Note.—The last column gives the terms applicable to the Beaufort scale which are used in the forecasts and warnings issued by the U.S. Weather Bureau.

Examples of groups as sent and as translated: 52798—Snowing; pressure change, decrease of 0.04 inch during preceding two hours; precipitation 0.62 to 0.70 inch; current temperature,  $-2^{\circ}$ . (If in winter.) 21374—Partly cloudy weather; pressure change, increase of 0.04 inch during preceding two hours; 0.22 to 0.30 inch precipitation; current temperature,  $74^{\circ}$ .

## Ship reports

Ship reports are included in the first part of the bulletin immediately following the land stations. They are included in two groups, preceded by the call letters identifying the ship. The first group consists of five numerals, signifying the ship's position, and the second group of five numerals expressing the barometric pressure, wind direction, and force. The key to second group in ship reports is that used for first group in land reports. In the first group giving the ship's position (to the nearest degree), the first two numerals express the latitude (north) and the last three the longitude (west).

Example: WMCH 31140, 00646.

Translation: S. S. Maui; latitude 31° north, longitude 140° west. Barometric pressure 30.06 inches; wind from the south; wind force of 5 (19 to 24 miles per hour).

# Contents of the second part of major marine bulletin

(a) Summary of general atmospheric pressure distribution over land and sea, including the locations of "high" and "low" areas, and the barometer readings at their centers.

(b) Wind and weather forecasts for Pacific offshore areas: North of Cape Blanco; between Cape Blanco and Point Conception; south of Point Conception. (Periods covered by the forecasts: In a. m., major bulletins, 24 hours, beginning at moon. In p. m., major bulletin, 24 hours, beginning at midnight.)

Note.—Forecasts for the States of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Nevada, and California, and flying weather forecasts for aviation zones 12, 13, and 14, immediately follow the major bulletins using the same frequencies. Details regarding these forecasts will be found in the Weather Bureau Circular No. 17 (2d ed., revised).

## Local transmitting schedules

The table below shows additional naval radio stations from which local distributions are made daily (including Sundays and holidays), their call letters, transmitting frequencies and wave lengths, the information broadcast therefrom, the hours of distribution, and the Weather Bureau stations from which the forecasts and information are supplied.

Whenever storm warnings are issued in the forenoon (based on 5 a. m. observations), they are broadcast at the same time as the wind and weather forecasts. When issued in the afternoon (based on special observations) or at night (based on 5 p. m. observations), they are broadcast at the evening hours indicated.

Ships may request any station listed herein to furnish the latest weather fore-

casts and warnings and weather reports.

Offshore wind and weather forecasts broadcast at or before noon and in the p. m. are for the 24 hours beginning at noon and midnight, respectively; storm warnings are for 24 hours beginning at the hour indicated in the warning messages.

Storm warnings are displayed at 44 points on the Pacific coast of the United

States. Flags are used by day and lanterns by night.

A card descriptive of storm signals and a copy of this circular will be furnished free on application to any United States Weather Bureau Office on the Pacific coast.

In accordance with article 17, paragraph 2, of the General Regulations of the International Radiotelegraphic Convention of 1927, the 3-minute silent intervals are observed in connection with all broadcasts described herein.

