#### ARLINGTON STATION IS FULLY EQUIPPED

NAVAL RADIO UNIT BEST

Interesting Description Given of Great Government Broadcasting Plant In Virginia; Details

In a measure, five radiocasting stations are housed under one roof at Arlington, Virginia. NAA, call letters of this naval radio station, is equipped with five antennae and an equal number of transmitting sets.

Spark and arc transmitting sets have been discarded and electrontube transmitters have been installed in their stead. These tube sending sets vary in power from 1,000 watts to 20,000 watts; the latest installation being a 20,000-watt electrontube transmitter for direct radio OPEN SEASON FOR communication with the battleship fleet on the Atlantic ocean.

Traffic Re-Routed

Traffic heretofore routed from the Navy department in Washington, by remote control, through the radio station at Sayville, Long Island, New York, is being cleared through this 20,000-watt equipment at Arlington. Federal Law Is Quoted to Show This new transmitter operates on the wavelength formerly assigned the Sayville station, 9,145 meters, and the 200-kilowatt arc sending set on Long Island has been discarded and the Sayville station ahandoned. The International Morse telegraph code, not voice communication, is the method of signaling employed by this new tube transmitter, according to the Christian Science Monitor.

The five transmitters at Arlington could be operated simultaneously. However, only three transmitting sets are functioning at any one time. Four of the five transmitting units are spaces; and the fifth sending set is shall comply with the federal regulacalled the "radiocasting set," it be- tions. ing employed in the transmission of voice communications. Weather forecasts from the Weather bureau, for instance, are transmitted twice daily by means of this "radiocasting set. One of the 1,000-watt transmitters is Illinois legislature or the director of signals twice daily from the Naval observatory.

Diversity of Traffic

The growth

Civil Service commission and the Pub- as other restrictions. lic Health service use the facilities of this naval station regularly. The subjects radiocast include the following. in the law covering migratory birds. Service commission vacancies for gov- of these birds are: ernment positions, geology, labor,

ing on the coasts. The Arlington station was the first Shooting before sunrise or after unit in the chain of high-powered sunset prohibited. radio stations established by the Shooting prohibited from blinds be-Navy department. The three orig- youd line of natural cover or from inal masts or towers were built in power or sail boat. each 450 feet tall. Two auxiliary an- ited. 10,000 pounds.

## **MIGRATORY BIRDS**

Opening of Season Begins Oct. 1 For Various Kinds of Game

Warning to hunters that the opening of the shooting season far migratory game birds, ducks, geese, brant coots is October 1 instead of September 16 was issued last week by William J. Stratton, director of the State Department of Conservation.

While the Illinois Game Code gives the open season for taking migratory birds as September 16 to December 31 used for sending dots, dashes and it also provides that the Illinois law

Change in Season

The change of the shooting season to October 1 to January 15 was made by proclamation by the federal government. No action was taken by the conservation in this change of dates.

Director Stratton in his warning stated that the greatest possible amount of publicity was being given The diversity of the traffic from this change so that none of the 300,these five-in-one radiocasting stations | 000 hunters licensed by the state at Arlington ranges from the sending would violate this regulation through of market quotations, to an occasion- lack of information. State as well as al address by the President of the federal game wardens have received

United States. The Department of instructions to insist upon street ob-Agriculture, the War department, the servance of open season dates as well Features of Law

No other changes have been made Time signals, weather forecasts, Civil The high points covering the hunting

Open season October 1 to January child welfare, education, and life-sav- 15-Daily bag limits: ducks 15; geese 8; brant 8; coots 15.

1913. One of the original masts is Use of rifle, swivel gun, nets or 600 feet high, and the other two are sneak boat or sing box also prohib-

tenna masts were constructed about Director Stratton in his warning four years ago. During a storm this also stressed the importance of duck last winter several feet were ripped clubs and operators of shooting off of one of the antenna towers. The grounds purchasing club licenses bethree original antenna masts are fore any shooting is done. Four hunspaced 350 fees apart, and the towers dred of these club licenses were issued are designed to withstand a load of last year and it seems probable that the number will be even greater this year. Falure to comply with this provision means a fine and closing of the club for one year.

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