

5-18-70 This is to verify that the information contained in this letter is correct according to our logs for the date Member of mentioned. Benny L. Jones c.e.



NATIONAL RADIO CLUB

Benny L. Jones

Please reply to:

John Sampson
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27106

Radio Station WRIS
Roanoke, Virginia

Gentlemen:

I am pleased to report reception of your station on Tuesday, May 5, 1970
from 8:14 PM to 8:14 1/2 PM Eastern Daylight Time on 1410 kcs.

Items and announcements heard on this broadcast are as follows:

I heard an extremely brief portion of your WRIS sign off announcement. I tape recorded it & am copying it below since I hope it distinctive enough to warrant a WRIS verification of reception.

8:14 Country & western hoedown type fiddle music was in progress. - Then this sign off announcement was given - "The sound of the programs heard today on WRIS was ... (I couldn't catch this word) broadcast, presented ... (or this one) news & recorded. WRIS, Roanoke, Virginia, comes to the end of another day of radio broadcasting in the public interest. WRIS operates at 1410 kilohertz with a power of 500 watts, 6 AM 'til sunrise, 5000 watts, sunrise 'til sunset, as licensed by the F.C.C. This station is owned & operated by WRIS, Inc. ... & you faded again. I did hear mention of "WILM, Salem, Va." about 30 sec. later but was

Receiver: Hammarlund HQ-180A Signal strength: Good only } unable to hear anymore definite.
Antenna: 4 1/2 foot loop } initial part of the announcement. You faded all of a sudden & completely.
Interference: Very heavy from KQV, WPCC & others
Atmospheric noise: None Fading: as noted Readability: Good
Temperature: 65 degrees. Weather: clear

I shall be pleased to hear from you in reply to the above report, and to receive a letter of verification of my reception for which RETURN POSTAGE is enclosed. Sincerely thanking you, I am

Very truly yours,

John Sampson

I can hear you occasionally during the day, but not well enough to log yet. (you are under 1000 miles away here) on your WRIS letterhead, if possible

The self-addressed, stamped envelope.

WRIS (WIS) here