ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR 30 SEPTEMBER 1973

It gives me great pleasure to present my 24th and probably final annual report as Director of the AAVSO. As in the past, each year seems to bring more expansion of our activities in the office and among the members.

During the college year, our student key-punch operators worked diligently and efficiently and, with added help of a smaller summer staff, we are now punching observations received early in 1972. Many of our observers are now punching their own observations in our standard format. This is a big help to us, and will make a sizable difference in the number of cards we will have to punch in the future.

SPECIAL REQUESTS. The U Gem-type variables are among the most popular types for study today, and while we have learned a great deal about them, there are still many unexplained problems.

A group of X-ray observers at M.I.T. were making a special survey of the Cygnus Loop and accidentally detected a source of ultra-soft X-ray emission near SS Cygni. Dr. Rappaport and others of the group contacted AAVSO Headquarters, seeking information about the optical brightness of the star. They have a record of six scans of the region by various observers between 1969 and 1973. On only two dates was the star at maximum: 19 December 1970, and 30 March 1973. The 1970 scan by Cal Tech observers was done under poor conditions, but in 1973 the M.I.T. group, with excellent conditions, detected the emission for the first time. They are also looking for pulsations when SS Cyg is at maximum, and asked to be alerted when the beginning of a rise was observed. Mrs. Mattei (who was in close communication with the M.I.T. group) arranged to have AAVSO'ers contact her at any sign of an increase in brightness. They did not detect any pulsation during the September Conditions were excellent for the early October maximum, and results are yet to be reported. The AAVSO is playing a vital part in this survey. The results of the detection of soft X-rays will be published in Astrophysical Journal Letters in the near future.

Dr. Holm of the University of Wisconsin Space Astronomy Laboratory asked for optical data on SS Cygni to correlate with ultra-violet photometry he had obtained during 1972 and 1973 with the Orbiting Astronomical Observatory. He is also searching for UBV observations of SS Cygni but has not found any. This is a good field for our photoelectric observers.

Last fall, Dr. George Wallerstein wrote from the University of Washington that there was some possibility that U Gem itself had been detected as a soft X-ray source on two occasions, and asked for AAVSO observations. On his first date, 13 December 1966, U Gem was about two days past a narrow maximum, but on his second date, 14 February 1970, the star was at minimum, about 30 days before a narrow maximum. Therefore no conclusion could be drawn, but future observations, made with AAVSO cooperation, may be very significant.

Ray Cruddace of the Space Science Laboratory at Berkeley telephoned for data on U Gem for 10 February 1973. They had rocket observations which did not detect any unusual emission, but AAVSO observations showed that U Gem was at minimum. Again our observations were of very significant value.

There are many studies underway on the bright nova (HR)

Del 1967. Miss Seitter and Mr. Dürbeck of the Hoher List Observatory of Bonn, Germany are publishing an atlas of spectra of Nova Del and wanted a complete light curve to accompany it. We sent them our material of six to seven thousand observations. When I saw them in Poland this summer they said our material was of the greatest value.

Dr. L. Kohoutek of the Hamburg Observatory also asked for our observations to use in his definitive light curve of HR Del. He thanked us saying, "AAVSO observations are very valuable for me."

Our member Stephen Burt of Wesleyan University wrote for suggestions on his thesis topic. Mrs. Mattei, who had written her Master's thesis on the T Tauri Phenomena, sent him many suggestions for future research, together with references to work already published.

Roger Facklam, a young student at the Chapman Kansas High School wrote a long letter about his proposal for using computer techniques in conjunction with observations of variables. He has access to the Kansas State University IBM 360 model 50 computer.

Dr. Paul Rybski of the University of Texas at Austin was working on the detection of calcium chloride in Mira variables and phoned to ask for visual observations of a selected list of stars between November 1970 and January 1972.

One of our members in West Germany, Erwin Heiser, is making a large survey of O-C values for the bright long period variables and wanted our dates of maxima for about 150 stars. I talked with Mr. Heiser in Hanover this summer and we are sending him copies of our plots of observations which will save him the tremendous job of plotting them himself.

New member Dr. Philip Steffey of Santa Monica, California has asked for help in setting up an elaborate observing program for all types of variables.

