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"KEEP IT UP!"

"Keep up the good work you're doing. It sure is nice of you fellows to devote so much of your time to "DX News." - PFC Charles J. Hefner, Keesler AFB, Miss.

CONVENTION TIME DRAWING NEARER!

Did you realize that there are only three more issues of "DX News" to our Volume 18? That means the end of our 18th year of service to the DX fans, and also it will bring us to that annual Convention in Buffalo. As you recall, this year we are to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brauner in Williamsville, New York, bordering on Buffalo. We hope to see all the old faithful regulars on hand once again, plus many of the newer members, and those who have been with us a good while but who have never attended a convention previously. We feel that the convention is a great thing for every DXer, but especially to the DXers who live in communities where they never get to meet any other DXer, for here at long last you can talk DX with some one who knows what you are talking about, and who is very much interested as well. Many folks will listen when you tell them of your latest DX catches, but these folks you'll meet at the convention will also be interested as well! The wonderful outdoor lawn picnic last year went over big with everyone, and we'll have another one this time. There are all sorts of accommodations for visitors to Buffalo - at big or small hotels, or at tourist homes, or even the Y.M.C.A. if that is your choice! So, to meet up with these folks whose DX exploits you have been reading about, remember that you'll be indeed welcomed by Joe and Martha Brauner, and by all in attendance, so put it down in your little black book that you have a date in Williamsville for September 1-2-3. All cannot stay for the entire three-day period of course, but all may if they can possibly do so. Come when you can, go when you must, but - COME!

SUPPLEMENTS TO THE SOUTH AMERICAN LOG

will appear from time to time in "DX News." We understand there are still copies on hand awaiting your order at Hal Wagner's address (above). A phone call from the compiler of this excellent work Steve Mann, says he hopes to have a list of additions, changes, and corrections for this issue.

In case you have wondered, the latest corrections, changes, additions, and calls come to us directly from the Federal Communications Commission. It is difficult to get on their mailing list, but we have that service, and all the "Changes in Station Data" are taken from these releases received by your Editor for the Club.

We hope that those of you who are doing summer dial-twisting will support "DX News" by sending in your latest doings, so that we might keep "DX News" right up there, at the top, even during the so-called "off-season." Be sure to send your reports to the Editor, at the Brooklyn address above, and please also use double-spacing - that is, leave a line between each written one, to make it a bit easier for your editor to put your words on the stencils. Almost everyone is doing this now, and we would like to thank you very much for your courtesy. It is most certainly appreciated!

We try to print all time in Eastern Standard Time, so that there will be no confusion for you members. Accordingly, when you send in your reports, please convert to Eastern Standard Time. Uniformity in this respect will eliminate all chance of a mis-interpretation of the times mentioned. Thank you.

Musings of the MembersKen Mackey - Dunedin, New Zealand

Greetings, fellow DXers! I hope you have all enjoyed the past season as much as I have. It's a bit early for me to go into statistics as I still have 50 reports out but I can safely say it has been my best season yet. My thanks are due to the NRC for the most helpful tips in "DX News" and also the f/c list, the resultant loggings being too numerous to mention. I think my best for the season are WSKI WILM WJEJ & CJBR. With veries from Vermont, and Delaware, 250 watters at that - I now need only two states - Maine and New Hampshire. CP men please arrange a couple of nice easy specials for these states next season, hi. Notice that no one else seems to have heard my Frenchman on 1400, Jan. 25, as I have not heard from either of the two French-speaking Canadians there, it would appear it was neither one of these. I have been trying to identify the following - 1400, Feb. 12, unmodulated carrier announcing on each hour, heard 3:30 and 4:00 a.m. WJLB seemed to be the only other station there at the time. Call was like WLLH or WLAE. Secondly, Jan. 31, 1400 kc/s., 3:00 a.m., call in Morse - got 'LO' then next time LTT. Lots of others but these two annoyed me as I missed call several times from each. At long last I managed to verify KMUR for that DX last year, 3F report, with stamped-addressed envelope enclosed and a dotted line to sign on. Bob Davies, Manager. Then KEXO verified after several attempts. Used same system as above and this time M. Fuller (no title) signed. WENK, C. E. Pugh, C.E. WGGG, F. Keith Brown. To Derek Wharton on Jan. 15, KCLX was loud and clear on band music. No other station was heard. Don Kaskey, who signed your KTIP verie? He ignores my reports. Now have 104 from California, with total at 875. To Rinehart S. Potts, did you know the operators at Wake Island Beacon? I have it verified, as NCL-5. It was on 1155 kc/s. and used tone, 5 past each hour it came on and gave about 5 minutes' weather info for planes. R.E. West signed my verie. I see KIT gave good publicity to NRC at my request. I heard it good here also. He is very regular. Tried for WACB Jan. 28, but it was impossible through KHON. Channel is clear after 5:00 a.m. Mondays when KHON has maintenance period. That was when I got KMUS. XEGT listed 650 kc/s. is really on 1490 kc/s. with 250 watts. Ing Jorge Lelo de Larrea, Gerente, Radio Zamora. ~~#####~~ "Radio Zamora" S. de R.L., 5 de Mayo Num. 30, Zamora, Mch. Reports: WAEL WNAT CYRI KSTR KJEF Nice Turin Chechoslovakia-1520. Veries - WXAL KGIW WSKI WBSR WILM KDMO WFTM WSMI KRIZ WJMX WWSW KOVE JOHK WHAL CHUB WENK KXRN WMGM KMUS KXGN WJEJ WHOC VUN CBE CJBR WDWS WKAQ WATW KTRC KNAK WDNC KTIM LERO KCLX CKXL XEGT KCOL KCBS CJVI KMOM KNEW KSPA KOJM KRDO KNUZ WOV KCSJ WAGC KITE WBAY KRCC KELD (J. H. Long) KCLX KLIF WJBR KDAC WGCM KWOR KVAN CBJ KLEE. All New Zealand stations now on new powers. Rourua now 1500 from 1550. ZYX, 1400, still being used as air beacon. Will cease ~~when proper beacon is built~~. Grr. What use the Atlantic City Agreement?

