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RUMFORD BROADCASTING COMPANY

TELEPHONE 1057

89 CONGRESS STREET
RUMFORD, MAINE

October 19, 1955

GEORGE B. CUNNINGHAM
Commercial ManagerMr. J. W. Brauner
P.O. Box 22
Valier, Pa.

Dear Mr. Brauner;

Thank you very much for your report of reception of this station on 10/13/55. All information in your letter checks with the program log covering that same period.

Your report is the farthest away I have received so far on regular broadcast time. Others have been from Jamaica Plains, Mass; and Bradford, Mass; and a pickup of one of our frequency test broadcasts from Staten Island, N. Y. My next test, by the way, will be on 11/7/55 at 1205 AM.

We are a relatively new station having been on 790, daytime, since 2/5/55, before that we were on 1450, unlimited, from 8/21/53 to 7/10/54 when everthing burned flat.

We are an independent operation with our 1 kw Gates transmitter 4 miles out of Rumford operated 100% by remote control. Our tower 330 feet tall on an 750 foot hill, is the highest radio tower above sea level in the State. We need the elevation to get out over these here hills. Studios are in Rumford and Farmington.

Thank you for your report

Edward J. Tremblay
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Chief Engineer

P. S. We are going on the air next April with a 1000 watt daytimer on 1150 kc in Skowhegan, Maine, would be interested in a report on it if it gets that far.