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This week we welcome as a new member, Mr. Henry Holbrook, of Chew Chase, Maryland, and we welcome the renewals of Robert Brown, Joseph B. Reilley, Clarence L. Mistoe, and by virtue of winning last year's DX contest, Grant Bateon.

DX CALENDAR

Date	Calls	Location	Kc/s.	Watts	Dedicated to	A.M. EST.
Oct. 20	W E E K	Peoria, Illinois	1350	1,000	NNRC-NRC	3:00 - 4:00
21	W I P	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	610	5,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
22	*W P W A*	Chester, Pennsylvania	1530	1,000	NNRC-NRC	5:30 - 5:45
22	*K X L K*	Great Falls, Montana	1400	250	NNRC-NRC	6:45 - 7:00
23	W I B G	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	990	10,000	NNRC-NRC	4:30 - 5:30
26	W N B F	Binghamton, New York	1290	5,000	NNRC-NRC	3:00 - 4:00
26	W L D S	Jacksonville, Florida	1180	1,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 4:30
27	K Q V	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	1410	5,000	NNRC-NRC	3:00 - 4:00
27	W D U K	Durham, North Carolina	1310	1,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 4:30
29	*W A T N*	Watertown, New York	1240	250	NRC-MNRC	3:00 - 7:77
29	W M B S	Uniontown, Pennsylvania	590	1,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
30	W K O P	Binghamton, New York	750	1,000	NNRC-NRC	3:00 - 4:00
30	W W X L	Peoria, Illinois	1590	1,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 4:30
1	*K L O U*	Lake Charles, Louisiana	1590	1,000	NRC-MNRC	1:00 - 3:04
1	W C R A	Effingham, Illinois	1090	250	NNRC-NRC	3:00 - 3:30
1	W W N Y	Watertown, New York	790	1,000	NNRC-NRC	3:00 - 4:00
3	W C N T	Centralia, Illinois	1210	1,000	NNRC-NRC	2:15 - 2:30
3	W A T W	Ashland, Wisconsin	1400	250	NNRC-NRC	3:30 - 4:00
4	W S C R	Scranton, Pennsylvania	1000	1,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
5	W W O L	Lakewood, New York	1130	1,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
9	W S B A	York, Pennsylvania	900	1,000	NNRC-NRC	1:00 - 1:15
9	W B B R	Staten Island, New York	1330	5,000	NNRC-NRC	3:00 - 4:00
10	*W K L Y*	Blackstone, Virginia	1490	250	NRC-MNRC?	3:00 - 4:00
10	*W S A J*	Grove City, Pennsylvania	1340	100	NRC-MNRC	3:15 - 3:30
12	W O O K	Silver Spring, Maryland	1590	1,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
13	W A V U	Albertville, Alabama	630	500	NRC-MNRC	4:00 - 4:30
15	K V I	Tacoma, Washington	570	5,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
16	K P Q	Wenatchee, Washington	560	5,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
17	W W S R	Saint Albans, Vermont	1420	1,000	NNRC-NRC	2:00 - 2:30
11	*W S A Y*	Rochester, New York	1370	1,000	NNRC-NRC	12:30 - 12:45
29	C J A D	Montreal, Quebec	800	1,000	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
Dec. 6	W G P A	Bethlehem, Pennsylvania	1100	250	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00
8	W K P A	New Kensington, Penna.	1150	250	NNRC-NRC	4:00 - 5:00

* Asterisk indicates a monthly dedication to the clubs.

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Well, your Editor has been harping about reports for "DX News." It seems it has not done too much good, for again this week, there is a dearth of reports from our members. Your Editor is not a magician, and cannot give you page after page of DX data unless you members co-operate and send in reports. Now I don't like to keep pounding away at this, for it isn't fair to those who do report faithfully, but I do want to point out that every member who does not send in a report, shortens the bulletins by just that much. Your Editor's address is still 438 East 21 Street, Brooklyn 26, N.Y. and let's see a big, fat issue next time. It takes only a few moments - wouldn't you do that?

Musings of the MembersS/Sgt. Alexander E. Malley - Highland Falls, N.Y.