Zane Grey Bennett - R. # - Box 202 - Galax, Virginia

My alarm clock just won't wake me any more, so I'm going to get a new one. I have been doing a little DXing between 7:00 and 8:30 p.m. Loggings have been: 4/28 - CMKF, 1050, Holguin, Oriente. 5/7 - CMKJ, 730, Holguin; CMHI, 570, Santa Clara; CMKC, 770, Santiago de Cuba; CMHB, 780, Sancti Spiritus; CMBX, 1390, Havana; CMKU, 850, Santiago de Cuba; CMKW, 800, Santiago. 5/9 - CMKH, 1130, Guantanamo, Oriente; CMJL, 920, Camaguey, Cam.; CMKD, 970, Holguin, Oriente; CMHT, 990, Sancti Spiritus, L.V. Veries are coming in very slowly. Only 4 in since last issue of "DX News" - WHAS, Louisville, Ky., v/s - O.W. Towner, Technical Director; WDUN, Gainesville, Ga. v/s Lesley P. Brooks, CE; WTJH, East Point, Ga., v/s Williams J. Hill erd, CE; KRDO, Colorado Springs, Col., v/s R.W. Fitzmorris, CE; KXRA, Alexandria, Minn., v/s Gerald Lintz, CE. The f/c of WBOB has been changed recently. It is now 5:30-6:00 EDT, from 5:30-5:45. Thanks to Bernie Duffy for the swell tip on some of the New York City stations. To Cpl. Jack Rhea - if you want to lost weight, real fast, take the mumps! Hi! Static is about all I can hear now. The Cubans are really coming in now. Even WBT is sometimes covered by some Latin. Know him, Lefty? Say, who is that Spanish-speaker on 1160? Keep sending in the nice reports, boys. 73s. (What day of month is that for WBOB, Zane? -Ed.)(Dunno the Latin on 1110)

We had felt for certain the typewriter would have been fixed by this time, but the man who is to do it says he has been exceedingly busy evenings and simply has not had time to come here some evening to put it back in shape. This week, he says. -EE

Musings of the MembersRalph Johans - 64 East Huron Street (side) - Buffalo 2, New York

KAGH (1240) 900 Main Street, Crossett, Ark., C.O. Wilson, Com. Mgr., a v/l (green on orange paper) says, opened 12/29/50, sked: 6:00-Mdt., and Saturday nights till 2:00 a.m., (most likely CST). WTMA (1250) Atlantic Coast Broadcasting Co., R. J. Murphy, transmitter operator, v/l's: "Found report here at transmitter, but studio always (?) answers. 1:05-1:15 AM EST 11/28/50 was correct; this was a regular f/c with 5 kw, conducted same time each week. The third Tuesday we also test WTMA-PM (95.1 mg/s.) I mention this as it has been heard occasionally your way. We beam a transmission every Saturday night (usually between Mdt. and 1 AM) for the spare transmitter (1 kw., 1250 kc/s.). Sked 6:00 a.m. (Sunday 7:30) to 12:05 a.m." (I'm glad it slipped by the sowntown studio, as I've been looking at that big rubber-stamp verie on my report since 1945. Harold Stein, thanks for letter. Abe Cohen became a VP for NNRC. DX is quiet here but noted WWOL (1120) s/off today at 8:30 PM EDT to return at 7:00 AM EDT. Daylight comes too early now and that leaves late f/cs out. I noted Detroit's WJBK, 1490, going to 1500 kc/s. with 10 kw., 5kw N-DA and if they go 24 hours there, then 1490'll get the hook by the slap-over here. I believe WBIEN (930) will move out of Statler Hotel and go to the nearby Kenmore NY for new studios at Kenmore and Seattle Streets, at a future day. Carroll Seth's (Erie) new 250D WJET (1570) is rather silent as to info for NRC. Via NNRC member comes KULA (690) Charles D. Calley, Jr., CE, plans a DX program soon. Heard 4/30-WCVA (1490) at 1:15 AM with test call, and WALD monthly f/c, M, 1:24-1:54 to return at 6:30. They used National Anthem at start and end; WLCK (1450)(?) ended an ET/M at 3:00 and WLEX (1340) TT/c 3:30-3:45 off to return at 6:00 CDST. 5/7 - WTKM (1540) ET/m 2:30 etc., WCLD (1490) 2:34 ending M/c (last month same, must be first Monday regular); WNAT (1450) tested at 2:43 etc. KWBB regular regular TT/c with Kansas City; KWBB (1410) regular sked 2:10 s/off (has news 2:01-2:07) and then s/off with M/vocal 'Our Father.' 5/5 - WBUC (1490) TT/c with RCA as listed EST, comes at EDT (one hour later) and WKJG (1380) M/c ended at 1:26 1/2 off (EST all above) and WCUE (1150) now s/on at 5:00 a.m. EDT. I note that Truman OKed EDT for D.C. and so don't get too mixed up listening, just start in at Daylight Savings Time and end out with Standard Time, but past a time (ST or DT) on your clock - don't paste me.

Sid Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

Very few listening periods since last report and veries are slow. 4/27 - *WINN (1470) regular. 5/2 - *WDIG (1450) on regular first Wed. f/c with music, 4:45-5:00. 5/7 - WKBB (?) (1490) regular s/off 1:15 to return at 5:45 CST. How about this, Len? WOHI (1490) testing 2:15-2:35. *WPRS (1440) Paris, Ill. 1:35-1:53 s/off. *WJPG (1440) on a long-winded tone test that marred WPRS throughout 1:30-2:45. WPRS back again at 2:10 and on. 5/10 - WVVW (1490) f/c 1:45-2:00. WBGR f/c 1:45-1:55. WPRS on ET 1:00 on. WMOD (1470) musical check 1:30-2:00. CMOX sent v/l signed by Ofelia Rodriguez, Station Manager. In part, letter says, "We enjoy very much the reports received from abroad and specially ~~###~~ those from members of the National Radio Club." Kindly note that we are operating 24 hours, with a power of 250 watts." KXAR sent plain postal card verie. To Don Kaskey - Thanks for those v/ss. A neighbor of mine has a novel idea in TV DX. He takes flash photos of TV identifications and immediately gets his verie.