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	Stations issuing information	Dutch Harbor, Alaska (naval radio station).	Seattle, Wash. (Weather Bureau station).		Tatoosh Island, Wash. (Weather		North Head, Wash, (Weather		Eureka, Calif. (Weather Bureau	section/s	ž	Bureau station	Point Bonita (Coast Guard look-out).	(Weather Bureau station.)	San Diego, Calif. (Weather Bureau	
	Time (GCT)	0630, 2030.	0100, 0400, 1700, 2100	0100, 0300, 0400, 1300, 1700,	2100.   0100, 0400, 1300, 1700, 2100     1300, 1700, 2100, 0100, 0400.				2018	0018, 0418, 0818, 1218, 1618,	2018 2018 6330, 1530		0000, 0400, 0800, 1200, 1600, 2000.	0218, 1418	1630	2200 Con receipt and at 0500
	Weather information breadcast	Current barometric pressure, wind direction and velocity, and state of weather at Dutch Harbor, followed by re-broadcast of major weather bulletin as received from San	Francisco.  Barometric pressure, wind direction and velocity, and state of weather in Puget Sound and Straits of Juan de	Current barometric pressure, wind direction and velocity,	Storm warning.  Local weather conditions, current barometric pressure,	wind intection and velocity, and state of sea; storm warnings on Washington coast and Puget Sound. Wind and weather forecasts for Washington coast, Straits	of Juan de Fuca, and Puget Sound. Wind and weather forecasts, Washington and Oregon	coasts, ruget Sound, and Straits of Juan de Fuca. Current barometric pressure, wind direction and velocity,	condution of par, and storm warnings.  Wind and weather forecasts and storm warnings for California coast north of San Francisco: advices concerning	storm warnings for North Pacific coast.  Ourrent baronetric pressure, wind direction and velocity,	202	Major bulletin	Current barometric pressure, wind direction and velocity, and state of weather in Bonita Channel; storm warnings	An intruera California coast. A visition Bulletin. (See Circular No. 17)do.	ďΩ	direction of wind). Local weather conditions. Storm warnings and advisory warnings.
	Kilo- cycles	185	102	102	102 375	375	102	102	108	108	108 42.8	108	108	8,590	102	102
	Wave length	1, 621	2,941	2,941	2,941 800	908	2,941	2, 941	2, 776	2,776	2, 776 7, 000	2,776	2, 776	34.9	2,941	2,2 2,941
Station	Call	NPR	NPC		NPD		NPE		NPW		NPG	:,			NPL	<del></del>
<b>70</b>	Location	Dutch Harbor, Alaska.	Puget Sound, Wash		Tatoosh Island, Wash		Astoria, Wash		Eureka, Calif		San Francisco, Calif				San Diego, Calif	

Honolulu, Hawaii	NPM	5, 552	<b>3</b> 3	Forecasts of wind and wee neighboring ocean areas. Current barometric pressu	registrontial order and weather for Hawaiian Islands and 2230	d   2230	Honolulu, Hawaii (Weather Burreau station).
Cavite, P. I	NPO	5,354	25	Honolulu on Sunds Weather information	iys and holidays.	0430, 1400	Philippine weather service (Ma-
Tutnila Samoa Islanda	NPIT	2,776 37.34 18.67 2,828	8,034 16,068	00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00		0430, 1400 1400 0430 2300	mia). Samoan weather service (Tutulla).
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A base chart (size 83/4 by 111/2 inches) showing how weather reports transmitted in major bulletins may be entered and used in the preparation of weather maps at sea will be supplied free to masters who regularly take and forward weather observations to the United States Weather Bureau or to the United States Navy, Hydrographic Office.

#### DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME IN EFFECT IN SPAIN AND IRELAND

The legal time (daylight saving) was advanced 1 hour on April 20 at 11 p. m. in Spain and on April 21 at 2 a. m. in the Irish Free State.

#### TYPE B EMISSIONS PROHIBITED IN VICINITY OF ALGERIA

The Governor General of Algeria has placed in effect article 16, paragraph 3, subparagraph 3, of the general regulations annexed to the International Radio-telegraph Convention, Washington, 1927, which provides that "the use of type B wave of 665 kilocycles (450 meters) shall be forbidden henceforth in regions where this wave may interfere with broadcasting.

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Pursuant thereto the use of type B on the above-cited frequency is henceforth prohibited at a distance of 200 nautical miles from the coasts of Algeria between 1200 and 1400 hours and between 1800 and 2400 hours (12 a. m. to 2 p. m. and

6 to 12 p. m.) local time.

#### MEDICAL SERVICE BY OSTEND (BELGIUM) STATION

In future radio medical consultation service for ships will be assured by the coast station "Ostend Radio" (call signal OST). Requests for the consultation should bear as the address, "Radiomedical Ostend Radio," and be transmitted to this station.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TRANSMITTED BY SANTIAGO (CHILE) STATION

The Meteorological Office of Chile will transmit twice daily at 0130 and 1600 on a frequency of 100 kilocycles (3,000 meters), type A1, meteorological observations and a general forecast. Each transmission will commence with the words "Meteo Chile," and will contain the following information: (a) An estimate of the meteorological situation (en clair); (b) Meteorological observations in code taken at 1200 and 1800, respectively, at the meteorological stations (see list); (c) general weather forecast for the ensuing 24 hours (en clair).

Meteorological observations referred to in (b) will be given in the following

code: IIVS BBDFW.

# Meaning of code

II=Letter symbols of meteorological observation stations: AR=Arica. AN=Antofagasta. AS=Aysen. BO=Pto. Bories. CA=Caldera. CS=Constitucion. CQ=Coquimbo. CO=Corral. GA=Galera. GF=Guafo. IQ=Iquique. JF=Juan Fernández. ME=East Mocha. PM=Pto. Montt. PA=Pta Arenas. TL=Taltal. TU=Tumbes. VD=Valdivia. SA=Santiago. V=Visibility: 0=Objects not visible at 50 meters. 1=Objects visible at 50 meters.

