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## AT SEA, BUT NOT AT SEA WITH NRC

WI still enjoy reading 'DX News' although I'm not as active in the hobby as I used to be." - Bob Duggan (aboard the U.S.S. Rows on Atlantic Service)

## N R C) D X C A L E N D A R

Date	Calls	Kc/s.	Location	Watts	AM, E.S.T.	Stations' Time
Mar. 9	K A B I	580	Ketchikan, Alaska	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	12:00 - 1:00 A.T
19	K R C O	690	Prineville, Oregon	1,000	3:15 - 4:30	12:15 - 1:30 PST
30	C K D M	1230	Dauphin, Manitoba	250	3:00 - 5:00	2:00 - 4:00 CST

These all count for extra points in our NRC DX Contest.

## N N R C

Mar. 5	K O W B	1340	Laramie, Wyoming	250	3:15 - 3:35	
13	K W C O	1560	Chickasha, Oklahoma	250	12:55 - 1:15	
14	W S A N	1470	Allentown, Pennsylvania	5,000	2:30 - 3:00	
14	W L O A	1550	Braddock, Pennsylvania	1,600	5:15 - 5:45	
19	W R E N	1250	Topeka, Kansas	5,000	3:30 - 3:45	
24	K I N D	1010	Independence, Kansas	250	1-2 or 2-3	

## K A B I - KETCHIKAN, ALASKA - JIM KEMP, CHIEF ENGINEER

This will be KABI's regular second Monday frequency check, and they ask that we NRCers listen for them and submit reception reports. Now this is a lost cause in the East due to all-nighters WCHS and CKKY, but this should be comparatively easy for our Western lads. So, we hope they will all support this dedication of a half-hour frequency check. This is one of the two new stations of the Midnight Sun-Aurora Broadcasting System, owning also KP4R, KENI and KJNO. Ketchikan is the nearest to the continental United States! ROY MILLAR

## LONG-RANGE INVITATION FROM JIM CRITCHETT

The question has been raised as to whether or not we are planning another DX get-together here for Labor Day. We hope that last year's meeting was only the first of an annual affair. Any DXer living or visiting in any of the 11 western states is welcome to come for any one or all 3 days of that weekend. All we ask is that we be notified in advance when to expect you, and accommodations you will need. We have but one extra bed, but there are several motor courts and hotels near by. Am writing this now so vacation plans can be made accordingly. There are several DXers in Washington State, and some in British Columbia, and at least one in Oregon. (Oregon? - Ed.) Perhaps they could all get together and pool expenses for the round trip. And there are several more in the Bay Area who might do the same. And Los Angeles County has a few also, active and inactive, judging by reports, who are welcome to visit us here. We have visited a couple of DXers in Albuquerque who are welcome to return the visit. And there may be more in these Western states, or even visitors in this territory, whom we would like to meet at that time. For that matter, if any of you come this far west this summer, drop in! - Jim Critchett, 1119 W. Arbor Dr., San Diego.

## DIS-A & DATA

**CORRECTION** - A few issues back, we erred in two ways in listing a new call. We had it on 1260 in Hutchinson, Kansas, but it is on 1280 and Hutchinson, Minn. - **KDUZI** JACK REHA says to watch for KTHS with 50 kilowatts at Hot Springs, now to test the new rig at its new location, Little Rock, Arkansas. He also says he is trying to arrange a season-end DX from KEXX, 1250 San Antonio, Texas, a Spanish language station and a new one. Also KOVL, Greenville, Tex. needs a first class engineer.

## VERIE SIGNERS

560	W H B Q	Gordon Lawhead, PD	F	1270	K CqO K	D. Ferguson, CE	H
580	W I B W	Ben Ludy	D	1290	X E A P	Emilio Manzanilla Jr GM HF	
590	V O C M	G. Lizzard	G	1320	W R H T	Bruce Diggs, CE	L
	W G T M	E. C. Pate, E	J	1340	C K D A	N. E. Bergquist, CE	G
600	W M T -	George T. Hixenbaugh, CE H			K O R K	W. Binford	H
620	W R O L	Fred M. Andrews, CE	B		W C B I	Thomas McLarrin, CE	H
	X E B U	T. Gomez	B		W N F H C	V. De Laurentis, CE	I
630	C KqO V	J. Fred Weber, CE	B	1350	C H G B	Roger Plante, A	L
650	W S M -	George A. Reynolds, VP, TD D			W EcE K	Wayne Lovely, CE	D
680	W A P A	Jose Arzuaga, CE	B	1360	K F F A	Earl Hodges	B
685	T I H B	Roger Barchoma/G, M	F		W KqO P	Charles Hallinan, CE	I
740	K P B M	Vic Daley, CE	AK		W M O D	Peter K. Onnigan, W6QEU, CE	I
790	W J A G	Robert Thomas, M	DM	1370	K A S T	Bruce Whitwell, CE	E
790	W G R C	Wickliffe J. Morrison CE/GL			W G R Y	Howard G. Matthews, CE	D
	K FpR B	W. R. Nichols, Actg M	B	1400	W H C C	F. C. Wilbur, CE	F
800	W S V S	C. E. Wilson, CE	H	1450	W Rcn O	Gus Browning, W4BPD CE	L
810	W G Y -	A. C. Knapp Asst to E, Eg. C			W WqP B	J. C. Wilson, CE	B
860	W A M I	Robert Page, CE	K		W T N T	Charles L. Clifton, CE	DI
926	Brussels	II M. Swaenappel HeadForeg L			W N V A	Gene Tommerdahl, CE	F
940	K I O A	Lloyd R. Amoo, CE	C		W R O B	George Cockren, CE	F
960	W F F C	L. D. Drewry, CE	H		W P A M	Milton W. Seltzer, CE	I
970	W W S W	Henry R. Kaiser, CE	H		W PqL H	A. V. Jayne, CE	J
990	W HqO O	Don E. Compton, CE	K	1460	K E N O	Ralph O. Dow, CE	H
	K A Y L	H. L. Carlson, CE	K		K S O -	F. E. Bartlett, CE	H
1010	W I N S	William Karda, ESu	F		K BfR Z	Kenneth Ferguson, CE	L
	W A B Z	C. H. Fletcher	H	1480	W A B B	William H. Murphree, CE	B
1090	K I N G	A. A. Schultz, CE	H		K GqK O	H. H. Rogers, W6MFO, CE/DG	
1140	C KfX L	Ross L. Craig, CE	BDH		W SqA R	Angus Bailey, PD	K
1220	C J O C	R. A. Beagh, CE	H	1490	W O H I	R. E. Metcalf, M	K
1240	K B M Y	T. A. Hildebrand, CE	D		W J J M	James Travis, CE	B
	W A T N	G. H. Righter, P	H	1510	W L A C	F. D. Binns, CE	C
	W EfB J	Joseph A. Sikes, CE	I	1550	K EcA R	D. A. Cisler, P	A
	W B E J	Lym R. Williams, XE	K	1570	W N C A	W. Barry Medlin, CE	E
	W FfO Y	Ernest Raistrick, CE	I	1580	K O W L	Robert Dye, CE	F
	W BSH W	George W. Drapp, E	K		W TqT N	Harold Winkerwerder, CE	L
1260	K T W -	A. T. Atworth, Jr., PD	H	1600	W Hpr V	J. W. Allen, CE	L
	W R A Y	Bryan Davidson, GM	H		W J K O	C. M. Manittas, GM	H

## C R E D I T S

A - Erick Johnson      D - Everett Johnson      G - Pat Reilley      H - Pete Taylor  
 B - Roy Miller          E - Joe Brauner          H - Croton DX Club      K - Hal Williams  
 C - Gene Cameron      F - Harold Schroek      I - Frank Johnson      L - Lefty Cooper

Again we explain the small letters in the middle of the call letters, for there still seems to be some confusion among you:

- c - Hand-written or typed card.
  - q - Printed or "QSL" card.
  - f - Form letter (printed or carbon copy, or mimeographed letter.)
  - r - Verie on the original letter you sent the station as your report.
  - p - Prepared card - one made out by the DXer and sent to the station for signature.
  - n - Verie in the station's native language (other than English)
- NO DESIGNATION is, then, a typed or hand-written letter.

NOTE: When sending in your verie-signers, please list the frequency with the call letters. We pride ourselves in being able to remember at least 90% of all the calls and frequencies, but we're not 100% perfect, and don't wish to look them up. It is NOT necessary for you to put them in any order of frequency - just list the kilocycles ahead of the calls, please! Thank you.

We also ask that if you have noted a signer in a recent issue of this list, and you also get a verie signed by the same person, that you don't re-submit it to us, for repetition merely serves to make the list longer while reducing its effectiveness. Also, please do your best to decipher the name correctly, for no one likes his name mis-spelled when you write him a letter. We realize that some signatures are exceedingly difficult to make out, but we do ask you to do your best to send them in correctly. Again, thank you.

## CONDITION OF FREQUENCIES

Time is E.S.T.

Prepared by Len Kruse.