My lack of reports in "DX News" is due solely to my recent change of QRA which was effected early in August. It appears that my dreams of cleaning up S.A. off ECB (stop smoking those cigarettas, Malley!) are done vanished. They just ain't heard at this place. Several times I've managed to tune in during evenings, but reception seems blanketed. Many S-9 locals at the other place are barely audible here. One evening last week produced a few Spanish-speakers. The most outstanding one was from YVIRD on 1164 and a much weaker signal from YVERO on 1095. No trace of Barquisimeto on 1475 or CMHI on 1395. HJCU was breaking up WWL as usual, but absolutely no trace of QRM (HJCU) behind WGN. Ah yes, good old HFW also broke through fairly well, but I still feel this location far inferior, unless it's been poor conditions of late. On the bright side, western reception seems much better, even under poor conditions. Can't understand the poor SA evening signals, as the all-night Mexicans, particularly XEBC, are stronger than ever. TIFG has not been heard since moving, and they were a regular nightly powerhouse, along with several other non-verifying Costa Ricans. The Cubans are extremely poor, with even CMQ relatively weak on a clear channel, but again it may have been conditions prevalent at the time. It's hard to believe that a few blocks can make such a difference in DX conditions. The old QRA was on a hill, and this one is more out in the flat, although there is that tall mountain due west of here. Only veries since moving are overdue letters from WJUL and WJLO - no reports sent out, not even to WJGM. WMAP didn't verify my report, even though it covered a solid 1/2 hour and gave all local commercials and song titles. However, to make up for this one, I did get veries out of WWPB and KGAF, both swell letters, and I understand they're both toughies. WWPB verified last fall and said they were having cards made up for all back reports and would have them in the mail "in a few days." KGAF said mine was verie #1 and that I would get one of their verie cards marked #1 when they were printed up in the near future. I think we can write off both of these delinquents as being due to a change in managementship. KOKD took about 6 months to verify, and last week I got another hand-written letter from them apologising for delay in verifying, explaining it as being due to the fact that the old C.E. is no longer there. Occasionally stations conducting special DX programs fail to verify ensuing reports and the CPC arranger is actually held responsible by various members. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ I personally feel that an arranger has done his job if a scheduled DX is transmitted as publicized and the problem of getting a verie is up to the individual reporter, as it is when reporting any other new catch. If you don't get your verie, don't blame the CPC man, who has no control over verification policy of any station. (Thanks for swell report, Al, and we shall be hoping for more, frequently! -Ed.)

J. W. Waldron Newman - Tiffin, Ohio

Haven't done a great deal of dial-twisting since my last report but here's what I have. Veries in from WWOV and WROB, both letters. Heard CJEC on 860 the other evening - on regular schedule. Quite good since they changed frequency and raised their power. Never could hear them on 1010 Kc/s. Always covered up before. On Oct. 3, WGAI on 1350 Kc/s. was heard on f/c as announced - came on at 5:41 a.m. Signed off at 5:53 a.m., saying they were returning to the air at 12:00. Also on the 3rd. WHHM on 1340 Kc/s. was almost in the clear till 6:00 a.m. when it was really covered up. KFJZ in the clear at 6:30 a.m. and a verie strong signal on 1270 Kc/s. On Oct. 5th, WKAT on all night with recorded program and Hurricane reports on 1380 Kc/s. A Spanish-speaking station on with some kind of reports on 1350 Kc/s. tuned in at 4:35 a.m. And he was still going strong but with a not so strong signal at 5:15 a.m. Chimes or gongs were sounded continuously with announcements. Anybody know who it was? Am going to get up early on the 6th and try for more stations from Fla. with the hurricane reports. (Your station was XEQX, Mexico City - the correct time every MINUTE on the MINUTE - Ed.)

Stanwood Morse - Bradford, Massachusetts

Well the worst has happened - WVOM has started 24-hr. broadcasting - the first New England all-night station in about 5 years, now probably 1/2 dozen more will start in. There are so many all-night stations now that 1340, 970, 1010 are impossible here. Now 1600 is added. The only improvement over last year is 1490 with WJMK off. 9/28 - KABC at 2:55. WALT @ 2:07. WIRB f/c, 3:18. WELJ, f/c at 3:30. WJCN test, 3:33. 9/29 - WJNF testing at 2:40 a.m. 3/30 - WJNF test at 2:40. WJNF f/c at 3:00/Continued on Page III/

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Missings of the Members

(continued from foot of Page II) 10/1 - Report to WAGM, on regular schedule. 10/2 - KVLC reported. 10/4 - KIMP ET All A.M. Verie from WAGM for September, 1947 report. No issue of "Broadcasting" received last week - first time they've missed - evidently lost en route. Has KREC begun tests yet?

