


Bits and pieces surface on our Champion DX'er of Vallejo, Calif. Here is a nice writeup in the Oakland Tribune dated April 1940. Note the sentence about President Roosevelt. Our subject Ollie Ross expired 17 November 1971 at Vallejo.

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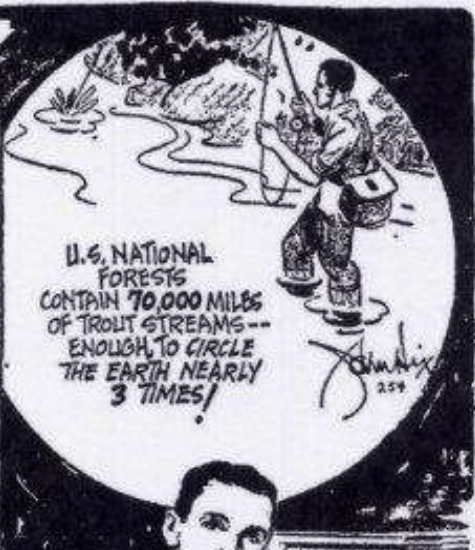
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STRANGE AS IT SEEMS —By John Hix




MONUMENT THAT TELLS TIME!

THE SHADOW OF THE OBELISK IN CIRCULAR ST. PETER'S SQUARE, ROME, IS USED TO TELL THE TIME OF DAY



U.S. NATIONAL FORESTS CONTAIN 70,000 MILES OF TROUT STREAMS— ENOUGH TO CIRCLE THE EARTH NEARLY 3 TIMES!

THE DX CHAMP!
OLLIE ROSS—
 Vallejo, Calif.,
 HAS LOGGED EVERY KNOWN COMMERCIAL STATION ON THE BROADCAST BAND!
 (1963 STATIONS IN 76 COUNTRIES)
 HE "PULLED IN" A 7½-WATT STATION IN BERMUDA OVER 3000 MILES DISTANT!



<p>DX CHAMPION Ollie Ross of Vallejo, Calif., has set a radio mark by logging 1963 stations—every commercial station</p>	<p>on the broadcast band! After 20 years' hard work he has perfected an amazing combination aerial-ground unit that catches with clarity such broadcasts as those of</p>	<p>TWJ, Bermuda, 7½ watts, world's smallest commercial station, more than 3000 miles distant. He has installed his unit for many notables, including President Roosevelt.</p>
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NICE ARTICLE ON OLLIE ROSS CHAMPION DX'ER FROM VALLEJO. 30 APRIL 1940

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