540					
550	KEFB	On daily till 4 a.m.	860	KYFB	On Monday AM only till 4 a.m.
	KMNI	On daily till 4 a.m.	870	WVL	On daily exc. Saturday & Sunday
	KOY	Off Sunday AM only.	880	WCBS	On Monday AM only with TT.
	KENI	On daily to 5, Sunday 6 a.m.	890		
560	WIND	Off Monday only at 4:05 a.m.	900	XEW	No silent period.
	CFBA	No silent period.	910	KVAN	Off Monday AM only.
	KSFO	On daily till 4 a.m.	920	WOKY	Off Monday AM only.
570	WLAG	Off Monday AM only.		KRAM	On daily till 5 exc. Sun-Mon.
	WMGA	On daily till 3:05 a.m.		KAHU	On daily till 5, later Sunday.
580	CKEY	No silent period.		GJCH	Silent Monday; s/off Sun. 5a.m.
	WCBS	No silent period.	930	CJCA	On Sunday till 4; daily 3:10.
	KMJ	Off Monday only at 4:05 a.m.	940		
590	KGMB	On daily till 3:45 a.m.	950	WWJ	No silent period.
	XEPH	On daily till 4 a.m.		KEEL	Off Monday AM only.
	KUGN	On daily to 3:05, Sunday 4:05.		WABC	Off Monday AM only.
600	WMT	Off Sunday AM only.	960	KROW	Silent Monday, other days silent 7:00-9:30 a.m.
	WIOC	Off Monday AM only.		KALE	Off Monday AM only.
	CJOR	Off Monday AM only.	970	WWSW	Silent Sunday 6:00-8:45 only.
	KFSD	On daily to 3:05 a.m.		KBIS	Off Monday AM, s/off Sun. 4.
610	WIP	No silent period. (Rev. Tues)		KREM	S/off Monday 2 a.m.; Sundays 6 a.m., Tues-Sat. 4 a.m.
	EDAL	Off Monday AM only.	980	CKVL	Off Monday AM only.
	KWIE	On daily till 4 exc. Monday.		KFWB	S/off Monday 4; daily 7:00.
620	KNGS	On Sunday only till 4 a.m.	990		
630	KPOA	On daily to 6 except Monday.	1000	KOMO	TT alternate months with KIRO.
640	KFI	Off Monday AM only.		WCFL	Off Monday AM only.
650	WSM	TT daily except Monday.	1010	CMBC	No silent period.
660	WNBC	Off Monday AM only.	1020	KFVD	On Sundays only till 5 a.m.
	XEBZ	On daily till 4:00 a.m.		KDKA	Off Sunday AM only.
670	WMAQ	TT, Sunday AM only.	1030	WBZ	Off Monday AM only.
680	KNBC	Off Monday AM only.		XEQH	Off daily at 3:30 a.m.
690	KULA	On daily till 4 a.m.	1040	WHD	Off Sunday AM only.
700	WLV	Off Monday & Tuesday AM only.	1050	XEG	No silent period.
710	WOR	Silent daily 5-5:15 a.m. only.	1060	WNOE	Off Monday AM only.
	KMPC	Daily to 4; Monday all AM.	1070	KNX	Off Monday AM only at 4:15.
	KIRO	Daily to 4:30 except Sunday & Monday followed by TT alter- nate months, share with KOMO.	1080	KBID	TT daily exc. Saturday-Sunday.
720	WGN	Off Sunday AM only.	1090	KEEB	On daily till 3:30 a.m.
730				WRAL	Off Monday AM only.
740	KCBS	On daily till 3:15 a.m.	1100	KJBS	Daily till 6; Sunday till 7.
750	WSB	Off Monday AM only.	1110	KFAB	Off Monday AM only.
760	WJR	No silent period.		KKLA	Off Monday AM only.
	KGU	On daily till 3:45 a.m.		KIPA	On daily till 5 a.m.
770	WJZ	Off Sunday 6:00-7:30 only.		WBT	TT daily except Sunday.
780			1120	KMOX	Off Sunday AM only.
790	KNEW	Saturday to 5; Sunday 6:30.	1130	WNEW	Silent irregularly Mondays
	KECA	On daily to 3:15; Monday 3:30.	1140	WRVA	Off Monday AM only.
800	CKLW	Silent Mondays; s/off 5 Sunday		CKXL	Off Sunday AM only.
810	KGO	Daily to 3:15, all AM Monday.	1150	KHKD	Off Monday AM only.
	WGY	Off Wednesday AM only.		KEJP	No silent period.
820	WBAP/WFAA	TT daily exc. Mon-Tue-Wed.		KEBC	No silent period.
830	WCCO	On Sunday AM only.		CMCA	Off Monday AM only.
	CMBZ	No silent period.	1160	KSL	Off Thursday AM only.
840	WHAS	Carrier daily exc. Tue-Wed.	1170	WVVA	Off Monday AM only.
850	WHDE	Off Monday AM only.		KVGO	No silent period.
	KLLA	On daily till 5:05 a.m.	1180	WHAM	TT all AM except Friday.
	KQA	Off Sunday AM only.	1190	KEX	Daily till 5 with TT exc. Mon.
860	KIKI	On daily till 5:05 a.m.		KLEP	Silent period unknown.
	KONG	Off Tuesday AM only.			

CONDITION OF FREQUENCIES  
All time E.S.T. by Len Kruse

1200			1320	CKNW	No silent period.
1210	WCAU	Off Monday AM only.	1330	KFAC	No silent period.
1220				WLWL	On daily till 4:00 a.m.
1230	WNOR	No silent period.		GMCB	No silent period.
	WITH	Silent Tuesdays 3:00-5:00.	1340	WEMP	Off Monday AM only.
	KGFJ	S/off 8 AM, silent Monday AM.		CJOB	Off Monday AM only.
	EGON	Off Monday AM only.		KATO	Daily till 4:15 except Monday.
	KVAS	Off Monday AM only.		KBYR	Daily till 3:10 except Mondays
	KLAS	Off Monday AM at 4 a.m.		XEAA	Daily till 4:05, Sunday 5:00.
	GMCO	No silent period.	1350	XEQK	No silent period.
	KRIZ	On daily till 3:30 a.m.	1360	WKAT	On daily till 3:30 a.m.
	KXD	On daily till 3:05 a.m.	1370		
	KERO	On daily till 4:00 a.m.	1380	WATL	Off Monday AM only.
	KLAN	Off Monday AM only.		KSEW	On daily till 4:00 a.m.
1240	WEDC	All AM every AM.		KHON	Silent Mondays only at 5 a.m.
	KSON	Off Monday AM only.	1390	KCBC	Off Sundays only at 4:00 a.m.
	KHNO	On daily to 4 exc. Monday.		KSLM	On Sundays only till 4:00 a.m.
	KRDC	On Sundays only to 3:30.	1400	WWIN	Off Monday AM only.
1250				WLOW	Off Monday AM only.
1260	KGIL	On daily till 5:00 a.m.		CKFH	Off Sun. AM but carrier on.
	WWDC	Off Monday AM only.		WJLB	Off Sunday AM only. ??
	XEMF	No silent period.		KRE	Daily to 3:45; Monday to 3:15.
1270	FWCA	Off Monday AM only.		WWIN	Daily to 4:00 exc. Monday, all AM Sunday.
1280	KNAK	On daily till 3:05 a.m.		KONG	On Sunday AM only till 5 a.m.
	KFOX	On daily till 4:00 a.m.	1410	CEMO	On daily till 4:05 exc. Monday.
1290	XEDA	On daily till 3:30 a.m.	1420	KSTN	Off Monday AM only.
1300	KFKW	No silent period.	1430		
	KROP	On Sundays till 4:00 a.m.	1440		
	KYNO	On Sundays till 4:00 a.m.	1450	KEYY	On Sundays only till 5:00 a.m.
	WLEX	Silent Sundays only, 4-7 a.m.		WOL	Off 3-7 Sundays, silent Monday.
	WIBR	Silent Mondays only.		WWFB	Silent Sundays 3-7 a.m. only.
1310	WDOD	Off Monday AM only.		KGRE	Sundays to 4:05, daily to 3:05.
	CKOY	Off Monday AM only.		WBGO	Daily to 5:00 except Monday.
	KWBR	Silent Monday-Tuesday only.	1460	KENO	Daily to 4:00 except Monday.
	WKRH	Off Monday AM only.		KDON	Daily to 3:05 a.m.
	XEC	On daily till 3:15 a.m.		WGGB	S/off Sunday 5, silent Monday, other days 24 hours.
	KLIX	Daily to 3:30 except Monday.	1470	XESM	No silent period.

We are sure this list, which appears as a regular feature of "DX News" is of tremendous help to all our members, and we wish to thank our hard-working member, Len Kruse, who once again has gone to the great trouble of preparing this list for us. We ask everyone to keep Len informed when you notice any changes, additions, or deletions to this list. In that way, our next listing will be right up to date when it appears. Len compiled this data from his own experience, as well as from information sent him by other members, and of course, from information he saw here in "DX News." So let us all co-operate with Len, to keep this list right up to scratch. Len's address is 816 Euclid Street, Dubuque, Iowa. And again, our sincere expression of gratitude to him for preparing this list for us. It should be of especial help to the members of our Courtesy Programs Committee as well as to all of us in our DXing.

1480	XEOA	On daily to 3:05 a.m.
1490	KGKO	No silent period.
	KLEM	On daily till 3:05 a.m.
1490	WJHK	Off Monday AM only, is on 1500 during daytime at present.
	WSRS	Off Sundays, 4:00-8:00 a.m.
	CMOX	Off Monday AM only.
	WLOX	Off Monday AM only.
1500	KXRE	Off Sundays 7:00-9:00 only.
	KSTP	On Monday AM only.
1510	WLAC	Off Monday AM only.
1520		
1530	WCKY	No silent period.
	KFRK	Off Monday AM only at 4:00.
1540		
1550	XEBC	On daily till 4:00 a.m.
1560	KPMC	On daily till 4:30 a.m.
1570	XGFF	Silent daytime, on all night.
1580		
1590	KATL	Silent period unknown
	XEMC	No silent period.
1600	KASH	On daily to 3:30 a.m.



Musings of the MembersHarold Steinh - 432 Sutter Street - San Francisco, California

Hi gang. I'm not too certain where I left off last time, so please excuse any repeats. Veries received from KHKW KDMA WJVA WJAC KQLE WWPB KEAR KVMI KWJB WQTV & KXLE. Heard last week have been: WECO RS, KSLJ f/c, first Thursday 4:45 a.m., KWJB first Friday f/c 4 a.m., unknown tone on 1400 kc/s. first Friday 5:00-5:10 a.m., KHAM f/c second Sunday 5:15-5:33 a.m., KAPA f/c QRMing KHUB NRC special and KRUL at 4:20 also QRMing KHUB; WRAY s/on, CEO RS, KSPO NRC special, and KQNI f/c 2nd Monday 4:45-5:00 a.m. Here's an unusual request. I was listening for the WQGM special. We had an extremely high QRM that morning and there were two other stations on the same frequency. If anyone heard them they can check the following which I tried to separate from the other stations heard: 3:52 a.m., musical selection, "Alexander's Ragtime Band." with man vocalist. 3:55 a.m. announcer mentioning "WQGM", 3:56 a.m., musical selection. (They faded on me at 3:59 a.m.). I wouldn't consider reporting them unless I had already checked with any of the esteemed DXers on the Eastern Seaboard. That's it for now - how about turning over to Foreign Section for some info on Taiwan and Japan, hi. 73s.

Harold Wagner - R.D.#1 - North Girard, Pennsylvania

Just to let the gang know I still read the bulletin out here on the shores of Lake Erie. I'd like to comment on some of the items recently brought up in there, namely the West Coast Section and the NRC Amateur Network. The thought hit me that an NRC Amateur Network would be of real service to the club if the boys could devote some time to it and it could very well be the answer to the West Coast Section. Think of the service the West Coast would get if their news could be relayed by NRC Amateurs to the East here where it would be typed and sent to Ray Edge for mimeographing along with the rest of the bulletin. If some of the West Coasters had a sked regularly with a New Zealand amateur it might be the means of getting quick news up from our New Zealand members also. I don't know how many amateurs are in our ranks or if we have any on the West Coast, although it seems to me John Brierley and Bob Sanderson had dealings that way. Norm Maguire out in New Mexico is one while the Middle West is well represented with Hal Scarrock, Jack Hathaway, Ben Patch. Then on the East with Clarence Burdham. Surely there are others in the club that are amateurs and might be able to devote some time to setting up a network and exchanging newsy notes and also help the club out by getting late news in quickly, so what say, you hams? Since Jack Hathaway proposed the thought in the last bulletin why don't you hams drop Jack a card giving your call, frequency, etc. so he can compile a list and see if something can be worked out in that regard. Since the Super-Pro is still on the sick list, split frequency Latin listening is out. Crawled out of the sack the other AM for the Newfoundland specials for the first serious listening of the season and have reports off to CJON WQGM and KHUB. WQGM was in the clear after the Mexican signed at 4 & was still coming in nicely at 4:30 when I folded up and went back to bed. Surely glad I had 2 receivers so I could copy CJON & KHUB. CJON came through the other carrier nicely on a little 6-tube command receiver. 4BH, 1390, heard weakly on the EC-314 so maybe will stir a little life into me yet, hi.

Hank Ward - 404 North 14th - Ponca City, Oklahoma

No luck with WJOC KVNC and WJVB DXes, but KSPO and CKSB shows very well received here. Good strong signals. KAPA, Raymond, Wash. f/cing first 15 minutes of KSPO's time dominated frequency. CKWX Vancouver, B.C. heard well on RS to their s/off. Veries of recent vintage are KHON, KQMS, WANS-DX, KSDO, XGIL, WION & CKXL-DX. WION stated mine farthest western report. KQNI also heard 2/16 with special DX-Test program requesting reports of reception. Very strong here. Still wondering what happened to WJWB from their 1/1 show offering a \$25 bond. Not a reply of any sort from them and beginning to wonder if some of those deals aren't hoaxes that might be better off called to the attention of the FCC. Did any of you far off members do any good with the \$100 offer from WJOK same morning? 73s.