Steve Walbridge - Sarnia, Ontario

My DX ambition covers only Saturday and Sunday mornings just now, but the bug will bite real hard soon. Recent results aren't staggering, but reception is improving. KELO (1320) has been signing off at 2:00 a.m. - I'll get enough for a report to him soon. WJL (1440) verified reception of September 18 test. KTLW (920) caught briefly Sept. 18 at 3:00 a.m. WTNJ (1310) tested on the 25th at 3:30. WDMH (1310) now a regular on this frequency - signs on at 7:00 a.m. October 2nd brought KIMP (900) with a test at 2:43, R-9. What's the good word from Art Fearster? I sure could use a new log, with all the latest additions. This seems to be clean-up season on old standouts. Joe Brauner - KREN sent verie with regrets for tardy reply from C.E. Pat H. Walton. Joe Becker - KFAK's Jack Warden also verified with regrets for their oversight. KSCB signed my prepared card eventually - Wayne Post being the C.E. My problem children include WHEY KSLM KKK WIOU, and, of course, WGRD. Wish I had a car - I'd drop over the border and see them. This morning, October 3, brought only KIMP again at 4:27, and WKRC at 4:43. Oh well, things will pick up soon. Will report again, soon. (Good, Steve - we'll be watching for more from you! -Ed.)

Joe Becker - Hamilton, Ohio

Heard WHOX this morning on 1320 Kc/s. (10/7). WGTB was on 870 Kc/s. this a.m. and on 860 there was a station on, and I listened from 2:55 until 3:29 1/2 a.m., E.S.T. and never heard a call - any help on this station? Also at 4:00, I heard an announcer say "1330 Kc/s. testing," but I got to 1330 too late to hear the call letters. KIMP goes on the air officially 10/7. WAGM WOOB WJQS & WWPB still out from 1947 - total veries 2107, and 26 reports out. I like my 3-53 Hallicrafters set very much. My regards to all, and well wishes to all the National Radio Club members, and I hope they have a successful DX season. Hope you are all getting your quota of new stations.

Fred Van Voorhees - Camp Hill, Pennsylvania

DX hasn't been very strong the past week here, but I have been doing something. I was up two mornings after six, and reported two more or less local stations, WLTR and WFMD. No veries back yet. I haven't been home enough to DX the rest of the week. I spent two days in York, and while there I had a very pleasant visit with J. Warren Rutzahn. He hasn't started DXing yet this season. Then over the week-end I drove to Long Island and back. In the course of this drive I stopped for an hour or so with Steve Mann in Westbury, where we kicked short wave DX around a while. Then later Sunday afternoon I stopped off for a short visit with Kermit Geary in Walnutport. So, although I've not been DXing, I have been visiting DXers. Wonder if anyone got veries on past N.R.C. Specials from WAYN, WHUM, & WLAN. These are the only specials still out from back years here.

Len Krass - Dubuque, Iowa

DXing activities have been lessened somewhat thus far in October, over September, at this location. KSMI (1280), Seminole, Oklahoma, heard with monthly f/c first Monday 10/4, 1:30 - 2:00 a.m., in clear; the same evening logged WRR finally, covering local WIEA at 8:30 p.m. Station KAYS, Hays, Kansas, 1400, heard with first ET 10/5, and continued daily ETs through 10/10, with strong signal. New England's only all-nighter, WVOM, Brookline, Mass., 1600, heard first time on 10/5, 3:15-4:00 a.m., followed by the logging of WGAP (1400), Maryville, Tennessee, with f/c 4:10 - 4:20 a.m. Then on 10/7, KLEE (610) Houston, Texas, heard with new late program Monday through Saturday till 3:00 a.m., QRM'd by WIP. The newest all-nighter in the mid-west, namely WRMH, really puts in a good signal in Iowa. The recent veries included letters from KIMT WNAE KOY, and cards from KTLW and KAYS. Any help on the following? (1) Operating schedule of WHBI, 1280, Newark, N.J. - any f/c? (2) Any tests yet from WVNJ (820) Newark, N.J., or WKBS (1520), Oyster Bay, LI.? (WHBI a/on 7:00 a.m. Sunday, and operates all day, to midnight. Sunday only, with WOV silent Sundays, and neither WVNJ nor WKBS has had any tests yet. N.Y. Times said WVNJ expected to open Sept. 1, and WKBS about the middle of September, but nothing yet! -Ed.)

