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Dear DX-er:

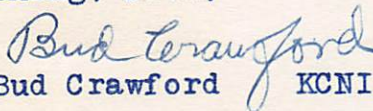
Yours of the 22nd received to-day and many thanks for same. Am very sleepy from another nite of equipment-tests but better beat out a veri since it will not get done if laid aside.

You "sho nuff" heard "Keeping Central Nebraska Informed" on our Thurs ay em Sept 22nd freq and equipment test program.

We are hoping get our go-ahead on regular programs about tomorrow from Uncle on the Potomoc and if do: will be on regularly in daytime til 10 P M CST. Imagine about once a month hereafter on freq check with our Minneapolis monitor as the station monitor seems be following the cycles adequately. Hence not many more chances for you DX clubbers to hearus on after-midnite runs (oh, how I hate to lose sleep!)

Back around 1934-36 I used to get up and tune in DX stations in the BC band or ham a bit on 80. At that time I was living on a ranch in NW of here about 80 miles and using battery sets with not much inherent background and my 160 meter phone aerial, I heard many Japs in the BC band and sme Aussies, but rarely a Zedder. Was down to our Kow Kamp ranch one morning in April tho and the antenna there ran NE-SW wich my brother used to QSO m~~y~~ on 160 F, and on~~e~~ it only one weak Jap but 13 Zedders did I hear in few mins. So found out how-firectional some antennas are. Here at this location, noise is so-awful DX is normally impossible; so feel the natives will welcome our local with amazed ears when we get going in daytime for them.

Again our sincere thanks for your report and bewt wishes for your DXing, from,


Bud Crawford

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Pres, C.E., MGR etc (hi).