

TOPS OF MISSIONS.

Standards Bureau Appoints Reber, Radio Physicist

Grote Reber, 35-year-old radio physicist and engineer, has been appointed to the staff of the National Bureau of Standards, Dr.



E. U. Condon, bureau director, announced yesterday.

Reber is to direct several new projects aimed at extending present knowledge of conditions indirectly affecting radio communication.

Reber

He will investigate the sources of radio noise, both cosmic and solar.

A B.S. graduate of the Illinois Institute of Technology in 1933, Reber has done graduate work in physics at the University of Chicago, and is the author of technical papers in the electrical engineering and interstellar static fields.

He is now supervising erection of a German Giant Wurzburg, an extremely large and powerful radar device which will be used to detect solar and cosmic radiations that penetrate the earth's atmosphere.