Gene Francis - 434 Judge Street - Elmhurst, N.Y.

Summer DX which began for me on 5/1 has proven rather profitable. Up only 2 AMs & have betted 3 catches, all on wee-hour tests, KVLG, WBET & WTKM. Veries have been meagre, but worthwhile, including my first Argentinian, and my 3rd Venezuelan, YVKL with an extra letter-head. WKEY verified on WCFV stationery. While on the subject of veries, I want to clarify a point for Ralph Johans' benefit. We all have individual ideas about the contents of our reports & I like to generalize rather than list a lot of verie signers. Sure, I find those lists valuable, but I want to give Ye Ed a break, so I condense 'em, hey. However, Ralph, I have sent ZBM's signer to you in a letter addressed to your home. My letterhead collection received a wonderful boost this season. Now have blank sheets from all but 1 state, every province including Newfoundland & every U.S. territory (inc. Virgin Islands). My planned junket into the hinterlands was side-tracked at New Britain but before the next bulletin is ready I should have gotten to know 2 more relatively distant NRCers. Incidentally while everyone else was reporting Floydada on 900, I was hearing KMCO, Conroe. They sent a nice verie letter.

Musings of the MembersHarold Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Conn.

Not much DX activity from this location except the ballots for annual election. 21 ballots have been returned and according to info from Hal Wagner, that's a lot more than in previous years, but what I can't understand is why the rest of the members failed to vote, especially as it was so simple this year - cards and postage being supplied by the club. In the future may I suggest all members fill out and mail immediately for if you put it one side, you forget or lose interest, etc. Your club is only as good as you make it and surely everyone should be interested enough to vote for those who are to become our directors. Complete results have been sent to Wagner and as soon as a Board Chairman has been elected, official results will go out to the members via "DX News." I was surprised to find so many voted for me & want to thank you. I guess it won't be any break of trust to say 'Pop' Edge topped the field in voting. DX activities since last report - 4/25 - WRAD (1340) TT/f.c 3:40-4:00. 5/10 - WSAF (1350) regular sked 12:31-1:00 s/off (ex-1490). 5/11 - WKVM (1090) ET new 25 kw/ rig using transcribed Savings Bond shows, asking for reports 1:35-2:15 and later announcements in English and Spanish. WQUA (1230) TT/c 2:35-2:45 as per f/c list. 5/10 - WMINB (1230) TT/c 12:30-12:45 as per f/c list. Veries in the same period, CKPC (1380) QSL card for 3/17 DX. WKLF (980) QSL card for 3/11 DX. 4/25 - XEG (1050) QSL card for 4/16 after second report. (Poor picture of transmitter building). 4/27 - WILK (980) QSL card for regular s/off 4/23. V/s Theodore French, CE. 4/30 - WRAD (1340) letter for f/c 4/23, no mention of original report on ET 5/3/50, v/s Fitzgerald McDaniel, CE. WHAN (1340) QSL card in envelope for f/c 4/16, v/s William P. Bricefield, CE. WTRY (980) mimeographed QSL card, v/s A H Chismark, CE. First report 22 months old. 5/12 - WMNB (1230) longhand post card, v/s William B. Dailey, Chief Technician. 5/14 - WAML (1340) typed post card for f/c 9/11/50, v/s George Creel, Transmitter Engineer. Received a letter on 3/22/51 from WAML's program director for f/c 3/12/51. That's the works for this time. 911 reports sent, 716 veries received. 73s.

Don Kaskey - Galva, Iowa

Latest DX at this den has been slowed up somewhat due to my graduation from high school, however, I have added the following stations: On 4/23 WTKM (1540) Hartford, Wis., ET 2:00-4:00. KJCF (1010) ET 2:45 on. They are in Festus, Mo. Also heard WLET (1420) in Toccoa, Ga. from 3:00-3:15 with good signal. On 4/27 I found that KREI (1350) in Farmington, Mo. was on f/c from 2:15-2:30 and added them to my logs. On 5/2 I added WPAY (1400) in Portsmouth, O. with their 3:00-3:15 f/c. On 5/3 I added WHOC (1490) in Philadelphia, Miss. Then on 5/7 I added 2 from the rare state of Montana. First was ~~WIVI (1230)~~ in Shelby on their f/c from 4:30-5:00 ~~#####~~ then also heard ~~KPRK (1340)~~ in Livingston from 4:30-4:45 on f/c. 2 more were added on 5/8, 1 announcement of WINS (1490) in Statesboro, Ga. at 3:54 was heard through WJBK, and they were apparently on f/c as a faint tone was heard following this announcement. Then one of my best catches of the last month was added in WGET in Gettysburg, Pa. on 1450 following their 5:00 s/on. They were heard here OK for 15 minutes and then were wubject to a fade-out. The last 3 were added on 5/11 when new WPRS (1440) was heard from 2:00-3:00, also WQUA (1230) in Moline, Ill. with f/c 2:30-2:45. Last was KSEM (1450) in Moses Lake, Wash. for another fine catch through the heavy QRM. They had f/c from 3:10-3:25. This brings my heard log up to 1454. Verifications now number 973. Veries lately are these - a duplicate card from KTFS (1400), new cards from WKLF (980) WBBR (1330). Duplicate letters from KCVR (1570), ~~KGBC (2500)~~, WKOX (1190), WAVE (970), WRHC (1400), KASH (1600), WLOS (1380). Letters from stations changing their kilocycles such as WLIN (550) and KUBC (1260), and new letters are WPCE (1400), KDIX (1230), KCMC (1230), KUBA (1600), WBCU (1460), WQXI (790), WXAL (1400), KSJO (1590), KCHA (1580), WHAV (1490), KSFO (560), KRIO (910), KREI (1350), WTHI (1480), WIBV (1060), CKFH (1400) WOMT (1240), KBST (1490), CHAB (800), KTUC (1400), and WTKM (1540), also a card from WBBC (1330). I plan to go to Marcus tomorrow to have a DX session with Eldon and Len and it promises to be quite a party. Will sign off now to get some sleep. Best of DX to everybody. That's all - 73s.