Dr. Richard Wolff of Columbia University asked for AAVSO assistance with observations of ρ Per. He was planning to make rocket observations of β Per and to examine the X-ray structure of the Perseus Cluster, and needed to know the magnitude of the irregular variable ρ Per in order to separate it from β Per in the tracking process. A group of AAVSO observers have been asked to observe ρ Per.

Numerous other requests have been received from individuals, both professional and amateur, and from college and high school groups.

I would like to emphasize once again the importance for observers to send their monthly reports promptly to Head-quarters. We should receive the originals at the same time copies are sent to the <u>Circular</u>. Official reports on the activities of the variables must come from the complete up-to-date plots kept at Headquarters.

MEMBERSHIP. During the 1972-73 year we elected 129 new Annual Members and one new Sustaining: Leo J. Gugliotto. In addition, four Annual Members changed to Sustaining: Gerald A. Bilodeau, Charles S. Morris, Robert Spalding, and Robert N. Whitehurst. The membership roll is not growing as rapidly as it appears, for we had to drop about 100 members who were more than two years in arrears with their dues. We were saddened by the deaths of ten of our members: Leah B. Allen, A. R. Ball, G.O. Rawstron, Russell Hubbard, Charles Johnson, Alfred Joy, John Polgreen, Roy Seely, Harlow Shapley, and Russell Sullivan.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO PUBLICATIONS Forty-three observatories and libraries subscribe to our publications, and several others have subscriptions to individual items.

<u>PUBLICATIONS</u>. Two numbers of the <u>Journal of the AAVSO</u>, Volume I, Number 2, and Volume 2, Number 1, were published during the year. The <u>Journal</u> incorporates many of the smaller publications we formerly distributed, in addition to the papers presented at meetings. The <u>Solar Bulletin</u> is published monthly, and is now edited by Carolyn Hurless. It contains notes on solar activity and reproductions of recordings of solar flares. American Sunspot Numbers are determined for NOAA and are also published monthly in <u>Sky & Telescope</u>.

We decided not to have a general distribution of a 1973 membership list, but to supply a Xerox copy to anyone who wrote for it. We received few requests and will probably continue this practice in the future. The Julian Day Calendar for 1973, and News Notes, edited by Carolyn Hurless, and a list of officers and committee members, were distributed.

Bulletins and Ephemerides for the eclipsing binaries and RR Lyrae stars, prepared by Marvin E. Baldwin and Donald C. Livingston, were published bi-monthly.

Predictions of dates of variable star maxima and minima for 1973 were published in <u>Bulletin 36</u>. Based on these predictions we also published <u>Bulletin 36A</u>, prepared by Clinton B. Ford, a graphical method of showing when the variables were expected to be fainter than magnitude 13, and <u>Bulletin 36B</u>, prepared by John E. Bortle, showing when they would be brighter than 11th magnitude. Special predictions for some of the bright variables were made for <u>Sky & Telescope</u> and for the <u>Observer's Handbook</u> of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

Report 29 was published, containing light curves of irregular and semi-regular variables and data on other variables which were not suitable for mean curves. It covers the same time interval as Report 28, October 1961 to September 1963.

The AAVSO Circular, edited and published by John E. Bortle, Wayne M. Lowder, and Charles E. Scovil, although not containing official results from Headquarters, serves a useful purpose in getting some indication of activities of the variables to the observers at an early date.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION. During the year we received about 350 requests for information about the work of the AAVSO and its specialized committees.

ANNUAL SUMMARY OF OBSERVATIONS. A record number of observers, 373, sent in 1791 reports during the year. The observers came from 19 countries and 43 states, and reported a total of 121,889 observations.

The observer with the greatest number of observations this year was Mario Vattuone, with 6,640. He was followed by Wayne Lowder, with 5,594 and Thomas Cragg, with 4,614. Five observers, Hurless, Hiett, Baldwin, Scovil, and Mayer, made between three and four thousand each. Sixty-two observers made 7,317 "Inner Sanctum" observations. The greatest number, 1,393, was made by Charles Scovil. Next was Ernst Mayer, with 1,004; then Cragg, 877; Hurless, 861; and Ford, 640. Howard Landis made photoelectric observations and Charles Scovil and H.E.M. Specht did photometric work.