V=Visibility: 0=Objects not visible at 50 meters. 1=Objects visible at 50 meters, but not visible at 200 meters. 2=Objects visible at 200 meters, but not visible at 500 meters. 3=Objects visible at 500 meters, but not visible at 1,000 meters. 4=Objects visible at 1 kilometer, but not visible at 2 kilometers. 5=Objects visible at 2 kilometers, but not visible at 4 kilometers. 6=Objects visible at 4 kilometers, but not visible at 10 kilometers. 7=Objects visible at 10 kilometers, but not visible at 20 kilometers, but not visible at 20 kilometers. 8=Objects visible at 20 kilometers, but not visible at 50 kilometers or more.

S=State of the sea: 0=Calm. 1=Very smooth. 2=Smooth. 3=Slight. 4=Moderate. 5=Moderate swell. 6=Swell. 7=High. 8=Very high. 9=

Phenomenal.

BB=Barometer reading (corrected) in millimeters, with initial figure 7 omitted. D=Wind direction: 1=N. 2=NE. 3=E. 4=SE. 5=S. 6=SW. 7=W. 8=NW.

F=Wind force (Beaufort scale: 0-9).

W=Weather at time of observation: 0=Fine, clear weather. 1=Very few clouds. 2=Cloudy. 3=Overcast. 4=Fog. 5=Drizzle. 6=Rain. 7=Snow, or sleet. 8=Squally. 9=Gale.

Note.—The weather forecast is based on a general analysis of the meteorological situation, deduced from information supplied by the meteorological observation stations and ships at sea.

#### RADIOBEACON ESTABLISHED AT CROMER, ENGLAND

During thick weather, whenever the atmosphere in the vicinity of the lighthouse is obscured so as to impede navigation, this radiobeacon located at the lighthouse in approximately latitude 52° 55′ N., longitude 1° 19′ E., will transmit on a frequency of 300 kilocycles (1,000 meters) continuously for 1 minute, every 4 minutes, the following:

(a) The signal MMC (\_\_. \_ . \_ .) will be emitted continuously. at

the rate of 15 words per minute, for 48 seconds, approximately.

(b) A continuous dash (\_\_\_\_\_\_) for 10 seconds, approximately.
(c) The signal MMC made once, of 2 seconds' duration, approximately. (The whole transmission of (a), (b), and (c) will occupy 1 minute.)

(d) A silent interval of 3 minutes.

During clear weather, in order to afford facilities for obtaining bearings, three emissions of the whole character of the signal described above will be made consecutively, at half-hour intervals approximately, commencing at 2 minutes past the hour.

Although this signal is to be permanent, it may be found necessary to make some adjustment after establishment, and the station should be considered as under test for a period of three months, during which time the signals may be

subject to temporary interruptions.

#### POSITION REPORTS REQUESTED BY GERMAN STATIONS

For the purpose of avoiding delays in the transmission of radiotelegrams destined to ships at sea, German coast stations, open to public service will demand, in general, from each ship which enters in its radius, conforming to the dispositions of article 24, paragraph 4, subparagraph 2 of the General Regulations annexed to the International Radiotelegraph Convention of Washington, information concerning its position, route, its next port, etc. This information will be demanded by press service, for which there is no charge. German ships should furnish this information to coast stations without being previously invited.

In order to permit a rapid and certain dispersement of radiotelegrams destined to ships at sea it is desirable that foreign ships likewise give the information above without special invitation from the time they enter within the radius of

action of a German coast station.

The German Government would be grateful to foreign governments if they would compel their ship stations to conform to the preceding dispositions as closely as possible. Radio operators of United States ships are hereby advised accordingly.

RADIO OPERATORS NOT TO TRANSMIT TRAFFIC DURING BROADCAST PERIODS NOR TEST WITHOUT GIVING CALL SIGNAL WHILE IN PORT

Reception of British broadcasting programs is seriously interfered with by operation of radio installations on ships anchored at docks and ports of Great Inasmuch as no call signals are transmitted during these operations and a great many ships are often only a short distance from one another it is

very difficult to identify the ships responsible for the interference.

