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ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO:-

GODERICH, ONTARIO

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Dear Joe,

PRESIDENT
and EDITOR
Fred H. Bisset

Many thanks for listening and the FB report, it certainly was just the type I expected from 17.4. Spring St., Williamsville, N. Y. (Very Complete!) and it certainly gives a real idea of just how it gets out and sounds!

COURTESY
PROGRAMS
COMMITTEE
Elwin H. Ballard
Chairman
Albert Sandham
Vice-chairman

The music is from terrible old records and I don't see how anybody can follow them at all. The Horn is not used on the phonograph and use the tone-arm only holding the mike right against the tone box. I had a fearful time staying awake and that explains the reason why everything was so slow. Hi The click was caused by my laying down the tone arm and that's that! Hi

PUBLICITY
MANAGER
Bernard L. Ahnon Jr

Was surprised to learn that you could actually hear the carrier when it was modulated because when listening to a small regenerative set that I have oscillating on the signal to find out how it sounds it just broke the carrier all up. When not talking or ~~not~~ playing music (?) the carrier was a nice clear whistle! On regular stations when it is oscillating on them you can always hear the whistle even when the modulation is applied. For this reason I didn't put any more modulation on! However on the next test I'll let it rip! Hi

SHORT
WAVES
EDITOR
Frank Patch

The signal sounds OK around this part although a bit rough.

TECHNICAL
ADVISOR
Charles Hesterian

Can't understand the fact that the announcing faded, unless I was fooling with the modulation control, while the carrier remained steady! Boy, I'll modulate that carrier 100% or know the reason why. I have the power behind it (the modulator) and there's no reason I can't get it modulated 100%. The only trouble is that it will frequency modulate or jump around a lot!

CIRCLE
LETTERS
MANAGER
Leo Shelly

I'll put it on the air then next Saturday morning, Sunday I'm away down to London for a day or so! The time will be 4-5 am or later! Was surprised to learn also that you were picking me up right till the last because I could read by the light from the window. Will stay on the air to maybe 5.45 am EST!

(over for sign off)

(160) (100) So far the following report correctly, Williamsville, N. Y.,
Warton, Ont., Walkerton, Ont. (50 miles), London, Ont. (80m),
Ingersoll, Ont., (60m), and Indianapolis, Ind. (250 miles). Earl
happened on it by mistake and identified a record OK!

Re those Buffalo boys, I consider them very 'loose DXers' also
and its impossible to believe them! Hi But they 'believe'
and its practically impossible to tell them differently! What
do you think we should do? I don't like it either.

Bulletins have been rather slack on news lately but expect
we'll find enough for one more anyway. Hi Boy? I'll be
glad to see that one in the mail! Everything seems just to
arrive at the right minute even though IDA and KRC get ahead of
us. Hi The list of Aust. frequencies arrived from New Zealand
for this issue while the IDA have had it in for a couple of
weeks from Aust. Hi

By the way my aerial isn't so hot for transmitting either!
Its long enough and grounded OK but its not near high enough!
On the 350 mile 'gram it was only about 30ft up. The equipment
I am using is a pair of 45s as oscillators modulated directly
by a pair of 46s and driven by a 46. The 46s are supposed to
modulate 60 watts input 100%. I was running about 40 watts
input but that doesn't mean anything as far as the aerial power
goes. Wish I had an aerial long enough so that I could forget
the grounded part. It would get all the pep into the aerial
and forget the ground! Hi It would have to be 312ft long
to resonate at 1500 kcs and I can't get an aerial to stay up.
Hi

Well let's hope the signal gets down to Williamsville
once again. Will be on on the 28th from 2.45 to daylight
continuously! And that will be the final period for the xmt
I believe for good. Hi Wish I had it going about 3 months
back! By the way I may continue into broad daylight on
Saturday's period and wonder how long it will hold. After
5 am appears to be the only time when the set gets out as
all reports are after 5 am to sign off! I don't know why!

Yrs and thanks again,