BE SURE ALWAYS TO INCLUDE RETURN POSTAGE WHEN REQUESTING VERIFICATIONS, PLEASE!

Changes In Station Data - FCC
NEW STATIONS

700	Panama City, Panama	(power unknown)	1400	Panama City, Florida	250	U-1
930	Lewiston, Pennsylvania	1,000	D	Sandpoint, Idaho	250	U-1
1230	Belen, New Mexico	250	U-1	Alliama, Nebraska	250	U-1
1280	Hangover, Pennsylvania	1,000	D	1430 Taylorville, Illinois	1,000	D-3
1340	Batesville, Arkansas	250	U-1	1440 Bayan, Texas	500	D
				1490 Culpeper, Virginia	250	U-1

NEW CALLS

700	H O D	Panama City, Panama	1400	K G O G	Centerville, Iowa
970	W G L S	Decatur, Georgia		W X D E	Biddford, Maine
1010	W T L S	Baltimore, Maryland	1490	W N A G	Grenada, Mississippi
1240	W P K E	Pikeville, Kentucky	1540	W K X Y	Sarasota, Florida
1260	W G V M	Greenville, Mississippi		K L X C	Parsons, Kansas
1340	W W P A	Williamsport, Pennsylvania	1580	W B U T	Butler, Pennsylvania
1380	W P A W	Pawtucket, Rhode Island		K E V A	Sumrock, Texas
1390	W J C D	Seymour, Indiana			

CALL CHANGES

990	K A Y L	Stora Lake, Iowa, fr. KCOB	1390	W A C B	Kittanning, Pa., fr. WFPC
1340	K E L K	Elko, Nevada, fr. KERS	1450	W I E T	Toccoa, Georgia, fr. WRLO

FREQUENCY CHANGE

910 K P H O Phoenix, Arizona, from 1230 Kc/s.

POWER CHANGE

910 K P H O Phoenix, Arizona, to 5,000 U-2/

DELTE

900 K D A S Dumas, Texas 1360 K F A K Flagstaff, Arizona

TIMELY TIPS ON TUNING TOUGHIES

V. "ROAR, AURORA, ROAR!"

Contrary to the opinion of many DXers, this is not the time to turn the radio off and go to bed. When the Northern Lights, or Aurora Borealis, is shining, early-morning DX does suffer, that is true, but it is an excellent time to log any stations to the south. The best time, of course, to tune, while such a period is in existence, is during the evening hours. On many a channel you will then hear Spanish being spoken, and there are many good catches among these stations. Cuba, Mexico, Puerto Rico, and the Central and South American countries put forth strong signals during the time when the Aurora is out, and many are loggable, and verifiable, too. Chilean stations have been heard on 780 and 1100 kilocycles with good signals, while Peruvians have been bagged also on 780, and on 854. OAX4A, on the latter channel, sends a very attractive verification card, a credit to anyone's collection. OAX4X on 780 is often heard by some. Costa Rica's stations come through well then, too. TIGPH, 805; TIGP, 825; TIEP, 825, TILS, 880, are some of them. HIST in the Dominican Republic bange through on 1040, and also has a fine QSL card. In between channels many Venezuelan and Colombian stations can be heard with a selective receiver, and equally selective fingers and ears. Many of our better DXers have harvested a nice collection of Latin-American verifications through tuning in during evenings when the Northern Lights are playing in the skies. Argentina's ERL is often heard on 1070, and there are many others, of course, which space does not permit mention to be made of. However, stations in other directions, as the rule, are very weak, or are completely inaudible. The causes are known - Sun Spots and the Aurora Borealis, but the reasons are as yet unknown. But Latin America and Southern U.S.A. are not the only stations to look for during these times. Have you some station on a "grave-yard" channel, say about 200 miles away, which you have been trying for often, but which has never broken through for you? An "Aurora" night is the very best time to try for these, as DX is generally poor for domestic stations, and those not so far then will get through, since there is so much less QRM from other stations on the same channel. And then, freak reception conditions often produce real surprises and real DX feats, so we advise listening in during the times when your northern sky is weirdly illuminated, in the evenings, and particularly the early evenings, when many an elusive catch is simply awaiting the turn of your dial, and your attention.