An arrangement has been concluded on this subject with radio and British navigation companies. It stipulates that the operation of radio installations on board ships must be made outside of the hours of emission provided for radiobroadcasting. The attention of British operators has been caused to arricle 11, paragraph 3, of the International Radiotelegraph Regulations of Washington, The attention of British operators has been called to article 11, which prescribes that any station whatever sending out emissions for tests, adjustments, or experiments must transmit its call signal at frequent intervals during the course of these transmissions.

The British administration believes it should be sufficient to bring this procedure to the knowledge of radio operators aboard foreign ships in order to reduce in a large measure this interference. It is necessary to observe that these tests in question are prohibited at the docks and ports of Great Britain during

the hours provided for radiobroadcasting.

Radio operators on board vessels of the United States are hereby cautioned to comply with the requirements of this regulation, not only in British ports but throughout the world, otherwise they may be penalized.

APPLICATION FOR SHIP STATION LICENSE SHOULD GIVE CORRECT OWNERSHIP

Attention of all concerned is invited to the fact that applications for this class of license should agree with the outstanding marine document (register enrollment or license) issued by a customs officer. Where a vessel is undocumented but is recorded by a customs officer consequently bearing a number on its bow, the owner given in the application should agree with the record in the customhouse.

Recently the division received a number of applications giving as the owner the name of the parent company in lieu of the subsidiary company under which name the vessel had been incorporated and documented. In other cases the popular

name of the company or steamship line has been given.

The checking of these applications with the marine document record on file with the Bureau of Navigation of this department requires considerable time, and where the ownership does not agree the applications have to be returned to the applicant for correction.

Applications should be submitted for action by the Federal Radio Commission through the supervisor of radio or radio inspector at the different ports, list of

which are as follows:

(These districts should not be confused with the 5 radio zones established by the act of February 23, 1927, section 2, creating the Federal Radio Commission.)

Maine, New Hampshire. 1. Headquarters, customhouse, Boston, Mass.:

Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut.

2. Headquarters, Subtreasury Building, New York, N. Y.: New York (county of New York, Staten Island, Long Island, and counties on the Hudson River to and including Schenectady, Albany, and Rensselaer) and New Jersey (counties of Bergen, Passaic, Essex, Union, Middlesex, Monmouth, Hudson, and Ocean).

3. Headquarters, Detention Building, Immigration Station, Fort McHenry,

Baltimore, Md.: New Jersey (all counties not included in second district), Pennsylvania (counties of Philadelphia, Delaware, all counties south of the Blue Ridge Mountains, and Franklin County), Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, District of Columbia.

4. Headquarters, post-office building, Atlanta, Ga.: North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee, Alabama, Porto Rico, Virgin Islands.

5. Headquarters, customhouse, New Orleans, La., branch office in Burt Building, Dallas, Tex.: Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico.

6. Headquarters, customhouse, San Francisco, branch office in City Hall Building, Los Angeles, Calif.: California, Hawaii, Nevada, Utah, Arizona.

7. Headquarters, L. C. Smith Building, Seattle, Wash.: Oregon, Washington, Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming.

8. Headquarters, Commerce Building, Detroit, Mich., branch office in Post Office Building, Buffalo, N. Y.: New York (all counties not included in the second district), Pennsylvania (all counties not included in the third district),

Second district), Pennsylvania (all counties not included in the third district), West Virginia, Ohio, Michigan (Lower Peninsula).

9. Headquarters, Engineering Building, Chicago, Ill., branch offices in Federal Building, Kansas City, Mo. and in Federal Building, Duluth, Minn., open during lake navigation season, also branch office in St. Paul, Minn., open during period when lake navigation season is closed: Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan (Upper Peninsula), Minnesota, Kentucky, Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, Iowa, Victoria Paleta, North Nebraska, South Dakota, North Dakota.

AN ACT TO REQUIRE APPARATUS AND OPERATORS FOR RADIO COMMUNICATION ON CERTAIN OCEAN STEAMERS, APPROVED JUNE 24, 1910, AS AMENDED JULY 23, 1912 1

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress

assembled. SECTION 1. That from and after October first, nineteen hundred and twelve, it shall be unlawful for any steamer of the United States or of any foreign country navigating the ocean or the Great Lakes and licensed to carry, or carrying, fifty or more persons, including passengers or crew or both, to leave or attempt to leave any port of the United States unless such steamer shall be equipped with an efficient apparatus for

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The amended act applies to vessels licensed to carry as well as those actually carrying 50 or more persons, etc. This act of 1910 as amended in 1912 was not repealed by the radio act of 1927, approved Feb. 23.

radio communication, in good working order, capable of transmitting and receiving messages over a distance of at least one hundred miles, day or night. An auxiliary power supply, independent of the vessel's main electric power plant, must be provided which will enable the sending set for at least four hours to send messages over a distance of at least one hundred miles, day or night, and efficient communication between the operator in the radio room and the bridge shall be maintained at all times.