 To all, please convert all time to Eastern Standard Time, to simplify this important matter for all members. Easiest system, we think, is to keep your DX clock on EST during this period when so many of us are in DST areas. Thank you. -Ed.

Pat Reilly - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, New York

Veries are PRF-9, PRB-2, WMOD for 9/14/50 report without follow-up, PRG-2, LYA, CKFH, PRG-9, PRF-9, Radio Difusora Porto Alegre, Ltd., Siqueria Campos, 1221, Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sol, Brazil, by F. Renato Mattola, Gerente (manager) as v/s. KMCO, 900, ET at 2:05 on 4/11 for new one. PRB-2, 1440, Radio Clube Paranaense, Ltda., 135 Rua Barao do Rio Branco, Curitiba, Parana, Brazil, letter back-stamped Registry Division, N.Y.C. and local backstamp, v/s is Hugo F. Cunha, CE, 10 kw., on air 7 AM to 11:45 PM Brazilian time. Picked up Radio TIBAS in Costa Rica on 550 with good volume and off at 3:53, hope then verify this third report. KILA was heard at 3:16 on 4/19 for first time by me. PRG-2, Radio Tupi, Sao Paulo Brazil, 50 kw/., Emisoras Associadas, Rua 7 de Abril, 230-4º Andar, a nice printed verie folder in English and Portuguese. They also operate PRF-3 on 960 with 10 kw. Also received a 3-page letter and a folder, all in Portuguese, and don't know what it is. Will try to get somebody to decipher it. It mentions Lefty Cooper, Gene Francis, Bob Botzum, Al Bartholomew, Steve Mann and their addresses, plus several Brazilian calls in letter but that is all I can read. CKFH caught on 4/23 for first time, also KJCF, 1010, on ET at 3:45 for another new one. LYX, the National Broadcasting Service, P.O. Box 488, Auckland, N.Z. v/s is J H Gault, District Engineer, plus a Radio Call Book of all the world's AM & SW stations, time chart of zones, chart of world. I asked all 4 I heard this spring where I could buy a list of Australasian stations and got this free. A diplomatic chisel job I guess you would call it, even the latest corrections in ink up to Feb. 20th. Here is one for a radio man to decipher. I'm only a DXer, William D. McGregor, CE of CKFH at 1 Greenville Street, stated I had a good report considering I shouldn't have, as I was on the "Western cheek of the cardioid pattern" and protection to Buffalo is quite a sharp "mill" and if I had received a good signal, then their pattern wasn't too satisfactory. What say, Jesse or Ralphie. So far it sounds like one of Ralphie's puns. They are silent Sundays, 2 AM to 9 AM. Glad to get Steve Mann's swell log. It is really a honey. PRG-9, Radio Excelsior, 1100 kc/s. Rua 24 De Maio, 208, 13º Andar, Sao Paulo, letter in English. V/s' name is a scrawl but looks like G. N. Onato, Gerente. It is my 7th Brazilian to verify this spring, 25 kw. Not a lot of DX as I'm spending garden and fixing up lawn and flowers, not even much time to look at TV. Saw a beautiful picture on WWJ-TV, Channel 4 on April 29th after our channel 4 Buffalo station signed off at 11:45 PM EDT. Also a hazy picture on Channel 2 from WJBE-TV, Detroit, of Mr. District Attorney. This hill is 1440' high and to the west of me is 1308 feet high Lake Chautauqua. That is 23 miles long.

Joe Brauner - 23 Howard Avenue - Williamsville, New York

DX has been close to a stand-still here lately. The season ended here with the logging of KJCF and KBMX on the morning of 4/23. This made the log total 3,059. Nothing new added since then until this morning, 5/13, when we stumbled onto WFPM testing until dawn on 1150 and WDLA, 1270, who had first ET until about 3:50 EST. A few veries - letters from WRAD CKFH & KOPP, this one a follow-up. ~~KBMX~~ typed a verie on the back of my report and returned it. Quite a few all-nighters seem to have reduced hours, but still plenty left. CKFH is becoming stronger here now and is easily heard around 5:00 a.m. All for now. 73 and a pleasant summer.

Murray Lamont - Dunedin, New Zealand

Veries to hand recently are letters from XERJ WHLD WBSR WKPT KXGN KXA WLOA KCIJ KAHU WATM KGFL KDMO WSMI WHAW KORE WSKI WJEL WILM WOND KLEE KDAC & KPLC. WATM was a 2-page effort written in longhand by Henty A. Brown CE who was out here for a short time during the war. WJEL a full-page interesting letter. Cards from KVAN KDAL WKNX WOV WOKZ (thanks, Sid) WONS WFBL & WWPB's Christmas card verie. They bring me total to 756. It's been very cold here lately with a lot of rain. Mails from the U.S. are very slow. I haven't made many loggings lately, only KTTR KEVA WNAT KF FA WMAN KWBB & KYUM. 73.

Alan E. Arnold - 1202 South 93 Street - Milwaukee, Wis.

No DXing here in quite a while & probably won't be any until next fall. Veries straggling in include CKFH HOL TGN KXRA WKBL-DX WHAV KRKO WCAO WCDL-DX WESB-DX WCEM WEMJ WISR WATC KDMS WNAO KPRU WAPA WAMS KVIM WORB WENE KPAN KPET KIFN WEIM WMOD.