NEXT WEEK - "DO UNTO OTHERS."

DX PROGRAMS OF THE WEEK FOR THE NATIONAL RADIO CLUB

- W E E K** - Peoria, Illinois. A station which many of us need, WEEK promises to put Allen F. Wooster, C.E. on a DX program decidedly different from the usual. They will record this program in their studios, for play-back at the early-morning hour, and there should be a wealth of talent on the air for us. WEEK should be an easy catch for most of us, so let's be sure to be on hand for this program. This station is quite new, as you know, being approximately a year old at this time. Program arranged by N.N.R.C.
- W I P** - Philadelphia, Pa. Of course, WIP is on the air every morning with their Murray Arnold, Prog. Dir. usual "Dawn Patrol" and the 4:00 to 5:00 a.m. segment on this morning will be a special hour dedicated to the DX clubs. Excellent results are anticipated by WIP from this hour, and Murray Arnold is looking forward to receiving the comments of the members. WIP should have a clear channel all the way for this program, so try to send in a report on your reception. We thank WIP for thinking of us DXers. Arranged NNRC
- W P W A** - Chester, Pennsylvania. Here is a friendly station to us DXers, but a DX Harry J. Sigmington, C.E. program is impossible at this time, and so, in our honor, they are going to dedicate their frequency checks to us every month. It is hoped, even though WPWA will have interference, that you will all try for these programs. Many of you need this station, so don't forget to tune in. The programs will be on the air, the fourth Friday every month, and as we said, they will be dedicated to us each month. Arranged by NNRC
- K X L K** - Great Falls, Montana. This is another station which found it not possible to put on a DX program, but they too will be happy to dedicate their monthly frequency checks to our clubs. Now unfortunately for the Eastern DXers, this check will not get through to the East Coast, so we look to our Western members to support this monthly dedication with reports. This is one of the stations of the famous KXL chain, and has not been on the air for too long a time. Arranged by the NNRC.
- W I B G** - Philadelphia, Penna. This is a 10 kw. station, and the most powerful Rupe Worling, Prog. Mgr. station to honor us so far this young DX season. Even so, there are quite a few DXers who still need this station, so here is a golden opportunity. Mr. Worling approved the show, but he says for the DX fans to address their reports to the Chief Engineer. Get in on the first half, for the second may see interference from WNOX. This is our second Philadelphia DX of the week, so please, all report. Arranged NNRC
- W N B F** - Binghamton, N. Y. Here is one of radio's 'old-timers' in years of service. L. H. Stantz, C.E. on to honor us with a DX program. Now many may need this station, so be sure to be on hand for their special show for us. We are informed that WNEF's three-tower array has its gulls pointed East and West, so it should be a real test of your DXing skill out west. Naturally Mr. Stantz wants this program to serve as a check on his antenna system, so please listen in and send him your reports. Arranged by the NNRC.
- W L D S** - Jacksonville, Illinois. This program is a test, and of course, they are G. J. Cassens, C.E. very anxious to hear from all the DXers who can pick WLDS up on this special early morning test. They should have a clear channel all the way, and with a non-directional antenna, should be received clearly by all of you. WLDS has always maintained a very friendly relationship with the DX fraternity, so let us make certain that we remember this fact, and tune the program in. Arranged by the NNRC.

 Above, are write-ups for the week's DX programs. These programs are on the air for you, so please don't fail to listen in, and report to each, sending return postage of course.