The radio equipment must be in charge of two or more persons skilled in the use of such apparatus, one or the other of whom shall be on duty at all times while the vessel is being navigated. Such equipment, operators, the regulation of their watches, and the transmission and receipt of messages, except as may be regulated by law or international agreement, shall be under the control of the master, in the case of a vessel of the United States; and every willful failure on the part of the master to enforce at sea the provisions of this paragraph as to equipment, operators, and watches shall subject him to a penalty of one hundred dollars. dollars.

That the provisions of this section shall not apply to steamers plying between ports, or places, less than two hundred miles apart.

SEC. 2. That this act, so far as it relates to the Great Lakes, shall take effect on and after April first, nineteen hundred and thirteen, and so far as it relates to ocean cargo steamers shall take effect on and after July first, nineteen hundred and thirteen: Provided, That on cargo steamers, in lieu of the second operator provided for in this act, there may be substituted a member of the crew or other person who shall be duly certified and entered in the ship's log as competent to receive and understand distress calls or other usual calls indicating danger, and to aid in maintaining a constant wireless watch so far as required for the safety

The remaining sections of the act of June 24, 1910, which are unchanged, read as follows:

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of this act apparatus for radio communication shall not be deemed to be efficient unless the company installing it shall contract in writing to exchange, and shall, in fact, exchange, as far as may be physically practicable, to be determined by the master of the vessel, messages with shore or ship stations using other systems of radio communication.

SEC. 3. That the master or other person being in charge of any such vessel which leaves or attempts to leave any port of the United States in violation of any of the provisions of this act shall, upon conviction, be fined in a sum not more than five thousand dollars, and any such fine shall be a lien upon such vessel, and such vessel may be libeled therefor in any district court of the United States within the jurisdiction of which such vessel shall arrive or depart, and the leaving or attempting to leave each and every port of the United States shall constitute a separate offense.

SEC. 4. That the Secretary of Commerce shall make such regulations as may be necessary to secure the proper execution of this act by collectors of customs and other officers of the Government.

#### THE PRAGUE BROADCASTING FREQUENCY PLAN

The first frequency plan to receive the collective assent of the European governments was formulated at the Prague conference which terminated on Saturday, April 13. Known as the Prague Plan, the new measure follows upon the decisions at the Washington Radio Convention, 1927, which provided that broadcasting frequencies should be dealt with by government action. The plan, which is notable for the inclusion of Russian stations, is due to come into operation on June 30 next.

Frequencies in kilocycles, approximate meters in parentheses	Country	Frequencies in kilocycles, approximate meters in parentheses	Country
Low frequencies		Medium frequencies—Con.	No.
160 (1,875) 167 (1,800) 174 (1,725) 183.5 (1,635) 193 (1,553) 207.5 (1,448) 207.5 (1,448) 217.5 (1,380) 222.5 (1,348) 230 (1,304) 250 (1,100) 260 (1,153) 280 (1,172) 297 (1,010)	France. Germany. Great Britain. Russia. Aviation. Poland. Aviation. Sweden. Russia. (Turkey. Iceland. Denmark. Norway.	554 (542) 563 (533) 572 (525) 581 (517) 585.5 (511) 590 (507) 599 (501) 603.5 (497)	Latvia. Austria. Russia. Belgium. Italy. Russia. Czechoslovakia. Russia. Great Britain. Russia. Germany. France.
Medium frequencies		666 (453) 671 (447)	Common wave.
320 (930) 364 (825) 375 (800) 385 (778) 395 (760) 442 (880) 527 (572) 531.5 (565)	Do. Do. Do. Switzerland.	011 (341) 689 (431) 689 (429) 702.5 (427) 707 (424) 716 (418) 725 (413) 729.5 (411) 734 (406)	Italy. Sweden. Yugoslavia. Russia. Spain. Germany. Ireland. Russia.
536 (560)	Germany.	743 (403)	Switzerland.