Sid Steels - Charleston, Illinois

I'm not doing so well in the DX game this season. I set my goal for 100 veries, but I doubt if I can get 75. I don't seem to "run" into them like some of the boys do. Then too, twilight DX has been no good with normal conditions existing most of the time. That's best when the sun spots are raising Cain! 73s.

DON'T FORGET, LADS - OUR COMEDY KORN-or SECTION NEEDS YOUR HELP. LET'S HAVE ANYTHING HUMOROUS? PARTICULARLY IF IT APPLIES TO DX, RADIO, OR A NATIONAL RADIO CLUB MEMBER!

Musings of the MembersMike Ferguson - 3337 Prospect - Houston 4, Texas

Was saddened to read that brother Pohl had succumbed to the hypnotism of a pair of big blue eyes! First it's unprintable stories, then "Big Blue Eyes." What next, Johnnie? Have been limiting my DX to Saturday-Sunday-Monday AMs, catching up on my sleep the rest of the week. Disappointed to find that the local interference is slowly creeping all over the dial. Wherever there is a chance for some really good listening, the buzz ruins everything. 2/14 - 4YA in and out and not enough for a report - only 1 record logged. CKNW-1320 finally good here and reported. A s/on on 620 kc/s. at 5:45 with "O Canada" followed by marches, evidently CKTB, so tentative sent. Other new ones were WAVU and WRAG. 2/15 - CJRL and CJOC together on 1280 kc/s. with a time tester and finally a fair log on CJCA. Really hitting the Canadians for a change. Both specials heard, KWNG loud and WJVB very poorly. That Cuban really does make a hash out of 1010 kc/s. KILA-850 really a boomer right at s/off, then something very weak on the channel, evidently WHDH. 2/16 - CKSB-1250 special in strong for half an hour, then the buzz swamped it. Only 3rd Manitoba station heard here. WSBT-960 evidently testing with carrier only, Very good here. KAHU-920 cutting through the XNW sneering pretty well for a new one. Heard LA signals on 670 & 680 kc/s., don't know who. A signal on 1340 kc/s. but too weak to follow with buzz and sneering from XEOK and CMOB, probably KSPO for the club. Down Under signals pretty good, 3YA holding on even with WWL and WPTT both on the air. CKLW was late getting on, and 1Y2 heard until almost 5:30. VP4RD copied again for another report. Never did get a verie for the first one. Total heard now around 830. Veries in: WAMS-DX, CKXL-DX, WGRY-DX. 23 reports out. So long gentlemen, and you too, Johnnie. One more thing - to Hal Williams - I have heard woman announcer and organ music during regular f/c of KFGQ. Perhaps that is the one reported in 2/14 issue.

Lew Carter - Somers, Connecticut

I more or less gave up DXing because of business after last season. My only contribution has been heading the "DX News." Then, in the issue of February 7, I saw my name. Bill Moser, whom I have never met, wondered what had happened to me. He made me wonder, too. So I am ceasing my inactivity. Bill, I am stirred by your thoughtfulness. You have saved me from a fate worse than death, not DXing. I have nothing to report. Last season I pulled in 762. This year no DX except FM. 40 FMers from here, all RS. I am no longer at WEMD. If you write there, send your mail to CE Howard Fisher. Next time I'll have something to report. Glad to be back in the fold, and thank you, Bill Moser. Congratulations on your fine work, Lefty. Can't the club give you a medal or something? You deserve more than my simple thanks. (Glad to see a report from you Lew, and welcome back, and thanks for the kind words! -Ed.)

W. D. "Don" Reed - EH, R.D., Oamaru, New Zealand

Please enroll me as a member of the NRC and send me your "DX News" when same is printed. At present I'm a member of the New Zealand Radio DX League (at present, President, North Otago Branch). Best catches to date, KIVY (1570), a New Zealand "first," FINA (1400) a New Zealand 4th report, and still awaiting a verie from KEMA (1450), 100 watts. Total BC verifications just over 400. My location here seems to be quite good. (Welcome to the NRC, Don, and we hope to hear from you often! -Ed.)

Morton D. Meehan - 3830 Clayton Road - Concord, California

I finally got out of the hospital on the day before Christmas. I had notified you I'd be right out after Labor Day and I would have only another minor operation come along. But now I'm out and catching up on reading the mail that's been lingering at the house here the last few months. Now here is the situation with me. I've got to go slow and easy for a few years yet. So my energy will have to be devoted to making money and the rest of my time devoted to relaxing and resting. No more time for typing requests for veries, burning the midnight oil and missing sleep, etc. So because of this, DXing will have to be out with me for the next couple of years. When the time comes that I can join the fellows again I'll write and let you know as I'll keep your address. (The best to you, Mort - we'll miss you but health comes first!)

Eugene J. Christy - 24 Spring Street - Millvale, 9, Pennsylvania

Being a member for the last couple of years I have been very inactive but have been reading the bulletins and they have been both helpful and enjoyable. I'd like to thank Hal Williams for his Christmas card. It was deeply appreciated. I had some nice catches in '52 but didn't make reports. That makes me kind of sad but I think that the report blanks will make me a more active member and reporter in '53. I hope the same holds for other members. (We'll go along with that Gene - we hope so! -Ed.)

Musings of the MembersJames E. Critchett - 1119 West Arbor Drive - San Diego 3, California

Several weeks of no rain here, but DX remains quite fruitful. 2/6, 780, WJAG 8 1-2 on special, reported and verified. Say, is WBCO now 24 hours on 1450? Best DX news here is that KSON no longer operates after 3 EST, so 1240 clear except WEDC from here. Who was testing on 1280 from 4:08 to 4:24 that morning? WAF program. 2/8, 620 CKCK almost completely covered by WSUN here. 2/9, 1340 KFIR bad here, but KHUB better, though even with KAPA for first 15 minutes and later with KRUL. Accidentally caught WSRS ending news on 1490 at 4:30. 2/12, 1450, XEGB testing 4:23 to 5:07 yet. 1430, KGAE strong on f/c 4:30-4:45. Bad news; KRUX said 24 hours so another graveyard messed up for us southwesterners. But with KBIS off, caught WWSW between KROW and KEWE at 5:15 on 970. 2/13, finally caught my nearest new station, KSWB ending news on 1240 at 8:15 a.m. (GHS). 2/14, 3:40, 620, XEPU testing. 4:30, 1450, WBCO again, over WFPB. 6:25, 1240 KGY very weak on listed f/c. 7:00, 1240, KAKE on for new one here. 2/15, 3:30 to 4, 1010, KUNC very good here, of course. WJVB very weak behind JOER; almost no CMBQ if any. Who tested on 860 with KONO, 4:43 to after 5, XEDU or XEUP? Who on 550 Sundays 5:12 to 5:36 yet; sounded like BS. 2/16, 3:02 on, 1250 CKSB S-5, then fading. Good old KAPA again 4 to 4:16, covering KSPO, but latter clear thereafter. Then the DXers' friend, Don Hill was on with KONI, 1280, heard from 4:40 to 5:05. 1490 WAKE on listed f/c brings DX listening to date. 1430, WKOC did not show here, but other heard as reported above. Veries in from 910 KPOF, 1140 CKXL, 1250 KTW, 1300 KOL, and 1370 WGRY. Reports to KHUB & KFIR and more will be sent in the near future. 73s.

John Brierley - 1614 Lea Court - Alameda, California

To Everett Johnson - If you will send a copy of your report to KECC addressed to Donald Strom c/o KECC Collinsville, Cal. I am sure that a QSL will be forthcoming. He is a buddy of mine and I will contact him asking him to take care of it for you. Some guys like Roy Millar have all the luck. I hear KEDA 1290, he hears KEAP (with QSL to prove it yet). I check again this AM to see if I could have been wrong and do I hear KEAP? Heck no, I again hear KEDA s/off. To add to the humiliation, no verie has come from KEDA. Oh well, I soothed my hurt feelings this AM (2/18) by logging XENC 1540 Celaya, Gto., with 250 watts, which is almost as good a DX catch as KEAP. I am also unhappy along with a couple of other of the boys that I have noted lately stating the lack of a QSL from KBRZ WVOW & WBUY. Think that CPC man arranging DXes should inquire about QSLs when enough members have stated they have not received theirs in a reasonable length of time. One or two reports could go astray, or have inadequate information, but several unanswered reports is definitely the station's fault. I feel this way about it, if the station goes to the trouble of putting on a show, they must want DX reports. If they do, they should have the courtesy to answer them. Re West Coast section DX-wise, it would be a flop as stated because of time element, as others have pointed out. Secondly, by the time that it was organized, DX season would be over. The best deal all around would be two pages to appear periodically, as does Condx of Frequencies. One for the East Coast boys, with s/off info, and the other for the West Coast with s/ons. Submissions of course would have to be on a cooperative basis, as you boys back there can check s/ons better than we and vice-versa. Separate editors would have to be set up, as Lefty and Ray have enough to do now. In any case, I will cooperate with any plan that is worked out which is not carried out entirely by three (3) - count 'em - West Coast members. My new address after March 3 will be 807 West Avenna, Reedley, California.

Sid Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

Worked night turn the past week and listening limited to week-end specials. 2/22 - GRND (1440) DX in strong on WNEC/NRC DX. WCED (1350) DX came in here like a semi-local. KCLX failed to get through WBCO which was very strong this AM. 2/23 - WNUU (1260) DX and WCCC (1290) DX, listened to 30 minute portion of both these fine programs. Comment on Connecticut and Hartford very interesting from WCCC. Veries in a letter from KPOF & CKXL. CKXL reports they received over 60 reports and were delighted with the nice letters. KRIF Miles City, Mont. received well over 200 reports Edwin L. Olmstead singled out the reports of Len Kruse (form type) Joe Brauner & Bob Gorsuch (essay type) as the best. Letter will be mailed to above chain style so you may see for yourself the fine things KRIF said of your reports. KWHP says they topped 200 mark. Looks like all records have been topped several times this season. All have been high in praise of NRC cooperation & are amazed at response. "DX News" has been complimented by all. No wonder NRC is tops with all stations that have DXed for us!



Musings of the MembersEverett Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

Another week has gone and time to send in another report. DXing swell again this past week. Have added to my log the following - 2/11, I caught KXRO (1320) on f/c. WIZE 1340 on f/c. 2/12 - WOSA, ex WLIN Merrill, Wisc. on same time as usual, KVEC-920 s/off. 2/13 - CJIB-940 s/off, KSON-1240 f/c in San Diego, Cal. Seems that KSON KCBQ & KGB all testing at the same time as man said "This is KSON-KGB-KCBQ San Diego Cal. testing." 2/15 - KVNC DX 1010 came in very good here, also WJVB-1010. KEYY s/off 1450. 2/16 - KSPO DX 1340 glad to hear our pal Gene Cameron on the show. Came in OK. KROY-1240 s/off, KORE-1450 s/off, CKSB-DX 1250 swell. CMBZ-830 on saying in English anyone wishing a set of Spanish Morroccas and a Cuban flag send to "Radio Sa-las" P.O. Box 866, Havana, 25¢. 2/17 - KRUX-1340 RS. WSGC on for regular f/c, 1400. WINK-1240 f/c. WMOC-1430 s/on - whatever happened to WMOC DX program for NRC? KJHD 1270 f/c. 2/18 - KPRO-1440 s/off. WCDT-1340 f/c. 2/19 - WLSH-1410 on playing organ music. KODI-1400 f/c. XEBG-1550 RS. KASH-1600 s/off. WWHL was also on at 4:30 conducting f/c, and finally, on the 20th caught CPER in Edmonton on RS, 1260. Oh yes - who is the Mexican on 1350 all night? Veries in amount to WAAA WHCC WJAG WIBW KOOL WTNT WSM KGBD. My pal Len Kruse is really getting closer to me each month on contest. It's a fight to the finish, hi. Thanks to Hal Williams for the fine letter, also Bernie Duffy for all the cards. And Leo Shelly for his fine letter. Guess this is all for this time - best of DXing to all of you. Am going to try for WJIN in Connecticut this AM but with that Mexican I have my doubts, hi.

