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Mr. Kermit Geary, RFD #2 Walnutport Pennsylvania.

Dear Mr. Geary;

Wish to thank you very deeply for your fine constructive comments on reception of our AFRS outlet here in San J_u an.

On November 22nd 1951 we were operating on two hundred fifty watt, Airco Transmitter, 1470 KC's.

We were greatly surprised to hear from such a distance and our engineer Mr. Tomas Valines wishes to thank you for your comments from the engineering standpoint.

We are located at the US NAVAL Station, San Juan, P. R. with antenna stranded cable \(\frac{1}{4} \) wave on telephone poles, cable at 45 feet elevation.

The Airco Transmitter we are using is a surplus Army Signal set with lots of bugs which Mr. Valines is working on, we alternate with a Collins Model 32 RA- 7 of only 50 watts on days when the bigger set is down for alterations so that is why you probably have not been receiving us more often, incidentally both transmitters are High Frequency transmitters re-designed for standard broadcast by our engineer.

Thank you again very much for your helpful information and send you the Seasons greeting from AFRS San Juan, P. R.

Sincerely yours,

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M/Sgt US Army Station Manager

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