Table I lists the 19 countries in which we had contributing observers and Table II lists the 43 states in the USA. All

observers who contributed observations during the fiscal year 1972-1973 are listed in Table III. The list is in alphabetic order and gives the observer's code initials, name and geographic location, and his total number of observations, followed by the number of "Inner Sanctum" observations (fainter than 14th magnitude).

PERSONNEL. We have been very fortunate to have Florence C. Bibber continue as AAVSO Assistant, and Janet A. Mattei as Assistant to the Director. They are both dedicated AAVSO'ers and are a great help in operating Headquarters.

Our special thanks go to the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory for allowing time to the AAVSO on their computing machines and to Owen Gingerich for his help in negotiating it. Barbara Welther continues to give her time and advice in setting up new programs and in revising the old ones.

The officers and members of the AAVSO have continued to give us financial and observational support and I would like to thank them all personally.

Respectfully submitted, Margaret W. Mayall

TABLE I - COUNTRIES

Country	No. Observers	Total Obs.	Country	No. Observers	Total Obs.
Argentina	5	8032	Mexico	6	2292
Australia	. 2	252	Norway	Ğ	74
Canada	19	3405	Rhodesia	ĭ	68
Dominican Rep.	1	26	South Africa	3	2356
France	2	494	Switzerland	2	2435
German Dem. Rep.	3	1751	Taiwan	ī	75
Greece	4	1260	U.K.	25	1857
Hungary	17	2839	U.S.A.	247	76600
Italy	3	328	Uruguay	1	452
Ja pan	5	1463	West Germany	20	15830
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TABLE II - UNITED STATES

	No.	Total		No.	Total
	Observers	Obs.		Observers	Obs.
Alabama	1	35	Nebraska	1	96
Arizona	4	526	New Hampshire	ī	10
Arkansas	2	128	New Jersey	7	2142
California	28	9114	New Mexico	2	201
Colorado	3	841	New York	22	14071
Connecticut	12	7235	North Carolina	7	1748
Delaware	2	144	Ohio	34	11534
Florida	17	6990	Oklahoma	1	2
Georgia	3	173	Oregon	1	17
Hawaii	1	9	Pennsylvania	9	1410
Illinois	7	1408	Puerto Rico	1	9
Indiana	3	1225	Rhode Island	1	92
Iowa	1	75	South Carolina	6	105
Kansas	1	138	Tennessee	4	1404
Louisiana	1	90	Texas	12	958
Maine	3	13	Utah	1	39
Maryland	4	375	Vermont	1	2
Massachusetts	3	325	Virginia	6	5204
Michigan	8	1568	Washington	3	426
Minnesota	4	912	West Virginia	1	1190
Missouri	8	2187	Wisconsin	7	1989
Montana	3	440		247	76600
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TABLE III - AAVSO OBSERVERS 1972-73