Harold E. Schrock - R.R. #1 - Paxton, Illinois

Verie from WJDX 1240 gives schedule 6:30-1:00. WJDX plans to be on the air March 2 at 4:00-5:00 with music and gab. Report to Ellis N. Anderson, Staff engineer. Nice verie card received after waiting 1 year from WROB 1450. Verie from KOWL 1580 says I heard their annual test of operational quality Jan. 18. Quoting from the letter from KOWL, "We sign on at 7 every morning and begin our broadcast day with Spanish followed by Yiddish and then more of the same up till 11:30. Then at 12 the station presents the nation's #1 Negro D.J., Joe Adams with 3 1/2 hours of real "George" music. We sign off when ol sol dips into the blue Pacific just 6 miles away." 1/31 - WFOB DX tough with QRM, WBIM 1330 s/on 6:00. 2/1 - Finally logged CICY 590. KWHF-DX fair KGFJ 1400 ET 4:10. 2/2 - KPRC 510 s/off 3:00, XEAP 1290 3:30, verie received, 100 watts; unidentified TT 1110, 980, 860 & 1340 all heard around 3:30-4:15. CKC-DX fair, no HOF32 or WJEH. 2/3 - Finally logged XEXO 1550, verie received. WKDA 1240 s/off 2:00, s/on 6. KODY 1240 ET 2:15, KPRM 740 f/c per list. KJMS 1250 s/off 2:30 after 1 1/2 hours on air per day. WPRA 990 s/on 5:00. KAMQ 1010 f/c per list 2:30. 2/5 - WBCO 1450 now 22 hours daily 7:00-5:00. WGES 1390 s/off 3:00. WLOX & WJHK fighting it out on 1490. KORN 1490 f/c to 2:40, s/on 7:00. 2/6 - WJAG 780 fine 3:00 for NNRO. XROX 1400 f/c per list 3:00. Who s/on at 5:00 under WHIS? 2/8 - WRKD-DX poor but logged. KONO 1450 ET 3:30. WBZ/WBZA 1030 s/on 5:30, WRNO 1450 s/on 6:00. WJHL 910 Sunday s/on 6:30. WCEL 1450 Sunday s/on 3:30, WHFP 1450 Sunday s/on 6:30. 2/9 - VOCH 590 and CJON 930 logged in NNRC DX, KAPA 1340 ET 4:00, KHUB-DX in heavy QRM and poor, WVAL 630 ET 4:20, KRUL 1340 f/c 4:30, WBBQ 560 s/on 5:00. WTAR 790 s/on 5:45, KWTQ 560 s/on 6:00. 2/10 - WGRA 1300 ET 4:10. 2/11, 2nd Wed. f/c per list: WBOW WSOC WOBT KGHU. 2/12 - WSLM 1220 ET 5:00, WINK 1290 ET 5:00, WISL 1480 f/c per list 5:45. 2/13 - MAY 970 s/on 6:00, KNOE 1390 s/on 3:00, WSAM 1470 s/on 6:00. 2/14 - WMOC-DX unheard, HJON-1095 4:40 RS, WZY 930 ET 5:00, unidentified TT behind CKIP 800 at 4:40. 2/15 - KVNC-DX and WJVB DX OK here. KEYY 1450 s/off 5:00 Sunday. 2/16 - PRE-9 1200 very nice signal 3:00, WLOD 1330 ET 2:55, CKSB-DX heard OK. Nice DX show of KSPO weak. WENC 1240 f/c 3:15-3:20, s/on 6:45. WOSH 970 ET 4:00. 2/17 - WGTN 1400 ET 4:15-4:30, WJHP 1320 s/on 6:00. 2/18 - IDYL 1320 schedule 8:00-3:00. WTYS 1340 f/c per list 3:15, WKAM 1220 f/c to 3:30, KSRV 1380 f/c per list to 4:00.

LEN KRUSE REPORTS ON LACK OF WBUY-VERIES

After a f/up letter to Station WBUY, Lexington, N.C. on their DX of November 30, requesting info why no DXers had received verification, I have received a reply. Mr. John T. Cashion, GM of WBUY verified my f/up and stated that "a complete change of personnel left everything in a somewhat 'snafu' condition." Mr. Cashion, too, is their new manager; then too, the fellow who handled our DX show is likewise gone from WBUY. So I suggest a duplicate report with postage enclosed to Mr. Cashion and I'm sure he'll accomodate the DXers with verifications. Please mention something of this in the forthcoming issue of 'DX News.' (OK, Len - there it is, hi - Ed.)



Usings of the MembersC. M. Stanbury - Box 218 - Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada

Once again we got behind in reports to the "Usings" so again I'll have to summarize my DX news of the last month. My best verifications are "Radio Nojmea" Rome II, Arringham, GRC (Daventry 2880 kc/s.) KIAS57 (Los Angeles P.D.) KMA575 (Hafford P.D.) TGU EJET & VP4RD. Some of the best CBC I've had in the last month are 3AM2 Monte Carlo, KFRB Fairbanks, 4QR Brisbane, "Radio Andorra" and last but not far from least a tentative logging on XYZ, Rangoon, Burma. One of the weirdest catches I've ever had was a beacon on 1640 kc/s. giving the call WUI and that second call letter is from the German alphabet. Fortunately for me I have a pretty good recording of this station. I have been working some pretty good DX on the 160 meter band. That is between 1800 and 2000 kc/s. I've had stations in N.D. S.D. Montana, Utah and Wyoming and when one considers the highest power these stations use is around 150 watts that makes them pretty fair DX. In connection with this will some one please tell how I may obtain a copy of the Amateur Call Book? Until I get this I cannot send any reports to them. One interesting thing I've discovered is that so far the police stations have been verifying faster than the BCB stations. Of course I have only reported to distant ones. I will close now. 73s.

John Hoogerheide - 112 Chamberlin - Kronshage - Madison 6, Wisconsin

Not too much DX has been done since the last report but anyway here it is. 2/12 produced KCSB 1350 in San Bernardino atop the Mexican at 2:00. Tests were heard from WHLT using tone 2:15-2:30. WOSA 550 studios still in Merrill Wis. testing regularly 2nd Thursday, 2:15-2:30. WGNU 1010 using music f/c from 2:30-2:45. KDMC 1400 in McAlester, Okla. very poor at test 2:45-3:00. 2/13 had WIER 1300 all alone so WIEP must be off. Too bad since I never sent a report. WSM on all night to commence BC in 2 days. This one on 1220 in Salem, Ind. KWBB had a musical check till 4:00. KGAL had musical check from Lebanon, Ore. 4:00-4:15. KPHO testing with tone at 4:15. KGAL in Salem, Ore. on 1430 had musical test from 4:30-4:45. WKGN had a merch music test from 4:30-4:45. WEOC using tone 4:45-5:00. 2/13 had f/c from KWGJ 1450, KRTN 1490 WEOC 1450 and KSUE 1240. CJIB in Vernon B.C. s/off 3:02. Should be easy after KFRB s/off at 3:00 for you East Coasters. CKWX in Vancouver, B.C. on RS at 3:00 with newscast. WXOK 1260 new one in Baton Rouge, La. had a musical test for 2 hours and 12 minutes, off at 3:35. Good log on KOY at 4:00 produced a weak signal West Coaster of CBS network s/off on 550 kc/s. at 4:00 with Star-Spangled Banner. Any help, you California DXers? Good log on KPOA for 20 minutes at 4:15 produced a very welcome addition as one call was heard from WMAL in Washington at 4:19 who was testing. And lastly KSUE way over WEDC almost R-9 with little QRM. 2/14 had CJRL behind WCAR 4th news at 1:05. KDSH on RS at 1:15. "The N.W. auto Supply Store Station, KGHM" was excellent at 2:00 s/off. KPAC musical test till at least 2:30. KNEB RS s/off at 2:33. Verie back in 3 days. 2/15 had DX from EVNG very weak but FJVB was BB. 2/16 had DX from CKSB very good. KSPO was poor till 4:15 due to a f/c from KAPA in Raymond, Wash. 2/17 had WCA-WTNT WLOF WINK WJBF as listed in log. XEDF in Spanish f/c playing Spanish and U.S. music from 3:30-3:50 at least. Veries came along great for a while but are now slacking off. WEOC KASH KNEB WIF WJR WCHL WEAR WKIK KGRH and a non-verie from WIGM for a tentative report who say they were on with music but could not verify as my report was too sketchy. Only 1 minute log. Nice of them to answer. As listed in Arnold's log. Have a very attractive letterhead, too.

M/Sgt. Fred A. Anderson - Dover, England.

Well, it's about time I sent in a report. Hoping you can read it, hi. So I'm saying I sure miss the "DX News." Very nice boat trip, and I'm leaving again 2/16 for Bremerhaven, Germany. But have spent 4 nice days here in Dover, London and surrounding villages. To you beer drinkers, I haven't had a good beer since I left Newark, N.J. Well, radio worked good here all the way across. Mostly and best were WRVA, WTOP WCAU WBT WSB. The New York stations petered out after 3 days. After 4 days, started picking up France, England, Spain, plus the 100,000 voice of Stuttgart. Well, I guess this is all I can think of, so from England, 73s and goodness knows where I'll send in the next report.

DID YOU NOTE IN SID'S REPORT WHAT KRJE SAYS ABOUT THE NRC REPORT FORMS AND LETTERHEADS? WE APPRECIATE THIS AND HEARTILY RECOMMEND THEM. REPORT FORMS 100 for 85¢, 200, \$1.50; 300, \$2.30. Letterheads, 100 for 75¢, 200 \$1.40, 300 \$2.00 - or 100 of each for \$1.50. PUBLICIZE THE CLUB - WE HAVE SOME MEMBERS REPORTING THE SPECIALS AND THEY DON'T STATE THEY ARE MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL RADIO CLUB! Thank you.

