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Kermit Geary RFD #2 Walnutfort, Pa.

Dear DXer Geary:

Here's something you've been waiting for. This letter will serve to verify your reception of radio station KFGT, 1340 kilocycles on March 22nd, 1954 during our special DX program for the National Radio Club of Buffalo, N. Y.

KFGT operates with unlimited time and 100 watts on a frequency of 1340 kilocycles. The station has been on the air for many years, beginning with the call-letters of KORN, and a power of 250 watts on 1400 kcs. In March of 1949, the call-letters were changed to the present KFGT, when the station was bought by the Fremont Guide and Tribune, hence, the last three letters F-G-T. KFGT operates from 6 am to 10 pm CST, and has no scheduled frequency check, thich is done during the regular programming by KOIL in Omaha.

The station utilizes a Collins 300A transmitter running a power of 100 watts. Only 100 watts is authorized because of the proximity of stations in Estherville, Iowa and Kearney, Nebraska on the same frequency. The antenna is a guyed, vertical, uniform cross-section tower 182 feet high and is located a mile and a half north-east of the center of Fremont, just east of highway 275.

You might be interested to know that KFGT was received by 53DXers in 25 states and Canada. Leading states were Pa. with 8, N.Y. with 6, and Ohio and Ill. with 5 apiece.

Again, many thanks for your interesting report and hope to hear from you again. Best of luck in your DXing.

Sincerely,

Marvin E. Robbins NRC for Robert L. Johnson General Manager KFGT