Frequencies in kilocycles, approximate meters in parentheses	Country	Frequencies in kilocycles, approximate meters in parentheses	Country
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Medium frequencies-Con.		Medium frequencies-Con.	
747.5 (401)	Russia.	1.094 (274)	Italy.
763 (399)	Great Britain.	1.103 (273)	France.
761 (394)	Rumania.	1.112 (270)	Greece.
770 (890)		1,121 (268)	Spain.
779 (385)	Poland and Italy.	1,130 (265)	France.
783.5 (383)	Russia.	1,139 (263)	Czechoslovakia.
788 (381)	France.	1,148 (261)	Great Britain.
792.5 (379)	Russia.	1,157 (259)	Germany.
797 (377)	Great Britain.	1,166 (257)	Sweden.
806 (372)	Germany.	1,175 (255)	France.
810.5 (375)	Russia.	1,184 (253)	
815 (368)	Spain.	1,193 (251)	Spain.
819.5 (366)	Russia.	1,202 (250)	
824 (364)	Norway.	11,211 (248)	Italy.
833 (360)	Germany.	1,220 (246)	Common wave.
842 (356)	Great Britain.	1,229 (244)	Albania (provi
851 (352)	Austria.	lia ana (a.a.	sionally Poland)
855.5 (351)	Russia.	1,238 (242)	Great Britain.
860 (349)	Spain.	1,274 (240)	Norway.
869 (345)	France.	1,256 (239)	Germany.
878 (342)	Czechoslovakia.	1,265 (237)	Divided between
887 (339) 891.5 (337)	Belgium.	lika a sa	Monaco, Nice and Corsica.
891.5 (337)	Russia.	1,274 (235)	Norway.
896 (335)		1,301 (231)	Sweden.
905 (332)			Olivery Pro-
914 (329)	France.	1,310 (229)	Germany.
923 (325)	Germany.	1,310 (229) 1,319 (227) 1,328 (226)	Rumania.
932 (322)	Sweden. Bulgaria.	1,337 (225)	Ireland.
941 (318) 950 (316)		1,346 (223)	Luxembourg.
959 (313)	Poland.	1,355 (221)	Finland.
968 (310)		1,364 (220)	France.
977 (307)	Vugoelevia	1,373 (218)	Common wave.
986 (304)	Yugoslavia. France.	1.382 (217)	Do.
995 (301)	Great Britain.	1,391 (216)	Do.
1,004 (298)	Holland.	1,400 (214)	Poland.
1 012 (205)	Esthonia	1 410 (218)	Italy.
1,010 (200)	(France	1_420_(211)	Rumania.
1,022 (293)	Czechoslovakia	1.430 (210)	Hungary.
1,022 (293) 1,031 (291)	Finland.	1,430 (210) 1,440 (208) 1,450 (207)	Belgium. Common wave.
1,040 (289)	Great Britain.	1.450 (207)	Common wave.
1 049 (288)	France.	1.460 (206)	Do.
1.058 (283)	Portugal.	1.470 (204)	Do.
1.067 (281)	Denmark.	1,480 (203)	
1,076 (279)	Czechosłovakia.	1,490 (202)	Do.
1,085 (276)	Germany.	1,500 (200)	Free.
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# RADIO SIGNAL TRANSMISSIONS OF STANDARD FREQUENCY, JULY TO DECEMBER

The Bureau of Standards announces a new schedule of radio signals of standard frequencies for use by the public in calibrating frequency standards and transmitting and receiving apparatus. The signals are transmitted from the bureau's station WWV, Washington, D. C. They can be heard and utilized by stations equipped for continuous-wave reception at distances up to about 1,000

miles from the transmitting station.

The transmissions are by continuous-wave radiotelegraphy. A complete frequency transmission includes a "general call" and "standard frequency" signal and "announcements." The general call is given at the beginning of the 5-minute period and continues for about 2 minutes. This includes a statement of the frequency. The standard frequency signal is a series of very long dashes with the call letter (WWV) intervening. This signal continues for about 4 minutes. The announcements are on the same frequency as the standard frequency signal just transmitted and contain a statement of the frequency. An announcement of the next frequency to be transmitted is then given. There is then a 4-minute interval while the transmitting set is adjusted for the next frequency.

Information on how to receive and utilize the signals is given in Bureau of Standards Letter Circular No. 171, which may be obtained by applying to the Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C. Even though only a few frequency points are received, persons can obtain as complete a frequency meter calibration as desired by the method of generator harmonics, information on which is given in the letter circular. The schedule of standard frequency signals is as follows:

Eastern standard time (p. m.)	July 22	Aug. 20	Sept. 20	Oct. 21	Nov. 20	Dec. 20
10	1,500 1,700 2,000 2,300 2,700 3,100 3,500 4,000	4, 000 4, 400 4, 800 5, 200 5, 800 6, 400 7, 000 7, 600	550 600 700 800 1,000 1,200 1,400 1,500	1, 600 1, 800 2, 000 2, 400 2, 800 3, 200 3, 600 4, 000	4, 000 4, 400 4, 800 5, 200 5, 800	550 600 700 800 1, 000 1, 200 1, 400 1, 500

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Continuous communication on a frequency of 6,000 kilocycles between ground and plane over distances up to 600 kilometers, using a 2-watt piezocontrolled transmitter with battery power was shown to be practical. Detailed description of experiments and explanation of results are given.