Misings of the MembersStan Mores - Bradford, Mass. (second report)

October 5 - WSTC at 2:30. WBSY, ET at 2:34. WZMB test at 2:39. KOTH, f/c at 2:43. WBAY on all A.M. CMCF on with hurricane bulletins. WIRB f/c 3:16. WVIZ test, 3:24. Verie from ESFA. October 7 - WCTL test at 2:20, and through the morning. WBOK, Lancaster, Ohio, 1320, on with equipment test at 3:21 a.m. WITZ f/c at 2:35. WENA at 3:24. WGMH with what sounds like an all-night show - grrrrr, all A.M. WIRK s/off at 4:13 a.m. Veries from WFTC and WOLA. October 9 - WALE on test, 2:42 a.m. Conditions very poor. Veries from ZTAN WIRB WIAC and WAGR, also WJIC. Notice quite a lot of the members have been listening on P.M. so I tried a whack at it and heard about 40 stations at 6:00 p.m. - nothing very distant, but reception quality is excellent - much better than B.C.B. I hope everybody that can, joins the contest this year - I am not going to be able to, this season - had lots of enjoyment from it in the past few years, and wish conditions were such that I could be in it this year. This will probably be my last report in quite a while, as business has to come first, and we're busier than ever for this time of year.

Leo Herz - Chicago, Illinois

Still only a short report. Just do not seem to be able to get started this season. Reports out this week to: KLOU on DX - swell show; WECK, WSPD & WAAT, all on regular schedule. Veries in from: WICU WECK & KLOU. The verie from WECK broke some kind of record. I logged them the morning of October 6 - report mailed, evening of October 6, verie received October 8, postmarked 4:30 p.m. October 7. Chief Engineer C. E. Dewey must be a real friend of us DXers. Veries now at 666. I would like to see more reporters in the bulletin. (You and me both, Leo! -Ed.)

Lefty Cooper - Brooklyn, New York

Well, I finally struck a good morning for reception - October 12 - and reports have gone forth to WJPS WVPO WULA KRKN WKNA KRHD WIRB KSEW KAYS WDSG WDOS WEMD WEOL. However only one verie came in - WGAD, to make it now 1609. What has happened to the verifications, anyhow? Well, DX this week went thusly: Up on 10/8 and got a station testing on 1360, with no announcements - any help? 10/9 - Up all morning, and bagged only one new one - WJPS, 1330 kc/s., Evansville, Ind. with an excellent signal, but unmodulated except for announcements every five minutes. They tested in the same manner as WICU. 10/10, in the afternoon, took log on WVPO, new calls for WHAB. They have merged, and have also abandoned the 1350 permit. 10/11 - WUSA heard on ET, over-riding WECC. WBR was not on to bother them, or else I might not have gotten them at all, for "Gravel Gertie" is very strong here. Also caught KRKN's f/c, at last, behind WITH. 10/12, a banner morning, and a holiday, and up all morning to log a bunch. First, WKNA on f/c 1:15 - 1:30 on 930, TT. Second came KRHD, 1350, Duncan, Okla., on f/c, 2:05-3:20, TT. The Mexican was louder most of the time, but KRHD could be heard quite well anyhow. That 1360 tester again with music, but no announcements. KAYS on test on 1400, and an amazing signal from KFMO, hitting close to 8-9, and actually over-riding KAYS here at times! What equipment they must have out there! WIRB with nice signal and friendly manner, saying all who had reported last week's program already either had their veries or would soon have them, as they had been mailed out. KSEW, I believe, testing on 1390 after 3:00, mostly with hill-billy tunes, with fading and slight signal from KRKN. WDSG on f/c 4:45-5:00 with TT, behind WWDC and that annoying, illegal carrier. I tried again for a verie from WDOS, Onsetta, on 1400. Let's see what happens this time. Also caught WEMD, 750, Baltimore, on s/on and first program at 6:15 a.m. 10/13 - Tried in vain to hear KOJM, but did come up with WEOL on first ET as announced, on 930. There is a silent carrier on 930 these mornings, too, and WEOL had trouble getting through it. Disappointed not to get KOJM, for that is a good catch. I wonder if anyone else is DXing these days, other than the few whose names and reports appear in DX News? I wish I know some way to get them to send in reports.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

930 [redacted] Elyria, Ohio 1340 K E L K Elko, Va. (from KERS)
 1240 [redacted] Eufaula, Ala. (note correct spelling - it was wrong last time, I believe)
 1320 [redacted] Lancaster, Ohio 1360 [redacted] Salinas, California
 1330 [redacted] Evansville, Indiana 1450 [redacted] Toccoa, Georgia, from WRIC
 COME ON NOW, BUSTER! LET'S HAVE A REPORT ON YOUR DX ACTIVITIES FOR THE NEXT ISSUE!