Usings of the Members

Roy H. Miller - 857 South 128 Street - Seattle 88, Washington  
 Hi neighbors, DX here, diary style. Feb. 13 - KDLA 1490 at 5 a.m. with program plugging advertising over KDLA! JOFK-790 Hiroshima at 5:15 after trying for "Radio Trinidad" s/on; WTOP-1500 at 5:25 s/pn dominating the channel (my first D.C.) and WKBW-1520 at 5:30 s/on. Feb. 14 unable to hear WJOC-DX; only thing on 1430 was AFRR-Sendai, weak until 4:50, very good thereafter and KHIX-1340 at 4:25 a.m. Feb. 15 saw KVNC-DX in OK, though subject to extreme fade. After very nice note re: WJVB DX, KVNC signed off, and CMBQ only noted on 1010 requesting reports at that! Feb. 16, Nice job, Gens on KSPO DX! CKSB-DX very poor, only one announcement fully readable. Also added long missing CJAT-610 at 3:02 s/off; WFOY-1240 St. Augustine, Fla. on listed f/c at 4:05 a.m. for best 1240 DX (Fountain of Youth - could stand it, hi!) and finally KDLA-1010 f/c as listed as rains came. WFOY was QRM'd by 24-hour KBYR, Anchorage, Alaska. WEDC has never been heard! WFOY once treated me to a crate of free-ripened Florida oranges as prize for most distant report - yum yum! So, the AM of 2/9 was quite a DX morning in Brooklyn, hmh? Here, too! Fact is, conditions have been "fair to midalin'" since, but no time to DX. Graveyard channel DX here this season as to East Coast stations heard: 1230 - CMOO; 1240 - WFOY, 1340, WTPG, 1400, nil, unless WDUN can be called East Coast?, 1450 - WWPB WOTC WIAM, 1490 nil, nothing east of WRSR. Congratulations in order to "Toronto Hill" so that's why I couldn't hear CFTT-CHAK - done went East, hi! Just saw the results of Fred's weekend contest. WRAK-end was right as far as the third place winner was concerned! Oh well, at least I was "Best in the West!" Such competition! 2/18 saw WOB-710 logged as KIRO off the air. 2/19 netted KODI-1400, s/on unlisted f/c at 4:30; WWSW-970 on RS at 5:00; LYC 880 at 4:30 with a symphony or like, and best signal of season from Alaska 1580 from 4:15-4:30. Some veris: CKOV-DX, KFTA KFRB KEAP (1290 - 100 watts); WAPA (7 day service!); WWPB WHP-DX GEXL-DX XEBU WROL & WJIM (their 2nd report from Washington - who beat me?, hi!). CKOV sent list of reporters that did not mention being NRC members, and there are some very familiar names listed. Don't know what others of GPC think but I wonder WHY. (So do I, Roy - Ed.) 73s.

Frank S. Johnson - Concord, New Hampshire

Quite a few new catches here lately. 2/16, WFOY-1240 testing at 4:00, WFAN-1450 at 4:10, and WSIP-1490 at 4:25. 2/19 - WCDT 1340 testing at 3:30, and greatly wanted WSOY-1340 at 4:30. 2/19 - KAEI-1430 heard for about 1 minute signing off after KLO s/off. I sent a report but don't expect a reply as I couldn't make out the announcer's name. WROO-990 heard faint under WNOX at 5:00 and WQXL-790 also faint under WGAN at 5:30 s/on. Both reported also. 2/21 - Heard and reported, WDOV-1410, testing at 4:30, WFN-920 on RS at 5:00. WQW-1470 also testing at 4:30 (not needed) and WGAT-1310 reported, heard under CKOY at 5:45 p.m. 2/22 - Few ones heard and reported CHNO-1440 from 3:45 to 4:00 with special DX. WCHO-1250 DX from 4:00-4:40, CJMT-1340, 4:10 to 4:30 and again at s/off 6:35 with radio marathon Canadian National European Flood Fund. Total raised at s/off was \$1,184.25. WWH-910 s/en at 6:30, very faint and rumble from 2 or 3 others. 2/23, got my biggest surprise in all my days of DX-ing, WCCC-1290 and WJUU-1260 both on for DX and both scarcely audible, in fact neither one was I able to copy while WROD-1340 also DX came rolling in R B & 9 - can you best that? What would cause this other than DX condx? Would it be that WROD might have directional antenna beamed north while the others were beamed otherwise? I wrote to both WCCC & WJUU. I believe I got enough dope on them for veris. Hope so anyway. 59° at Daytona Beach, 25° above here & clear with gentle breeze.

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F. C. C.NEW STATIONS

560	Meyersdale, Pennsylvania	500 D1	600	W F R M	Condersport, Pa. from WFBM
1290	Greenville, North Carolina	1000 D1	1240	K B E L	Idabel, Oklahoma from KIDB
1340	Fresno, California	250 U1	1320	W B Z B	Homewood, Alabama fr. WBEI
1590	High Point, North Carolina	1000 D1			

CALL CHANGES

NEW CALL  
 900 W V A B Ozark, Alabama

900 KBEP to Sanger, California RE-INSTATED: 1340 C J N T Quebec, Quebec

FACILITIES

560	W J L S	Beckley, West Virginia,	to 3,000/500 U-2,	from 1,000/500 U-2.
570	W A C L	Waycross, Georgia,	to 1,000 G-2,	from 1,000 D-1.
930	W K S B	Wilford, Delaware,	500 D-3,	from 1280 kc/s., 500 D-1
1360	K C L S	Flagstaff, Arizona,	to 5,000 D-1,	from 1340 kc/s., 250 U-1.
1480	K L V L	Pasadena, Texas,	to 5,000/1,000 U-2,	from 1,000 D-1.

Business of the MembersBen B. Schiller - 30 Park Avenue - Avenal, New Jersey

DX has been very good since my last report. Veries are in from: WTRM WOL WMMN cards; and WJZ WRKD-DX WMBR (air mail) WIDE WFBZ WERT WFLA WSAZ KOSE WDOX WLRP & WBUT sent a card and a letter (both very nice). My new catches are: 2/13, WTRM and WJAC on RS; 2/14, WRBL s/on at 5:55; 2/20, WSDC, Marine City, Mich. (1590) s/on at 6; 2/21 - WLBZ (620) Bangor, Me., s/on at 6; 2/22 WMOU (1260) heard on RS the day before the DX, hi, Stan Morse! WTAG in Worcester heard very poorly at 6:30. 2/23, up at 4 for DX: WFOU (1450) Huntsville, Ala. concluding a test and promised veries (if postage sent) at 4; looking for WBCO I found WFPB for a new one at 4:00-4:05 with news. My best catch of all, KNOG (1340) Nogales, Ariz. heard with weak signal on f/c 4:05-4:15 for #1 Arizona; WEDC (1240) in Chicago on RS for a new catch; KGLN (1340) Glenwood Springs, Colo. with fairly good signal on f/c 4:20-4:35 for #1 Colorado; WROD (1340) Daytona Beach, Fla., fine signal of a swell DX show, only QEI was KGLN till 4:35 but WROD predominant. When WROD played music I jumped to 1270 and found WATN Columbia, Ky. very loud on f/c; then back to WROD till 4:55 when I caught WKIN (1320), Lefty's friend in Kingsport, Tenn. s/on, then newel WAIR (1340) Winston-Salem, N.C., s/on at 5; WBTH (1400) Williamson, W. Va. s/on at 5. WMOU's DX heard with fine signal and WCCC heard previously but not reported was only fair here on DX. No sign of KTW CHAK or CIGM. To Hal Stein, I don't believe WTRM s/on at 5:30 but only heard twice here and I'm 35 miles from them, hi! Lefty, do you know when WTRM s/on? (No -Ed.) Congratulations to Ed Hill for hearing CHAK & CFYT. No sign of CHAK here and wasn't up for CFYT. 73.

Craton DX Club - 46 Morningside Avenue - Craton-on-Hudson, New York

Missed last week, but back in the old groove again this week. Veries in from KOKK WABZ KTW (from December DX) WSVS KOOK KENO WALS KSO KSD WREC WRAY XEXO WATN KWHP CKKL WWSW KING WRKD WING WJCO CJOC WGBI & WJEL. WATN's verie unique because they returned our stamp and said they considered it a privilege to have DXers write to them. G.H. Righter, the President, who signed, is a member of both the NRC & NARC, but does not DX. Veries from CKKL and CJOC included booklets about their respective cities. 2/8 - WRKD-DX fair# WAVE (970) RS at 6. WDXI (1310) RS 3:05. CHSJ (1150) at 6:20. WNAV (1430) at 7:05. WRIA (1250), WHAT (1340) both at 7:30. 2/9 - KOMO (1000) at 2. WGBI r/c on 1340. WELO (1490) r/c. KING (1090) at 2:05. KEX s/off 3, 1190. KGDN (1140) also s/off 3. WGAU (1340) r/c. CJON-DX poor through WPAT tons. WOCI-DX rotten. WRT (500) RS at 4. KHUB surprisingly good on DX. Followed up nicely by KRUL on f/c. KJBS (1100, on late program. KJAM (1340) r/c. WBTM (1330) s/an 6. WANT-WVSC both s/off 5:30 p.m. on 990. 2/10 - KPH (1330) Tting at 3. WWCA, new all-nighter on 1270. 2/11 - WMBZ (1350) 2:30 p.m. 2/12 - KRUX (1340) at 4:30. WGEN (1340) also at 4:30 f/c. KVOA (1290) r/c. KDEC along with KWLC on r/c. 2/15 - KWDM (1150) r/c. KGLU (1480) RS at 2. KMAX (1480) s/off 3. KWHL (1450) cutting through others on f/c for #1 Wyomingian, hi. WHAV (1490) Eting 3:55. WJVB-DX fair. WKRZ (1340) with heart program till 4. WBCO (1450) new 22 hourer, hi again. CFAC (960) with lat sports show at 4. WAPI (1070) KWAN (910) both at 4:30. KTEL (950) and CWTL (980) RS at 4:55. CKNW (1320) RS at 5. WBUD (1490) s/on 8. KUJ (1420) & KWKH (1130) s/off 2. KMYR (1340) r/c. CKWX (980) s/off 3:05. WENC (1240) r/c. WHAN (1340) r/c. WBIR (1240) r/c. CKSE-DX poor to unreadable. KAPA (1340) r/c. KCNI (1280) DX show, unlisted, from 4 on. 2/19 - KPMC (1530) RS 2:15. WOMB (1580) RS 6 p.m. WSFC 1240 r/c on 2/20. 2/21, CBW (990) RS. 2/22 - WJIX (940) r/c. WELP (1360) r/c. WDEF (1370) s/on 5. WQPC (1420) s/on 5. WNRG (1340) 5:30. WING (1410) s/on 5. CHNO (1440) perfect on DX. WCHO (1250) good on DX. CJNT (1340) marathon, 5. KVOS (790) 5. "Radio Trinidad" (790) 5:15. WEAS (1010) s/on 7:30. 2/23 - WJLE (1140) s/off 2. WRIS (1410) Eting 2:15. KHSL (1290) s/off 3. KGA (1510) s/off 3:30. KOKK (1340) r/c. WMOU (1260) DX good. WCCC (1290) none too good on DX. KNOG (1340) r/c. KVRH (1340) r/c. WROD (1340) perfect on DX. WAIN (1270) r/c. WRNL (910) r/c. WJPM (1270) r/c. CHAK CKIM KTW nil.