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  - Further contribution to the Kennelly-Heaviside layer problem is offered in the form of experimental data showing evidence of the diurnal cycles in layer height and a mathematical discussion of methods for the interpretation of group time and phase retardation experiments with the view of determining the relationship between "virtual" and "true" heights.
- R113.5 Dearlove, F. Radio-frequency phenomena associated with the Aurora Borealis. Experimental Wireless and Wireless Engineer (London), 6, pp. 193-195; April, 1929.

Observations made in Labrador and Newfoundhand on the effect of aurora borealis on reception at high frequencies. Two types of aurora appear—type A, a faint glow generally seen in northern sky extending faint streaks of greenish light in all directions and appearing at a great altitude, generally moving slowly but sometimes stationary; type B appears suddenly and consists of undulating patches of vivid greenish light. Type A, and to a less extent type B, produces very abnormal types of reception for frequencies of 7,500, 3,750, and 1,875 kilocycles, even during daylight.

R113.6 Lange, E. H. Note on earth reflection of ultra short radio waves. Proc. Inst. Radio Engrs., 17, pp. 745-751; April, 1929.

Computations and curves are given for the reflection coefficients and phase angles for various surface conditions in conjunction with a horizontal ultra short antenna. Theoretical polar diagrams were computed for various heights of horizontal antenna above the surface.

R130 Kingdon, K. H., and Mott-Smith, H. M. The operation of radio receiving tube filaments on alternating current—Part II. General Electric Review, 32, pp. 228-232; April, 1929.

Discussion of causes of distortion resulting from use of grid-leak with a detector tube which employs alternating current on the filament. When grid becomes sufficiently positive, grid current flows, causing grid voltage fluctuations which in turn give rise to a double-frequency ripple in plate current. Serious disturbances are caused if filament drop is greater than 0.1 volt.

R131 Barclay, W. A. The algebraic representation of triode valve characteristics. Experimental Wireless and Wireless Engineer (London), 6, pp. 178-183; April, 1929.

Analytical treatment of the "lumped" triode characteristic holding over the entire characteristic curve.

R131 Decaux, B. Un abaque de classification pour les triodes de reception, application a leur choix rationnel. (A chart classifying receiving tubes.) L'Onde Electrique, 8, pp. 37-40; January, 1929.

A chart is presented in which each tube is recorded as a point, its abscissa being the logarithm of the amplification factor and its ordinate being the logarithm of the internal resistance. The position of the point with respect to indicated zones shows for what purpose the tube is suitable.

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R133 Latour, M. A propos de la comminication de M. F. Bedeau sur "Les differentes methodes de determination de la condition d'entretien des oscillations dans les emetteurs a lampes." (Re a communication from M. F. Bedeau on "The different methods of determining the condition for continuous oscillations in electron transmitting tubes.") L'Onde Electrique, 8, pp. 77-79; February, 1929.

A brief summary of the author's earlier analysis of the conditions for continuous operation of a self-exciting 3-electrode tube generator.

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A mathematical graphical study of the building up and maintenance of radio-frequency in an electron tube generator. The consideration extends to various orders of magnitude of the damping constant and to the effect of a grid current.

Okabe, K. On the short-wave limit of magnetron oscillations. Proc. Inst. Radio Engrs., 17, pp. 652-59; April, 1929.

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Application of Wheatstone bridge to measurement of plate circuit admittance or impedance and mutual conductance of an electron tube under actual conditions. Current of audiofrequency was used.

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Fundamental principles involved in theory of frequency multiplication by means of ironcore coupled circuits are briefly reviewed from standpoint of Fourier's analysis as well as that of recurring transients.

Marique, J. Note sur le calcul des etages multiplicateurs de frequence a triodes. (Note on the design of frequency multiplying stages of triodes.) L'Onde Electrique, 8, pp. 1-19; January, 1929.

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Methods are given which have been employed for overcoming some difficulties met with in using a heterodyne micrometer, and improved arrangements are described for the indication of the zero beat condition audibly or visibly.

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Equipment installed in the Italian Royal Experimental Institute of Communications for radio-frequency measurements is described.