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CHANGES IN STATION DATANEW STATIONS

740	Montgomery, Alabama	250 D-1	1300	Searcy, Arkansas	1,000 D-1
960	Prestonburg, Kentucky	1,000 D-1	1340	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	250 U-1
1220	Englewood, Colorado	1,000 D-1	1360	Detroit Lakes, Minn.	1,000 D-1
	Aberdeen, South Dakota	250 D-1	1380	Victoriaville, Quebec	1,000 U-2
1230	Gravelbourg, Saskatchewan	250 U-1	1400	Tacoma, Washington	250 U-1
	Ironton, Ohio	250 U-1	1450	Kewanee, Illinois	100 U-1
	Little Falls, New York	250 U-1	1490	Burbank, California	250 U-1
1240	Clovis, New Mexico	250 U-1			

NEW CALLS

570	K C N O	Alturas, California	1280	W N P T	Northport, Alabama
580	C F C L	Timmins, Ontario	1340	C K O M	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
730	W F M C	Goldsboro, North Carolina	1360	W L O P	Lancaster, South Carolina
1220	K G M O	Cape Girardeau, Missouri	1380	C F D A	Victoriaville, Quebec
1240	W S Y D	Mount Airy, North Carolina	1420	K D A S	Malvern, Arkansas
	K W T N	Crystal City, Texas	1450	K P W N	Puyallup, Washington
1260	W E K Z	Monroe, Wisconsin	1480	W F A K	Memphis, Tennessee
	W M F S	Chattanooga, Tennessee	1580	W A V A	Ava, Illinois
			1590	WTRB-or-WTRW	Two Rivers, Wisconsin

CALL CHANGES

1090	W H E E	Boston, Mass. from WBMS	1230	W F A I	Fayetteville, NC fr. WWNF
				W S B B	New Smyrna Beach fr. WNSA

DELETED

860	K C H C	El Paso, Texas	1450	K P H C	Walsenburg, Colorado
910	K A V R	Havre, Montana		W X L T	Ely, Minnesota
960	W P R T	Prestonburg, Kentucky	1460	K C H N	Chanute, Kansas
1230	W S T K	Mount Jackson, Virginia	1490	K B I G	Guthrie, Oklahoma
	K E N E	Belen, New Mexico		K W I K	Burbank, California
1240	K A V R	Havre, Montana	1580	K F M A	Davenport, Iowa
1310	W S M F	Dade City, Florida	1590	W W H G	Hornell, New York
1340	W J G C	Bowling Green, Kentucky		K C H E	El Reno, Oklahoma

FREQUENCY-POWER-HOURS, ETC.

600	K F Q D	Anchorage, Alaska, 5,000 U-1, from 790 kc/s., same power.
730	K W R E	Warrenton, Missouri, to 500 D-1, from 250 D-1.
950	W A A F	Chicago, Illinois, to 1,000 D-1 (as at present). <u>No</u> 5,000 U-4!
960	K R O W	Oakland, California, to 1,000 U-1 (as at present.) <u>No</u> 5,000 U-2!
980	K D S J	Deadwood, South Dakota, to 1,000 U-2, from 1450 kc/s., 250 U-1.
1090	K B O K	Waterloo, Iowa, from authorized 1230 kc/s., 1,000 U-4. (as is!)
1150	W G B R	Goldsboro, North Carolina, to 1,000 U-4; from 1450 kc/s., 250 U-1
	K X L R	North Little Rock, Arkansas, to 5,000-1,000 U-2, fr. 1450, 250 U-1
	K N E D	McAlester, Oklahoma, 1,000 D-1; from 1420 kc/s., same power.
1240	W M M B	Melbourne, Florida, to 250 U-1, from 1050 kc/s., 250 D-1
1320	W M S C	Columbia, South Carolina, to 1,000 U-2, from 1,000-500 U-2.
1460	W C M B	Lemoyne, Pennsylvania, to 5,000 U-4, from 960 kc/s., 1,000 D-1
1490	W A B J	Adrian, Michigan, to 250 U-1, from 1500 kc/s., 250 D-1
1500	W J B K	Detroit, Michigan, to 10,000-5,000 U-3, from 1490 kc/s., 250 U-1.
1600	W K N K	Muskegon, Michigan, to 5,000 U-2, from 5,000-1,000 U-2.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

550	W F A I	Ponce, Puerto Rico fr 1370	1220	W F A I	Shawinigan Falls, Quebec
610	K W I E	Kennebec, Wash., from 1230	1230	W F A I	Fayetteville NC fr. WWNF
630	W I D O	Boise, Idaho, from 1380	1270	W F A I	Walton, New York
950	K O E L	Oelwein, Iowa (full time)	1300	W F A I	West Frankfort, Illinois
1010	W F A I	Festus, Missouri	1440	W F A I	Green Bay, Wis. fr. 810
1090	W H E E	Boston, Mass. from WBMS		W F A I	Paris, Illinois
1150	W F A I	Fort Valley, Georgia	1540	W F A I	Hartford, Wisconsin

WATCH FOR

740	W C S M	Huntington, L.I., N.Y.	1230	W S B B	New Smyrna Beach, Fla.
910	W G A F	Valdosta, Georgia	1340	W M T E	Manistee, Michigan

** There may be a few repeats in the above items, but it is all official (except last two paragraphs of course) which came from you, the membership. Thank you all. Let us all have the knowledge of what you are hearing by sending in a DX report!

Musings of the Members

Sid Rosenbaum 806 Market St, Wheeling, W. Va.

Very few listening periods since last report and veries are slow. On 4/27 WINN (1400) regular prgm. 5/2 WDIG (1450) on regular sked 1st Wed FC with music 0445-0500. 5/7 WKBB?? (1490) regular s/off 0115 to return at 0545 CST. How about this Len? WOHI(1490) testing 0215-0235. WPRS (1440) Paris, Ill 0135-0153 s/off. WJPG (1440) on a long winded tone test that marred WPRS throughout 0130-0245. WPRS back again at 0210 and on. 5/10 WVVV (1490) FC 0145-0200. WBCR(1370) FC 0145-0155. WPRS on ET 0100- on. WMOD (1470) musical check 0130-0200. CMOX sent v/1 signed by Ofelia Rodriguez, Station Mgr. In part letter says: "We enjoy very much the reports received from abroad and specially those from members of the National Radio Club." Kindly note that we are operating 24 hours with a power of 250 watts'. KXAR sent a plain postal card verie. To Don Kaskey, Thanks a lot for those v/signers. A neighbor of mine has a novel idea in TV DX. He takes flash photos of TV identifications and immediately has his verie. RADIODDITIE S::: There are two Wyoming Broadcasting Companys. Which one operates a "W" station?? That does it from here for this period.