Pat Reilly - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, New York

Veries are WOCM CKDA WGRG KDKO KBRZ. 12/15 - WOCM, PO Box 920, Colonial Broadcasting System, Ltd. I've waited for this nearly 24 years, hooray. KHON, 1380, first time heard this winter, 2:46. CKSE DX was hard to catch. PRE-9, 1200, 3:30. KATY, 1340 at 3:37. KCNI, 1280, f/c at 3:41. KAPA, 1340, 4:02 after XEAA off until 4:11 when KSPQ overrode them, another carrier to south on 1340 at same time but not heard on caller antenna. 2/17 - WCAA, 1230, f/c at 3:11. WJNO, 1230, f/c at 3:34. XEDF, 960, at 3:48. WIOF, 950, TT at 4:01. WJBF, 1230, f/m 4:08. WRIS, 1410, ET 4:24-4:30, a new one and the 38th report out that hasn't verified yet for me. (con'd on page 12)



Listings of the Members

(Pat Reilly, con'd from page 11) 2/18, KPRO, 1440, news at 3: KRGI, 1430, ET 3:06, KSTB, 1430, test 3:18 to 3:30 with KRGI silent, then more KRGI. WWIN, 1400, the win-twins in clear at 4:00 for another report, hope they verified this time. KVOX WEMP WGHV and another K station all on 1340 at 4:14. WSOY, 1340, f/c on at 4:31. WNST, 1230, 4:33 on f/c-TT. TT on 1220 at 4:44 to nearly 5 but no voice. Help from West-erners, is it KRUX with "All night bandstand" on 1340? 2/19 - WEMP, 1350, TT at 3:12. KPOA, 630, was swell at 3:22. 790, does AHD use code on f/c? Believe it was they, 3:31 to 3:45. KLO, 1430, audio test 3:57. WISH, 1410, ET at 4:02. 2/21 - Unknown TTs, 920 1250 1260 1400 740 1350 1340. KPOA, 630, swell at 3:30. KXEL, 1540, test 3:47. WADJ, 1470 on NNRC DX. KTXL, 1340, f/c 4:31 to 4:45 new one. KRUX, 24 hours 1340, through WEMP. 540 at 2:30 a.m., raining and DX was swell. 2/22 - 36° colder today, CJNT, 1340, with European Flood Fund Raising program at 3:07. OHNO, 1440 DX for NNRC and NRC at 3:35. WGHV, 1250, DX at 4:29 for 3 new ones. KCLX, 1450, DX, 4:08 to 4:28 for duplicates. 2/23 - WRIS, 1410, ET at 3:07. KRUX, 1470, 3:22. WMUU WQCC & WRGD all heard on DX but nothing heard on the Canadian DX.

Gene Cameron - 707 East Gordon Avenue - Spokane 22, Washington

Hello, Eager Beavers. KSPO DX is only 3 days old and we already have 17 reports from 10 states in; New York and Pennsylvania are well represented. I'll let you know how many reports and the most distant, later. CE may be a little slow, but I'll see that all veries are back by the time contest closes. I'm sitting here listening to a 20 watt station approximately 110 miles away and trying to figure out how to get a verie for it. It is GBW (730) but it is a really transmitter and never gives a call of its own. It can be heard any night from 1 till 2. I'm going to write to GBW and see if they will help, or if they will ignore me. On Feb. 19, I was listening to GBW when I heard WENC (730) come on for ET. Other DX heard this week was a station heard where WQCC-DX was supposed to be but it sounded too commercial. On 2/14, I also stopped to log WJZ (770) as I believe I saw a note that they are going to change call correct? (Correct! -Ed.) And also WVEC (920) San Luis Obispo, Cal. on ET. On 2/15, I got only KVNC-DX as I could use no outside antenna as it would create KREM image on 1310 kc/s. On 2/16, I got CKSB-DX through KTW before I had to leave for KSPO; KSPO had receiver in studio so I heard myself; also WBT (1110) Charlotte on BS and WONE (980) Dayton with s/on at 6:45. Veries in from KIOA CJNB KEFF (I'm counting till I find out otherwise) WGY WLAC KOMW KQVI & CKOV-DX. The night of 2/16 was best night of season here as signals did not fade as night progressed. I could hear JOKP pro-nounce every word, and Easterners remained strong. I see some of you Easterners are having a bad time of it, but we still have no snow here. Temperatures have dropped the last couple of nights to high 20s. Please excuse my jazz tendencies!

C. E. Conley - 328 Market Street - Lemoyne, Pennsylvania

7 veries in this week to bring total to 1035. 2/16 - CKXL 1140, NRC DX (with inter-esting booklet on Calgary later in the week), WJAG 780, NNRC DX; 2/19 PRE-8, 980, RS 1/6 to give me my first BCB Brazilian; 2/20 WRNO 1450, f/c 2/9, KOMW 680, NNRC DX, KRUL, 1340, f/c 2/9 and KVEN 1450, for report of f/c 3/16/52 (heard while waiting for WGBY DX) for copy of report included with thank-you for 12/14 DX. Said, "I was glad to receive so much mail for DX members in regards to the special program we ran. Must have been a bad night for Ventura because we only read 2 positive reports. We'll try it again some time before we get involved in television here in town." Who were the 2 lucky ones on the 12/14 DX? Also a nice letter from Srna. de Olguin replying to thank-you card on XEPF's 1/26 DX. From my meager knowledge of Spanish I gather they didn't run the special due to equipment difficulties, but that they plan another one on a later date. Mention was made of "mestro buen amigo el Sr. Karl Raymond. Only 3 reports out this week: WENC 1240 2/16, f/c, KSPO 1340, 2/16, DX, poor signal due to QE and local QRM and WCHO 1220, 2/22, DX with good signal but radded modulation. None of this week's v/s are new so am not listing to avoid duplication.

Stan Morse - R.R. #1 - Bradford, Massachusetts

2/15, KWRL f/c-TT 3:07-3:11 topping all nighters WBCO & KEYY. WBCO offering cigar-ette lighters to listeners outside Alabama - even if I smoked, I wouldn't write! Said they would be off Mondays. KVNC very tough and WJVB tougher through CMBQ. They played some U.S. tunes to help fould up the works. KMA good at s/off 3 a.m. KAHU fair for report. KCNI on ET 3:40 a.m. requesting reports. WAPI all-night show. 2/17 - CW-1 using 540, Colonia, Uruguay, to 4:05 a.m. for new country for me. 2/18 - CW-1 again this a.m. S-3, 540 kc/s. Verise, CKRC WRHT CKXL-DX WBCO. 2/20 - Verie KRUL and Calgary book from CKXL.



Musings of the Members

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York

For a while there I was thinking of listing my DX activities in "Komedv Korn-er" but now things are really looking up around here DX-wise. Veries are at 2,311 now with these in by letter: Brussels II (926) in perfect English and back and forth in 11 days!, WGRG KRUL KBRZ-DX"CHGB (after 13 years of trying!) and a two-page plus a coverage map to boot, WHTKWHF both letter and card, plus coverage map and desk blotter from WTTN, and a miserable card from WENO, and a prepared card from another of my old bugaboos, WHRV after 4 tries. DX: 2/12 - Europeans all over the dial from 944 up to 1602, reported last week in Fred's terrific section, so need to repeat here. WHRV (1600) for 4th try and about even with Murnberg on 1602 here, 1:40-2:00. WSIM (1220) on first ET all AM and not too good here - very fady. Somebody on 2:35-2:55 on 1390 with no tongue unless it was in check, or in check, hi. WGRG (790) on ET on spot where WETB is listed for f/c. They were not on, and WGRG in the clear and reported for new one. Old verie from this one was from New Albany, Indiana, and when they change states, I count 'em as new. I believe I had WPHB on 1290 with organ music at 4:34, but then he got blotted out by warm-up carrier of WVOW. Third report out to WKIN at 5 a.m. S/on and RS in clear. 2/16 - Two more 1340 250-watt West Coasters in XEAA and KSFO, latter very very difficult. They never were louder than S-3 here, and that for only about 5 minutes, and S-2 the rest of the way. KAPA, whom all of you seem to have heard 4:00-4:15 did not show here, doggone it. 2/22 - Murnberg on 1602 again good, and what sounded like an AFRS station on about 547 kc/s or so at 1:35 could have been AFRS-Munich so tentative sent them. WDOB (1370) Can- temp Miss. on ET 2:15-2:30 and later with modulation rather washy-washy. WCHO's DX was excellent here, and glad to add that sorely-needed one. 2/23 - After 2 weeks of excellent condx, it dipped this morning. Still, France on 1376 and EBC on 1457 were there around 1:15 a.m. WRIS (1410) Reanoke, Va. on ET 2:24-2:40 and later with S-9 signal. WCOF tested with hillbilly music after 3 and fooled me once again. WION at last heard on 1430 on f/c-V 4:30-4:45 in the clear. I was afraid I had lost out on this one, but luck was with me. Condx good again 2/24, and they have to be here to hear anything at all from KGKO (1480) all-nighter, finally logged for a report. 73.

SUGGESTION FROM JOE LIPENCOTT

I would like to express my appreciation for the condition of Frequencies Chart and say I would like to see such a chart kept up to date. I would personally favor a system that is visual. I think we spend too much time reading info. Please don't understand this as a criticism of anybody. It is not. It is merely my suggestion. My idea won't work as well on a list that varies from day to day too well but might even work if some thought was given to it. Let me indicate a hypothetical set-up:

Table with time slots (2:00-3:00, 3:00-4:00, 4:00-5:00, 5:00-6:00) and station call letters (WAAA, KAAA, WARB, RWBB) with their respective broadcast days.

The above or some modification would give a visual condition of the band. I doubt if it is too difficult and I think it would make a useful set-up. This is just an idea for people to consider who are making such data available.

WHAT DO THE REST OF YOU THINK - ESPECIALLY LEN KRUSE? LET US KNOW.

\* INDICATE STATES FROM WHICH WE HAVE HAD NRC DXES THIS SEASON

Table listing states from which NRC DXes were received: Alabama, Arkansas, Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and Mexico.

37 of the 48 states, plus all Provinces but Manitoba & New Brunswick, also Hawaii &/

Business of the MembersJoe Brauner - 23 Howard Avenue - Williamsville 21, New York

A rather slim DX week here. The winds of Sunday night unloosed a terrific R6 buzz that ran steadily until some time on Wednesday, so no DX during that spell. As a result I missed the badly wanted KSFO and the CKSB DX, and a few f/c's listed for the period which were needed here. On 2/19 enjoyed logging WLSH, 1410, on a test broadcast, very well heard here. WAPL, 1570 finally definitely landed during final minutes of 2/19 program, 6:05-6:15 p.m. Still trying vainly for WCHN, 970-at 5:30 a.m. I found WERE back of WWSW and logged them on 2/20 as they signed on RS at 5:00 a.m. WEVA, 1400, heard with TT/ET on 2/21 at 4:45 a.m. for first new one on 1400 this season. Still trying to find WPMR on 1540 but no luck. On 2/21 enjoyed strong, but well mixed-up reception from KOEL and WLEW most of time up to 10:00 a.m. Seemed to be strong carrier on top of these two but nothing ever came of it. 2/22, WCHD DX RS here. Pleased to find that KOLX stayed on later than listed and outlasted WBCO. Came in really fine for 250 watts during last 15 minutes. DX very good - unknown signal on 1430 heard again at 5:30, back of powerful carrier this time. WJAZ, 1050, had TT/f/s again 5:30 to 5:45 or later. Anyone know if WCHN, 970, still is on Sundays at 6:00 a.m.? Not a trace here, only powerful signal from WVOP. New veries are few - letters from KVNC, KAST, WNCA & CKXL. 73.

