

W S R S

"The Family Station"

CEDAR AND LEE ROADS

CLEVELAND HEIGHTS 18, OHIO

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Dear Mr. Stanwood R. Morss:

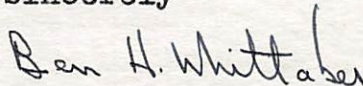
The staff and management of W S R S wish to thank you for your letter indicating reception of our station on the morning, December 21, 1948. The log you submitted was correct and this letter is a varification of your reception of W S R S on the above date.

This first official DX program by our station produced twenty-two reports. The most outlying from Minnesota, Missouri, North Carolina, Massachusetts. Apparently QRM was at a minimum and the heavy QRM was produced 90% by W W S W and 10% by a Puerto Rican.

W S R S is located in an eastern suburb, eleven miles from the center of Cleveland. The studios and transmitter are located on the second floor of a two story building. The tower is 200 feet high and is situated 35 feet above street level. The top 60 feet is a four section R C A Pylon used for our FM operations. We use an ungrounded counterpoise consisting of 120 wire radials emanating every three degrees from the tower base. The station is completely R C A equipped including a BTA-250L 250W Transmitter using two parallel 810 tubes in the final. Input power to these tubes is 300 watts.

Again we wish to thank you for your report and hope that when the next program is presented, more favorable conditions will prevail.

Sincerely



Ben H. Whittaker
Chief Engineer