NATIONAL RADIO CLUB 1948-49 BCB CONTEST AND APPROVED BY THE BD of DIRECTORS

The FIRST entry from a designated AREA receive one set of points, the SECOND a larger. Only TWO stations can be entered from any one area with the exception of NRC Specials.

Each US STATE-MEXICAN STATE-CANADIAN PROVINCE counts as a seperate AREA. In all other cases EACH COUNTRY counts as a seperate AREA.

You may change your entry in any group in order to secure a better bonus at any time during the contest.

THE SCORING TABLE

	US/CANADA	No. Am.	So. Am	EUROPE/OCEAN	AFrica/Asia
1st verie	1	3	5	7	10
2nd verie	3	5	10	12	18
NRC Special	3	3	5	7	10

Plus bonus points to be awarded according to the POWER of the station verified. Bonus points as follows in same groups

	N O B O N U S P O I N T S				
Over 50000					
10001-50000	.1	.1	.2	.3	.3
7501-10000	.2	.2	.4	.6	.6
5001-7500	.3	.3	.6	.9	.9
2501-5000	.4	.4	1.0	1.2	1.2
1001-2500	.5	.5	1.0	1.5	1.5
501-1000	.6	.6	1.2	1.8	1.8
251- 500	.7	.7	1.4	2.1	2.1
101- 250	.8	.8	1.6	2.4	2.4
51- 100	.9	.9	1.8	2.7	2.7
50 & under	1.0	1.0	2.0	3.0	3.0

The CPC Chairman will provide the Contest Manager at the end of the month(each) with a list of all Specials for the month previous that are to be eligible.

Power will be ascertained from the FCC lists for all N.A. stations. Power from contestants veries will be accepted.

Stations eligible for this contest must be in the band covering 540 kcs up to and including 1600 kcs. ONLY LEGITIMATE COMMERCIAL BROADCAST Stations licensed by the FCC or the government in which they are located are eligible.

Contest will run from 12:01 AM October 1 1948 up to 11:59 PM March 31 1949 and veries must be for reports of reception between those times. However contestants will have till June 15 1949 to get all veries in.

The contest Manager is Fred Van Voorhees 28 South 26th Street Camp Hill, Pennsylvania. All entry's must be sent direct to him.

The Contest Manager may call in a verie or veries from any contestant he deems necessary and if the contestant fails to send in a verie or veries called for, he can be dropped from the contest by Contest Manager.

Contest standings will be published monthly by agreement between the Contest Manager and the Executive Secretary.

Prizes to be selected by a committee of Contest Manager-Executive Secretary and Board Chairman. It will not be money this year, but small items, probably Stationery-Rubber Stamp-Typewriter Ribbon-Pen-Ink Desk Set etc.

Entry fee will be the usual 25¢ and must be sent to the Contest Manager by NOV 15 1948. New members may enter the contest if they do it with-in 30 days from date of joining the N.R.C.

Well boys here is our contest. How about sending in the TWO-BITS now and enjoy your hobby a little more. You can be sure its lots of pleasure even if you do not win. So send that 25¢ right now to Fred at the above QRA. Its Tuesday Oct 12th and 6 Board Members voted yes for this contest, so even if the other 4 do vote against it, the majority was for it.