Harold Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

DX catches: 2/15, KWDM (1150) Des Moines, Ia. TT-f/c 1:35-1:50 for 2nd report. WEEK (1350) Peoria, Ill., basketball game re-broadcast to s/off at 2:37 for 2nd report. WUCA (1270) Gary, Ind. apparently on RS with commercials et al at least to 3:30. KVNC (1010) only readable last 6 or 7 minutes of DX show - then WJVB s/on with their 250 watts but tone bad, QRN and Bad CREQ made it tough. 2/16 working but went to garage to try for CKSB and KSFO - no luck of course. KCNI (1280) heard a few minutes on NNRC DX - they were verified on 1490 kc/s. 2/17 - WCOB (900) Lebanon, Tenn. M/f/c 3:40-3:50 asking DX reports, bad QRM. WJVF (1230) Augusta, Ga. TT-f/c 4:00-4:15 easy over WNOB, WINK (1240) Fort Myers, Fla. TT-f/c 4:15-4:30 under WEDC for 2nd report and WFTM (1240) Maysville, Ky. TT-f/c 4:55-5:10 s/off on top also for 2nd report. 2/18 WHOU (870) Ithaca, N.Y. surprise catch on this limited time station, heard clearly over WWL, 6:30-6:45 p.m. s/off. S/on per announcement 7:00 a.m. weekdays. 2/19 - KREI (1430) Grand Island, Neb. ETing 2:30-3:00 and as I'm working all AM Sunday & Monday I'll have to miss some more specials. Now for the DX mail - 2/14, "DX News" not received here until Saturday, 2/21, along with veries from WBEJ (1240). Other veries this week, 2/16, KAYL (990), CKXL (1140) NRC-DX, letters, and duplicate card from WHOQ for contest and a nice letter from Kermit Geary. (Who? -Ed.) 2/17, WJAG (780) letter, 2/18 WSAR (1480) letter and QSL card after 5 reports dating back to 5/1/49. V/s must be Scotch - first name Angus, hi! Also letter from GE of WRAC (1-60) Racine Wis. He writes he also received a reception report from a New Jersey DXer for practically the same time as mine and as they were not on the air he is turning the matter over to the FCC for investigation. 2/19, duplicate card from WBBW, letters from KPEN (740) WOHI (1490) and the new WAMI (860). 2/20, QSL card WUCA (1270). Veries now total 1,046. Watch for WPCT (1350) 3/1-3/15. So for now, 73s.

Bernie Duffy - 94 Lander Avenue - Staten Island 14, New York

Latest veries here are letters from CKSB, KRIL, WAMI, WNCA & WBUT and cards from WUCA, WLIO, WBUT. Additions to my heard list are: CJNT 1340, WCHD 1350, KOLX 1450, WDOB 1370, WFE 1540, PRG-3 1280, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil and probably WPCT 1350. Results of my dial spinning are as follows: 2/18, WLSH 1410 behind WONS at 5 p.m. 2/18 - XELI (960) f/c 3:30-4:00. 2/19 some one back of XERK - KWSK? 2/20 - WBHD 1580 tested 1:15-3:30, quite loud. PRG-3 1280 s/on loud at 3:30. 2/22 - CJNT 1340 easily dominated that channel all AM with a fund-raising for European storm victims, CHNO's DX equally well received @ 3:30, WCHD's test came in like a local. It was especially well-handled, detailed identity after each record. Apparently acting on my air-mail suggestion of a few days before KOLX prolonged its DX beyond 5:00 a.m., thus enabling me and doubtless many other eastern listeners to log them after KEYY & WBCO s/off at 5:00. 2/23 - WDOB 1370 ETing at 2:10 on, thanks to Lefty's phoned tip. A loud non-talking record playing tester on 1350 at 2:15-2:45 may have been WPCT. WFE 1540 was another local like at 2:30. WCCB, WATU and WRD's DXes were well received.

HEARD SINCE THE LAST ISSUE

1340 K A G H Crossett, Ark. from 1240      1410 W R I S Roanoke, Virginia  
 1370 W D O B Canton, Mississippi      1540 W P M E Punxsutawny, Pennsylvania

- 598SKHBS Hot Springs, Ark still testing to 0340 on 2/25 (Brauner)  
WAGA Atlanta, Ga S/on wkdays at 0528 (Lefty-Brooklyn N Y)  
680 WAPA San Juan, P R S/on wk-days at 0500 (Lefty)  
740 WIAC Santurce P R S/on wk-days at 0530 (Lefty) /Prater-Tenn)  
830 GMBZ Havana Cuba giving breaks in English on the hour All AM.  
970 WERH Hamilton Ala on Reg sked Wk-days ar 0500 thru WWSW (Brauner)  
1070 WAPI Birmingham Ala new alniter, apparently silent MON AMs(Lefty)  
1150 KXLR No Little Rock Ark S/off SUN AMs 0300 (Lefty) /Lefty)  
WCOP Boston, Mass had EI with Hill-billy music most of AM 2/23  
1240 KSWB Yuma, Ariz F/C 4th MON 0300-0315 (Weiser--Penn)  
CJAV Port Alberni B C Hrd S/off 0306 on Feb 10th (Brierley-Calif)  
---- This Freq is clear here now after 0400 KSON off 24 hrs.  
1250 KWSC Pullman Wash hrd S/off 0200 on 2/19, in clear no WDVA GRM.  
1260 CFRN Edmonton Alt now on 21 hrs, S/off 0400 (Prater)/(Prater)  
1270 WLSM Louisville, Miss hrd ETing thru WWSW to 0255 on 2/25(Brauner)  
1300 WGRA Cairo, Ga S/on at 0600 (Millar-Seattle Wash)  
1310 WDOE Chattanooga Tenn may have quit alniting, not hrd 2/23 (Lefty)  
1330 KFH Wichita, Kansas S/off wk-days 0107 after CBS news (Lefty)  
1340 CJNT Quebec City, Que on all AM 2/22, so not deleted (Lefty)  
WAEW Crossville, Tenn now on reg sked S/on 0600; Crossville is  
in CST zone. Prater-Grimsley Tenn)  
KROX Glendale Ariz hrd on 24 hr sked for past week (Brierley-Cal)  
KAPA Raymond, Wash was station ORming KSPD DX till 0415(Brierley)  
1350 WCBA Corning N Y F/C 1st TUES 0530-0545 with 3 breaks in "CW".  
1360 WHJC Matewan W Va S/on 0500 (Millar) /Williams-Conn)  
KFFA Helena Ark Sked 0600(0800)-2200, info from Station (Millar)  
1370 WDOB Canton, Miss hrd ETing 2/23 (Moser) Hrd 2/24 at 0220-0229  
(Matson-NY) Also hrd 2/22-23 (Lefty)  
WDEF Chattanooga Tenn S/on Wk-days 0500 in clear (Lefty)  
1410 WRIS Roanoke, Va on ET/M 2/23 (Moser-Lefty)  
WLSH Lansford, Penn was listed at hrd 2/25-26 by Brauner; This was  
an error by Pop Edge, it shoud have read 2/18-19th. (Sorry)  
1450 WNER Live Oak, Fla had F/C-band music 0415-0430 on 2/23, 4th MON  
Don't know if reg or not, is it John Pohl? (Lefty)  
1470 WBIG Greensboro N C S/On at 0530; (Millar) /Brauner)  
1490 WIRL Bradenton Fla ETing to at least 0330- 2/25 on top of mess.  
WBBB Selma, Ala F/C 3rd THUR 0230-0245 (Prater)  
1540 WPME Punxsutawney Penn ETing/M 2/23 (Moser) Hrd 2/24/25 (Edge)  
1570 CHUB Nanimo B C S/off at 0405, hrd frequently behind XBERF (Prater)  
1580 WITN Watertown, Wisc has no F/C period, per verie (Lefty)

To you new members who would like a Sign - sign off list can have one for the sum of TEN CENTS (10¢). Send to the following; Superintendent of Documents Government Printing Office Washington 25, D.C. and ask for;- Under the heading "Standards of Good Engineering Practice" the Section 26 Only (Sun-rise - Sun-set tables) To you members who received this list as published in DX NEWS way back, I can assure you that no new cities have been added, so your list is still correct. Pop.

RAY B EDGE-325 SHIRLEY AVE-BUFFALO 15 N Y Sunday evening brought a surprise visit from none other than our New York City member Erick Johnson. Seems he was attending a convention in Rochester and he came up to Bfio for a visit, had a nice 4 hour DX chat. Then Wednesday morning the ex-"Beer Baron" came over, was Tues night but a DX session lasted until ?? as Pop fell asleep at about 0430 and next thing I knew the place was dark and no Seth. He tuned in about a dozen Brazilians along with two or three others to make it worth while and neither one of us copied a single one. All were readable on the speaker. Bill Moser, Uniontown Penn says, "No matter what you do to "DX NEWS" it arrives on Mondays, occasionally Tuesdays." Lets hope this is true for all from now on.

## FOREIGN DX DIGEST

Edited by Fred L. Vanvoerhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania.  
With kibitzing from Hank Holbrook and Roger Anderson, as this is being written at Hank's home in Chevy Chase, Maryland. Better get to the DX, as I'm not sure where this will end.

## NORTH AMERICA

CUBA--HS reports receiving a QSL card from CMCB (1330) via a CMO card. CMS says that CMHF (1040) Santa Clara is apparently no longer day time only. Have been heard several evenings. CMS also says that CMBZ (830) is asking for reports. HH reports a very nice verie letter from CMHU (720) for report of 2/3. Slogan is Radio Tiempo and address is Prado y San Carlos, Aptdo 324 and signed by Modesto Vazquez Dorado, Admor. Gerente. Also enclosed folder on Radio Tiempo and picture post cards of Cienfuegos. His 42nd Cuban verie.

COSTA RICA--HS reports a verie from TIHB, Radio Crystal, Apartado 1474, San Jose, with signer Roger Barahona G., Gerente.

MEXICO--HS has a verie from XEAP, "La Voz del Valle del Yaqui", Calle 5 de Febrero Sur, Ciudad Obregon, Sonora. Signed by Emilio Manzanillo, Jr., Gen. Mgr. Other details were listed last week. CMS has his verie from XEBH. Says that out of ten reports sent to Mexico this year, seven have been verified. XEJE (1510) Guadalajara, Jalisco, appears to be on all night. Harmonic has been heard on 2620 during the early morning. RHM reports a verie in from XEBU (620), letter and picture post cards signed by T. Gomez, Gerente. JB comments that RHM has the luck with his XEAP being really XEAP. JB says that all he can hear on 1290 is XEDA. XEC logged 0303-0320 sign-off. XEBU (620) has been noted by him a couple of mornings to around 0500. XEPF is due to repeat his DX in the near future.

GUATEMALA--CMS reports hearing TGHR (700) Guatemala City, on 2/3 at 0300. Thinks he may be all night. CMS has his verie from TGJ.

PUERTO RICO--RHM reports a highly valued verie in from WAPA (680) back in a week signed by Jose Arzuaga, C. E., P. O. Box 4563, San Juan. HSW reports logging WKAQ (580) Santurce, with frequency check on 2/11 0430-0435, easy over WCHS.

ALASKA--KABI (580) logged here with beautiful signals on 2/9 with fc at 0409-0431 s/off, checking with Point Reyes, California. RHM has a verie from KFRB (790) signed by W. R. Nicholls, Act. Mgr. RHM also notes he has heard ADK (1580) Adak AFRS on 2/19 with quite strong signal. Adak is 6 hours west of EST. CMS has tentatively logged KENI (550) Anchorage, and KERB (790) Fairbanks, with the latter almost definite.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC--HI3A (1415) Santiago, was heard 2/4 at 1935. This from CMS who asks if they verify. All we can suggest is to try them and see.

