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Radio Station WAQY
Birmingham, Alabama

Please reply to:

◇ **ERNEST J. WESOLOWSKI**
1416 PASADENA AVENUE
OMAHA 7, NEBRASKA - USA

ZIP CODE: 68107-11 *Ran Proof this Date*

Gentlemen:

I am pleased to report reception of your station on Thursday, January 7, 1965
from 12:48 am to 1:22 am Central Standard Time on 1220 kcs.

Items and announcements heard on this broadcast are as follows:

- 12:48 CST TESTING PERIOD with open carrier & some cycle tone.
- 12:52 STATION ID: "This is WAQY, Birmingham, Alabama, 1220 on the dial, Equipment Check."
- 12:52:10 Variable Test Tone. Some open carrier with no modulation.
- 1:01 Did you cut your carrier at this time?
- 1:15 (after I returned to the frequency, you were back on the air with a 1000 cycle tone.)
- 1:21 STATION ID: "This is WA." (Abrupt cut in carrier)
- 1:22 STATION ID: "This is WAQY, Birmingham, Alabama."

This is my second report to your station. The first copy of this was mailed to your Chief Entineer on the above date (three years ago), but as of February 10, 1968, I have not received a reply. It is quite possible that my first letter was either lost or misplaced.

May I please have a verification of reception, typed on your WAQY letterhead, stating the date & time of this report? Do you also have an extra COVERAGE MAP available? Please accept the 10¢ for your trouble and have a cup of coffee while typing a reply. 73's.

none available An

Receiver: National NC-183D 17 tubes
Hackerlund HQ-180-A 18 tubes Signal strength: S-8; steady

Antenna: Single wire 160' "V" open toward the North. 15' above ground.

Interference: Another unknown tester with tone & open carrier. XEB in Mexico City.

Atmospheric noise: _____ Fading: slight Readability: 100%

Temperature 43 degrees. Weather Cloudy, humidity at 90%

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

Reception Report # 65-4

Very truly yours,
Mr. Ernest J. Wesolowski
Mr. Ernest J. Wesolowski
Director of the International
Radio Club of America.

WONE

Motivation by N.S. Harley, WAQY-

May 3-1968
WAQY X-mtr
Birmingham, Ala.

Dear Mr. Wesolowski,

I found the enclosed letter, when I was cleaning out an old desk.

Inasmuch as I was not working for WAQY at the time you state you heard it, all I can do is tell you this.

"Proof of Performance" records at the Transmitter are dated Jan. 1-1965. There was no Transmitter Logs, here, when I came to work, covering this year (1965)

Evidently - you did hear - WAQY - as you mentioned - Jones - (IKC - etc) - transmitted on the carrier 1220 KCS, and a Station ID.

Sorry, I can't personally verify your report. No Engineer, now here, (only 2) worked at this Station during 1965.

No Coverage maps available and no typewriter & letterheads at the Transmitter. Sorry.

I am returning your letter, and thank you for your interest in "WAQY".

Yours Truly,
Norman A. Henley
(Present) Chief Engineer
WAQY X-MTR.

WAQY - 1KW - 1220KC - DAYTIME ONLY.

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