

W T C

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Mr. Ernest R. Cooper, Editor
National Radio Club
438 East 21st Street
Brooklyn, 26, New York

Dear Mr. Cooper:

I sincerely thank you for your recent letter and interest in our station. Naturally we are very happy and proud of our new station. We feel we have one of the finest stations in the area because of the new equipment and attention to high quality audio.

Some of the technical details of our station:
Freq. — 1550 kc daytime
Power — 500 watts
Transmitter — Gates bc 500 t
Antenna — 185 ft utility guyed — with Andrews 4 bay fm ant. mounted on top. Transmission line isolated from tower by $\frac{1}{4}$ matching stub. Ground system buried in swamp. Ground elev. 1300 ft above sea level. Audio — Gates yard console & level devil amp. EV. 654 microphones new Gates stereo tables. GE vrt2 pro. cartiges. We have no regular time scheduled for freq. checks as yet.

This letter will also verify that you did hear W T C the morning of August 18, 1960 from 5:01 am to 5:16²⁰.

In answer to your question concerning the length of time for construction. It took 21 days for complete construction and 15 additional days before the start of programing. The eight days you quoted for W E O K sounds almost impossible under present F & C policies. A standard 10 day waiting period from the time construction is completed to the start of programing is now in effect.

Once again let me say I appreciated your letter and look forward to more reports from club members.

Sincerely,
Victor A. Michael
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