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AAR H. Aarrestad, Norway
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- ADA G.L. Adamoli, Italy
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AD R.M. Adams, Mo. 1468-
AH P. Ahnert, German D.R. 661
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                                        DHG G. Diedrich, Ohio
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 AML L.S. Ambard, Cal.
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? AMB K.S. Ambrose, Ohio
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                                        DLP S.R. Dunlop, U.K.
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 - AJ J.A. Anderer, Ill.
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                                        DKF M. Dürkefälden, W.Ger.
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- ANB B. Anderson, N.J.
                                        DUR M.V. Duruy, France
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  AC C.E. Anderson, Minn.
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- AJR J.R. Andress, Ohio
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ANN R.J. Annal, Cal.
ARI R. Ariail, S.C.
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                                        ENG K.J. England, U.K.
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                                        FRW W.B. Farrar, Va.
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- ATW P.F. Atwood, Conn.
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  BEY G.D. Bailey, S.C.
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                                        FRR R. Fera, Cal.
                                        FE C.F. Fernald, Fla.
  BLY G.E. Bailey, Canada
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                                        FER Y.A. Fernandez, Urugy 452-
  BM M.E. Baldwin, Germany 3636
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                                        FD C.B. Ford, Conn.
  BRM R.M. Bales, Ore.
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  BLN T. Balonek, N.Y.
  BJ J. Banks, N.C.
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  BTE J.O. Battle, Tex.
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  BBA B.B. Beaman, Japan
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  BKO R.L. Beck, Canada
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  BIL G. Bilodeau, Cal.
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  BSV S.V. Bishop, Ohio
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  BLO A. Blouch, Penn.
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  BOH D. Böhme, German D.R.
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  BRV W. Breville, Mo.
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  BRB B. Brown, Penn.
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  BRH D. Brown, Ohio
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  BRY J.T. Bryan, Tex.
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 ? BUC J. Buchanan, Ohio
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                                         GRO T. Grönningsaeter, Nor.
  BUO A.T. Bueno, Cal.
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                                         GUL L.J. Gugliotto, N.Y.
  BUW R. Buhrow, Ariz.
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  BGS G. Burgess, Maine
BMO R. Burnham, Canada
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  BTN M.E. Burnstein, Argent. 31
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  BUT R.J. Butler, U.K.
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 CDE J.B. Calder, Canada
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                                         HAR R.W. Harnois, Maine
  CAJ J.L. Carawan, N.C.
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  CAR R.P. Cassidy, N.H.
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  CST G.J. Christensen, Cal.
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  CHS J. Christensen, Cal.
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   CLK W. Clark, Mo.
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   CCR H.F. Cochran, Tex.
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   CNS M.G. Connors, Canada
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  COK R.D. Cook, N.M.
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                                      1 HE L. Hiett, Va.
   CRN D. Cortner, Tenn.
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   CSD D. Costanzo, N.C.
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   CR T.A. Cragg, Cal.
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   CZZ Z. Czuprik, Hungary
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   DLT J.E. Dalton, Conn.
   DV G. Davidson, Kans.
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   DAV H.H. Davis, Canada
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 TO DAR R.J. Davis, Ohio
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   DK R.P. deKock, S.Africa
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  HUJ J.R. Hughes, Cal.
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 HUN I. Hunyadi, Hungary
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  HR C.J. Hurless, Ohio
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  JKS C.J. Jackson, U.K.
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 JAR R. Jackson, Ark.
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  JOR R. Jones, Cal.
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  JRD D. Jordahl, Md.
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  KLN J. Kalen, N.Y.
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  KNC A. Kancsura, Hungary
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  KEE B. Keel, Tenn.
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  KPL P. Kneipp, La.
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  KIS G. Krisch, W. Germany
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  LND H.J. Landis, Ga.
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  LMA D. Lemay, Canada
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  LEK R. Lervik, Norway
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  LEV A.J. LeVeque, Cal.
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  LIM R. Lima, Fla.
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  LOW J.K. Lown, Va.
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  LUR T. Lura, Norway
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  MDD P.J. Madden, Ind.
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  MGR D.M. Magor, Fla.
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  MAN C.P. Mahnkey, Mexico
  MJE E.R. Major, Conn.
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  MLT A. Mallama, Ohio
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  MND F.J. Mandujano O, Mex.
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  MCO M. Marcario, Cal.
  MHA P.A. Marchena, Dom. Rep.
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  MAG G. Mark, Ill.
MRX H. Marx, W.Germany
                                150
                                          RNN T. Renner, Wisc.
                                                                       178-
                                                                             28
                               1179
                                          RQ C.L. Ricker, Mich.
                                                                       128
  MSY P. Massey, Cal.
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                                          RTE V. Ritter, W.Ger.
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                                 92
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                                          ROM J. Romanucci, Cal.
? MIE R. Mathieu, Del.
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TABLE III - AAVSO OBSERVERS, cont.

