

WDCR At Dartmouth College
HANOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

April 22, 1959

Mr. S.R. Morss
RFD #3
Bradford, Mass.

Dear Mr. Ernst:

Thank you for your prompt reply to the WDCR DX broadcast of April 13, 1959. The results have not been overwhelming because of the interference from WIRY in Plattsburgh, New York, however, a new distance record was set. Mr. David F. Thomas of Proctorville, Ohio was able to catch bits of our broadcast between 2:00 and 3:00 am. By rough calculation, I estimate that Proctorville, just outside Huntington, W.Va., is more than 700 miles from Hanover.

Exact verification of your report by the times you listed will be difficult, since we kept no accurate log of our programming. However, since your letter mentioned such key phrases as "Send a card to WDCR, Box 1032, Hanover, N.H." and "This is WDCR doing DX programming", I can believe that you actually did receive WDCR that evening. The music played included sound effects, marches, and dixieland jazz. Please take this then as a verification of your report.

When all of the letters are in, I hope to make a map showing the places where WDCR was heard that evening. Please look for the map as it will be along within a few weeks.

Again thanks for making this program a success.

Sincerely yours,

Don B. Knapp

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Technical Director, WDCR