Henry Holbrook 6504 Chestnut St, Chevy Chase, Md.

The time 2:40 PM-the day Friday-the date 27 of April-the year 1951. Due for next week-one bookreport and two art critizisms and since my girl is coming home from college tomorrow for the weekend, it looks as though this afternoon is the only time I'll have to do all that work. Can't do it tonite because I am going to watch the "Wondrous Nats" beat the stuffing out of Philadelphia. But as usual I'm not in the mood to study, so what am I doing? Right-writing to Musings of the Members, so you fellows better appreciate this report since I'm using valuable time-HI. First of all I believe the Verified-Heard list the it now stands is of little interest and value. I think the idea H. Campbell had, which was stated in the last bulletin, is very good. I also have one of my own. Why not first list stations verified followed by countrie verified and then last stations verified from parts of the world such as(using my standings) North America (704), West Indies(43), Central America(22), South America(21), Europe(14), Africa(5), Near East(0) East(0) and Pacific Area(5)--this would include islands of the Pacific Hawaii, New Zealand, Australia and so on--. The stations heard could also be listed in the same manner: however, in my opinion the heard list is unnecessary since veries are what counts. I also believe that a prepared card should be used but why limit these listings to only once a year? Think it should come out at least at the beginning of each DX season and at the end of the DX season. I frankly don't care whose idea is used. But I do believe the Verified-Heard List needs to be definitely improved. Now to sum up my DX activities between Nov.-April. Reports to (underlined are verified) CB-57, YSO, Marseille, CMBS, TIFC, CX-28, HCJB, Poulouse-Muret, HJKC, CMKS, PRG-9, YNW, YVKC, TIH, TIHB, Radio Dakar, CMKC, HJCR, PRE-9, PRB-7, YVMD, TIGPH, YVKS, OAX4U, YVQJ, YVKL, TIRA, Radio Monte Carlo, France(1349), PRE-7, PRG-2 French Morocco(1043), TIW, YVKU, BBC(answer but no verie), WJAC, HJ CZ WCRW, CBE, CFOR, KMOD, CKNW, CHFA, 4VGM, KILO, PRG-3, PRF-9, XEQR, CHUB KXLA, LWI, WKAQ, KHON, PPA-2, PRB-9, AHD, CMOX, KJCF and KXRX. My present policy is to write mainly to foreign, however, ocasionally I'll still give in and write to a U.S.station. The greatest surprise of the season was when I received a verie letter from KFAR for a report of last season. Best veries for DX this past year were KFAR and AHD(22 watts) Greatest disappointment of the season was a non verie letter from the BBC. Better than average QSL cards from YNW TIW YVKS HJ CZ KXLA CKNW. Top letters from HCJB CMKS TIRA AHD. Note to Charles Hefner, Will write you soon, Gene Francis, your note a big surprise. Maybe I should begin a fan club, will need one if we have a hot Summer, HI.If I make my mark this semester, which I'm sure I will, will be initiated into the Sigma Phi Epsilon chapter at G.W.U. 73's

