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FORT PAYNE, ALABAMA

Dear Mr. Maguire:

This is verification of your letter received reporting reception of a special test program from WZOB on Sunday morning, March 25, 1951. We were very pleased with the letters that we received since we had reports from 32 different D'Xer's and thought perhaps you might like to know them so we are enclosing a list with their names and address.

WZOB is located in the city of Fort Payne, in the northeastern part of Alabama, in the heart of America's most densely populated rural area. The studio and transmitter are in the same building and is located on Highway 35 leading out of Fort Payne. Our city has a population of 6227 with the main industry being the manufacture of hosiery.

WZOB went on the air July 2, 1950. The transmitter is Western Electric 443-A1, antenna is series fed with 483 feet of 65 OHMS coax. Tower 209 feet overall height, ground system is composed of 120 radials 200 feet long and 120 radials 50 feet long. We have Gate's console and turntables, limiting amplifier and frequency monitor with the modulation monitor being General Radio.

The log for Sunday morning, March 25, 1951, CST is as follows:

2:05 - "Dixie" - Johnny Long Orchestra
Announcement
"That's What I Like About the South" - Phil Harris
"Stars Fell on Alabama"
Announcement and record "Bessie the Heifer" - Jimmy Dickens
Announcement - Record "Mississippi Flier"
Announcement - "Cold Feet" - Jimmy Dickens
Announcement
"Jesus Met the Woman at the Well" - Fairfield Four
Announcement
"Dixie"
Sign Off - 2:36 A. M.

We certainly appreciate every letter that we received and want to thank each and everyone of you for your fine reception reports. We hope it will be possible for us to have another test program in the very near future.

Sincerely yours,

Jess Moore, Chief Engr. W4PYL
Olive Plunkett, Woman's Dir.
Ted Kirby, Anncr.
Henry Hoffman, Engr. & Anncr.

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