- 610 KLEE Houston, Tex. On daily til 0300 Mon thru Sat, WIP QRM (Kruse)
 625 TIPG San Jose, C.R. Excellent signal 11 PM 10-12 (Van Voorhees)
 700 HOD Panama City, Pan. Sked is 0600 to 9 PM New station owned by operators of HOHA on 900 kc. (E.Cooper)
 730 KOJM Havre, Mont. Not hrd on DX (Bartholomew, Van Voorhees) Hrd weakly with lots of noise (Brauner)
 750 WBMD Baltimore, Md. Easy at 0615 weekday Oct sign on (E. Cooper)
 790 KFGO Fargo, N.D. Testing at 0534 10-12 (Wagner)
 WVL Albrook Field, Canal Zone. In clear at 0530 s/on til 0600 s/on of CKSO & WTAR. (Wagner)
 860 WHOD Homestead, Pa. Weekday s/on 0630 in clear, Sunday in clear til 0730 (Brauner)
 900 CHML Hamilton, Ont. Covered WSBA on their 10-12 special (E.Cooper)
 WCPA Clearfield, Penna. May use 1 KW after 10-11-48 (Brauner)
 930 WEOL Elyria, Ohio First ET 10-13, on til 0500 (Van, Brauner, E. Coop)
 WRRF Washington, NC. In clear at 0530 weekday s/on (E Cooper)
 940 WINZ Hollywood, Fla. Now signs off at 0200 weekdays (E.Cooper)
 950 WKNA Charleston, W VA. FC with TT 2nd Tues. 0115-0130 (E. Cooper)
 960 KIMP Mt. Pleasant, Tex. Now offering \$10 for furthest report (Kruse)
 970 KNEB Scottsbluff, Neb. FC 0309-0331 10-12 Maybe 2nd Tues (Barth)
 1038 H13T Ciudad Trujillo, Dom Rep. Hrd weakly 10-11 (Van Voorhees)
 1120 KMOX St. Louis, Mo. Another all nighter (E. Cooper)
 1170 WJJJ Montgomery, Ala. Hrd with 10 KW just before they switch antenna and drop power to 1 KW at sunset (E Cooper)
 1220 WCLA Baton Rouge, La. FC 0358-0410 on 10-11 (Bartholomew)
 1230 WAJR Morgantown, W VA. FC 2nd Tues 0430-0500 (E Cooper)
 WISE Asheville, NC. FC 2nd Tues 0400-0430 (E Cooper)
 WIRB Enterprise, Ala. FC every Tues 0315-0330. They want reports and verify promptly (E Cooper)
 1240 KVNI Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Will celebrate their 2nd anniversary with a DX to all Clubs & Dxers. Nov 1st, 0200-0500 (Mustoe)
 WULA Eufala, Ala. ET 0300-0320 10-11 (Bartholomew, E Cooper)
 1260 KSMI Seminole, Okla. FC 1st Mon 0130-0200 (Kruse)
 WQVM Greenville, Miss. Hopes to start in mid-November (Brdct)
 1280 WHBI Newark, NJ. Can anyone furnish present operating sked?(Kruse)
 1310 WKMH Dearborn, Mich. All nighter (Kruse, Brauner) Silent Mon. (Coop)
 1330 KPAC Los Angeles, Cal. Readable until full light Sun 10-10 (Campbell)
 WJPS Evansville, Ind. ET unmodulated carrier with ann every 5 minutes on 10-9 (E Cooper)
 1340 WBAC Cleveland, Tenn. S/on wkdays @ 0615 (Brauner)
 WEMP Milwaukee, Wis. S/on at 0700 (Herz)
 WKOZ Kosciusko, Miss. Hrd wkday s/on @ 0558 (Brauner)
 WSAJ Grove City, Pa. Hrd under WEXL on DX (Van Voorhees)
 1350 KRHD Duncan, Okla. FC with TT 2nd Tues 0205-0220 (E Cooper)
 WNLG ?? Readable 0600-0700 wkdays above WORK..Herb, don't you mean WNLK Norwalk Conn (Campbell)
 1390 WGES Chicago, Ill. Now on til 0300 daily (E Cooper)
 1400 KAYS Hays, Kan. Daily ET 10-5 thru 10-12 (Kruse, Bartholomew E Cooper)
 KENO Las Vegas, Nev. S 9 signal @ 0300 10-12 on all nite show (Coop)
 KWSL Lake Charles, La. FC 1st Tues 0325-0340, hrd 10-5 (Bartholomew)
 WHAL Shelbyville, Tenn. ET s/off 0338 10-13 Regular sked? (Van Voor)
 WJLB WELM & WDOS all sign on daily at 0600 (Brauner)
 WMFD Wilmington, NC. Still here 10-12 (Edge) FC with TT 2nd Tues 0330-0340 (E Cooper)
 WSAU Wausau, Wis. FC 2nd Wed. 0330-0400 (Duffy)
 1480 WRGA Rome, Ga. S/on in clear 0530 weekdays (E Cooper)
 1490 KICO Calexico, Cal. S/off over WWSW @ 0203 10-13 (Brown)
 WOMI Owensboro, Ky. ET almost all week of 10-11 (E Cooper)

Send your tips to RD 1, North Girard, Penna. by Fridays