Musings of the Members

Peter Leon Jacobson, 5217 South Portland, Minneapolis, Minn.
 (continued from previous issue) CHLO, St. Thomas, Ont. 680 kc 1 KW
 CBC letter for 2/17/51. KTBS Shreveport, La. 710 kc, 10 KW letter for
 2/21/51. By the way I forgot to give the Networks for WSPR in Spring-
 field, Mass, it is ABC. KTBS is NBC. WLAY Muscle Shoals City, Ala. 1450
 kc 250 watts is MBS. letter for 2/12/51. WATS in Sayre, Pa. 1470 kc
 with 1 Kw no net, and is daytime only. Letter for 3/12/51. WIBW Topeka
 Kan, 580 kc. 5 KW is CBS per letter 9/26/50. This letter by the way was
 on yellow paper and so was the envelope. KTMN Tucumcará, N.M. 1400 kc.
 250 is MBS per letter for 9/26/50. KTFI Twin Falls, Ida. 1270 kc 5 KW
 day and 1 kw nite is NBC per letter 3/9/51. WACB Waltham, Mass 1330 kc
 1 KW day only and no net per letter 2/19/51. WVOT Wilson NC 1420 kc 1 kw
 MBS per letter 10/22/50. WILK Wilkes-Barre, Pa 980 kc 5 kw ABC per let
 3/13/51. WHCC Waynesville, NC 1400 kc 250 watts MBS per letter 2/5/51
 WILM Wilmington, Del. 1450 kc 250 watts ABC petter 3/18/51. Now for the
 cards up to date I am not going to give you the dates for the cards
 because I do not think it would be too much interest to you fellows but
 if any of you have any questions on any of them write me and I will be
 glad to give you the dates. WAKR Akron, O. 1590 kc 5 Kw ABC : KGNC
 Amarillo Texas 710 kc 10 Kw NBC: WGAP Maryville, Tenn. 1400 kc No net.
 WTXL Peoria, Ill 1590 kc 1 kw NM net. KIUP Durango, Colo 930 kc 1 Kw NM
 net: KIOX Bay City, Tex. 1270 kc 1 Kw MBS: WETB Johnson City, Tenn 790
 kc. 1 Kw NM net: KCOL Ft. Collins, Colâ 1410 kc 1 Kw NM net: KSIG
 Crowley, La. 1450 kc 250 watts NM net. KYSM-FM on 103.5 mcs is NBC.
 KMHL Marshall, Minn 1400 kc 250 watts MBS: WJMC Rice Lake, Wis. 96.3 mc
 5 Kw is MBS: WJR Detroit Mich. 760 kc 50 Kw CBS: WHO Des Moines, Ia.
 1540 kc 50 Kw NBC: KQVR Lodi, Calif. 1570 kc 1 Kw L.B.S. on air daytime
 WFBR Baltimore, Md. 1300 kc. 5 Kw ABC: WAPO Chattanooga, Tenn 1150 kc
 5 Kw day and 1 Kw nite is NBC. WACB Kittanning, Pe 1380 kc. 500 watts
 N M Net. By the way, Joe Pelletier, does WACB have a network and do
 you operate full time, if you do would appreciate knowing. KWOR
 Worland, Wyo. 1490 kc 250 watts NM net: WBLK 1400 kc 250 watts NBC. in
 Clarksburg, W. Va. KPMY, Ft. Dodge, Ia on FM 102.7 mc. KARM Las Vegas
 Nev. on 920 kc 1 kw MBS. WKWF Key West, Fla 1600 kc 500 watts NM net.
 WALB Albany, Ga. 1590 kc 1 Kw ABC. KcoK Tulare, Calif 1270 kc. 1 Kw
 no major network. WHIS Bluefield, W.Va. 1440 kc 5 Kw NBC, KDKA
 Pittsburgh, Pa. 1020 kc. 50 Kw NBC. KDKA is the oldest known station
 in the U.S. KSDN Stockton, Calif. 1420 kc. 1 Kw NM net. KWSC Pullman,
 Wash. 1250 kc 5 Kw N M net on the air full time: WISR Butler, Pa 680
 kc 250 watts NM net: KCNI Broken Bow, Nebr. 1490 kc 250 watts MBS:
 KRJF Miles Citty, Mont. 1340 kc 250 watts MBS: KGCU Mandan, N.D. 1270 k
 1 kw MBS: WATW Ashland, Wisc. 1400 kc 250 watts MBS. WOMI Owensboro, Ky
 1490 kc 250 watts MBS. KYOU Greeley, Colo. 1450 kc 250 watts NM net.
 WISP Paintsville, Ky. 1490 kc. MBS. KTOP Topeka, Kans. 1490 kc. 250 wat
 MBS: WHAL Shelbyville, Ky. 1400 kc. 250 watts MBS: KELO Pocatello Ida.
 1440 kc. 1 kw ABC. WIBM Jackson Mich. 1450 kc. 250 watts ABC: WFUL
 Grand Rapids, Mich. 1570 kc 1 Kw N M Net. WMFJ Daytona Beach, Fla. 1450
 kc. 250 watts ABC: WDWS Champaign, Ill. 1400 kc 250 watts CBS. KTFI
 Twin Falls Ida. 1270 kc 5 Kw Day and 1 Kw Nite. WBCK Battle Creek, Mich
 930 kc 1 Kw MBS: WLAC Nashville, Tenn 1510 kc 50 Kw CBS. WLAC started
 in 1924 with 1 Kw, to 5 Kw in 1926 and in 1945 to 50 Kw. WUSN Charlest
 SC. 1450 kc 250 watts MBS: WGAU Athens Ga. 1340 kc 250 watts CBS. I
 truly hope that you will be able to print all of this as it has taken me
 quite some time to get all this information together and written down.
 I certainly will appreciate if if you would even tho you might have to
 make several chapters of them. Would also like to know if you liked th
 way I presented the info and if you want all the reports this way. I
 think it is a good way and makes the report more complete. Here is my
 total up to date, heard 802, veries 92 letters and 50 cards. I know
 it isn't much to talk about but have not been DXing very long, only
 since Aug 1, 1950. Since I joined the Club ther veries have been comin
 in better. (Now that we are caught up how about keeping us abreast of
 your doings. Leon).

Musings of the Members

Hal Stein 432 Sutter St. San Francisco 18, Calif.

I haven't done too much listening since my last account here, due to the lack of incentive resulting from old man QRN. Don't be amazed at the following list of veries for they cover from 4/9/51 to 5/13/51. KWBB JOQK XERP KSVP 2 from PRE-4 (for reports 3 months apart) WNAX KXO KMA KSTP JOHC JOIB KTUC KKIN KUKI KNPT 4QG 1YC KMYR IWL. JOQK enclosed 5 picture postcards from Japan (Hear me Jim) and JOHC and JOIB sent me colored pictures printed on rice paper. Not too much DX to talk about. I might have heard HCJB on April 21. However, that morning really gave me my unknown to top unknowns. On 1040 kc. from 5:35 AM to 5:51 AM EST I heard a very weak station in English with typical American type music program. (Even played "Good Night, Irene") Think I heard them give time at 5:35 AM as 25 minutes to 7, which would make it in the A.S.T. zone. Only idea I have is WVDI. By the way the TP's were really loud that morning with 3YA on 690 kc topping them off with QSA4plus R8 or 9. Other reports out were only for KGON KMYR 3YC. I really was asked to swallow a big one when Jim Critchett told me that he received a Japanese postcard with Japanese stamps on it verifying him for his reception of WTOP back in 1937. Said, "Though our studios are in Washington, D.C. our transmitter site is here outside of Tokyo" Do you think I should believe him? To one of the NRC's Pride and Joys (as all our servicemen are) Fred Anderson: I have been informed that our ROTC unit ~~xx~~ radio station at University of California will allow any of us who are in the Mil. Science Courses to send telegrams to any servicemen anywhere in the world. I'll wait til your latest address appears in NRC before dropping you a line. Hope that the new address will read 'Stateside'. Well, that's all for now, til next time, '73's

Bernard Duffy, 94 Lander Ave. Staten Island, N.Y.