EL SALVADOR--YSEB has been heard on 1070 Kcs. by CMS.

ADD to PUERTO RICO--CMS reports hearing WABA (1240) Aguadillo, on 2/16 at 0215 on FC. CMS says he has sent nine reports to Puerto Rico this season without a reply. Wonders what is wrong.

## SOUTH AMERICA

URUGUAY--SRM reports hearing CW-1 (540) Colonia, using slogan "Radio Colonia" until 0405 on 2/17, strongest SA signal this season. Heard also on 2/18.

COLOMBIA--HH reports logging HJGN (1095) 0237-0257 on 2/12 and hopes they QSL this year. HS reports him on 2/14 at 0440. CS also heard him and thinks he is on most of the morning. CMS reports a verie in from HJET

TRINIDAD--CMS reports his verie in from VP4RD, "Radio Trinidad".

VENEZUELA--CMS reports YVKS (750) Caracas, at 0200 on 2/16 with positive identification, so he feels there was a misprint in a list he had last spring reporting a frequency change.



## FOREIGN DX DIGEST

**BRAZIL**--CMS reports logging ZYT9 (1090) Juis de Fora, was heard at 0400 on 2/16. Also PRG-2 (1040) Sao Paulo, 1/28 at 1930. RM had PRB-2 (1440) Curitiba on 2/15 from 0339-0402 with fair signals and some QRM. HT reports a fine air mail verie from ZYM-5 (560) Curitiba, signed by Aluzio A. Pinzetto, Director. His 16th Brazilian verie.

## EUROPE

**ENGLAND**--HT sends along some information on Ottringham. The station was built in 1942; Original installation was to be 8 masts, each 500' high. One mast was found to be faulty and one other mast was not used then, but is now one of the BBC masts at Brookman's Park. The whole installation is scattered around in brick buildings and was very hard to knock out although bombed repeatedly during war. Huge diesel motors are on hand to supply current when power fails. CMS has a verie in from Ottringham. HSW also has a letter from the BBC confirming his report on Ottringham.

**SPAIN**--RM has heard Madrid (917) on 2/15 from 1830-1859 a/off. Announce as "Emisora de Compania de Radiofusion Intercontinental". S/off like other Spanish stations with "Arriva Espana, Viva Franco" and then the Spanish anthem. RM has a mystery Spanish station on 1145 Kc. on weekdays to after 1900. Heard sign-off Sunday 2/15 at about 1830 with Spanish anthem. RM also heard EAJ1 (813) Barcelona, heard often to 1912 sign-off.

**YUGOSLAVIA**--Belgrade (683) signs on at 2300, and logged with news at 2330 on 2/20 (RA) RM also reports the station with foreign service programs to around 1900 with good signals. Using about 150 Kw power. Both RA and RM report Zagreb (1133) RA on 2/13 at 2227 with news and RM on 2/15 1644-1714 with heavy QRM. HH heard Ljubljana (917) on 2/20 at 0040-0112 fadeout.

**GERMANY**--RM reports RIAS (989) Berlin is now using 300 Kw. HH reports logging AFN on 1233 on 2/9 with fair signals, no QRM from Sweden 0125-0143 with best European catch thus far. AFN Munich (548) on 2/10 logged 0110-0130 good signals. Bremen (1358) 2/12 from 0125-0140 thru very heavy Florida (WKAT) QRM. QSL letter in from Muhlacker (575) states that they receive very few overseas reports on medium waves. All this from HH who also reports he has his verie from the AFN station on 1233 mentioned above. RA has a verie from AFN Stuttgart (1106) and one from Bremen (1421). He also has reported Muhlacker (575) on 2/19 at 0101. CMS logged Munich VOA (1196) on 2/9 at 2345. NWDR group on 1586 was heard on 2/10 at 0030. Nurnburg (1602) heard on 2/10 at 0115. These from CMS also.

**FRANCE**--CMS reports Strasbourg (1160) on 2/10 at 0030. HH logged Strasbourg II (1277) 0048-0115 on 2/9. French stations on 1484 logged between 0216 and 0235 with good signals. One of his best European catches. On 2/9 a QSL letter in confirming Paris I (863) and transmitters on 1403 Kcs. This from Paris office. QSL letter from Nancy on 836 Kcs. in English, from Nancy. RA has a verie from the stations on 1349 Kcs. He heard Paris I (863) on 2/19 at 0055 with setting-up exercises. Also the stations on 1484 on 2/16 at 0102 with news.

**AZORES**--RM reports AFN Lagens field, which is listed on 1500 Kc. in International Log, is being heard in England to 2100 sign-off on 1490 Kcs.

**AUSTRIA**--HH reports Linz (773) on 2/11 from 0019-0050 with fair signal and heavy QRM. RA heard them on 2/20 at 2328 with first eight notes of "Blue Danube waltz" prior to 2330 sign-on. RA reports Vienna (755) on 2/19 at 2327 with same prior-sign-on. RA has also heard Graz-Dobl (1025) also at 2330 on 2/20.

**NORWAY**--HH reports LKF (1578) Frederikstad, good 0129-0145 on 2/14. RA has a verie from Vigra (629).

**WALES**--HH reports Washford strong from 0155-0225 on 2/12. He now has his verie. RA says he has also reported him.

## FOREIGN DX DIGEST

BELGIUM--HH has a QSL letter from Brussels II (926). CMS reports logging this station on 2/10 at 0125.

SAAR--HH and RA have beautiful cards from Saarbrucken (1421). Card shows map of the SAAR with parts of France, Germany, Luxembourg, also shown. Strossed Saar as separate country.

SWITZERLAND--HH has a QSL card from Sottens on 764 Kcs. RA hrd them on 2/11 at 0110 sign-on.

HOLLAND--CMS reports hearing Hengelo (1596) on 2/10 at 0100.

MONACO--CMS heard 2AM2 (1466) Monte Carlo, heard on 2/11 at 0115.

HUNGARY--Budapest I (539) heard on 2/20 by RA signing off at 1930, then back on at 2230.

## AFRICA

FRENCH WEST AFRICA--Dakar, Senegal (1435) heard on 2/18 at 0200 by CMS.

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA--CMS says for the benefit of RM that he logged a test from Johannesburg one evening in September at 2235. Not positively identified, but reports were sent to both Johannesburg and Graz-Debl. Johannesburg verified.

TUNISIA--HH reports a verie by letter from Radio Tunis on 962.

TANGIER--RA has a verie letter and photo from Radio Internationale on 1232 Kcs. Will go to 1238 Kcs. with 50 Kw. soon. CS logged this station 0215-0305 on 1/21. RM had them on 2/5 1749-1802 with strong signals and program in Arabic. RM also logged a spanish speaker on 1079 Kcs. 2/8 1804-1910 sign-off, believed to be another outlet for Radio Internationale.

ALGERIA--HH has a verie card from Algiers III (1421), his ninth African QSL.

## ASIA

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS--Correct call of 1560 Station is DXCC. (KW)

INDIA--RM says that the ESWL Review reports that VUD (886) Delhi is being heard in England on occasion at their 2100 sign-on.

TAIWAN--HSN reports a definite and strong Chinese station on a little up from 630 Kcs. at 0500. Checked them with Taiwan on short wave and was same program. Looks as if he has logged BED33. Listed as 300 watts. Says not to be surprised, as he has several 300 watters in Japan verified.

BURMA--CMS has tentatively logged XYZ (955) Rangoon, at their 2000 sign-on. If the identification is correct, he hopes for a QSL which will certainly be his best.

JAPAN--HSN has recently logged JOHG (990), JOUG (1200), JOBB (830), JOBK (670). They are best heard from 0400-0600 EST. KM reports a new commercial station on 1450 Kcs., JOVR or JOBR, possibly a change in frequency for JOBR on 1140 Kcs. HT reports an extremely fine long-hand verie from JOKD, 1190 Kcs. signed by H. Hosaka, 247 Hokuto Street, Kitami, Hokkaido, Japan. Hosaka is also Engineer for JOKP on 990 Kc. JOKD is his 7th Japanese verie, three heard prior to 1941.

## OCEANIA

NEW CALEDONIA--CMS has his verie in from "Radio Noumea", from a September report.

HAWAII--CMS has recently heard both KAVI (550) in Wailuku and KGMB (590) in Honolulu. RM heard KPOA (630) Honolulu, at 0515 on 2/15.

AUSTRALIA--HSN reports hearing 2CY (850) Canberra, for only 5 minutes. Only the second down-under he has heard all season. RM has heard 2WL (1430) on 2/8 and 2/15 0415 on with fair signals. Also 2QN (1520) from 0651-0702 sign-off on 2/8. First time he has heard an Aussie sign-off. CMS reports 4IP (1440) Ipswich and 4QR (590) Brisbane both heard on 2/15. JF reports further amendments to the International Log. On 900 Kcs. 6BY Bridgetown, is now in operation. Delete # sign. It relays 6IX in Perth. 2RE (1560) Taree has been testing at 0400, but not yet in full operation.

## FOREIGN DX DIGEST

NEW ZEALAND--RHM logged IYC (880) on 2/19 with male signer in a symphony, impossible to get a log. Also noted IYZ under OKLW at 0425 on 2/21, but not too definite. RM reports IYZ (900) Rotorua, weakly through QRM from another station on same frequency at 0505 2/15. SYA (690) Christchurch, heard on 2/15 at 0520 with good signals. CMS reports IYZ (800) heard on 2/16 at 0330.

## MYSTERY

CMS says he gets a station on 677 Kcs. at 2230 with TA characteristics. (Most likely HJKA, Stan, he has good signal here at this time on this frequency.)

KM says he has two Latin Americans on 1220 Kcs., at least one a Colombian. Ken, we think it is HJKO and PRA-9-FV. He also has a Mexican on 1400 Kcs. after 0300 nightly. Any help from the West Coast? He had a Mexican on 1265 Kcs. from 0230 on almost nightly. How about this one?

CS says he has a mystery on 665 Kcs. at 0240. Heard on 1/20. (Carroll, Lisbon II signs on at 0230, so no doubt him-FV)

TO HSN, your station on 830 Kcs. with one ball interval is CMBQ which is on all night. The Spanish at 0400 on 1340 is XEAA. The station on 800 Kcs. was probably IYZ in spite of the fact that it did not sound like an English accent.

JB has one on 566 Kcs. with no language identified from 0443 to sign-off at 0530. Language not familiar, and didn't sound like Russian. And another one on 975 Kcs. from 0530 to sign-off at 0630. This might have been Portuguese or Italian, but definitely not Spanish. Classical music to 0600 and lady announcer for the whole half-hour talking consistently for the entire time. No apparent identification or chimes, gongs, or anything like it.

RA and HH have evening reception on 955 Kcs. and 545 Kcs., both in Spanish, and not yet identified.

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## GENERAL

The time is now 11:15 PM, and we have been having a good time talking as well as trying to get some DX information into these pages. I sincerely hope that the information is coherent. This was a big week with a lot of information and a lot of reports. Letter from Jack Fox reports that he is now doing quite well with Europeans, noting some good ones like Fishinev, Cluj, Helsinki, Stara Zagora, Crowborough, Ostrava, and many others. He notes that the station on 773 Kcs. was identified as an Indian station.

Probably a lot of information that I have forgotten, but this is going to have to be the story for this week. If any of you feel that material has been lost, please let me know, and we'll try to get it in for you later.

