


WIRJ
GIBSON COUNTY BROADCASTING CO.

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VERIFICATION

Mr. Norman L. Maguire
434 North Maple
Albuquerque
New Mexico

Dear Mr. Maguire:

It gives me great pleasure to verify your report on the reception of our station. I have received more than fifty letters from DX listeners in twenty-one states as widely separated as New York, Texas, Colorado, California, and Ontario, Canada. It certainly is gratifying to know that this little station is capable of such a strong signal at so great a distance. You had the distinction of having heard this station the first time it was fired up.

The transmitter is a new Collins 250 watt, using a pair of parallel 810 tubes in the final amplifier. The antenna is a conventional 270 foot guyed tower with a ground system fanned out in mud and water. Our next frequency check will begin at 1:30 C.S.T. February first and probably monthly thereafter. We expect to begin regular program operation about February second, daytime only.

On behalf of the entire staff of WIRJ, may I say thanks a lot for your kind letter and good report.

Sincerely,

R. E. Van Loon
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Chief Engineer