Being on a summer schedule of DXing now, I spin the dial only occasionally ~~xxx~~ resulting in few additions to the log. However, those heard were WWIN WPRS WFRX and WMOD for a total of 1953 heard stations. Itemizing some of the results from listening: 5/4 WMOD 1470 kc testing @ 0300 on. Also an unknown, record playing, non talking on 910 kc from 2:50-4:10 AM. KTEM on 990 at 0255 with his monthly FC. a loud cycle tone tester on 1340 at 0315, ditto the same on 1450 kc at 0300. 5/7 WTKM 1540 kc with poor audio at 0200. unknown tester on top of 1340 from 0200 on. 5/8 caught ET s/off of tester on 1580 at 0238. Another on 590 kc at 0248 playing organ and European type music, no talking. KFMO 1240 kc loud and clear with monthly FC at 0240. 5/9 WPRS Paris, Ill soliciting reports on their ET. at 0230 under a loud cycle tone. Unknown non identifier playing records atop WJBK, and CMOX at 0248 on. 5/10 Unknown tester on 710 kc 0200-0230. Another such on 1240 kc at 0257. Tones and carriers of unknowns on 580, 590, 900, 1300, 1490, 1600 from 0230 that morning. Steve Mann's log of Spanish-American stations arrived and I find it very complete and helpful. Speaking of such I'm reminded that Station Mgr. Ofelia Rodriguez of CMOX, 10 No. 423 Vedado, Havana, sent me, via air mail an attractive specific and friendly letter verie, in which he asked me to request other NRC'ers to report on their 24 hour a day operation and that he would be delighted to acknowledge all such, so it behooves all you fellow DXers to report the "Cuban American" on 1490 in order to get a nice different verie. CKFH, Toronto is another 24 hr a day station that sends an attractive friendly letter verification, as did WRAD WMAN WFRX WPRS WJCM and WZOB. WDBO sent an orange and green print postal and WFIN duplicated their grand block letter calls, atop grey map of U.S. card. Checking back on my past seasons DX, I find that I added 59 to my heard list. I credit the Bulletin and co-operative NRC'ers with leading me to most of them.

Call Letter Meanings by Gene Francis

KALT	Arkansas Louisiana Texas	KMCO	Monroe County
WMGM	Metro Goldwyn Mayer	WEEI	Edison Elec. Illuminatind Co.
CJBQ	Bay of Quintah	WTOB	Tobacco Center
WFIG	Worlds Foremost Iris Gardens	WMRO	Martin R. O'Brien
WINA	The Winnah	KOME	Oil Metropolis

- 730 KWRE Warrenton, Mo F/C seems to be 2nd THUR. Hrd 3/8 at 0315/off and on 5/10 at 0210-0222 off. (Johanns-Buffalo NY)
- 900 WCOR Lebanon, Tenn M-F/C 0330-0340 on 5/15 to ret at 0600 (Johanns)
- 1090 WHEE Boston, Mass. This is the new call for WBMS, changed 4/29 but still owned by "WBMS" Inc. No FM channel now and WHEE operates 0700 (Sun 0600)-8PM EDST (John Cowles & Barry Foote-Weston M)
- 1150 WFPM Fort Valley, Ga ET/M 0330-0400 on 5/12 (Johanns) Heard ETing AM of 5/13 has 5 kw (Foote-Weston, Mass)
- WCOP Boston, Mass testing Aux Mtr 0330-0356 on 5/13 EDST (Foote)
- 1230 WPAI ex WWNF Fayetteville, N C F/C 2nd TUES 0145-0210, info from Ed Marion of WPAI (Bill Toronto)
- 1280 WTCN Minneapolis, Minn on with election returns on 5/15 (Johanns)
- 1440 WPRS Paris, Ill ET/TT 0235/off & 5/12 ET/M at 0315 (Johanns)
- WAAB Worcester, Mass now operating with new 5 kw Xmtr (Fotte)
- 1450 WCRS Greenwood, S C TT/c on 5/15 at 0200-0215 (Johanns)
- WJER Dover, Ohio F/C LAST TUES 0545-0555 per W A McCellan (Hill)
- 1490 WTNB Birmingham, Ala TT & F/C in heavy QRM 0215-0245 (Fotte)
- WMOA Marietta, Ohio on F/C as listed. (Fotte)

Well there you have it boys, everything received here in Thursdays mail has been included. Just a little note, when reporting would you lads remember to report in EASTERN STANDARD TIME. By using this method the time in our DX NEWS remains the same through out the entire year.

No DX tosspeak of here, no veries being received either despite many reports being out. To you lads who have not heard from me, just have patience, latest thing to happen around here was the furnace going bad so had to have an entirely new installation. No more heaving in coal. Will be looking for more items for the next issue. Hope each and every one of you have a swell summer and be all set for a banner DX season beginning this October. Best wishes to all. (Pop)

Barry Foote 273 North Ave. Weston 93, Mass.

The South American log arrived here Saturday, Brother what a beautiful piece of workmanship. Hats off to Steve Mann and Harold Wagner for a job well done. QRM here for past few days has been only slight. New stations heard are: 4/25 WDEL 4/28 WEIR tone @ 0300, KXAR 0245-0250 XEJP at 0230: 5/1 WNBH in the clear after WCRB's s/off. 5/2 logged WHEE 1090 formerly WBMS: 5/8 WFHG TT 0215. 5/13 WTNB TT FC 0215-0245 WFPM ET 0245, WMOA FC 0215-0230. I plan to Dx off an on thru out the summer and try to increase my verie total. My log now stands at 571 heard and 117 verified. Well, guess that is it from here. 73's and best of DX.

- 1070 WKVM Arecibo, Puerto Rico, P.R.'s most powerful station running ET with 25 kw. between 0130-0230 (Williams)
- 1440 WJPG Green Bay, Wisc. Now testing here, ex 810kc (Johanns)

N O T I C E

The CPC staff is in need of help this coming season. Any of you members who are willing to work on this staff are requested to write Board Chairman J.B. Reilly, 11 Irvine Place, Jamestown, New York immediately. Please state in your letter also if you would be willing to be Chairman of this activity or if you just desire to be a member of the staff.

Your publisher is sorry that this issue is so late. Unexpected company on the two nites I had allotted to the bulletin plus almost a solid week of good weather following in which orchard work took precedence over even my regular job all combined to do it. Very likely the next two issues will also be delayed unless we happen to have rainy weather at publishing time.

Sunday, May 27, 1951

73's, Wagner