Cagniard, L. Deux examples de montages qui font intervenir la variation des caracterictiques d'un appareil recepteur ou de mesure. (Two examples of networks making use of the variation in characteristics of a receiving or a measuring apparatus.) L'Onde Electrique, 8, pp. 68-76; February, 1929.

A circuit with its analysis is presented for the accerate measurement of capacities, self-inductances, etc., at higher frequencies. The circuit is a Wheatstone bridge employing in its resonant measuring diagonal a quadrant electrometer. The capacity of the latter, being a function of its deflection, increases the sensitivity of the circuit enormously.

Hartshorn, L. The measurement of the inductance and effective resistance of iron cored coils carrying both direct and alternating current. Journal Scientific Instruments (London), 6, pp. 113-115; April, 1929.

Method is described for measurement of effective inductance and resistance of coils of large self inductance which are required to carry a comparatively large direct current with a superposed alternating-current ripple. Hay's inductance bridge is used with special arrangements for independent control and measurement of the alternating-current and direct-current components, the avoidance of earth capacity effects without grounding the alternating-current supply, and elimination of the direct current from the vibration galvanometer used as detector without losing sensitivity. Typical results are given.

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Losses in air condensers are due to leakage through the solid dielectric and to terminal and plate resistance. A method is developed for measuring each under conditions such that the other is negligibly small. Limits of the errors to which the methods are liable are discussed, and some results of practical measurements are quoted.

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 Method described whereby the peak value of the radio-frequency current is measured with-

Method described whereby the peak value of the radio-frequency current is measured with out modulation. The modulation is then applied and the peak value again measured.

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Presents theory of the antenna as a radiator with special reference to its ability to radiate rays parallel to the surface of the earth. Account of experiments with different types of antennas designed to achieve this result is given. Theory of attenuation of waves having frequencies between 500 and 1,500 kilocycles is given, and a complete set of curves taken from a transmitting antenna near London is shown. Data is given for aiding in the determination of extent of service area for a broadcasting station.

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Gives description of several power tubes and their characteristics.

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Design and construction data.

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Detailed description of testing equipment capable of measuring performance characteristics of modern radio receivers with design conforming to the restrictions of the standardization committee. A novel modulation meter is described.

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- R357 Greibach, E. H. A new type of precision frequency changer for instrument calibration. Electric Journal, 26, pp. 125-126; March, 1929.

  A photo-electric means of producing wide and accurately known variations in the frequency obtained through a standard tuning fork.
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   A summary is presented of the factors affecting the quality of radiophone reception discussing (1) distortion due to unfaithful reproduction of frequency and amplitude, (2) distortion due to parasitic frequencies, and (3) necessary precautions in detection and in the amplification of audiofrequencies. It is concluded that improvement in quality is to be secured at a sacrifice of sensitivity and selectivity in the receiving apparatus.
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  Derivation of expressions for the superposition of circular motions such as produced in a cathode-ray tube.

  R500.—Applications of radio
- R526.1 Aicardi. Reperage de directions fixes au moyen d'ondes Hertziennes—Radio alignements. (Fixed direction marking by radio waves). L'Onde Electrique, 8, pp. 20-28; January, 1929.

A beacon system is described employing the transmission on the same wave length from two separate antennas. One transmission is slightly modulated. The number and the disposition of the nodal lines in the resultant field are indicated. A practical scheme for periodically displacing these lines to enable the observer to know his position with respect to them is also presented.

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On the sound waves radiated from loud-speakers diaphragms. Experimental Wireless and Wireless Engineer (London), 8, pp. 175-177; April, 1929.

A review of the radiation of sound waves from commercial types of loud-speakers with special reference to beam effects.

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Report of experiments with Hypernik-cored chokes by the Physical Institute of the Technical University at Munich. Measurements of inductance and losses at varying field strengths were taken and compared with those of ordinary dynamo sheet iron. Hypernik is a special alloy of

iron and nickel manufactured by the Westinghouse Co.

#### OBITUARY

The division deeply regrets to announce the death of R. Y. Cadmus, supervisor of radio, in charge of the third radio district, with headquarters at Baltimore, Md. Mr. Cadmus was one of the two radio inspectors first appointed under the original radio act, the other inspector being W. D. Terrell, the present head of the radio division of this department.

Mr. Cadmus entered on duty July 1, 1911, and served continuously with the exception of the period of the World War, during which time he saw service as an officer in the United States Navy. He also was an officer in this branch of

the military forces during the Spanish-American War.

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