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RMI C. Romoli, Italy
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                                            SZO E. Szoboszlai, Hung.
 RB D.W. Rosebrugh, Fla.
                                469
                                            TB D. Taboada R., Mexico 160
 RR R.E. Royer, Cal
                                178-
                                            TLT D.L. Talent, Mo.
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 RPH H. Rumball-Petre, Cal.
                                            TNV V. Tangney, Wisc.
                                 19
 RML F. Rümmler, Ger.D.R.
                                                                          225
                                237
                                            TYL L.R. Taylor, N.C.
 RRT R. Rutan, Ohio
                                            TLA M.D. Taylor, U.K. TYR M.J. Taylor, Fla.
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                                  19
 SNL J.G. Sandel, S.C.
                                   9
                                                                         1094
 STC G.E. Santacana, P.R.
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                                            TAY P.O. Taylor, Fla.
                                                                         1459
 SAW D.R.B. Saw, U.K.
                                429-
                                       98 THO A. Thomas, W.Ger.
                                                                          150
 SCC J.D. Scarl, Conn.
                                  20
                                            THF F.O. Thomas, Ind.
                                            TJ J. Thomas, Ohio
 SHU E. Schauer, W. Ger.
                                  2
                                                                          409-
                                249
                                            THM J.V. Thomas, Tenn.
 SLG R. Schlesinger, N.Y.
                                                                           93
 SIJ J. Schmidt, W. Ger. SHJ J. Schmidt, Hungary
                                            TPR R.R. Thompson, Canada 191
THS R.S. Thompson, Fla. 197
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 SDM E.J. Schwendeman, Penn. 19
                                            TWN A.W. Townsend, Tenn. 1091
                                        1 TFN F.N. Traynor, Austr.
 SWI M.T. Schwitters, Colo.
                                 32-
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 SCE C.E. Scovil, Conn. SEL C.R. Sealey, N.C.
                               3616-1393+ TRO O. Trondal, Norway
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                                            TUL M.K. Tulloch, Canada
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 SEE E. Seifert, Ariz.
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                                            TYS R.L. Tyson, N.Y.
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 SSL M. Seslar, Fla. SDA D. Sharpe, Fla.
                                            UL A. Ullmann, N.Y. UND E. Underhay, Cal.
                                 24
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 SHS S.B. Sharpe, Canada
                                213
                                            VBN D. Van Buren, N.Y.
                                                                          101
 SSA A.P. Sharpless, Fla.
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                                            VAM M. Vattuone, Argent.
                                                                         6640
 SHC C.A. Shelley, Utah
SRC R.C. Shinkfield, Aust.
                                            VIS G.P. Visocki, Ill. WLE J.S. Walder, Cal.
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                                214
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                                        1 WAA A.R. Walker, Tex. WLL H.J. Walls, Tex.
 SKL K. Simmons, Fla.
                                 470-
                                                                          117-
 SPN A.P. Simpson, N.M.
                                178
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 SKT P.N. Skottegard, Pa.
                                            WRN R. Warden, Penn.
                                                                          130-
 SLB B.F. Small, Fla.
                                1889
                                            WBD D.F. Weber, Ohio
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                                            WEB J.W. Weber, Wash.
 SMI A.L. Smith, U.K.
                                            WES R.F. West, Ind.
                                  49
 SMH C.J. Smith, Canada
                                         7. WNS D. Wiens, Minn.
                                 357
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 SHA H.A. Smith, Conn.
                                       56 WI D.B. Williams, Ill.
 SJ J.R. Smith, Tex.
                                207-
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 SOM C. Somogyi, Hungary
                                 268
                                            WLM T.R. Williams, N.J.
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                                            WJA J.A. Wilson, Mo. WSN T.W. Wilson, W.Va.
SOU R.G Southwick, Wash.
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  SH H.E.M. Specht, Conn.
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                                            WWJ W.J. Wilson, U.K.
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 SPO J. Spongsveen, Norway
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                                         6 WNB B. Wingate, N.J.
                                                                           419
  STR R.H. Stanton, Cal.
 SRS R. Steer, U.K. SET C. Stephan, Ohio
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                                            WWR W.R. Winkler, Md.
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                                            WIN G. Winstanley, U.K.
  STF G.Stephanopoulos, Gr. 1043
                                            WIE J.D. Wise, U.K.
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                                         2 WTN B. Witten, Ariz.
'WOS D. Wolters, Fla.
 SDJ D.J. Stevens, S.C. SGL M. Stiegler, W.Ger.
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 STO P.M. Stone, Mo.
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                                            YAN G. Yanulaitis, Ohio
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                                            YEL T. Yelfin, Cal.
  SU M.C.P. Su, Taiwan
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  SUL C.E. Sullivan, Md.
                                            YON R.R. Young, Penn.
  SUS D.Süssman, W. Ger.
                                 208
                                            ZAF J. Zaffi, Italy
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                                            ZAG G. Zajácz, Hungary
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  SVN P. Sventek, Ill.
                                 476
                                  27-
                                            ZMM D. Zimmerman, Ohio
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  SB R.F. Swanberg, Mont.
  SWR R.A. Sweetsir, Fla.
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                                            ZT R. Zit, Wisc.
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 SZJ J.Szewczak, Ohio
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